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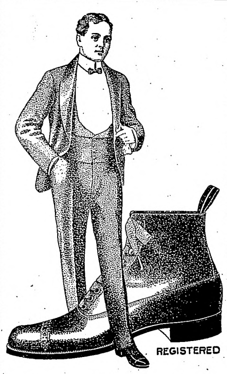

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GEN. STOESSEL, RUSSIAN COMMANDER NEGOTIATES FOR THE SURRENDER.

Gen. Negi Reports to Tokio that He Has Arranged for the Capitulation of the City, and Troops Will Enter at Once.

Tokio, Jan. 3.—The Russian and Japanese commissioners appointed to arrange the terms of the capitulation of the Russian forces at Port Arthur signed the compact of surrender at 9:45 last night.

The text of General Nogi's telegram announcing the capitulation of the Russian forces at Port Arthur, is as follows:

"The plenipotentiaries of both parties concluded their negotiations Monday at 4:30 o'clock. The Russian commissioners accepted on the whole the conditions stipulated by us and consented to capitulate.

"The document has been prepared and signatures are now being affixed. Simultaneously with the conclusion of negotiations both armies suspended all hostilties. It is expected the Japanese army will enter Port Arthur to-day."

The authorities in St. Petersburg, in the absence of direct official news from Gen. Stoessel that Port Arthur has surrendered, have not permitted the news to become public. Emperor Nicholas is in the south of Russia, and his ministers are for the time being in the dark as to what dispatches have been sent to him from the front.

The conditions of the surrender are not yet known, but in all quarters it is anticipated that they are such as an honorable soldier may accept from a brave and victorious army.

The spirit of the Russians may be judged by the statement that the campaign will be newed with vigor in the spring.

Possibly some of the hesitation of the authorities at St. Petersburg to make the announcement of the fall of Port Arthur is due to threats and rumors of radical demonstrations coupled with the absence of the emperor; but it is certain that no demonstration is likely which could assume serious proportions, and the radical leaders would be sure to alianate the sympathy of many of even of the more liberal Russians if they choose such a moment for a revolutionary demonstration.

Both in Paris and London the opinion is that the squadron under Vice Admiral Rojestvensky, which started from Liban for the Far East three months ago will have to retrace its way home, as adherance to the original plans would invite disaster without probability of effecting a junction with the warships at present in the harbor of Vladivostok.

Mukden, Jan. 2.—A heavy cannonade and rifle fire commenced on the Russian center early this morning and continued during the day. It is reported that the Japanese attacked in effort to break center, but were driven back.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—A dispatch to the Lokal Anzeiger from Tokio says: An official bulletin has been posted announcing that Port Arthur has capitulated under conditions honorable to the garrison.

Tokio, Jan. 2.—2 p. m.—Gen. Stoessel's letter to Gen. Nogi says that further resistance is useless. The emperor has telegraphed to Gen. Nogi, commending Gen. Stoessel and directing that full military honor be shown him.

The chiefs of staff met at noon to discuss terms of surrender. Capt. Ijichi, representing Gen. Nogi, has plenary power.

The siege began almost with the first gun of the war, now nearly eleven months ago, and when perhaps the greatest stronghold in the world was garrisoned by 40,000 Russian soldiers, supported by a formidable squadron of modern battleships, cruisers and torpedo boats.

These warships have been destroyed or dispersed until but a few torpedo boats remain in the harbor. The garrison, at latest accounts, has been reduced to about 15,000 men.

On Dec. 4, High (203) Meter hill, one of the most commanding positions held by the Russians, was captured by the Japanese after a severe fight, the loss on both sides being enormous. It was from this hill that the death blows were struck.

Indicted.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 2.—United States Senator John H. Mitchell, Representative in Congress Binger Hermann, and George Sorrenson, formerly a deputy sheriff of Multnomah county, were jointly indicted by the federal grand jury.

The indictment alleges that John H. Mitchell and Binger Hermann did in January, 1902, unlawfully and feloniously conspire together with S. A. D. Puter, Horace G. McKinley, N. W. Tarpley, Emma L. Watson, Salmon B. Ormsby, Clark E. Loomis, William H. Davis and others, to defraud the government of the United States out of a portion of its public lands situated in township 11 south of range 7 east, by means of forged and false affidavits and fictitious persons, and that in the furtherance of such conspiracy S. A. D. Puter did on March 9, 1902, pay to John H. Mitchell the sum of $2,000 to secure his influence with Binger Hermann, then commissioner of the general land office at Washington.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Hotel Burns.

For the eighth time in twenty-three years, the old St. James hotel at Duluth was swept by fire. Sixty-five guests were sleeping in the hotel at 33:0 in the morning, when the fire was discovered. The firemen and police saved many persons who otherwise would have been cremated.

Among the guests that had narrow escapes was J. A. Odell and wife of Philadelphia. He is a cousin of Gov. Odell of New York.

There were two theatrical companies in the house—"The Sign of the Cross" and "The Curse of Drink." The theatrical people made merry over the loss of clothing and other articles of value.

Everyone of the guests got down the fire escapes, with the aid of the police and firemen, but none of them had time to dress. Some of the actresses in the theatrical companies carried their outer clothing to the street before donning it, and using a plate store window for a mirror.

In the Capitol.

Gov. S. R. Van Sant has the honor of being the first governor to occupy the governor's office in the new capitol. In one of the private rooms some of the governor's admirers placed a bouquet of American Beauty roses. The governor received many callers during the forenoon. The large reception room of the suite will not be ready for some time.

In spite of the storm, State Treasurer Block and state Auditor Iverson removed nearly all of their property to the new capitol. The only officers that will be left in the old capitol are the clerk of the supreme court, the public examiner, the superintendent of public instruction and the supreme court justices.

Gov. Van Sant's first act on assuming his desk at the new capitol was to write a letter to his aged mother at Le Claire, Iowa.

High Priced Beef.

When Clear Lake Jute 2d, Minnesota's wonderful steer, was proclaimed by experts at the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago, to be the grand champion steer of the world, the animal which has been the pet and glory of the agricultural experiment station brought much fame to the state, but news of additional fame came in a telegram from New York announcing that the carcass of the perfect steer had been sold for 50 cents a pound, the highest price ever paid for dressed beef.

It was said, too, that the beef would be divided among all of the prominent hotels in the metropolis and that each would call attention on their menu cards to the presence in their kitchens of portions of the most famous steer in the world, a product of the state of Minnesota.

Killed the Deer.

A tame deer belonging to an Itasca county homesteader who lives about twenty-five miles east of Blackduck was driven by wolves from the yard where it usually stayed to the dense woods surrounding the cabin of the homesteader and it is supposed that the animal was devoured by the hungry beasts, as it has not returned to the cabin. The wolves entered the yard late in the afternoon and the pack was composed of about twenty. After surrounding the deer they attacked it, forcing it to leave the yard and run to the woods, the beasts running after it at the top of their speed.

Health Report.

Reports from the St. Paul health department for the eleven months ending Nov. 30 show that of the 1,569 deaths almost 9 per cent were from unnatural causes. There were 136 deaths in this class, 83 being caused by accidents, 40 suicides, 6 homicides and seven by poison.

For the same length of time last year there were 1,489 deaths and 126 of these were due to unnatural causes, the same number by poison as this year and five more from accidents, the suicides falling off 12 and the homicides 1.

Finds a Pearl.

At a family reunion held at LeSueur at the home of George M. Tousley, a part of the dinner bill of fare was oysters, and in these C. D. Tousley, who lives at Mitchell, South Dakota, found two pearls, one small, but the other of true pear shape, and for which he was immediately offered $350 by one of the guests present. Mr. Tousley, however, refused the offer and presented the pearl to his wife.

News Notes.

While coupling cars at Kasota, C. Roy Horton, a freight conductor on the Omaha road, was caught between the cars and crushed to death.

Indications point to a resumption of operations at several idle mines on the Mesaba and Vermillion ranges.

Channing Seabury says the capitol commission will have a surplus of $100,000 after completing the new building.

A committee of the State Educational association recommends stricter child labor laws.

It is proposed to have specially constructed street cars to transport fire engines between the Twin Cities in case of need.

The St. Paul police arrested a man who is suspected of complicity in the murder of John McGrath in a cattle car in Little Falls, Minn., August 28, 1901.

Charles L. Bassett, a Minneapolis detective, had his watch and Masonic charm snatched from his vest as he stood at a bar in a saloon. The thief made for the door and escaped before any of the occupants could capture the man.

PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

Sheriff Linnihan was out from Red Lake Falls on Thursday night on official business.

J. E. Buskirk returned on Monday after a ten-day's visit with his family at Red Lake Falls.

The Misses Maggie and Aggie and Master Willie Reed arrived here on Christmas eve from Grand Forks to spend the holidays with their father, J. M. Reed. They will return next week corrying with them the good wishes of all who met them during their visit.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton and Adam Zeh were here today from Red Lake Falls on business.

Mabel, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Audrew Steen, died early on Sunday morning. Mrs. Steen and her three children were here from Park River, N. D., and little Mabel was taken ill on Saturday. Her father was wired for but she died before he arrived here on Sunday. The funeral occurred on Friday afternoon.

The greatest system renovator. Restores vitality, regulates the kidneys, liver and stomach. If Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea fails to cure get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichert.

A. J. Riebe, of Hewitt, Todd county, was here on Wednesday looking over the town for a suitable location in which to start a harness shop. He returned home that evening but said he would return next week. Before leaving he authorized the Pioneer to announce that he will start a shop here, equipped in a thoroughly up-to-date manner. He will have it ready before spring and is certain to do a good business from the start as he will guarantee all of his work to be strictly first class.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass,
I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,
I'd leave my wife with and cross the sea,
Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

O. Winseth, a prominent merchant of Ulen, was here yesterday looking the town over and he liked it well enough to decide to locate here and engage in business. He perchased lots 4 and 5 of block 10, just west of J. M. Reed's, and will shortly commence the erection of a fine store building. He will put in a big stock of general merchandise with clothing and dry goods for his leading lines.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Brain Leaks.

Trying and failing is better than never trying.

Things that come easy are usually the hardest to keep.

Money builds the house, but it is love that makes the home.

It is better to resolve and fail than never to resolve at all.

You get closer to God by drawing nearer to your neighbor.

There is a vast differents between "swearing off" and remaining off.

If good resolutions were bread and butter there would be an end to hunger.

The man with the least money can usually see the best places to make an investment.

There is one good thing about building air castles—it keeps the builder looking up instead of down.

Somehow or other the sermonette smothered in a concert never appealed to us on a Sunday morning.

Some people spend so much time telling how good they are that they have no time to show how good they are.

Some people who hasten to "lay their burdens on the Lord" are awfully slow in giving Him credit for their joys.

It is hard to make the average housewife believe that there is any greater business calamity than a cake falling.

A man begins to get some idea of how his wife works when he undertakes to dress the children in the morning.

Was there ever play so enjoyable as the hard work done while preparing the presents for the little ones on Christmas morning?

We hope to live long enough to see the day when the amateur elocutionists will no longer recite "How Ruby played." It's a worse chestnut than "Curfew shall not ring tonight."

A Grim Tragedy

is daily enacted, in thousands of homes, as death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and to-day she is well and strong." It kills the germs and of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and $1.00 by All Druggists. Trial bottle free.

New line of correspondence full stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

To Amend Primary Law.

Warren Register: Representative Wells, of Wilkin county, has prepared a bill extending the primary law to all state officers, and changing the date of the primary election from September to June, and will introduce it at the next session of the legislature. Some people have expressed the opinion that primary election laws are the interest of nobody but the publishers of newspapers and that the editors are back of all schemes for its extension; but Mr. Wells is a lawyer and politician and believes that the present law has stood the tests given it so well that its scope should be so broadened as to take in state officers as well as those now included.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is atleast one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strenght by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo O.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: It is the loose change that slips through our fingers.

It is better to have been a son-in-law than never to have wed at all.

For some time after a girl wears her hair on top of her head she wears nothing inside of it.

A woman likes to wake up in the night and begin to cry just to be able to get mad over the comfortable way her husband can sleep through it.

If wives sent advance notices the way insurance companies do when a premium is to be paid, their husbands could remember their wedding day.

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in Pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. C. S. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

What the Man Finds.

Milwaukee Journal: Man's reason is seldom equal to woman's wit. few are the times when a man gets the better of a woman in a war of words or of purposes. He may go away calling himself victor only to find himself vanquished.

80 Years Old.

Mrs. Sina W. Platt, of Unity, Wis., a lady of 80 years, was recently cure of rheumatism by Gloria Tonic after many well-known remedies were previously used. This happy result ought to be a great encouragement to many of our readers. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Wrongs Have to Skulk Now.

Saturday Evening Post: Wrongs that once strutted as rights are losing their brazen front of impudence: they still roam the land, but they skulk. If it be true that men do not go voluntarily to be preached at as they once did, it is also true that they preach at themselve a great deal more.

Four Hundred Babies.

St. Vincent's Infant Asylum, Chicago, shelters homeless waifs awaiting adoption, and there are nearly 400 babies there. Sister Julia writes: "I cannot say too much in praise of Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it, as it is a safe remedy and certain in results. Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Traveling Today.

Traveling nowadays is a pleasure. We loll back in fortable seats of luxuriously appointed cars, resplendent in mahogany, mirrors and dainty furnishings; dine from a menu the acme of culinary art and receive every attention from courteous attendants;—Buffet Cars with comforts of the Club, Cosy Compartment Cars, which the ladies especially appreciate and the finest of Pullman Sleeping Cars are all to be found on the famous North-Western Limited—every night—Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls, and filed in my office praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on January 7th 1905, and terminating on January 6, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application, to-wit:

JOE MORINVILLE,

in that certain frame building situated on lot 15 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 19th day of January A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1905.

j5-12 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In Probate Court.

Special Term, December 21st 1904.

In the matter of the Estate of Carl Dahl, deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Mrs. Mina Dahl of the County of Red Lake representing among other things, that Carl Dahl, late of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of December A. D. 1904, at the County of Red Lake died intestate and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to S. E. Lewis granted;

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday the 14th day of January A. D. 1905 at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said county.

Ordered Further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 21st day of December A. D. 1904.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
(Seal) Judge of Probate. d22j5

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 307, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $120.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903 at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d29-j9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages on page 60 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
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Grant Van Sant,
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901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
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Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 61, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903; and recorded in the said Register's office, on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit:

The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
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DEFECTIVE PAGE

BATTLE TO DEATH IN WEST VIRGINIA

FATHER OBJECTS TO DAUGHTER'S LOVER AND YOUNG MAN OPENS FIRE ON HIM.

Bullet Strikes, Instead, His Sweetheart—General Fight Follows in Which Lover and His Brother Are Killed and a Friend Wounded.

Huntington, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Lucian and Ira Lucas, brothers, were killed, and Octavo Adkins, a friend, and a young lady were wounded, in a fight which occurred Sunday night near Midkiff, Lincoln county. The Lucas boys and Octavo Adkins were returning from church, accompanied by Martha Williams and Miss Adkins, daughter of William Adkins. The party stopped at the residence of the latter. Adkins was opposed to his daughter keeping company with Ira Lucas, and ordered the young man to leave his house. This so enraged Lucas that he drew a revolver and fired at William Adkins. The bullet missed him, but struck his daughter, the sweetheart of the shooter, in the side, inflicting a dangerous wound. Firing then became general and when the battle was over it was found that both of the Lucas boys were dead and Octavo Adkins probably fatally wounded. William Adkins escaped being shot, but there were several bullet holes in his clothing. He gave himself up when the officers arrived.

CZAR SUGGESTS REFORMS.

Liberal Promises Are Made in an Imperial Ukase Just Issued.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—Emperor Nicholas' long expected reform ukase was issued Monday night. The document deals, under eight heads, with practically all the subjects brought to the emperor's attention by the memorial of the congress of zemstvos presidents held here last month, and, while not specifically pledging the government to carry out the various reforms in their entirety, as demanded by the memorial, promises that each shall be referred to the council of ministers, with orders to report promptly on the fullest measures of relief which can be accorded on the various subjects.

One question not touched by the ukase is that of the constitutional assembly. Neither is the Jewish religion specifically mentioned, though freedom for all creeds or sects, whether Christian or otherwise, is among the subjects which will be dealt with.

The czar ignores the appeal for a constitution and an elective assembly. He makes it clear that the principle of autocracy will be upheld, but he promises that the excesses of bureaucratic chiefs shall be curbed; that the peasants will be made equal before the law with all other classes; that the courts will be made independent; that every accused person shall have a fair trial; that press censorship will be made less rigorous; that there shall be more freedom of religion and speech.

AGREED ON SUICIDE.

Two Men Form Death Compact and Take Poison—One of Them Is Dead.

New York, Dec. 29.—Benjamin J. Riley, of Brookline, Mass., on Wednesday night declared that he and Crestes A. Weed, of Boston, came to this city with the intention of committing suicide together. The two men were taken from the Grand Union hotel here early in the day suffering from morphine poisoning, and Weed died at the hospital after the physicians had tried for hours to save him. Riley was revived and was transferred to the prison ward of Bellevue hospital, where he is held on a charge of attempted suicide. It is thought that he will recover. Despondency over continued ill-luck, he says, was the trouble.

BURN SURPLUS COTTON.

Bonfire Is Made in Streets of Town in Georgia—Movement of Farmers.

Fort Gaines, Ga., Dec. 29.—The farmers and merchants of Clay county met at Fort Gaines and decided to burn their share of 2,000,000 bales of surplus cotton. A starter was made Wednesday, when a bonfire was made of cotton on the streets of Fort Gaines. It is not yet determined where it will stop. The farmers have decided to set the pace, and are moving determinedly. A large crowd paraded with much spectacular ceremony. The object is to show that the farmers are ready to sacrifice a few bales for the benefit of the masses.

Two Burned to Death.

Bloomfield, Ind., Dec. 29.—Tuesday night the home of Nathan O'Neall, five miles west of here, was burned to the ground and O'Neall and his daughter Nora were burned to death.

Penalty for Stolen Kiss.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 29.—James Robinson was sent to jail for 30 days for an assault. The offense for which he was committed was kissing a young lady against her will.

Centenarian Dead.

Denver, Col., Dec. 29.—Dr. Johann Jacob Eisenhut, 104 years old, the oldest person in Colorado, died Wednesday at St. Anthony's hospital in this city.

DEPEW WINS.

Opposition in New York to His Return to the United States Senate Withdrawn.

New York, Dec. 30.—Chauncey Mitchell Depew, of New York, will succeed himself for a term of six years as United State senator from the state of New York, continuing as the colleague of Senior Senator Thomas C. Platt, who has four years to serve. The formal announcement of this conclusion was made late Thursday afternoon at the Fifth Avenue hotel by Gov. Odell, as chairman of the republican state committee. Gov. Odell's formal announcement, which is regarded as closing the controversy on the subject, gives it as his conclusion that "party harmony will be best subserved by the reelection of Senator Depew," concedes that the sentiment favoring his selection is very strong throughout the state, and declares that "it would have been the worst kind of party generalship to have run counter to this expressed public opinion." Former Gov. Black, who was the leading candidate against Senator Depew, has withdrawn his name.

WILL INVESTIGATE FRAUDS.

Sweeping Inquiry to Be Made Into Colorado Election by Order of Supreme Court.

Denver, Col., Dec. 31.—Stretching its hand so as to cast a shadow on every man and woman in any way implicated in electin frauds of the city and county of Denver on or before, or after November 8, the supreme court Friday ordered an investigation so sweeping in its scope that every phase of the election may be scrutinized and everything that bears in any way upon the election may be made known by judicial inquiry.

Alva Adams, democratic candidate for governor, who appeared from the returns to have been elected, but who has declared that he does not want the office tainted with fraud, asked the court to open every Denver ballot box, but the order of the court goes beyond the mere examination of the ballots and provides for an investigation of the registration lists, the campaign expenditures and in brief all election matters.

MUTINY IN PRISON.

Convicts Make Break for Liberty at Folsom, Cal.—Three of Them Are Shot Dead.

Folsom, Cal., Dec. 30.—Seven of nine convicts at the state prison who made a break for liberty Thursday were almost riddled with bullets, three being now dead and three in a critical condition. Capt. R. J. Murphy, a prison official, is wounded by a shot in the leg and two slight knife wounds.

The following convicts were killed: H. G. Hill, under sentence of 36 years for robbery J. Quinlan, serving 12 years for robbery; W. Morales, under sentence for robbery.

The following wounded will probably die: D. Kelly, serving a sentence of eight years for robbery; E. Queyada, serving a life sentence for murder; W. P. Enley, serving a life sentence for murder.

Slightly wounded: Charles Carson, serving life sentence for robbery.

WOULD DISSOLVE COMBINE.

Attorney General Moody Strikes a Severe Blow at the Paper Trust.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 28.—Attorney General Moody late Tuesday afternoon began a suit by petition in the United States district court here on behalf of the United States against the General Paper company and other paper and pulp companies comprising what is known as the paper trust, under an act of congress approved July 2, 1890, entitled an act to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies. The petition asks that the defendants be enjoined from continuing the trust. The General Paper company is made the principal defendant, and party defendants are made of 24 companies.

Justice Moves Rapidly.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 28.—George Bearss, who murdered Mrs. Abel Brown at her home on a farm near Berville last Friday, Tuesday pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced by Judge Law to life imprisonment in Marquette prison. The murder was committed Friday afternoon. Bearss was arrested Sunday at Flint, brought here Monday and before noon Tuesday had appeared in both the justice court and circuit court and had been sentenced to life imprisonment.

Death of an Inventor.

Salina, Kan., Dec. 31.—Capt. Hamilton Ezra Smith, inventor of laundry machinery, in general use, and of the first round-bale cotton binding appliace, and who was a member of the citizens' committee of New York that overthrew the Tweed ring, died here Friday, aged 85 years.

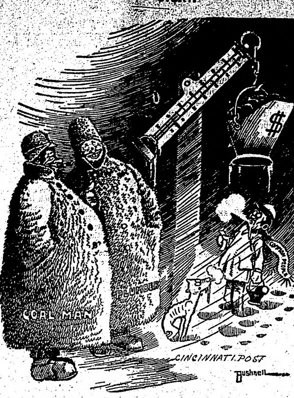
Two Firemen Killed.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Two firemen lost their lives and two more were badly hurt Friday night while working at a fire that destroyed the Union Traction repair shop at Washington boulevard and Fortieth avenue. A spectator also was injured. The money loss was $50,000.

Indicted for Land Frauds.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 28.—The federal grand jury has indicted S. P. Ormsby, William H. Davis, mayor of Albany, Oregon; C. E. Loomis, Henry E. Young, George Sorenson, and John Doe and Richard Roe, in connection with the land frauds in this state.

THE OLD STORY.



JAPANESE TAKE RIHLUNG FORT

IMPORTANT POSITION BEFORE PORT ARTHUR CAPTURED AFTER FIERCE BATTLE.

Victorious Army Loses 1,000 Men in the Assault—Breaches Made in Wall of Fort by Explosion of Seven Dynamite Mines.

Headquarters of the Japanese Army Before Port Arthur, via Fusan, Dec. 30.—Rihlung fort was captured at three o'clock Thursday morning with 1,000 Japanese casualties. Seven dynamite mines exploded at ten o'clock Wednesday made breaches in the front wall through which a large body of Japanese troops charged under cover of a tremendous bombardment and captured the first line of light guns. A bitter fight resulted in the capture of the fort. A majority of the garrison, numbering 500 men, were killed. Nearly 50 guns were captured.

Rihlung fort, situated on Rihlung mountain, formed a part of the inner circle of the chain of forts defending Port Arthur. Rihlung is situated about two miles from the outskirts of the town of Port Arthur, from which it bears due northeast. The fort just captured is a mile and a half southeast of Keekwan fort, recently captured by the Japanese. The possession of these two forts should make a most important breach in the fortifications of Port Arthur and cut off communication between the Golden hill forts and the forts of the western section of the inner circle of fortifications.

Returning Sea Heroes Cheered.

Tokio, Dec. 31.—Admiral Togo and Vice Admiral Kamimura, with their staffs, arrived at the Shampassi station at 9:20 o'clock Friday. Their journey from Kure to Tokio was a continuous ovation. At an early hour the streets were filled and the city was gayly decorated with flags, lanterns and New Year's decorations. Representatives of the emperor and empress, Prince Fushimi, Jr., elder statesmen, ministers, prominent Japanese and thousands of school children greeted the arrival of the naval heroes at the station. The presidents of both houses of the diet presented them with the resolutions of commendation passed by their respective branches of parliament. Togo and Kamimura then proceeded to the palace to report to the emperor. They will probably remain in Tokio about one week for the purpose of consulting with the general staff and perfecting plans for future operations.

To Abolish Grand Jury System.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 28.—Minnesota, by a vote of more than 121,000, abolishes the grand jury system on the ground that it is unfair, expensive and antiquated. The legislature asked for the vote, after examining the legal machinery of Wisconsin and North Dakota, which have eliminated the system.

Rich Haul of Robbers.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—After binding the engineer and the watchman employed in the Garden City Brewing company's plant, Albany avenue and Twenty-first place, early Wednesday, four cracksmen blew open the safe and escaped with $2,500.

Noted Feudist Killed.

Bluefield, W. Va., Dec. 31.—Elias Hatfield, noted for his connection with one of the bitterest of the mountain feuds, was killed in a tunnel near here. He was walking through the tunnel when overtaken by a train. His body was horribly mangled.

Federal Judge Quits.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 28.—Judge Francis J. Wing stated Tuesday that he had forwarded to the president his resignation for the northern district of Ohio, and that he had been assured that it would take effect on the first day of February next.

PRELATE UNDER FIRE.

Serious Charges Against Bishop Talbot—Some of Signers Later Repudiate Document.

New York, Dec. 28.—The presentment in the case of Bishop Talbot, of Pennsylvania, has been made public. Immorality, lying and criminal libel are among the specifications on which trial of the prelate will be sought by prominent Episcopal clergymen and laymen.

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.—Dispatches from Huntingdon, Pa., state that some of the Huntingdon signers to the presentment have repudiated the document, and say that it was never their intention to sign a paper of the character that has appeared in the press. If this be true the proceedings must be dropped, as a presentment of the character made against the bishop must contain the names of at least three persons from the diocese in which the accused bishop lives.

It is stated that the paper was signed by the Huntingdon men under a misapprehension, they believing that they were assisting in closing a long controversy and not one in which their bishop was to be brought to trial. It is declared by two of the signers that they signed a paper of this character, and were also asked to put their names on a blank sheet of paper, as it was desired to make the letter out in duplicate.

The names of six vestrymen of St. John's church, Huntingdon, are attached to the presentment. They are John Langdon and James Denithorne, coal operators; [illegible] S. Jackson, a clerk; A. T. Jackson, a clothing salesman; W. F. Hillier, a pressman, and W. G. Miller, who conducts a tobacco store and pool parlor.

OPERATIONS OF TREASURY.

Review for Year 1904 Made Public —Deficit of $22,000,000 Is Shown.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The treasury department Friday issued a review of treasury operations for the calender year 1904. Te treasury receipts for the calender year 1904 were $540,000,000, and the expenditures (including the Panama payment) $562,000,000—a deficit for the year of $22,000,000. As compared with the previous calendar year, the receipts show a falling off of $8,000,000, and the expenditures an increase of $50,000,000. The decrease in customs receipts was $9,000,000. Civil and miscellaneous expenditures increased $15,000,000; war department, $9,000,000; navy department, $23,000,000; pensions, $2,000,000, and interest, $1,000,000.

Watson to Publish Magazine.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Thomas E. Watson, of Thomson, Ga., the candidate of the people's party for president in the last election, incorporated with the secretary of state a stock company called Tom Watson's Magazine, for the purpose of publishing and circulating a monthly literary periodical of that name. The corporation is capitalized at $125,000, divided into 12,500 shares.

An Enormous Christmas Tree.

Cincinanti, Dec. 30.—The Cincinnati Traction company Thursday night treated its employes, numbering several thousand, their wives, children and other relatives, to a fine Christmas entertainment. From a Christmas tree, 25 feet high and 100 feet in circumference, over 3,000 toys were distributed to the children. The entertainment is an annual affair.

Is Pardoned.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 29.—Norman King, formerly a Minneapolis city detective under Mayor Ames, and who was convicted and sentenced to a term in state's prison on a charge of complicity in a diamond robbery, was granted a full pardon by the state pardon board.

Business District Burned.

Sioux City, Ia., Dec. 28.—Fire in the business district of Ogden, a town of 1,000 inhabitants in Boone county, has caused a loss of $30,000.

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THE election seems to be over everywhere except in Colorado.

THE Warren Sheaf is again in the hands of John P. Mattson, the former editor, Elbert Bede, retiring the first of the year.

DAVID B. HILL formally retired from politics with the dawn of the new year. And yet, somehow, there is not much of a hole in the political ocean.

BEMIDJI must be a fruitful field for news or else the Daily Pioneer man is an exceptionally good news gatherer. Perhaps both are combined.

NOBODY is talking of removing from Minnesota because we have a Democratic governor. And, by the way, the banks and business houses are not alarmed at the outlook for 1905.

IT is asserted in some quarters that the Republican county organization was back of Mr. Moreau in the late ill-starred treasurership contest. Perhaps this explains the result.

A YEAR brings many transformations. Perhaps a year ago Governor Johnson, least of all, imagined that within a year he would be chief executive of the great commonwealth of Minnesota.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN has again undertaken the task of reorganizing the Democratic party, and it would seem that the majority of the members believe he is the Moses to get it out of the mire of Eastern conservatism.

SPEAKER CLAGUE announce that there will be no grafts or sinecures permitted while he is speaker of the house. This is a big promise to make, but if he fulfills it he will have won the everlasting gratitude of the people of the state.

HERE is one of Mary McFadden's philosophic deductions: "Only an honest man may have a just estimate of his own character—a man who is honest enough to know his own limitations and possibilities. Others overestimate him or underrate him quite."

SENATOR CLAPP was re-nominated at the Republican caucus Tuesday night. Only one vote was cast against him, this one going to J. B. Gilfillan. At one time it looked as though the opposition to Clapp was serious, but it seems at the crucial moment the support of the other candidates melted away.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON will deliver an address at the Jackson club banquet at Chicago Saturday evening of this week. The Governor has already attained a national reputation because of his victory in the face of overwhelming odds, and his public utterances will not disappoint the expectations of the people of Minnesota.

THE Hutchinson Leader says: "Fred Ames was fortunate in one thing, and that was in the choice of a wife. To the devoted, unwavering zeal of his wife he owes his liberation from the state penitentiary, and there is no one so heartless as to find fault with his pardon, be he innocent or guilty of the charge on which he was convicted."

E. J. LYNCH, editor of the St. James Journal, has been named as assistant labor commissioner by Governor Johnson. The appointment will meet hearty approval all over the state. Thera are fewer men in the Democratic party more deserving than Bro. Lynch, and we are glad to see him recognized by a call to this important stations.

W. H. WILLIAMS, the leader of the Hearst propoganda at Minneapolis, has been named as labor commissioner by Governor Johnson. Mr. Williams is a union printer and for many years has been prominent in labor circles. Then, too, he is a bright, energetic man, who will give the state efficient service in the bureau of which he is to be the head.

FRANK EDDY has formed a newspaper trust down at Sauk Center by buying out the opposition paper, the Avalanche, and consolidating it with the Herald. It is not likely that Frank will use his newly acquired power to the detriment of the people, however. There seems to be growing tendency toward the consolidation of newspapers in the smaller towns of the state—an idea good enough to push along.

THE Crookston Journal has been sold by the Journal Printing company to Messrs. Arch Crawford and A. L. Berkland, two well-known printers of that city. The Journal has for the past eight months been a great paper for a city the size of Crookston, but it is alleged that the pace was too strenuous for the pocket-books of the stockholders and that retrenchment is necessary to put the paper on a paying basis. The new managers have our best wishes for success!

THE Thief River News was mistaken last week in asserting that the business men of Red Lake Lalls had raised a fund to assist Ovide Moreau in defending the treasurership. This was a pipe dream pure and simple. As a matter of fact the business men were not interested in the contest, save by excusable curiosity. Mr. Hansen probably has as many personal friends in Red Lake Falls as Mr. Moreau and we have heard of no one who bears a grudge against Mr. Hansen because he hails from Thief River Falls. The handsome vote the Democratic candidate received here on election day proves that he is popular with our people.

HON. FENDALL G. WINSTON, late Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, who ran some 50,000 ahead of his ticket, has been appointed surveyor general of logs in the Minneapolis district. This is a deserved compliment to a splendid Democrat and a splendid citizen. Mr. Winston was in no sense a candidate, but his acceptance offered Governor Johnson a solution of a difficult problem. Mr. Winston had endorsed Michael Breslauer for this place, while Congressman Lind was back of Elijah Barton. As both Mr. Winston and Mr. Lind deserved well at the hands of the Governor it was difficult to choose between them. Mr. Winston's appointment will be satisfactory to all factions of the party.

GOVERNOR Johnson was formally inducted into office yesterday at a joint session of the house and senate. The Governor's message deals with some new and important questions. Matters of particular interest to this part of the state consist of recommendations for increased drainage appropriations, a taxation amendment to the constitution, joint legislative resolution asking congress to pass the Quarles-Cooper railroad bill, creation of county boards of education with power to elect county superintendents, larger salaries for county superintendents, state aid for township road work, creation of bureau of immigration, separate spring elections for judicial officers, state supervision of accounts of all city officers, and further pure food legislation.

RAILROAD rates are, of course, the main topic of the interstate commerce commission's report, which was transmitted to congress before the holiday adjournment. An extension of powers is asked, since at present the commission can merely condemn an unreasonable and unjust rate, without prescribing the rate that should be. There is no wish for the privilege of "arbitrarily initiating or fixing rates," but merely an amendment authorizing the commission to prescribe reasonable rates "upon complaint and after hearing." The subject is very complex; a thousand conflicting or partly conflicting interests are concerned in every adjustment; so it is a matter of justice and reason that the commission should do no more than act as arbiter.

IN his "Letters from a Self-Made Merchant to his Son," George Horace Lorimer, the author, says: "Trading on margins is a good deal like paddling around the edge of the old swimming hole—it seems safe and easy at first, but before a fellow knows it he has stepped off the edge into deep water. The wheat pit is only thirty feet across, but it reaches clear down to hell. And trading on margins means trading on the ragged edge of nothing. When a man buys, he's buying something that the other fellow hasn't got. When a man sells, he's selling something he hasn't got. And it's been my experience that the net profit of nothing is nit. When a speculator wins he doesn't stop till he loses, and when he loses he can't stop till he wins. You have been in the packing business long enough to know that it takes a bull thirty seconds to lose his hide; and if you'll believe me when I tell you that they can skin a bear just as quick on 'change, you won't have a board of trade Indian using your pelt for a rug during the long winter months."

REWARD FOR FAITHFULNESS.

The Youth's Companion in a recent issue published a short article setting forth the contrast, especially in after life, between boys who are full of a hopeful and humble spirit and those who seek only their own gratification and selfish ends. To give force to the article the following illustration was used which, if we mistake not, had its origin—in part—in Minnesota:

A widowed mother who took boarders to support her family found some years ago that her eldest son, as soon as he was able to pay for his board, went to a more fashionable part of the city "in order to get into society." His name need not be mentioned, because nobody has ever heard of it. About the same time, but hundreds of miles away, there was another family thrown into strained circumstances by the worthlessness of the father. The mother took in washing, and the boy, at the age of ten, left school to go to work to help her. An employer gave him his first overcoat, and he still has it. Time has brought some changes. He was recently elected governor of a great state, in circumstances which constitute it an exceptional compliment. The feelings of this mother who is still living, may well be imagined.

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PLANTS HAVE HYSTERIA.

Certain Species Have Nerves That Are as Sensitive as Those of Human Beings.

Science claims to have discovered that plants have nerves, and that some species are irritable and nervous to a marked degree. The peculiar phenomena are not new, for the poets have sung of the sensitive plant's plaintive actions when played upon by the rough wind and of the mimosa's fright when crushed or broken by some strange foot; but these were supposed to be merely figures of speech, and no one believed that the song makers had such insight as to discover that plant organisms were gifted with nerve centers and brain cells. Science has worked out the fact, however, says the New York Times, that the poets were nearer the truth than we gave them credit for, and that certain species of our common woodland growths possess nerves that can be played upon by the east wind as readily as those which afflict mankind. The sensitive plant leads all others in this respect. But what we considered innate modesty at being handled is nothing more than irritable nerves. The genus Mimosa comprises about 200 species, and most of these exhibit peculiarly irritable natures if touched or handled in the wrong way. The Mimosa pudica, the botanical name for the sensitive plant, is so highly organized that it is kept in a state of neurasthenia most of the time. A puff of wind, the tramping of heavy feet near it, or the rude touch of the hand, will cause this plant to go off into nervous hysterics. The exciting noise or commotion strikes the nerves of the plant and causes it to close up or droop its leaves. Hundreds of sensitive plants have been diagnosed in the modern biological laboratories, and the observers of the plants have traced the nerve centers to their foundation.

In some of the plants the ends of the nerves have been located. Thus if Mimosa pudica is touched with ever so fine a point at the base of a pinna or along its axis, the most remote pair of leaves will shiver and begin to close. Finally, when all the leaves have closed, the pinna which has been touched will droop. The shock has been so great that the whole nervous system has been temporarily disarranged. However, like all nervous, irritable people, there is a point beyond which fright reacts and a control of the system begins to manifest itself. If the sensitive plant is shaken for some time it gets over its attack of neurasthenia and some of the leaves will begin to open again.

The most sensitive place of the plant is at the base of the secondary leaf stalks, where an immense number of nervous corpuscles or delicate tissues are located.

WHEN PEACE COMES IN ASIA

Neither Russia Nor Japan May Be Allowed to Dictate What Terms Shall Be.

"There is little doubt that the present struggle, if other nations do not interfere, will be a bitter one," says Gen. Francis Vinton Greene in the war number of the World's Work, "but should Russia gain a really decisive victory, as she did over Turkey in 1878, she would seek to make Japan a mere Russian province, filled with splendid harbors and forming a magnificent outpost for the coast of the orient. Should Japan gain such a victory over Russia, she would wish to drive Russia entirely away from the Pacific coast, establish herself on the mainland and put herself at the head of the far eastern races.

"Neither will be allowed to do what it wishes. Wars are not ended in that way in these days, but in such a way as the great nations think proper. In her last war Russia had Turkey at her mercy, but she was obliged to tear up the treaty she had made at San Stefano and to submit to such terms as the noncombatant nations saw fit to allow at Berlin. And in her last war Japan inflicted a signal defeat upon China and dictated the terms of peace in the treaty of Shimonoseki, which was ratified on May 8, 1895. But only two days later, at the dictation of Russia, Germany and France, the Japanese emperor signed a document in which he renounced and gave up the chief advantages he had gained by that treaty. Similarly now, it is quite certain that Japan will not become a Russian province, nor will there be any 'yellow peril' under the leadership of Japan, for, no matter which side wins, the treaty of peace will be made, not by the two combatants, but by a congress of all the great powers, including ourselves—so far have unforeseen events carried us away from the traditions of Washington. The terms of that treaty will be such as the great nations think best for the interests of the whole world, and not alone of the two nations who carried on the war."

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Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate person. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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In old age the mucous membranes become thickened and partly lose their function.

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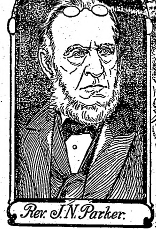

Rev. J. N. Parker.

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A Bishop's Letter.

T. H. Lomax, D. D., Bishop 2nd Dist. A. M. E., of Charlotte, N. C., writes: "I recommend your Peruna to all who want a strengthening tonic and a very effective remedy for all catarrhal complaints."—T. H. Lomax.

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Change in Register's Office.

Frank Jeffers succeeded Samuel Gibeau as register of deeds Tuesday afternoon, and is now doing business as if "to the manor born." Misses Alvina Lizotte and Laura Lizee have been retained as assistants in the office. Both are splendid copyists and accomplished young ladies.

Treasurer Tandberg Retires.

O. T. Tandberg retired from the office of county treasurer Wednesday morning after an incumbency of six years. No county ever had a more competent official, and it is with regret that the people of Red Lake Falls hear of his contemplated removal from the city. Mr. Tandberg goes to Thief River in a few days to accept the position of cashier of the First National Bank.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Apples, $1.00 per box, at the Big Store.

Men's clothing at 33⅓ off at the Big Store.

Orson Doe is now employed at Reichert's drug store.

School commences again Monday after a two weeks vacation.

Ladies' skirts at a discount of 25 per cent. at the Big Store.

H. T. St. Marie returned today from a visit with friends at Crookston.

Boys' clothing at 25 per cent. reduction at the Big Store. Come quick.

Frank Jeffers was a business visitor at St. Hilaire over Friday night.

A dance is billed for next Monday evening at the Northside opera house.

Miss Lulu Fletcher returned Monday to resume her work at the state normal.

W. A. Sorscliel was down from St. Hilaire Monday on a business mission.

Thomas Germo took up his new work as county attorney Tuesday afternoon.

Hon. Marcus Johnson came up from St. Paul this week to remain a few days.

Miss Mamie Linnihan visited friends at Crookston the fore part of the week.

Miss Elsie Mead has been ill with an attack of toncilitis during the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Salley spent New Years' at Thief River Falls with relatives.

A number of the business houses are distributing some elegant calendars this week.

Dr. J. E. Argue is at St. Hilaire this week on his regular monthly professional visit.

C. J. Knox, the Thief River land man, was in the city Tuesday on a business mission.

Hugo Zaiser left Monday afternoon for Minneapolis to resume his work at the university.

The young people held an enjoyable dancing party at the K. of P. hall Monday evening.

If you need a tank heater you will find the kind you want at Hunt's hardware store.

Andrew Stenseth, the well-known Thief River land man, was a business visitor to the city Friday.

Frank A. Grady went down to St. Paul last night on legal business. He will be back in a day or two.

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Safety Deposit Boxes

The local lodge of Foresters will install its new officers at the meeting Friday evening of this week.

J. K. Wood, the newly-elected surveyor, was down Tuesday to file his bond and take the oath of office.

Edward Lanctot, the oldest resident in the Red River valley, died last Friday at his home in Crookston.

Con. Kehoe returned Saturday from a ten day's visit with friends and relatives at Emerson and St. Vincent.

Frank E. Packard, managing editor of the Crookston Times, was a business visitor to Red Lake Falls Tuesday.

Did you ever try to find out the secret of the miraculous growth of Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn?

Mrs. C. C. Jackson returned to her home at Thief River Falls Saturday after a visit at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall.

B. Sivigney and wife returned Saturday from Crookston, where they were witnesses at the Guilmette murder trial.

William Ittner, who has been spending the holidays at home left Monday for Minneapolis to resume his work at the university.

Attorney William Michelet was down from Thief River Tuesday looking after matters before the board of county commissioners.

If you want a short course (usually 3 mos.) in bookkeeping the Crookston College will give you the same, including books, for $25. tf

Lost--a dark grey woolen shawl, on Main street, between postoffice and high school building, last week. Finder will please advise this office.

Enter Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., during January and take advantage of the low rates of tuition, free books and free railroad fare.

The dance given by the Woodmen Friday evening was well attended, over seventy couple being present. It was one of the most pleasant dancing parties of the year.

A. R. Jorris of Thief River has been visiting during the past week at the home of John Flanigan, north of town. He was present at the Woodman installation last night.

Miss Carrie Pirath, who has been visiting at the home of her parents during the holidays, left Saturday for Hallock, where she is employed as an operator at the telephone exchange.

Tuesday was editors' day in Red Lake Falls. Those from the outside present were J. W. Eastman, S. W. Bagley and D. A. McDonald of Thief River and Harry E. Ives of St. Hilaire.

Arthur Ittner, who has been ill for the past couple of weeks with typhoid fever at his home in this city, left Monday for St. Hilaire to resume his work as foreman of the Spectator.

Samuel E. Hunt entertained a party of his young lady friends at an oyster supper at the residence of L. A. Dautremont last evening. The affair was given in honor of Mr. Hunt's birthday.

Henry Theilen and wife of Minneapolis, were guests at the home of Theo. LaBissoniere over Sunday. Mrs. Theilen was formerly Miss Janet Martin and is a sister of Mrs. LaBissoniere.

W. H. Blunt, manager of the Thief River Falls creamery, was in the city Saturday calling [illegible]

for a position in the dairy and food commission.

The office of county superintendent of schools has been moved to the rooms upstairs in the court house, and H. T. McAnulty is now in charge, having assumed the reins of office Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher announces that commencing with this month he will make regular visits to Plummer and Brooks. On the third Monday of each month he will be at Plummer, and on the third Tuesday at Brooks.

A voting place has been established on the Red Lake reservation in the vicinity of High Landing. It is probable that some of the townships on the reservation will be organized during the coming spring and summer.

L. E. Metzgar returned Saturday from his visit to the home folks at Hastings, Minn. He says the people of the central part of the state enjoyed the manifold pleasures of a genuine Dakota blizzard the fore part of last week.

Miss Ella Krueger will leave tomorrow for Bemidji, where she will make her future home with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Hayton, during the winter. A farewell party was given last evening at the home of Miss Iza Tibbetts for Miss Krueger.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman was down from Thief River Falls Tuesday on business. Mr. Jarman has been reappointed by Sheriff Linnihan for the next two years. He makes a competent and obliging official and his many friends are glad to see him retain the job.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and wife are still in bed with typhoid fever. Mrs. Wilkinson is improving rapidly and will soon be entirely recovered, but in the Doctor's case the crisis has not yet been reached. He is doing nicely and there is little danger of serious consequences.

S. J. Swanson, who has been buying wheat at Wylie for the Red Lake Falls Milling company for the past several years, has been transferred to Thief River, where he will work for the same company. Mr. Swanson's many friends here will wish him success in his new location.

Miss Stella Lasha who has been living in St. Paul with her aunt, Mrs. R. J. Lizeé, for the past year and a half, arrived in Red Lake Falls Saturday morning to visit her father, Eli Lasha, and family. They were all pleasantly surprised at her arrival and are making it very enjoyable for her.

County Superintendent H. T. McAnulty returned Saturday from St. Paul, where he was in attendance at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Educational association. Mr. McAnulty says the meeting was one of the most successful ever held and that the attendance was larger that ever before.

Frank E. Hunt left Monday evening for Talapoosa, Georgia, where he expects to remain during the winter season. This is said to be a favorite resort for persons afflicted with rheumatism, and Mr. Hunt expects to receive much benefit for his malady. He will be accompanied from Minneapolis by James I. Wyer.

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NORTHWESTERN YEAST CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

Nels Benoit came over from Grand Forks last week to spend the holiday at home. Mr. Benoit has been in the employ of the St. Hilaire Lumber company for a good many years, but has resigned to move to Washington, for which state he will leave in a few days. The best wishes of Nels' many friends go with him.

Ovide Emard returned last week from Granite Falls, where he has been assisting Mr. Rodgers in the store of Bangs & Co. for the past six weeks. Mr. Rodgers sends his regards to the Red Lake Falls people and says he is doing well in his new home. Mr. Emard intends to return to Granite Falls in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Johnson are expected here tomorrow for a visit at the home of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin. Mr. Johnson is manager of the Roberston yard at Park River, N. D., and has worked his way to the front in the lumber business, being one of the highest-salaried agents of the Robertson company.

L. C. Simons was up from St. Paul for a day or two last week, leaving again Friday evening. He expected to go to Granite Falls to spend Sunday with J. W. Rodgers and family. Mrs. Simons has been confined to the house with a sore throat for several weeks, and the health authorities pronounced it diphtheria in a mild form and enforced the quarantine regulations.

That Hollow Cough

can easily be cured by using Gloria Lung Balsam. It is sweet, pleasant and soothing preparation and even the worst cases can be relieved at once. It is made of healing and soothing balms and is best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Judge Was Snowbound.

Judge N. W. Tarrant is expected home from Fox Lake, Wis., tomorrow. The Judge was called there to attend the funeral of his brother, Samuel, but when he reached Portage, Wis., was detained by a snowstorm, and although only twenty miles from Fox Lake could not get a train in time for the funeral and the telegraph and telephone wires had been blown down by the storm. The Judge reached Fox Lake Saturday and visited over Sunday with the folks. He expected to get back to St. Paul in time to witness the inauguration of Governor Johnson. The Judge says it isn't every day he can see a Democrat installed as chief executive of Minnesota and he did not want to miss this opportunity.

New Face on County Board.

The only new face on the county board is that of Daniel Shaw, who succeeds Louis Hanson in the Thief River district. Mr. Shaw is one of the brightest business men and keenest tacticians in the Northwest, and best of all, he has a long and honorable record as a public-spirited citizen. The board certainly loses nothing of its strength by the addition of so good a man as Mr. Shaw. Notwithstanding the cordial welcome Mr. Shaw will receive as a member of the board, the people generally, however, will miss his predecessor, Louis Hanson, who has been a faithful and competent official.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. Henry St. George, of Elm Grove, Wis., thought that he was permanently crippled. Sciatica rheumatism had such an iron grip on him that he thought that he would never be able to walk again, but through the aid of Gloria Tonic he was completely cured, after high priced Doctors failed. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

New High School Principal.

Miss Carrie E. Tambling of Minneapolis has been engaged by the board of education as principal of the high school to succeed Miss Francis Tobin, who resigned a few weeks ago to accept a position as teacher of English in the high school of Salt Lake City, Utah. Miss Tambling is a graduate of the Oberlin high school, Oberlin college and the New York normal and has had ten years' experience in teaching. She is certainly well qualified for the work and the school board is to be congratulated upon securing her services.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life [illegible] Hollister's Rocky [illegible]

Daily at Thief River.

The Crookston Journal announces that two prominent Crookston young men are behind a proposition for the establishment of a daily paper at Thief River Falls and from present indications the deal will go through. It is understood that a plant and equipment has been purchased and that an option on suitable quarters at the Falls has been secured. Thief River Falls now has three weekly papers and the advent of a daily will make things rather interesting for the newspaper men of that place.

"Fan Tan" Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre entertained a large party of young people at a "fan tan" party Saturday evening. This is a new and interesting society game and created much amusement. Elaborate refreshments were served and the merry party watched the old year out and the new one in. Miss Etta Zaiser and Harry Healy were awarded the prizes.

Hansen Assumes Control.

Karl M. Hansen is now county treasurer, having taken possession of the office Wednesday morning, upon the approval of his bond by the county board. Mr. Hansen has had long experience it clerical work and will make a competent and popular official, He expects to move his family here in a few months, and the Red Lake Falls people will give cordial welcome to them.

The Best Service.

Thief River News: The county commissioners yesterday awarded the county printing to the Red Lake Falls COURIER, St. Hilaire Spectator, Thief River News and Press. These papers had in the lowest bid and can give by far the best service.

New Pool Room.

The J. B. Cigar company wishes to announce that a pool table will be installed in its retail department early next week, and the public is invited to patronize it. No doubt this addition will make this place a more popular resort than ever.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at all druggists.

SKIN DISEASES

Altoona, Pa., June 20, 1903.

I was afflicted with Tetter in bad shape. It would appear in blotches as large as my hand, a yellowish color, and scale off. You can imagine how offensive it was. For twelve years I was afflicted with this trouble. At night it was a case of scratch and many times no rest at all. Seeing the good the medicine was doing a friend who was taking it for Eczema, I commenced it, and as a result the eruption began to dry up and disappear, and to-day I am practically a well man. Only two tiny spots are left on the elbow and shin, where once the whole body was affected. I have every confidence in the medicine, and feel sure that in a short time these two remaining spots will disappear. S. S. S. is certainly a great blood purifier, and has done me a world of good. I am grateful for what it has accomplished, and trust that what I have said will lead others who are similarly afflicted to take the remedy and obtain the same good results that I have.

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Educational Department.

An interesting feature of the COURIER to be commenced next week is an educational column, to be conducted under the supervision of Prof. E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent of the Red Lake Falls schools. There are few educators better equipped for this work, and we are sure the department will prove popular with all of our readers.

Brooks is Prosperous.

Rufus Poirier was in from Brooks over Sunday to visit his family. Mr. Poirier is the agent for the Bovey-Shute Lumber company at that place. He reports that a new hardware store will be located there at once and there is every indication that several other lines of business will be represented in the early spring.

New Woodman Officers.

The new officers of the Woodmen lodge were installed last night by W. T. Spillaine, past consul. The new officials are: William Schwalen, venerable consul; Frank Brouillet, worthy advisor; Joseph Tschirhart, banker; D. J. Doran, clerk; Thomas Crompe, manager; Fred Burgdorf, escort; Alex Rose, watchman.

Janitor's Salary Raised.

J. O. Gjerberg, the efficient janitor at the court house, received a handsome New Year's gift from the board of county commissioners in the shape of a re-appointment and an advance in his salary from $40 to $50 per month. Few janitors give better service or are more popular with the officials he serves.

Influence for Good.

I am of the opinion that it is the duty of every good citizen to support societies like the Modern Woodmen of America. They are "a very present help in time of need," and in every community in which a Camp is in operation it is powerful influence for good.—Hon. A. F. Bliss, Gov. of Michigan.

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Pedicuring an Elephant.

The tools for trimming elephants' feet are a carpenter's drawknife and a rasp for the soles and a horseshoer's knife and sandpaper for the toe nails. The operator places a beer keg or a strong box behind one huge hind foot, lightly prods the thick ankle with his elephant hook and commands the beast to "Hold up!" Up comes the mighty foot, slowly and heavily, but obediently as the velvety paw of a kitten. The foot is rested on the box or the keg, where it remains while the expert works on it much as a horseshoer pares the hoof of a horse. Great slivers of the horny sole are sliced off until it is cut nearly to proper thickness, when the rasp is used to smooth off. Similarly the toe nails are treated with the knife and the sandpaper, while the big patient stands with swinging trunk and an occasional wag of an ear, too full of satisfaction for utterance. When the turn of the forefoot comes, the great beast is made to lie down on its side and the hoofs are propped up and treated.—McClure's.

A Bird That Is Feared.

The elster (Pica candata) is a bird that is respected and feared throughout south Germany. It belongs to the raven tribe and is about the size of a dove, with black and white feathers and long, pointed tail. It builds its nest in orchards, and its life is sacred. If it is seen three times in succession on the same house top in a place remote from its home it is believed to be a sure sign of death in that house. If it flies and gives its peculiar cry the sick person is sure to die, but if it does not scream the patient may recover. It is better for the sick person if the bird does not come near. No one could be hired to bother these birds for fear they might seek revenge, and if by chance one of them should die it is a sign of bad luck to the owner of the property where it is found. The bird is a valuable insect destroyer and in this way probably more than compensates for the fear it occasions among the farmers.

Animals Become Insane.

Insanity in the human subject is supposed by some to have no analogue in the lower animals. Yet many cases, according to Dr. Snellson, will lead to the permanent loss of self control. Cattle driven from the country through a crowded town will often work themselves into a frenzy. Horses have gone mad on the battlefield. At Balaklava an Arabian horse turned on its attendant, threw him down and, kneeling on him, attacked him like an infuriated dog. An instance is related of a docile horse suddenly going mad on a hot day. Everything that came in its way it seized in its teeth and shook as a terrier does a rat. A scientist of authority even goes so far as to prove by what appears to be incontestable evidence that cats, dogs and monkeys have been observed to have delusions very similar to those of insane people.—London Globe.

Dividing the Sexes.

While worshiping in a little chapel-of-ease a few miles from Ruthin, on the Wrexham road, the sexes are so strictly divided that they cannot even see one another. The building forms a right angle, in one arm of which the men sit and the women in the other. It was built and endowed by a misogynist of the Stuart period who objected to having his devotions distracted by the sight of the hated sex and, sympathizing with male posterity, stipulated expressly for this division in his deed of endowment.—London Standard.

The Cuban Workman.

The Cuban workman is a kind husband and a fond father of a family usually of patriarchal size. He lives simply. At the bedega he buys his tasajo (jerked beef), rice, vegetables and cheap wine, and very savory are the stews his meek little wife prepares at the one hearty meal of the day, about 5:30 p. m. The Cuban eats but twice daily. He is underfed and overstimulated. He has coffee at 7 a. m., a light breakfast at 11 a. m and eats his chief meal at twilight.—Southern Workman.

Rapid Typewriting.

An official stenographer, Deming, at Albany, years ago reported court proceedings on a typewriter at the rate of 150 and 170 words a minute. He eliminated the vowels, using consonants only, with a dot to separate words. His typewriter was incased in glass to deaden the noise. The paper was run into the machine from a roll. Lawyers could read the notes.

Happiness.

"I am sometimes accused," writes Sir John Lubbock, "of being too optimistic. But I have never ignored nor denied the troubles and sorrows of life. I have never said that men are happy, but only that they might be; that if they are not so the fault is generally their own; that most of us throw away more happiness than we enjoy."

Too Deserving.

A young village maiden had obtained the modesty prize. "I suppose then, my child," said a Parisian lady addressing her, "you are the most modest girl in the parish?"

"There is not the slightest doubt about that, ma'am, and it's a downright shame I didn't get all the other prizes!"—Paris Journal.

A Hard Proposition.

One of the hardest things for a man to do when he has come home late from the club and tried to go to bed without taking off his collar is to explain to his wife he heard it was a good cure for sore throat.—New York Press.

The man that makes character makes foes.—Young.

SEES A GERMAN REPUBLIC.

Seer Consulted by Emperor William Says New Government Is Due in 1913.

King William, grandfather of the present German emperor, was told a few months before his accession to the throne of Prussia by a Berlin prophetess the year when he would become emperor, and also the year of his death. The king, she said, would become emperor in 1871, because this was the date obtained by adding to 1849 the year in which he had come to the throne, the numerals (22) of which 1849 was composed. She then said that he would certainly die in 1888, since this was the date obtained by adding to 1871, the year in which he would become emperor, the numerals (17) of which 1871 was composed.

The present emperor has pondered at times over this prophecy, and recently he consulted a seer, who arrived at results in the same manner and who assured him that if he desired to know the year in which Germany would become a republic all that he need do was to add to 1888, the year of his grandfather's death, the numerals of which 1888 was composed.

The numerals of 1888 added together (1 plus 8 plus 8 plus 8) are equal to 25, and the emperor, by adding this 25 to 1888, learned that 1913 was the year in which, according to the seer, the empire would be overthrown in Germany and a republic established in its stead.

AMERICAN ENGINEER ALERT.

In South Africa He Has Diverted Much Business from British Factories.

Many of the large mines in South Africa derive their supplies of plant and machinery from America and this largely through the efforts of the American engineer. In consequence the British manufacturer is placed at a disadvantage.

The sympathies of the American engineer are with American manufacturers; his taste for American machinery is as pronounced as his success in installing it upon the mines under his charge. Assistant engineers and staff are quickly Americanized; and so far as the machinery and equipment are concerned, particularly where it is electrical, this section of the market is dead to the British manufacturer. In the early days of mining on the Rand excuse was not wanting for such a procedure, for England could supply neither the men nor the plant.

To-day matters have entirely changed, but the result remains the same, and while British engineers and British mining and electrical plants are second to none, the American engineer is often given the preference, and, under his guidance, American machinery installed. In this manner hundreds of thousands sterling of plants have been diverted from English into American channels.

LESS BEER IN GERMAN ARMY

Captain at Nuremburg Seeks to Reduce Consumption of Intoxicants Among Soldiers.

Capt. Schutz, of the Fourteenth Bavarian infantry at Nuremberg, is trying to reduce the consumption of beer and spirits among his men and with some success.

Capt. Schutz obtained the necessary permission from his colonel, and installed near the canteen a small but completely-equipped apparatus for the manufacture of soda water, lemonade and other temperance beverages which were sold at a halfpenny and a penny a bottle.

During the first year the soldiers consumed over 30,000 bottles of these harmless drinks, and for the first month of the second year the sales showed an increase of 800 bottles on the corresponding period of the preceding 12 months, thanks to a reduction of nearly 50 per cent. in the price.

Not only have the financial results been admirable, but the soldiers in Capt. Schutz's regiment are noticeably fresher and more attentive at the instruction classes than they were formerly when they drank beer at midday. It is instructive to note that the consumption of beer during the first year of the temperance bar fell off by 1,000 gallons.

TOO POOR TO BUY CROWN.

Coronation of New King of Servia Canceled Because of Lack of Funds.

The coronation of King Peter of Servia, which has been fixed for June 15, which is the anniversary of his proclamation as sovereign, has been canceled.

For a curious reason there will be no crown for the ceremony ready for that time. His majesty, who is poor, asked his ministers to arrange for the public exchequer to bear the cost, but the skupshtina refused to vote funds.

The king then sent agents throughout Europe, with instructions to raise a personal loan for him, so that he could buy a crown from a leading firm of Paris jewelers, but when the emissaries returned to Belgrade they reported that their mission had been unsuccessful.

A religious service will now be held on June 15, and the king will be merely anointed in the old Servian monastery of Tsicsa. It is stated however, that his majesty is having a crown of brass fashioned from a cannon which is kept as a relic from the time of his grandfather, Kara George, and that the coronation will take place later, with great ceremony, at his capital.

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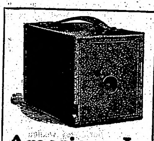

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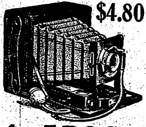

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Hardly a score of people were in the big court room at Crookston Monday afternoon when Joseph Guilmette, pale and emaciated from his close confinement in the county cell house was brought in by Deputy Sheriff Daniels to receive his sentence. Some of those in the room did not realize what was to occur, did not realize that at precisely 2:15 the fate of the convicted man was in the hands of Judge Watts and that either to death or life imprisonment must the principal in one of the most celebrated murder cases in northern Minnesota be sentenced. Judge Watts' appearance as he asked the prisoner "if there is anything you wish to say before sentence is pronounced?" was that of a man who was called upon to perform a most disagreeable task.

"I am innocent," said Guilmette, as he arose and faced the court, and the three words were the only remarks made by him during the ordeal.

"The attorneys for the prosecution," said Judge Watts, "have stated that the ends of justice would undoubtedly be served if you were given a life sentence. The fact also that you have before this time, however, been connected with the criminal classes also has considerable bearing in the matter. In view of these facts your sentence will be that of imprisonment for the remainder of your natural life at Stillwater at hard labor."

Guilmette did not move a muscle, not a tear moistened his eye. He was as unmoved, unperturbed, as unfeeling of emotion, as he had beed during the progress of the trial.

"What trade have you worked at or learned, other than that of a weaver?" asked Judge Watts.

"Have worked in machine shops," said Guillmete, as he was led from the court room and back to jail.

Attorney Brochu, before Guilmette was returned to his cell, shook hands with his client for whom he has made a futile but gallant effort. Attorney Brochu departed Monday evening for his home at Woonsocket and his farewell with Guilmette in the court house corridor was the last between the two men. Brochu feels well pleased with the treatment which has been accorded him during his stay in Crookston and says that considering the case he had to work with he got on very well. James Kennedy of the Woonsocket Reporter, who has assisted the defense, also departed for his eastern home and also feels pleased with the treatment accorded him by Crookston people and particularly Crookston attorneys during his stay here. Mr. Kennedy secured the greater portion of all the evidence used in the defense of Guilmette and toured the prairies for days on behalf of the accused. He would not publicly make a statement as to the guilt or innocence of Guilmette but it is quite certain from his actions that he does not have the same opinion of the convicted murderer that he had when first arriving in the city.

The mysterious manner in which Guilmete secured his ticket at Fertile, it is believed, caused more than one point in his story to fall to pieces. He told his attorneys point blank that he had bought his ticket at Fertile and during the progress of the trial the ticket agent, when placed on the stand, swore positively that no such ticket had been sold on the night of the 17th of October.

Guilmette at Stillwater will undoubtedly be given a position in one of the engine rooms or in the twine plant. His knowledge of woolen making machinery will undoubtedly stand him in hand in the twine room.

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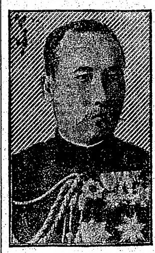
JAPAN AND RUSSIA

A COMPARISON of the fighting qualities of the men who compose the respective armies of Russia and Japan is of peculiar interest just now, when relations between the two nations are strained almost to the breaking point and both are busy with preparations for war.

To begin, it would appear at first glance that little Japan is courting defeat in throwing down the gauntlet to the Russian bear when the military establishments of the rivals are considered. The whole Japanese army, officers and men, on a war footing figures up only 600,000, while the war strength of Russia is 5,617,703 officers and men.



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But it is not sheer weight of numbers that always wins victories, and some military authorities believe that the Jap would beat the bear in an armed clash, as he did China in the war of 1894. They recognize that the army of the island empire is a compact and homogeneous whole, organized in accordance with the best western methods, commanded by officers trained in the best schools of the occident.

It has often been affirmed by those conversant with the facts that the morale of the Japanese army is second to none in the world. Another point to be noted, notwithstanding the generally accepted idea to the contrary, is that the Jap is not inferior physically to the best soldiers in the world today. In the crack Japanese regiments five feet seven, eight and nine inches are common heights, and, what is more important than height, the Jap sailor or soldier impresses the observer as of sturdier build than even the Englishman or American.

It has been said that, though the Japanese army and navy might be expected to fight well if successful from the start, a few reverses in the beginning would induce a panic. History disproves this theory.

One of Japan's greatest military geniuses is General Yasumasa Fukushima, who during the early operations for the relief of Peking in the Boxer uprising of 1900 led the Japanese troops and later in the campaign commanded one brigade of 6,000 men, while the second brigade, containing the same number of men, was led by General Yamaguchi. General Fukushima's troops did more than any other to bring about the capture of Tientsin, and his infantry charge upon the Tientsin arsenal, carried out under cover of his own guns, is described as "a marvel to the military men of other nations." A few days later General Fukushima was a potent factor in the capture of Tientsin, and his men, despite great loss, blew up one of the gates and were the first to enter the city. In the march on Peking both Fukushima and Yamaguchi took orders from a Russian, General Linevich, who was the senior officer of the allies.

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    cannot draw a breath;
Your tender feet are trodden till you almost
    long for death.
But you must keep on climbing,
  For it never does to stop.
They say there's lots of elbow room
  When once you've reached the top.

A rocky road to travel and a steeply graded
    track!
It's slow work getting forward and it's
    easy sliding back,
The jolting and the bumping are not pleasant,
    I admit,
To reach that distant summit takes an
    awful lot of grit.
Perhaps you'll never reach it;
  By the wayside you may drop.
It's rubber tires and asphalt, though,
  When once you've reached the top.

There's little time for resting and you
    either lie awake
Or sleep with one eye open when your brief
    repose you take.
Your bed is hard and lumpy—not conducive
    to repose,
And even when you get there it is hardly
    safe to doze,
That is the worst part of it—
  You must keep on the hop.
You can't lie down and sleep and keep
  Securely on the top.
—Chicago Daily News.

A CASE OF MOON-BLINK

By WM. PERRY BROWN

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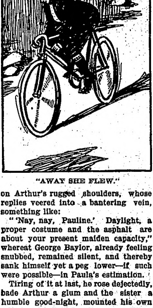
"WHAT a night for wheeling," thought Paula, glancing across the portico at George Baylor, who sat near her brother on the top step, where the haze of moonlight rested softly.

Paula was an enthusiast on cycling; so was her brother and his friend.

They were discussing the latest of club runs into the country, that had lasted several days. Paula always wanted to go; but was usually frozen out with brotherly freedom of comment by Arthur, to whose sage delivery George Baylor nodded gentle approval, and all on the ground of Mrs. Grundy and the proprieties.

George, having designs of his own on Paula's heart as well as hand, realized that he was taking desperate chances; had it confirmed by the young lady's coldness for the rest of the evening, while pouring the vials of her contempt on Arthur's rugged shoulders, whose replies veered into a bantering vein, something like:



"AWAY SHE FLEW."

"'Nay, nay, Pauline.' Daylight, a proper costume and the asphalt are about your present maiden capacity," whereat George Baylor, already feeling snubbed, remained silent, and thereby sank himself yet a peg lower—if such were possible—in Paula's estimation.

Tiring of it at last, he rose dejectedly, bade Arthur a glum and the sister a humble good-night, mounted his own wheel and pedalled sadly away. When Paula went to her room the first thing she saw was her brother's new cycling suit, left there in the afternoon so that she might change some buttons.

"What a heavenly night," vaguely went her thoughts again; then, after a pause, "for wheeling." She passed her mental Rubicon almost aloud, and still gazed out of her window, while beginning to disrobe.

"How nonchalently George rode off, as a matter of course. Being a man, he can go anywhere at any time, and all by himself. Had I done the like—" She sat down by the window.

"They say too long looking at the moon causes moon-blink," she at length said, then gazed defiantly upward. "I suppose when the man in the moon winks, the blink addles one for the time being." The sneer gradually widened into a smile which added sauciness to its charm, as Paula held up Arthur's knee pants measuringly. "I surely am addled."

Perhaps she was. Certainly the sight of George Baylor—otherwise her slave—calmly doing the very thing he, all through Arty's tirade, tacitly disapproved of, had fired her veins (or brains) with something akin to lunacy. Surely! How was it otherwise, that instead of donning her usual night gear, she began trying on Arthur's new suit, crowding her too-abundant hair under a golf cap, before a cheval glass so ample as to reveal, even in the moonlight, that Paula was at present more of a misnomer than Paula as a surname.

"I am glad they are not noticeably too large," she concluded, rolling out Arty's wheel from the closet under the stairs, where her own and his were kept. "It matches better with a man's suit than mine," she added.

Then her hair wanted to come down. While tucking it under the cap again, the wheel fell down the rear steps, making a horrible crash in the late silence and haze of the night. Shivering a little, either from fear or "moon-blink," she carried it along the gravel, recalling that only her own and Arthur's windows fronted on that side of the house.

"Being a bear, he sleeps like a bear," was her next thought, or hope, when once outside the gate.

Then she sprang on—like a man. No uneasy balancing into a proper skirt divided seat. Away she flew, irrepressible in proportion as she had been repressed—surely it must have been the moon! She could have shouted in sheer exuberance of spirits—not nerves. A sleeping, silvery world was inviting her as it had never invited mere men. Only straight-laced convention can so thrill a poor human soul on the verge of the improper. The vague charm of the landscape, with dim white roads branching here and there, inviting her to "scorch" out their forbidden intricacies, flitted by like a succession of dreams. Tiring at length, she pedalled slowly; when a consciousness of being followed grew upon her awfully.

Pursued? Like a flash the long dominance of nature, sex and years reasserted their sway. Paula—not Paul now! The sweet security of skirts, a chaperon, and—why not own it to herself?—a protector, even a man—so he were the right man; all these grew upon her longing. Arthur himself—did he always sleep very sound? As for George Baylor, she would probably have jumped at him; out of fear, of course; yet until the scrape and jingle of wheels disclosed two riders bending over their handlebars, the idea of being discovered by a sweetheart, curdled hotly in her veins, so that George himself might have drawn hope therefrom.

But with her male protectors sleeping the "sleep of bears," Paula's strength and courage went lower and lower.

"Close in on your side," some one called. "Don't let him leave the main road." The muffled tones acted like a cold water douche. She spurted.

"Hey, you! Stop, thief!" Though the voice seemed further off, the words were terrible. Taken by some one for a midnight thief?

Failing to drop dead at the idea, Paula spurted once more, until, but for a long descending grade, she would have fallen from the wheel. She could not shake them off. Nearer they crept in the dim lunar light, until, nearly wild with apprehension, she dashed wildly down the grade.

Then a scream, a glare and an oncoming roar announced the night express that stopped nowhere, seemingly this side of doom—to Paula. Yet she kept on, on; dreading the vague horror of disgrace behind even more than the shrieking peril before.

The wheel bounced, zigzagged, reeled across the track—was it by a hairsbreadth or a rod? Paula only knew that the intervention of a long, crashing serpent had given her a moment's respite. It's earth-shaking convolutions passed, and there came her nemesis; yes, the pair of them. Gasping, exhausted, she turned into a footpath towards the lights and noise of an all-night factory twinkling through a strip of woods. Bump! Bump! Bump!

The going was worse than snaggy; then—bzzzt—bzt—bzsss—

Paula knew that Arthur's wheel could assist her no longer. She fell rather than dropped from the machine, and was striving weakly to regain her feet, when her relentless pursuers came up. Too far gone physically to care much, she hid her face, but it was roughly uncovered. It was darker amid the trees than in the open.

"Nabbed at last!" shouted someone, seizing the punctured bike in his other hand. "Next time you steal a wheel, don't make so much fuss getting out of the house. Hello! No, you don't—why, Paula—"

As the boy-girl looked up meekly, the golf cap fell off, and her hair came down. The speaker was Arthur, her brother, who could only stare and ejaculate. As the other man pushed his wheel through the shubbery, Paula screamed, and might have fallen again, but he boldly held her up; boldly, yet tenderly.

"Arthur came by on your wheel," he explained. "Said a bike thief had—"

Another faint scream, as Paula tried to hide behind her hands.

Oh, these blundering elder brothers!

"Dear Miss Paula," murmured the other man, and somehow the feminine naturalness of the words restored her like old wine. "May I, just—once?"

The other man was George Baylor.

IT PUZZLED THE EXPERT.

Customs Official Knits Brow and Frowns Darkly Over Classification of Three-Legged Stool.

The customs official was greatly puzzled. He knitted his brow and frowned darkly. He even tapped his foot nervously on the polished floor, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"What seems to be the difficulty?" inquired a sympathetic subordinate.

The chief turned to him with a troubled stare.

"I'm bothered," he growled. "I'm badly stumped. And yet I am the very man who classified frogs' legs as 'dressed poultry,' and admitted a colt from Canada as 'household furniture.'"

"And what's the question now?" the subordinate respectfully asked.

The chief ran his hand through his matted hair.

"I'm worried to death," he cried, "over the proper classification for a three-legged stool! It isn't a biped and it isn't a quadruped—and there you are!"

The Russian troops now have beans issued to them as daily rations. This is believed to be a desperate bid for the moral support of Boston.

Lovers Twain

By BELLE MANIATES

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TALL and admirably proportioned, with a most distinguished air, modest in bearing, straightforward in manner and frank of countenance and possessed of a captivating personality, Philip Hathcourt was well equipped to win favor in the eyes of women. But Leigh Cornell, the one woman to whom his heart inclined, was still fancy free.

Though they were the best of friends he shrewdly divined that he would be forcing an issue if he told her of his love.

"I hear you are going to sing a solo at St. Luke's next Sunday," he said, as they sat in the box at the theater one night.

Yes; I am to sing 'Angels Ever Bright and Fair.'"

"I shall come to hear you. By the way, we shall have a guest at that time—a friend of my younger brother. He is quite music mad, I believe."

"Who is he?" she asked, carelessly.

"An Englishman—though he spent his boyhood in America. His name is Reginald Derybshire."

"Oh!" she cried, her eyes full of interest. "Did he live here in this city years ago, and did he fall heir to a title and estates in England?"

"Yes," he repdied. "Did you know him?"

"When we were children we sang in a a vested choir. We were given the duets, more because I was so fair and he so dark than from any blending of voices. They thought we made a tableau, I suppose. It was like a romance, his becoming Lord Somebody and crossing the seas to his estates, and I! Well, my lines were cast in far different places."

Sunday morning found him in the Hathcourt pew, his brother and their guest, Reginald Derbyshire, also present.

Young Derbyshire had gone to England full of American ideas and with a stolid determination not to become "English," but it was only natural that an impressionable boy should insensibly and by degrees receive the imprint of English sentiments. Gradually he became molded in the character of the country which had been his birthplace, and at last England claimed him for her own. Soon after attaining his majority he again visited his old home. He had an eager interest in everything pertaining to his old life and hunted up his former friends with enthusiasm. He had ever cherished most tender recollections of the little pansy-eyed girl who had sung and played with him. It was of her, in fact, he was now thinking as he appeared to listen to the sermon.

He had scarcely glanced at the members of the vested choir until now, when the organ pealed forth at the close of the sermon, a young girl rose and faced the congregation. She looked as tender and pure as an archangel in her white robes, with eyes uplifted to the oaken rafters of the little chapel.

"One of Raphael's Sistine Cherubs!" thought Reginald.

At the rising cadence of the song and the exquisite play of the silvery timber of her voice his memory awoke.

"Leigh!" he gasped, as the old, familiar air and words rang out. How they took him back to the Sundays of his boyhood!

"And I taught her that song!" was his triumphant thought.

She finished. There was a momentary silence like that solemn pause which follows a benediction. Then, with a tremor in his low, gentle voice, the old pastor offered a heartfelt prayer. Outside the church Reginald waited for her. When she came he rushed forward with impetuous and outstretched hand.

"Leigh!" he cried, eagerly.

A bright, glorious flush rose to her cheeks and a happy light shone in her eyes as she grasped his hand, while Philip, standing by, felt like kicking this newcomer to the ends of the earth.

"I knew you as soon as you began to sing—our old song!" he exclaimed.

She wondered, with a sudden divining, of the reason that Philip had not told him of her. Reginald accompanied her to her home and they talked of other days—the days when she had sung in the choir and the unhappy days that had followed, when her father had died so suddenly, and to support her invalid mother the little Leigh had sung in dance halls and on pleasure boats. At her mother's death, just before he had come into his possessions, she had been adopted by some wealthy people.

"There have been changes indeed in your life since the day I taught you the song you sang to-day," he observed.

"No greater changes than came into your life, my lord," she retorted.

Early in June they were invited to a house party at Roselawn, the country home of the Hathcourts. One afternoon, as Reginald sat beside Leigh on the piano bench watching the slender fingers that glided so softly over the keys, he was struck by a new expression in her eyes. The dazzling brightness of her face had given way to a strange, sweet quiet. Hitherto he had regarded her as a gay little playmate. It occurred to him now that she was a woman.

"Leigh!" he half whispered, "do you remember that when we were children I was your little lover?"

She looked at him with startled eyes. Something in his tone and eyes warned her whither his thoughts were turning. He noted her changing color and pulled himself together. It was not right to flirt with this girl. He was about to turn the conversation into safer channels when, with some hurried excuse, she rose and left the room.

While he was reflecting on girls in general and Leigh in particular Mrs. Wendell, one of the very few who knew Leigh's history, entered.

"You look as conscious, Reggy, as Leigh did just now. It would be a pretty romance if your boyish attachment for Leigh should end in your carrying her to your ancestral halls!"

"Oh, Mrs. Wendell, you know that as lovable as Leigh is, a fellow in my position couldn't overlook the days she was nothing less than a street singer. It wouldn't do in England, you know!"

Leigh, returning to the music room, heard the speech. Her eyes, usually so bright and tender, flashed with spirit as she quietly and unobserved left the room.

There was a grand ball at Roselawn that night and Reginald was one of the first to enter the ball room. Mrs. Wendell hurried to him.

"Oh, Reginald; I've something awful to tell you! Leigh overheard what you said about her having been a street singer. She just told me she heard you!"

He gave a cry of dismay.

"No, not really, Mrs. Wendell! That is awful! Believe me, I shall make amends. I shall ask her to marry me."

Just then a beautiful vision swept past him. Could this figure so slender and stately in trailing gown be that of little Leigh? As she passed through the long room at the side of her adopted father Philip Hathcourt did not remove his eyes from her.

"Leigh," he murmured, as they stood apart for a moment, "may I have the first dance?"

She turned slightly pale, hearing the intensity of his voice, but quietly gave him the promise of the dance. Then Reginald came hurrying toward them.

"Leigh, you were so late in coming!" he cried. "May I tell you how gloriously beautiful you are to-night?"

She glanced at him carelessly with a cold, little ghost of a smile.

"I want the first dance," he continued.

"You are too late! I have promised it to Philip."

The first dance ended Reginald hastened to claim her for the next one. It had semed to him that his code of honor demanded by way of apology nothing short of a proposal. But tonight her heightened beauty and the intoxicating delight he felt when dancing with her made him forget any motive but love. His wooing was audacious, passionate and importunate. Her refusal, calm, undaunted and unalterable.

Surprised, yet not baffled, he continued to plead beseechingly.

"I don't understand such inconsistency, Reginald," she replied. "To-day you were proclaiming that you could not marry a street singer!"

"Spare me, Leigh!" he pleaded. "I didn't love you then. You are prejudiced now by reason of that unfortunate and careless remark. Take time, and let your heart soften towards me."

She laughed tantalizingly.

"I don't love you, Reginald! And I never will."

"You did, or were on the verge of it," he protested.

"When?"

"This afternoon before you left the music room so suddenly. I saw it in your eyes."

"You may have seen love there," she said, slowly, "but not for you."

A quick passion seized him.

"I know for whom! Someone whose feeling for you isn't equal to mine—someone who will not—"

"Stop!" she commanded. "My answer is final. Take me back to the ball room."

She was experiencing a slight exultation in the realization of the power a woman can wield over man. This feeling made her eyes more luminous and her face more radiant. They passed Philip in the doorway of the pavilion. He drew back out of view, all the wounds in his heart beginning to ache at the sight of the proud, happy bearing of the girl, whose countenance was glowing and flashing with excitement. He came up to her quickly.

"Will you dance this with me?"

"Certainly," she replied.

"I don't want to dance now," he said, when Reginald had withdrawn. "Let us go to the house, but not to the ball room."

They went into a deserted room, dimly lighted by candles, to a deep window embrasure which looked out on the garden at the back of the house. The moon flying swiftly through great floating masses of clouds sent a silvery beam upon the gold of her shining hair. Her eyes were full of depth and color.

A little French clock chimed out 12 strokes.

"This is the noon of night," said Leigh, trying to speak lightly.

"Leigh, I have no right to ask—but, did Reginald propose to you to-night?"

"I have no right to tell, perhaps, but I will. He did."

"And you accepted him?" he asked, tensely.

"No, I refused him."

His arms were about her. "Then, Leigh, let me tell you, I—"

"Wait!" she cried.

Her voice was sharp and strained. She drew away from him.

"I want to tell you something—something about my early life. You do not know that when I was a little girl—"

"You sang on the boats and in dance halls," he interrupted, "to support your sick mother. I heard it before I met you. I think it was that which first made me love you!"

She turned soft, wet eyes to his.

"Oh," she said, with a little gasp of joy. "And to think all this time I've been dreading to tell you!"

WHY ICE DOES NOT SINK.

Magazine Writer in Explanation Says That Water Alone Is Expanded by Cold.

It is one of the most extraordinary things in this extraordinary world, writes Henry Martyn Hart in a magazine, that water should be the sole exception to the otherwise universal law that all cooling bodies contract and therefore increase in density.

Water contracts as its temperature falls and therefore becomes heavier, and sinks until it reaches 39 degrees. At this temperature water is the heaviest, this is the point of its maximum density. From this point it begins to expand. Therefore in winter, although the surface may be freezing at a temperature of 32 degrees, the water at the bottom of the pool is six or seven degrees warmer.

Suppose that water, like everything else, had gone on contracting as it cooled until it reached the freezing point; the heaviest water would have sunk to the lowest place and there become ice. Although it is true that eight pints of water become nine pints of ice, therefore icebergs float, showing above the surface an eighth of their bulk, still, had the water when at the bottom turned into ice, the stones would have locked it in their interstices and held it there, and before winter was over the whole pool would become solid ice and all the poor fish would be entombed in clear, beautiful crystal.

COAL MINER INVENTS GUN.

Worker in Prussian Shaft Has Been Offered $9,000 for Rights to Construct New Weapon.

Albert Ludwig, a coal miner in the provinces of Germany, the other day applied for leave of absence, saying he had been summoned to Berlin by the ministry of war.

The mine overseer thought the man was joking, but he found, to his surprise, that Ludwig had in his leisure hours invented a new kind of machine gun and two rifles of original construction. He sent drawings of these to the ministry of war, and received from headquarters the order to present himself in Berlin. Ludwig, who is only 20 years old, says he has been offered $9,000 for his inventions.

Nice Wad for Somebody.

A Pennsylvania woman who died the other day left $500 for a pet dog. The Chicago Record-Herald says it ought to be easy enough for some sharp lawyer to get that.

Sleep.

Blessings on him who invented sleep, the mantle that covers all human thoughts, the food that appeases hunger, the drink that quenches thirst, the fire that warms, the cold that moderates heat, and lastly, the general coin that purchases all things, the balance and weight that equals the shepherd with the king, and the simple with the wise.—Cervantes.

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Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: It is the loose change that slips through our fingers.

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JOEL WINKJER LANDS.

St. Hilaire Man on the Dairy and Food Commission.

Governor Johnson on Monday announced the appointment of Joel G. Winkjer, manager of the St. Hilaire creamery, as an inspector of the dairy and food department to succeed Prof. J. A. Wilson of Thief River. Mr. Winkjer is a graduate of the state agricultural college and has had much special training in dairy and creamery work, besides having the practical experience of creamery management for nearly ten years, and in this work he has been eminently successful, every creamery under his charge being a financial success. The St. Hilaire creamery is paying good profits to the stockholders, and Mr. Winkjer has taken a number of prizes at state butter contests.

The new appointee is familiar with the needs and conditions of the dairy industry in the Red River valley, and his work will be largely in this section. That he will a valuable member of the dairy and food staff goes without saying.

In the appointment of Mr. Winkjer the Governor has acted wisely. Mr. Winkjer is a representative Scandinavian, and a radical Democrat. He is also as well qualified for the work as any other man in the state, and his nomination is a concession to the demands of the Red River valley.

RUSTED WHEAT MAY GROW.

Professor Thomas Shaw Says Rust Doesn't Ruin The Seed.

Two well-known authorities, Professor Thomas Shaw of the Minnesota Agricultural college, and Professor H. L. Bolley of the North Dakota Agricultural college, are on record as stating that the use of seed wheat from the rusted wheat crop of last year will not transmit rust to the next crop, and as agitation [illegible] free admission of Canadian seed wheat, which is based upon the contention that the farmers must have it to tide over.

While the statement that rusted wheat may be used without danger of transmission of rust, is not new, and is generally accepted by agriculturalists, the opinions of Professor Shaw and Bolley are timely. The agitation for good seed has gone slightly beyond the point of solicitude for the northwest, and borders upon the assumption that there is a scarcity of wheat available for seed. The application of Congressman Steenerson of Crookston for a treasury department decision upon the matter of admitting Canadian wheat, imported for seed, without payment of duty, has increased the feeling. Apparently there is no occasion for alarm.

The Soo road has already sent out a seed train, for the purpose of educating the farmers in its territory to the necessity for using good seed, and the North-Western has arranged an itinerary for a seed train to cover the southwestern part of Minnesota and South Dakota. Meanwhile it is announced that Secretary Shaw will send a message to congress recommending a law admitting Canadian wheat for seed free of duty in times of need.

From all this the impression has grown that the northwest is short of seed wheat, but this is not really the case.

Precautions are necessary in the use of seed wheat from a rusted crop, but this is due rather to the fact that there are likely to be small, shriveled, or prematurely ripened, half-developed grains in the wheat which would not be good seed in any case. The statement is confirmed however, that the fact that rust was prevalent in a field does not preclude the use of wheat from that field for seed, and that such use will not produce rust in the next crop. Smut is more an internal affection, and the use of smutty seed, according to Professor Conway MacMillian is almost sure to show up deleteriously in a new crop, but rust is an external affection and is not transmitted thru the seed.

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EMARDVILLE CREAMERY.

New Officers Elected at Annual Meeting Last Week.

At the annual meeting of the Emardville creamery association held last week a resolution was adopted that after March 1 the shares of stock should be increased in price to $15 each. If any of the farmers intend to become a member of the association they should buy their shares of stock before the raise goes into effect.

The association is now moving its creamery building to Plummer, and will be ready to commence business in the early spring. Manager Lauritzen says he expects a good patronage and is prepared to handle a large amount of cream in a first-class manner.

The new officers elected last week are as follows: President, P. S. Medchill; vice president, H. H. Finrow; secretary, A. J. Hemstad; treasurer, A. F. Anderson; directors, P. S. Medchill, H. H. Finrow, Andrew Johnson, Olaf Tande and E. K. Gjernes.

What Is Gambling?

The editor of the Fairmont News ask some questions which we pass along, hoping that some one may figure out the correct answers. He says: What is gambling? This question has bothered us for years and we have never received a satisfactory answer. Two boys were caught playing marbles for keeps, and the pious church member holds up his hands in holy horror, and tells them they must not gamble. Across the street a church fair is going on and there are grab bags, lotteries and fishing schemes that the wicked call gambling, but the church member thinks they are all right. One man buys land for the raise in value, but if it fails he has lost his money. Another bets that a certain card will turn up. Each is staking his money on his judgment and either may lose or may win. Which is gambling? One man shakes dices for dollars and another puts his dollars on the price of wheat. What is the difference and which is gambling? It seems to us that all these things are about an even thing and that in each case men are risking their money in the hope of gain with about equal chance of losing. Please tell us what gambling is.

A Home Endorsement.

Armstrong [Iowa] Journal: Ed. H. Chase, editor and publisher of the Journal the past two years, left this morning for Red Lake Falls, Minn., to take charge of the Red Lake Courier. Mr. King, the proprietor of the paper, has been appointed State Librarian by Gov. Johnson and will move to St. Paul. After looking around for a suitable person to publish and edit THE COURIER he finally selected Mr. Chase, and we can assure he made no mistake. Mr. Chase has been in the newspaper business all his life and knows it from A to Z. He will keep THE COURIER up toits present high standard. We congratulate Mr. King and the readers of THE COURIER.

Persons Who Bark.

If you are coughing your head off, have visions of asthma, try Gloria Lung Balsam. Made of honey, wild cherry and other healing balsam. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

ONE APPOINTMENT HELD UP

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 12—All of the nominations sent in by Governor Johnson were confirmed this afternoon, with the exception of John E. King of Red Lake Falls, named as state librarian. On motion of a senator from the northern part of the state, action on this nomination was deferred until next Tuesday.

It is alleged by some of the senators that this appointee severely criticized the business record of Lieutenant-Governor Jones in his newspaper, the Red Lake Falls COURIER, and on the stump during the campaign last fall. The general impression is that the appointment will be confirmed without serious opposition.

Small Box Cars to Go.

Fergus Falls Journal: In all the yards of the Great Northern roads is being collected a great number of small box cars. This is the result of an order which went into effect January 1 to cut out all 28- and 30-foot freight cars, and no more of these small cars will be handled by the road. The 28-foot cars have a capacity of only 28,000 pounds, and the Great Northern after years of experience has learned that they are both dangerous and expensive. They are built light and when there is trouble these cars are always in the center of the mixup. The freight cars now used are all 40 feet long, [illegible] a carrying capacity of 80,000 pounds. The expense of hauling freight in these cars is much less than the same quantity in two or three smaller cars and there is much less danger of wrecks and smashups. Just what will be done with the discarded cars is not known, but they will probably be sold to small roads and branch lines.

The State Census.

Princeton Union: There is a lot of newspaper talk about what the next State census will be and how it will be taken. That will all depend, as there will be a group of legislators in the senate and also a group in the house who will have something to say about it and the legislature will have to pass on the actions of these two committees before any census can be taken. Some may be misled by newspaper references to the law that was enated ten years ago for the State census at that time. The law provided for the taking of the census of 1895 and does not apply in any way to the taking of the census the coming year. A new law will have to be enacted for this purpose.

80 Years Old.

Mrs. Sina W. Platt, of Unity, Wis., a lady of 80 years, was recently cure of rheumatism by Gloria Tonic after many well-known remedies were previously used. This happy result ought to be a great encouragement to many of our readers. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

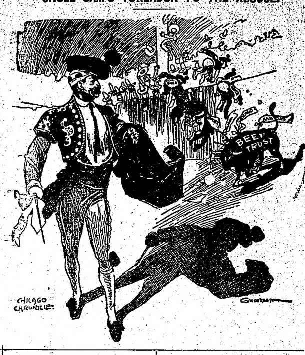
CALUMET

Baking Powder

A perfectly healthful powder made by improved chemical methods and of accurately proportioned materials.

Trust Baking Powders sell for 45 or 50 cents per pound and may be identified by this exorbitant price. They are a menace to public health, as food prepared from them contains large quantities of Rochelle salts, a dangerous cathartic drug.

UNCLE SAM'S TOREADOR TO THE RESCUE.



MAY DECIDE UPON AN EXTRA SESSION

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT SEEMS TO BE DETERMINED ON SUCH A COURSE.

Holds Conference with Party Leaders in Congress—Tariff Revision and Railway Legislation the Chief Topics of Discussion.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—The Chronicle's Washington special says: President Roosevelt Saturday afternoon submitted to a joint committee, composed of leading republican senators and representatives what amounted to an ultimatum on the subjects of tariff revision and railway legislation. He announced his purpose to call a special session of the Fifty-ninth congress in the early fall of the present year to revise the Dingley schedules. He indicated that he would prefer that congress shall dispose of interstate commerce legislation at the present session, but if for any reason it fails to do so, he will ask the Fifty-ninth congress to consider it in special session. Other important subjects of legislation were discussed, including the naval appropriation bill, which is so close to the president's heart. The president expressed complete sympathy with those members of congress who are seeking to introduce economy in the great supply bills of the government, but he insisted that there should be no cut in the naval appropriation bill; that the department's programme of construction ought to be ratified and that the total of the bill ought to be about $115,000,000. Rivers and harbors and public building legislation were also discussed.

Congress was represented at the conference by Senators Allison, of Iowa, Aldrich, of Rhode Island; Spooner, of Wisconsin, and Platt, of Connecticut; Speaker Cannon, Representatives Sereno E. Payne, of New York; John Dalzell, of Pennsylvania; Gen. Grosvenor, of Ohio, and James A. Tawney, of Minnesota. Owing to an agreement entered into by the president and conferees no information concerning what happened during the conference is obtainable with the exception of a perfunctory statement issued by Secretary Loeb, in which he says that tariff, railway rates and other subjects were discussed, that no agreement was reached and that the conference will be resumed at some date in the future which remains to be fixed.

A SUDDEN CALL.

Heart Failure Causes Death of Former Governor Lowndes, of Maryland.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 9.—The sudden death at his home in this city Sunday of former Gov. Lloyd Lowndes cast a pall of gloom over the community. There had been no indications of illness, and Mr. Lowndes appeared to be in his usual good health and spirits when he arose in the morning. He arose at 8:30, took a bath and began to dress preparatory to attending church services. A sudden fall attracted the attention of Mrs. Lowndes, who was in the room. She summoned assistance, and the unconscious form was placed upon the bed. Physicians were hastily summoned and were quickly at the bedside, but death had ensued before their arrival. Death was due to heart failure.

Presentment Withdrawn.

Philadelphia, Jan. 9.—The presenters of Bishop Ethelbert Talbot, of the Central Pennsylvania diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, who have not repudiated the paper filed against him, formally withdraw the "charges in writing" made against the bishop by friends of Rev. Dr. I. N. W. Irvine, the deposed priest. They reserve the right to present new "charges in writing."

Iowa Bank Dynamited.

[illegible], Ia., Jan. 9.—The savings [illegible] of this town was dynamited Friday night and the building was badly [illegible]. It is not known if any money was secured by the robbers.

GILLESPIE CONVICTED.

Found Guilty of Murder of Twin Sister—Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

Rising Sun, Ind., Jan. 6.—James Gillespie, who with his sister, Mrs. Belle Seward and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Barbour was indicted for the murder of his twin sister, Miss Elizabeth Gillespie, on the night of December 8, 1903, was found guilty Thursday night and sentenced to life imprisonment. The other three defendants will be tried separately later. This was the second trial of James Gillespie. At the former trial a year ago the four defendants were tried together, but the jury failed to agree and was dismissed.

Rising Sun, Ind., Jan. 7.—Judge Cornet overruled a motion for a new trial for James Gillespie, convicted of the murder of his twin sister, Elizabeth. Gillespie then prayed for an appeal to the supreme court, which was granted, and 60 days were given in which to file his bill of exceptions. Judge Cornet then sentenced Gillespie to imprisonment in the penitentiary for life. The cases of Myron Barbour, Belle Seward and Carrie Barbour were continued until the March term of the Ohio county court.

Miss Elizabeth Gillespie was shot on the night of December 8, 1903, while in the parlor of her home preparing to entertain the Woman's Literary club of Rising Sun. The assassin fired through a front window with a double-barreled shotgun, inflicting wounds on the head of the woman which resulted in her death several hours later. The only person in the house at the time was the aged mother of the victim. Several witnesses testified that James and Elizabeth had many quarrels previous to the murder and that James left home to board with another sister after one of these quarrels. Experts claimed that the wounds were inflicted with a 16-gauge shotgun and the prosecution brought forward witnesses who testified that James Gillespie was the owner of the only 16-gauge shotgun in Rising Sun.

THEODORE THOMAS DEAD.

Well-Known Leader of Chicago Orchestra Passes Away After a Short Illness.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Theodore Thomas, creator and director of the Chicago orchestra, and one of the world's greatest and best musicians, is dead. He died at ten minutes before six o'clock Wednesday morning at the family home in this city, after a brave battle of less than two weeks against a severe attack of pneumonia.

Theodore Thomas was born at Essen, Germany, October 11, 1835, and made his debut as a violinist in Germany at the age of ten years. The same year, 1845, he came to America and gained a reputation as a solo violinist at great New York concerts and in a tour of the south. He inaugurated orchestral concerts in 1864 and three years later, in 1867, he founded the Thomas orchestra, maintaining the organization until 1888. Previously, in 1862, he had been elected leader of the Brooklyn Philharmonic society, and, in 1877, of the New York Philharmonic society, and he held these posts, too, until 1891 almost continuously. From 1885 to 1887 he was conductor of the American Opera company, and from 1873 to 1898 conducted the biennial Cincinnati musical festivals. He was musical director of the world's fair in 1893.

Penalty for "Tipping."

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 7.—In the state legislature Representative Tubbs, of Osage, introduced a bill to prohibit the practice of tipping waiters at hotels and restaurants under a penalty of $500.

Assignment for Mutes.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The war department Saturday assigned Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, as a member of the staff of Gov. Douglas, of Massachusetts.

City Hall Burned.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 7.—The city hall, valued at more than $50,000, was completely destroyed by fire in less than an hour Friday.

Niedringhaus for Senator.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 6.—The republican caucus nominated Niedringhaus for senator, insuring his election.

PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

Milton Converse and Willie Hunt were out from Red Lake Falls yesterday on business.

Mrs. Chas. W. Latta and children arrived from Crookston on Tuesday and ye editor's family circle is now complete.

S. A. Swanson was over from Red Lake Falls on Monday. He was wisned to set a good example to others and start the New Year right by coming to Plummer to transact business.

H. H. Finrow and W. G. Brown were at Red Lake Falls on Tuesday to seek financial aid from the county board to build the new bridge across the Clearwater north of here.

The many friends of Otto Claas in this vicinity will regret to learn that he quite ill with appendictis at his home in Red Lake Falls. The physicians in attendance upon him fear that he may have to undergo an operation.

A portion of the creamery buildings have been moved onto the new site here in town and the remainder will follow next week. The machinery is also ready for transportation and all will soon be ready for business in the new location.

Ralph Green is making his headquarters in town at present while engaged as camp deputy in hustling new members for Plummer Camp of the M. W. A. If he keeps up the gait at which he has started Plummer will soon have one of the best camps in the state.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is atleast one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strenght by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo O. Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: School boys and married men are always planning for vacations.

A woman thinks another is a mighty poor housekeeper to have her cook get pneumonia.

When two people are intent on fooling each other, somebody else comes along and fools them both.

The average idiot would be considered a genius if his particular form of idiocy happened to be the fashion.

You can never make a woman believe it is dangerous for her to go on thin ice if some man admires her for being there.

The greatest system renovator. Restores vitality, regulates the kidneys, liver and stomach. If Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea fails to cure get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichert.

Every Two Minutes

Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action becomes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why

SCOTT'S EMULSION

is such a great aid is because it passes so quickly into the blood. It is partly digested before it enters the stomach; a double advantage in this. Less work for the stomach; quicker and more direct benefits. To get the greatest amount of good with the least possible effort is the desire of everyone in poor health. Scott's Emulsion does just that. A change for the better takes place even before you expect it.

We will send you a sample free.
Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.
SCOTT & BOWNE
Chemists
409 Pearl St., N. Y.
50 cents and $1.00
All druggists

BADGER.

Miss Zelia Quesnell spend last week visiting friends and relatives in Crookston she returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Dainard of North Dakota and her children visited friends and relative here last week.

The Misses Alyce, Anna, and Mr. Louis Quesnell, accompanied by Miss Jennie LaBissionere left Monday morning for a visit at McIntosh and Fosston. They will be absent for several days. No doubt they will enjoy their visit as it is several years since they have not seen their friend there.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Robillard and family also Mr. D. Robillard were guests at Mr. Moses Ducharme of Perrault Station Friday.

Mr. D. Robillard is visiting friends at Grand Forks this week.

Master Peter Lachance is reported quite ill this week with lagripe his friends expect a soon recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis St. Yves and family spent Wednesday evening at the home of Mitchel Quesnell.

Mr. Thomas Borsvert and wife of Lambert are visiting friends and relatives here since last week.

Mr. Roy Walker was a business caller at the Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quesnell of Mentor were visitors here last week.

Mrs. J. Remick of Red Red Falls, and children visited here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Perrus of Terrebonne visit at A. Laurent and M. Quesnell last week.

Mr. E. Quesnell drove to the Falls Saturday and was accompanied home by his daughter Zelia who arrived that day from Crookston.

Master Joseph Quesnell spent last week in Red Lake Falls visiting his uncle, Paul Berthon, and also at his Grandfather Frank LaBissionere he reports a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Remeo St. Marie of Cass Lake visited at the home of Adelard Laurent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William St Yves of Crookston visited around here for the last two weeks, returned home last Monday accompanied by Chas. Bourcier who spent the holidays here also.

Mr. Fred Hudson returned home from his visit at Crookston Saturday. Fred has been absent for a week.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Brain Leaks.

In the real home Christmas comes every day.

Some people work hard to make an easy living.

Some men mistake moral dyspepsia for complete sanctification.

The man who never forgets that he was a boy is not very apt to forget his manhood.

The man who is honest simply because it is the best policy will bear watching.

Some people experience no difficulty in keeping their left hand from knowing what their right doeth.

The foolish man carries his business cares to his fireside and leaves all of his good nature at the office.

The man who is always waiting for something to turn up is forever complaining about being turned down.

A man never realizes how foolish he once was until he run across some of the letter he wrote to his wife before he married her.

This is the season of the year when the man who owns a horse and does not warm the bridlebits should be made to stand in the stall while the horse loafs by the radiator.

☐ While we are mourning the fact that the young girls of today are not learning to be housekeepers, let us not forget that the young men are not altogether successful as house providers.

New Fast Time To Southern California.

The NORTH-WESTERN Line, in connection with lines from Kansas City now offered better and more frequent service to Los Angeles for travelers from the Twin Cities than ever before, with through time as follows:

Night Trains: Leave Minneapolis 7:30 P. M., St. Paul 8:00 p. m. Arrive Omaha 7:05 a. m. and Kansas City 4:00 p. m.

Leave Kansas City 8:40 p. m. Arrive Los Angeles 6:30 a. m. the third day.

Day Train: Leave Minneapolis 9:10 a. m., St. Paul 9:40 a. m. Arrive Council Bluffs 9:45 a. m. and Kansas City 7:10 a. m.

Leave Kansas City 10:40 a. m. Arrive Los Angeles 2:45 p. m. the third day.

Cafe and Parlor Car on day train, Twin Cities to Omaha. Buffet Sleeping Car on night train to Kansas City and dining car on both trains from there to Los Angeles.

Sleeping car accomodations should be reserved in advance at 396 Robert St., Ryan Hotel, St. Paul, Minn., or 600 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., or address, T. W. Teasdale, Gen'l Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn.

New line of correct fall stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

Traveling Today.

Traveling nowadays is a pleasure. We loll back in fortable seats of luxuriously appointed cars, resplendent in mahogany, mirrors and dainty furnishings; dine from a menu the acme of culinary art and receive every attention from courteous attendants;—Buffet Cars with comforts of the Club, Cosy Compartment Cars, which the ladies especially appreciate and the finest of Pullman Sleeping Cars are all to be found on the famous North-Western Limited—every night—Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass,
I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,
I'd leave my wife with and cross the sea,
Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls, and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on January 7th 1905, and terminating on January 6, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

JOS. MORINVILLE,

in that certain frame building situated on lot 15 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 19th day of January A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1905.

j5-12 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the [illegible]

date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d29-f9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

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And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.,
d29-f9 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 59 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
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COMMISSIONERS IN SESSION

Proceedings of the County Board at the Regular January Session—More Next Week.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., Jan. 3, 1905.

The Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met in regular session at the court house at one o'clock p. m.

Present—Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson, Shaw and Falardeau.

The Board proceeded to ballot for chairman for the ensuing year, resulting as follows:

Johnson, 3 votes; Demann, 1 vote; Falardeau, 1 vote.

Commissioner Johnson, having received a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, was declared elected chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

The Board proceeded to ballot for vice chairman for the ensuing year, resulting as follows:

Sutor, 3; Shaw, 1; Demann, 1.

Commissioner Sutor, having received a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, was declared elected vice chairman for the ensuing year.

On motion duly carried the following county officers' bonds were approved:

D. Linnihan, sheriff, $5,000;
Frank Jeffers, register of deeds, $5,000;
Thomas Germo, county attorney, $2,000.

In the matter of the petition of E. L. Quist and others, residents and legal voters in Red Lake county, and not residing within ten miles of any established election district, praying for the establishment of an election district consisting of that part of the county of Red Lake, Minnesota, known as the Red Lake Indian Reservation, no part of which territory is now included in any existing election district, on motion made by Commissioner Shaw and carried unanimously the following order establishing an election district was made:

State of Minnesota }
County of Red Lake } ss.

The petition of E. L. Quist and others, petitioners and legal voters of Red Lake county, Minnesota, not residing within ten miles of any established election district, praying for the establishment of an election district within said county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, to consist of that part of Red Lake county, Minnesota, known as the "Red Lake Indian Reservation," and which was thrown open for sale and settlement by an Act of Congress, approved February 20, 1904, and no part of which territory is now included in any election district, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake county, Minnesota, and said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners held on the third day of January, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board,

It is by said Board ordered, That an election district be and the same is hereby formed within the County of Red Lake, bounded and described as follows, towit:

All that part of Red Lake county, Minnesota, known as the "Red Lake Indian Reservation," and which was thrown open for sale and settlement by an Act of Congress approved February 20, 1904.

It is further ordered, That all elections in said election district be held at Kratka post office in said county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, and that Corgan Eide, Ole Wiseth and Gunder Steenerson be and are hereby appointed as Judges of Election in said election district.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at a meeting held January 3, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners.
Attest:
JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor,
Red Lake County, Minn.,

The following report was submitted by the Board of Audit:

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Red Lake County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen—

We, the undersigned, Board of Audit of said Red Lake county, convened at the office of the County Treasurer of said county on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1904, for the purpose of auditing and examining the accounts, books and vouchers of O. T. Tandberg, County Treasurer of said county, and to count and ascertain the kind, description and amount of funds in the treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully report that we found the said Treasurer indebted to the several funds at the beginning of business on December 30, 1904, in the aggregate sum of $24,909.38, and we find the Treasurer in the possession of funds covering said indebtedness in kind and amounts as follows, towit:

Cash in safe	$ 24.42
Cash items, money orders and checks	18.59
Deposit in First State Bank, Red Lake Falls	4,675.61
Deposit in Merchants State Bank, Red Lake Falls	3,541.43
Deposit in Bank of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake Falls	2,177.16
Deposit in First State Bank, Thief River Falls	2,339.10
Deposit in First National Bank, Thief River Falls	2,312.90
Deposit in Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls	4,000.00
Deposit in First State Bank, St. Hilaire	1,744.40
Deposit in Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire	4,073.77
Total funds on hand, December 30, 1904	$24,909.38

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor;
JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk District Court;
WM. C. L. DEMANN,
Chm. Bd. Co. Commissioners;
Board of Audit,
Red Lake County.

On motion carried unanimously the foregoing report of the Board of Audit was approved.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Sutor was adopted by unanimous vote:

Whereas, This Board did heretofore, and on the 12th day of March, 1904, make its order establishing School District No. 272 in Polk county, Minnesota, from part of the territory comprising School District No. 36, in Red Lake and Polk counties, which order was concurred in by the Board of County Commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota, and

Whereas, It appears to this Board that at the time of the formation of said School District No. 272, there were funds in the treasuries of Polk and Red Lake counties to the credit of said School District No. 36, and

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota, did on the 21st day of December, 1904, pass a resolution dividing the assets of said School District No. 36 at the time of the formation of the said School District No. 272;

Be it resolved, That said resolution passed by the Board of County Commissioners of said Polk county, Minnesota, be and is hereby concurred in by this Board, and that the funds to the credit of School District No. 36 in Polk and Red Lake counties at the time of the formation of School District No. 272, be divided between the two districts as follows, towit:

To School District No. 272, 30 per cent., or $220.95, of the funds owned by School District No. 36 at the time of the formation of said School District No. 272, of which amount the sum of $95.00 is to be paid out of the funds to the credit of School District No. 36 in Red Lake county, and the sum of $127.95 to be paid out of funds to the credit of School District No. 36 in Polk county, Minnesota, and the County Auditors of the respective counties are hereby authorized and directed to transfer the above-named sums from School District No. 36 to School District No. 272 as soon as the condition of the funds of School District No. 36 will permit.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Sutor, and adopted by unanimous vote:

Whereas, in pursuance of, and in full compliance with, the provisions of chapter 258 of the General Laws of Minnesota for the year 1901, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, the District Court of the Fourteenth Judicial District upon appeal being duly taken to said court, from the order of this Board of County Commissioners, did heretofore duly locate, fully establish and order the construction of a certain public ditch situate wholly within said County of Red Lake, Minnesota, known and designated as Red Lake County Ditch No. 21; and

Whereas, it has been definitely ascertained and determined that the aggregate expense of locating, contracting and establishing said public ditch may be at least the sum of $6,500 and that it is necessary to issue and sell the negotiable coupon bonds of said Red Lake County, to provide $6,000 in amount of such expense;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, that the negotiable coupon bonds of said County be, the same are hereby authorized and directed to be issued in the aggregate amount of $6,000, for the purpose of providing a portion of the funds necessary to defer the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing the said public ditch No. 21, situated wholly within the limits of said County, mentioned in the preamble hereof.

Said bonds to be six in number, numbered from 1 to 6, inclusive, each of the denomination of $1,000, and bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1905, and due January 1st, 1915, with interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of January and July of each year; which interest payments shall be evidenced by interest coupons to be attached to each bond; both principal and interest payable at the banking house of the National Bank of Commerce of Minneapolis in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Be it further resolved that each of said bonds, and the interest coupons attached thereto, shall be in substantially the following forms respectively, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
No....... STATE OF MINNESOTA, $1,000
COUNTY OF RED LAKE.

PUBLIC DITCH BOND.

Know all men by these presents, that the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1,000)

in lawful money of the United States of America, together with interest thereon from the date hereof until paid at the rate of five and one-half per cent (5½) per annum, payable semi-annually on January 1st and July 1st in each year, on presentation and surrender of the interest coupons hereto attached as they respectively mature. Both principal and interest payable at the banking house of the National Bank of Commerce of Minneapolis, in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

And for the prompt payment of this bond, both principal and interest at maturity, the full faith, credit and resources of said county are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is issued by said county for the purpose of providing the necessary funds to defray the expense incurred, and to be incurred, in locating, constructing and establishing a public ditch situate wholly within the limits of said county, and issued by authority of, and in strict accordance with, the provisions of an act of the legislature of the State of Minnesota, entitled:

"An Act providing for the drainage of lands in certain cases, prescribing the powers and duties of County Commissioners and other officers in the premises, and appropriating funds for the payment of assessments against state lands affected thereby, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof, and repealing certain acts therein mentioned and referred to," approved April 11th, 1901, and all acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

And it is hereby certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the laws and constitution of the state of Minnesota to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, have been properly done, have happened and been performed in regular and due form and time as required by law; that the ditch on account of which this bond is issued is a public ditch duly established for the promotion of the health, convenience and general welfare of the public, and that the total indebtedness of said county, including this bond, does not exceed any statutory or constitutional limitation.

In testimony whereof, the said county of Red Lake by its Board of County Commissioners has caused this bond to be signed by the Chairman of said Board and countersigned, sealed and recorded by its County Auditor this 2d day of January A. D. 1905.

....
Chairman Board of County Commissioners.
Countersigned and recorded:
....
County Auditor.

(Form of Coupon.)

No. $27.50
On.................19....

The county of Red Lake, Minnesota, will pay to bearer the sum of Twenty-seven and 50-100 dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, at the banking house of the National Bank of Commerce at Minneapolis, Minnesota, for semi-annual interest on its Public Ditch Bond dated January 2d, 1905, No........

....
Chairman Board of County Commissioners.
Countersigned:
....
County Auditor.

Be it further resolved that each of said bonds and each of the interest coupons attached thereto shall be signed by the Chairman of this Board and countersigned by the County Auditor, and each of said bonds shall be sealed by the County Auditor, who shall keep a record of same, and when so executed and recorded said bonds shall be delivered to the purchasers thereof, U. M. Stoddard & Company, upon their paying into the county treasury the amount of their bid therefor, which is not less than par.

Be it further resolved that the full faith, credit and resources of Red Lake county, and of its Board of County Commissioners, be and the same are hereby pledged to provide money for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds when and as the same become due.

On motion carried unanimously, J. O. Gjerberg was appointed court house janitor for the ensuing year at a salary of $50.00 per month, and the County Auditor was authorized to issue his warrant monthly in favor of said J. O. Gjerberg for that amount.

On motion carried unanimously, the applications of D. Patterson, Thomas Moreau and R. J. McKircher for auctioneers' licenses were granted and licenses ordered issued.

Bids for doing the official county printing for the ensuing year were opened and read, and on motion carried unanimously the bid of John E. King for publishing the delinquent tax list at three cents per description, and for publishing the financial statement, commissioners' proceedings and other official notices in the RED LAKE COURIER at 12½ cents per folio for the first insertion and 6¼ cents per folio for each subsequent insertion was accepted, and his bond fixed at the sum of $3,000.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Sutor was carried unanimously:

Resolved, That the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, be and the same is hereby designated by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, as the newspaper in which the notice and list of real estate taxes in said county remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1005, shall be published, and that the said newspaper be and the same is hereby designated as the official newspaper of said county for the year A. D. 1905.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken till 9 o'clock a. m. January 4.

January 4, 1905, the Board reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m.

All members present.

On motion duly carried the County Auditor and County Treasurer were authorized to transfer $150.00 from the County Revenue fund to the Incidental Expense fund.

On motion duly carried the application of Thos. Kinslea for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes on Lot 6, Block 26, Red Lake Rapids, for the year 1903, was recommended for approval.

On motion carried unanimously the bond of K. M. Hansen as County Treasurer in the sum of $70,000, with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co. as surety, was approved.

Engineers' estimates on ditch contracts were allowed as follows:

E. A. Moran, final estimate Lambert Ditch No. 1	$ 27 64
Theo. Halvorson, partial estimate Ditch No. 21	2,000 00

The Board proceeded to examine the books, accounts and vouchers of the County Treasurer, and filed a certified report of the condition of said office with the County Auditor.

On motion carried unanimously the salaries of county officers were fixed as follows:

County Auditor, $1,200;
County Treasurer, $1,200;
Judge of Probate, $825;
County Superintendent of Schools, $1,050;
County Attorney, $1,200.

The Board proceeded to select lists of seventy-two names for grand jurors and seventy-two names for petit jurors to serve for the ensuing year, which lists were duly certified and filed with the Clerk of the District Court.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Demann, who moved its adoption:

Whereas, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, did, on the 21st day of May, 1904, adopt a certain resolution providing for the construction of a steel bridge across the Red Lake River in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, said resolution providing, among other things, the amount of the second payment for said bridge, which said provision is contained in paragraph two of said resolution;

Be it resolved, That said paragraph two of said resolution be in all things adopted as fully as if said resolution was made at this time, and said paragraph two is made as much a part of this resolution as if the same were herein fully written.

Which resolution was seconded by Commissioner Sutor and adopted by unanimous vote.

The petition of Henry J. Enderle and others praying for the incorporation of certain lands in the Town of Emardville in Red Lake county as the Village of Plummer was presented to the Board, and the same being publicly read, and after due consideration by the Board, Commissioner Falardeau offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. Motion seconded by Commissioner Demann and resolution adopted by unanimous vote:

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, There has been presented and filed with this Board the petition of Henry J. Enderle and others, setting forth that the residents upon certain lands in the county of Red Lake desire to incorporate said lands as a village, and setting forth the boundaries of such territory, with their courses and distances, the quantity of land therein embraced, the number of persons actually residing in such territory (which was ascertained by a census taken in the month of December, 1904, as appears from said petition), and that the name of said proposed village is to be Plummer, and praying that this Board appoint a time and place when and where the electors actually residing upon said lands may vote for or against such incorporation;

Which said petition is signed by more than twenty-five of the electors then resident upon the lands so to be incorporated; and is duly verified under oath by three of said petitioners;

Now therefore, be it resolved, that an election be and the same is hereby called and ordered to be held within the territory of said proposed village of Plummer on Tuesday, the 7th day of February, A. D. 1905, in the front room of the building known as the barber shop of Adolph Nelson, on lot 5 of block 9 of the original townsite of said Plummer, same being situate on Central Avenue on section 9 in town of Emardville in said county, for the purpose of voting for or against the incorporation of said proposed village; said election to be held between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of said day, and the following persons, who are residents and electors of said proposed village, are hereby appointed as inspectors of said election, to-wit: Chas. W. Latta, E. B. Lanager, Adolph Nelson, and

Be it further resolved, that notices of said election, together with copies of said petition, shall be posted in said proposed village as provided by law, at least thirty days prior to the time of holding same, three copies of said petition with notices attached thereto, to be posted in five of the most public places within the limits of said proposed village, and that said petition, its verification and notice of said election be published in the Plummer Pioneer, a newspaper published in said village, for three successive weeks prior to the date of such election.

A recess was taken to 9 o'clock a. m. January 5.

Jan. 5, 1905, Board reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. with all members present.

In the matter of the petition of Marie Boucher to be set off with her lands from school district No. 76 to school district No. 9 in Red Lake county, the petition having been publicly read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of the same, on motion carried unanimously the following order was made:

Whereas, the petition of Marie Boucher, a legal voter, freeholder and resident of school district No. 76 in this county, representing that she is the owner of the lands hereinafter described, which are situate in said school district and adjoin school district No. 9, and asking that she with her said lands may be set off from said school district No. 76 to said adjoining school district No. 9 for the following reasons:

That the distance from her place of residence on said lands to the school house in school district No. 76 is about two and one-fourth miles, while the distance from her said residence to the school house in school district No. 9 is but a little more than one-half mile, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this county at a session of said Board held on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1904, for the action of the said Board thereon; and

Whereas, It was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of the said Board held on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, at the County Auditor's office in Red Lake Falls in said county; and

Whereas, It was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the Clerk of each of said school districts, personally, a copy of said order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and

Whereas, At the session of the said Board of County Commissioners on said 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to said last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the Board with everything which was said by interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said Board being of the opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined, that the said petitioner and the following described lands owned by her, to-wit:

The South-east quarter of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty (150), Range Forty-one (41) be and the same are hereby set off from said school district No. 76 to said adjoining school district No. 9 and said lands are hereby made a part of said last named school district for all purposes whatsoever.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
(Seal) Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, of Red Lake county, Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Exofficio Clerk of Board.

In the matter of the petition of Adelor Boucher to be set off with his lands from School District No. 76 to School District No. 9 in Red Lake County, no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of the same, on motion carried unanimously, the following order was made:

Whereas, The petition of Adelor Boucher, a legal voter, free-holder and resident of School District No. 76 in this county, representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described which are situate in said School District, and adjoin School District No. 9, and asking that he with his lands be set off from said School District No. 76 to said adjoining School District No. 9, for the following reasons:

That the distance from his residence on said land to the school house in School District No. 76 is two and one half miles, and that the distance from his residence to the school house in School District No. 9 is one mile, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this county at a session of said Board held on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1904, for the action of said Board thereon; and, whereas, it was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said Board on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, at the County Auditor's office in Red Lake Falls, in said county, and, whereas, it was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the clerk of each of School Districts, personally, a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and, whereas, at the last session of the said Board of County Commissioners, held on said 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to said last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by said Board, with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said Board being of the opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined that the said petitioner and the following described lands owned by him, towit:

The west half of the southwest quarter of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty (150), Range Forty-one (41) be and the same are hereby set off from said School District

In the matter of the petition of George Charest to be set off with his lands from school district No. 76 to school district No. 9 in Red Lake county, no one appearing to be heard in the matter on motion carried unanimously the following order was made:

Whereas, the petition of George Chareat, a legal voter, freeholder and resident of school district No. 76 in this county, representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described, which are situate in said school district, and adjoin school district No. 9, and asking that he, with his said lands, may be set off from said school district No. 76 to said adjoining school district No. 9 for the following reasons:

That the distance from his residence on said lands to the school house in school district No. 76 is three miles and the distance from his said residence to the school house in school district No. 9 is but one and one-half miles, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this county at a session of said Board held on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1904, for the action of said Board thereon; and whereas, it was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said Board on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, at the County Auditor's office in Red Lake Falls in said county, and whereas, it was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the Clerk of each of said school districts, personally, a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and, whereas, at the said session of the said Board of County Commissioners held on said 5th day of January, A. D. 1905, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to said last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the Board, with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said Board being of opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined that the said petitioner and the following described lands owned by him, to-wit:

The East one-half of the South-west quarter of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty (150), Range Forty-one (41), be and the same are hereby set off from said school district No. 76 to said adjoining school district No. 9 and said lands are hereby made a part of said last named school district for all purposes whatever.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
(Seal) Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

Chairman Johnson announced the appointment of the following committees for the ensuing year:

Finance—Commissioners Shaw, Demann and Sutor.

Road and Bridge—Commissioners Sutor, Demann and Shaw.

Ditch—Commissioners Demann, Sutor and Shaw.

Court House and Jail—Commissioners Demann, Sutor and Falardeau.

Bonds—Commissioners Falardeau, Shaw and Sutor.

Printing—Commissioners Sutor, Falardeau and Shaw.

Engineer's estimates on ditch contracts were allowed as follows:

Gjernes & Hakenson, partial estimate, Garnes & Emardville ditch No. 1	$1500 00
A. F. Anderson, final estimate, Gervais ditch No. 1	535 00
Wm. Eickhoff, partial estimate, Rocksbury & North ditch No. 1	300 00
Wm. Eickhoff, final estimate, Wyandotte & River Falls ditch No. 2	100 27

On motion, carried unanimously, the bond of James E. Ford as County Auditor in the sum of $5,000 was approved.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Falardeau was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, That Adam Zeh of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, be and hereby is appointed by this this Board as Appraiser of State Lands in the county of Red Lake in compliance with the provisions of Sec. 6, Chap. 163 of the laws of 1895.

Commissioner Shaw offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, A petition signed by a majority of the legal voters who are residents of Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) of Red Lake county, Minnesota, a township containing more than twenty-five legal voters, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of this county, which petition asks for the organization of said Township as a Town, and

Whereas, It appears to the satisfaction of this Board that all of the requirements of Sec. 914-916, General Statutes of 1894, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, have been fulfilled by said petitioners, therefore

Be it resolved, That Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing thirty-six sections, according to the Government survey thereof, be and the same is hereby organized as a Town, under the name of BIG BEND, and is hereby fully vested with all the powers, rights and duties by law conferred upon organized towns in the State of Minnesota.

Be it further resolved, That this Board give notice that the first town meeting in the Town of Big Bend be held at the residence of D. J. McNiven on Government Lot 9 of Section Six [6] in said Township 153, Range 42, on Tuesday, the 24th day of January, A. D. 1905, for the purpose of electing one chairman of the board of supervisors, two supervisors, one town clerk, one assessor, one treasurer, two justices of the peace, and two constables, to serve until the next annual town meeting, and that W. E. Wood, D. J. McNiven and W. J. Potts be and the same are hereby appointed as judges of election in and for said Town.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by unanimous vote.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Shaw, who moved its adoption:

Whereas, All the territory hereinafter described and being within the limits of Red Lake county, Minnesota, having no Township organization;

Be it resolved, That all that portion of the recently ceded Red Lake Indian Reservation lying south of the Red Lake River, be and the same is hereby designated as Assessment District No. 3, in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and that W. E. Wood be and is hereby appointed Assessor for said District for the year 1905, and that J. K. Wood be and is hereby appointed Road Overseer of said District for the year 1905.

That all that portion of the said recently ceded Red Lake Indian Reservation lying north of said Red Lake River and [illegible] of the Range line between Ranges 41 and 42, and the same is hereby designated as Assessment District No. 4, and that D. J. McNiven [illegible] hereby appointed Assessor for said District for the year 1905, and thet Martin Morl[illegible] hereby appointed Road Overseer of said District for the year 1905.

That all that portion of the said recently ceded Red Lake Indian Reservation lying north of the said Red Lake River and east of the Range line between Ranges 41 and 42, be and the same is hereby designated as Assessment District No. 5, and that Peter Wold be and is hereby appointed Assessor for said District for the year 1905, and that Morgan Vaughan be and is hereby appointed as Road Overseer for said District for the year 1605.

Motion carried unanimously that the foregoing resolution be declared adopted.

A recess was taken to January 6 at 9 a. m.

(Concluded next week.)

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at all druggists.

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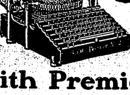

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The legislature has run amuck, and only the report of the code revision committee can set the wheels in motion.

It is exceedingly lamentable that some questions have only two sides. This fact limits the straddling agility of the esteemed Gazette.

Here's hoping the paper trust is busted. And there are enough other octupuses to keep the attorney general busy for several days.

After each frightful reverse to Russian arms some awful stories are sent out from St. Petersburg as to what Russia is going to do to Japan.

Burning cotton down south may not be a wise thing to do, but in any event it is better than burning negroes. It seems that the old-line southerner must burn something or other.

With the exception of Colonel Neff of the Lake Crystal Union the newspaper boys seem to have recovered from the effects of the late political unpleasantness. The Colonel refuses to be comforted.

It is said that after the surrender of Port Arthur the Russian prisoners were enabled to quell their appetites. Undoubtedly an appetite that hadn't been satisfied within six months needed quelling.

The Princeton Union contains the following timely editorial: "If a whole lot of people would only resolve to cultivate more brain and less booze capacity during the coming year, what a step toward reform there would be."

The state game and fish commission estimates that between 6,300 and 7,000 deer and moose were killed in Minnesota during the open season for big game, which closed Dec. 20. As far as can be ascertained only two caribou were killed.

The United States supreme court holds in a recent decision that an obligation to pay alimony and allowance to a wife and children is not in the nature of an ordinary debt and, therefore cannot be discharged in bankruptcy. This decision is certainly a just one.

Abbott Blunt, formerly of the Minneapolis Times staff, is now editor-in-chief of the Duluth News-Tribune. With two such bright paragraphers as Mr. Blunt and Mary McFadden, the editorial page of that paper will fairly scintillate with brilliancy.

Four more editors landed jobs at the hands of Governor Johnson the other day. Milton Trenham of Alexandria and W. G. Graham of Long Prairie get in the dairy and food department, Alvah Eastman of St. Cloud is re-appointed on the normal board, while C. F. McDonald of St. Cloud is made a director of the Soldiers' home.

Alva Adams, the Democratic candidate for governor of Colorado, who was declared elected by a plurality of 10,000, has at last been given his seat by the Republican legislature. There is no assurance, however, that he will hold it, as a contest is to be brought by ex-Governor Peabody, and the merits of the case will be decided by a legislature that is decidedly unfriendly to Adams.

The Koch murder case is still in progress at New Ulm, and affords the most important topic of the day for the newspaper. The attorneys for the state seem to be weaving a strong chain of circumstantial evidence about the accused. There is little likelihood, however, of Dr. Koch being convicted in his home county and a disagreement of the jury is anticipated. This will mean a new trial in some other county of the state, and a big bill of expense.

The present year falls behind the last in railway building by 25 per cent. New lines contructed during the year amount to 4,168 miles, against 5,786 a year ago. Minnesota shares in the increased trackage by extensions and building on ten lines, aggregating 271,33 miles. The heaviest building has been in the Southwestern states this year. According to the last edition of Poor's Manual, the railway mileage of the United States at the close of 1903 was 207,784 miles. The addition of the track laid during the past year makes the total main line mileage of the country in round numbers 212,000 miles.

FIGHTING THE TRUSTS.

St. Cloud Times: The governorment is after the paper trust, and all of the newspapers will back the administration, for all are affected. Here is an instance of how it works: Formerly we bought our paper direct from the superintendent of the mill at Little Falls. Now we have to procure it from the General Paper Co., at Chicago; or, if from second hands, the order goes to the G. P. Co. It is stated from Washington that the Tobacco Trust, another gigantic combination in restraint of trade, is to be proceeded against.

President Roosevelt will not be a candidate for re-election. He is in the position of a free lance. His friends say that he is independent, determined and honest in his endeavors. If he wages war on the trusts to the bitter end, he will win the thanks of the whole people—except the few trust nabobs.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

A merchant in a neighboring town states that his advertising last year cost him forty cents on every hundred dollars worth of merchandise sold. He used a half page together with a good showing of local liners and was represented in every issue of the leading paper. This year he has contracted for a full page and declares that he shall continue to advertise as long as people continue to read newspapers. The biggest and best merchants in the world believe in newspaper advertising. The man who ignores it may succeed for a time, but he will have to give way to the competitor who makes better use of his opportunities. When you find a merchant who does not advertise, you will find one who cheats the Lord by failing to contribute to the support of his church, or if holds anything it is not half as much as a laboring man's donation.

THE WORLD NOT SO BAD.

The St. Paul Globe contains the following item, which proves that this old world of ours is not altogether bad, and that the hearts of many good people beat in sympathy with the poor and unfortunate:

Three miles through the blustering storm, wading through drifts up to her waist, and almost knocked flat by the icy wind, little Ruth Puffman, eight years old, made her way from her home, 285 Colborne street, to the Relief society yesterday, all for the sake of a new pair of shoes.

Through some mistake the little girl did not get a ticket to the different entertainments for children on Christmas and received no clothing of any kind. But her faith in the Relief society was strong, and yesterday she borrowed her mother's shoes and started on a trip of three miles through the raging storm.

The little one was nearly exhausted when she reached the Relief society, and was faint from the cold. She was immediately provided with a good pair of shoes and rubbers. Giving the plucky child enough money to pay her street car fare, Secretary Hutchins started her for home, after loading her down with oranges and candy.

THE RURAL SCRIBE.

Minneapolis Journal: The country newspaper man seems to be coming into his inheritance. There is a newspaper administration at work over in the new capitol, and the way it is passing around the good things to the brethren of the fourth estate is warming to the heart.

First, John A. Johnson of the St. Peter Herald, the country newspaper man who now sits in the governor's chair, named Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel as his private secretary. The only thing against Colonel Day is that he publishes a daily paper, but he is doing it in a town of 3,500 people, so his fall must be laid to his own indiscretion and not to any discreditable hankering for city life.

Then the governor and his new managing editor began to pass out the plums to their old associates in the editorial association. With a fine disregard for the feelings of Dan Shell, they made John E. King of the Red Lake Falls Courier state librarian. Then followed E. J. Lynch of the St. James Journal, deputy labor commissioner. Yesterday Milton Trenham of the Alexandria Citizen and William Graham of the Long Prairie Democrat were placed on the staff of the dairy and food department. The rival St. Cloud editors were placated at the same instant, Alvah Eastman of the Journal Press being reappointed on the normal board, and C. F. McDonald of the Times being placed on the board of trustees of the Soldiers' home.

W. H. Williams, the new labor commissioner, is a veteran newspaper man, with the instincts of a country editor, but fate unhappily cast him adrift in a large city.

The Republican legislature is almost as liberal as the Democratic gvoernor in its treatment of the editorial craft There are half a dozen newspaper men in the house membership to start with, including Elmer Adams of the Fergus Falls Journal, P. E. Dowling of the Eveleth Star, and O. E. Hogue of the Benson Review. That worthy wight, Julius Schmahl of the Redwood Gazette, once more calls the roll like a past master, and Knute O. Sandum of the Bricelyn Sentinel sits at his elbow. Over in the senate chamber the desk force is guided as of old by S. A. Langum of the Preston Times and G. B. Wollan of the Glenwood Gopher helps him to keep the books. The city newspaper man, with envious eye, looks down from his coign of disadvantage on all their magnificence, and makes figures on his cuff relative to the cost of a Washington press and a handful of type.

Soon there will be a meeting of the editorial association, and the scattering editors who are not officeholders will come in and shake hands with the members of the permanent colony in St. Paul. Their turn may come some day.

"Flinch," "Somerset," and all the new card games at The Courier stationery store.

Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

To the teachers of Red Lake county, and all interested in the advancement of our schools:

It is with much hesitation that I untertake the responsibility of conducting an educational department in our local papers. And did I not feel certain that the educators of the county, and all interested in education, would rally to my support, I would not have consented even to attempt such a thing.

If I were to name the three institutions in our midst that are most proficient in shaping public opinion, and furthering civic improvement, the local papers would surely be in the list. Nor have they yet approached to the position they might occupy in this shaping of opinion. Yet they are not at fault.

In few places have I found the local papers indifferent to any attitude of civic reform. In many places have I found them begging for some one to aid them in arousing the community to united action along some definite line.

As a test of this attitude of our local papers, witness this opening of their columns to us and the desire that we use them to promote the cause of education in our county. It will not be their fault if we fail to make them a power for good to the cause of education in Red Lake county.

In undertaking the direction of this department I do not promise to become responsible for a column of matter each week in each local paper. I only promise to become what the name implies, a director or supervisor of the work. If the department becomes a successful and continuing department it will be because the educators of Red Lake county rise to the dignity of the opportunity offered to them, and furnish the necessary material for the department.

But that you may be prepared to aid in the work I will give a general outline of the manner in which I intend to conduct the department.

At present I think it best to devote one week to the discussion of one subject, or one division of school work, and will now announce that next week we will take up language in the grades. The next week will be devoted to history below the High School. I will endeavor to announce two weeks in advance what subject we will take np. I shall not hesitate to clip desirable articles from the educational publications that find their way to my desk.

Teachers and all interested in educational work, rally to the support of this most worthy cause. Do not force us to fill the column with long discussions or long articles. Send us a good clear statement of any little device you have found helpful in teaching language in your school. Rural teachers, do not let the department become a city and village school department. Become helpful to one another by telling thru the department how you met and overcame the trials common to us all. Do not think that because you have only fifteen or twenty pupils in some out-of-the-way place that no one cares to hear from you. There are many others in just such places who are daily groping among just such difficulties as you have successfully solved, and they would be pleased to receive the aid.

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Railroad Construction.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: The year just closed proved to be a distinctly poor one in the matter of railway building, as every one expected it would be as a result of business conditions during the first half of the year. According to the Railway Age only 4,168 miles were added to the railway mileage of the country against 5,786 miles in 1903 and 5,684 miles in 1902. Not since 1898, when only 3,083 miles were built, has there been less activity.

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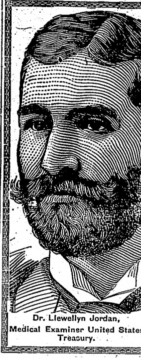

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Apples, $1.00 per box, at the Big Store.

Men's clothing at 33⅓ off at the Big Store.

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Henry Bray is now an employee at Henry Kaufer's barber shop.

Frank A. Grady returned Saturday from a business trip to St. Paul.

S. L. Lewis assisted at the county auditor's office several days of last week.

Boys' clothing at 25 per cent. reduction at the Big Store. Come quick.

Julius Pleth, the Plummer boomer, was a business visitor to Red Lake Falls Saturday.

Arthur Mercier returned Saturday from a visit with friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. John E. King entertained ten of her lady friends at an afternoon function yesterday.

Miss Josephine Kaus went to Hallock Saturday to resume her work in the schools at that place.

George Sauer is visiting with friends and relatives at his old home in Melrose, Minn., this week.

Garceau & Zaiser are advertising a stock-taking sale which ought to prove of interest to economical buyers.

Dan Paul and family of Grand Forks have been visiting at the home of Simon Paul during the past week.

Did you ever try to find out the secret of the miraculous growth of Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn?

B. O. Wilkinson and wife were up from Poplar River to visit over Sunday at the home of Dr. J. C. Wilkinson.

The Knights of Pythias will give a dancing party Friday in honor of H. N. Johnson and wife of Park River, N. D.

Miss Bertha LaFreniere left last Friday for Grand Rapids, where she expects to teach school the coming winter and spring.

P. C. Schwalen, who is traveling for the Northern Hotel Register company, visited over Sunday with his brother, William.

William Holberg expects to leave in a day or two for St. Paul, where he consult a specialist with regard to an ailment of the foot.

If you want a short course (usually 3 mos.) in bookkeeping the Crookston College will give you the same, including books, for $25. tf

The Odd Fellows will install officers at their regular meeting Saturday nigh. A full attendance of the membership is requested.

All members of the Rebeckah lodge are requested to attend an important business meeting at their hall next Tuesday evening.

"I never expect the time to come when I shall regret my connection with the Modern Woodmen."—Hon. Richard Yates, Governor of Illinois.

Miss Mamie Erickson left Saturday afternoon for New Prague, Minn., to resume her work as teacher in the public schools at that place

Judge Tarrant returned Tuesday from Fox Lake, Wis., to which place he was called two weeks ago to attend the funeral of his brother, Samuel.

Enter Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., during January and take advantage of the low rates of tuition, free books and free railroad fare.

The annual financial statement of Red Lake Falls is about ready for the printer, and City Clerk Toupin says it will probably be published next week.

Sheriff Linnihan is doing business at St. Paul and Minneapolis this week, and expects to go on to Waseca county for a short visit at his old home.

The ladies of St. Mary's church society will meet with Mrs. B. Schusser on Thursday afternoon, January 19. All of the members are requested to be present.

Superintendent McAnulty informs us that the state examinations will be held the fore part of February. Due notice will be given through the local papers next week.

T. E. Tenney, formerly manager of the St. Hilaire Lumber company's yard at this place, is now living at Sawyer, N. D., where he is engaged in land and insurance business.

School commenced again Monday after a two weeks' holiday vacation. Most of the teachers returned Saturday from their respective home but a few did not get here until Monday.

Nap. Miller and family returned last week from Grand Forks and Nap. is again employed in his brother's barber shop. He says Red Lake Falls is a pretty good town, after all.

Bemidji sustained the most disastrous fire in its history early Tuesday morning. Six business houses, mostly saloons, were destroyed, entailing a loss of $50,000, one-half insured.

At the last meeting of the Knights of Pythias Past Chancellor W. A. McIntyre was elected representative to the grand lodge, which meets at St. Paul next September. Peter B. Gaass was chosen alternate.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice: Berenioe Francois, Mammie Wilcox, Leo Brandt, Joe Boxer, Herbert Baldwin, Charles E. Bouvelle, Olea Berntsen Hollernd and H. J. Keeley.

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The ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Henry Hennemuth next Wednesday afternoon, January 18, from 4 to 6. A ten cent lunch will be served and all of the ladies are invited to be present.

The Minnesota Immigration society is in session at St. Paul this week. Auditor Ford is the vicepresident for Red Lake county, but owing to a rush of county business is unable to be in attendance at the meeting.

Billy Krueger's bus line has been handicapped this week by the fact that one of his horses has been sick. A veterinary from Crookston was sent for Tuesday, but the animal passed peacefully to horse heaven yesterday.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson is on the way to recovery from the attack of typhoid fever. The fever has about disappeared, and his strength is returning rapidly. Mrs. Wilkinson is much better, being able to be around the house again.

"Queen quality" reigns only as a shoe for particular women—for women who wish that certain gracefulness in walking which can only be attained by a perfect-fitting shoe. Prices very moderate—$3 and $3.50. For sale by Garceau & Zaiser.

The Crookston Journal is still putting on metropolitan airs. The latest is a walk-out of the printers. Crookston has a typographical union, and it seems this organization has been making rules not relished by the printing offices.

Parents should be careful that their children's feet do not become flat-footed or deformed by wearing poorly-made shoes. "Red School House" shoes are made correctly. School bags free with every pair of shoes sold.—Garceau & Zaiser.

Miss Dora Eikhoff, an employee of the Crookston Journal, was an over-Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. B. Zaiser. Miss Eikhoff was formerly an employee of THE COURIER and has many friends in Red Lake Falls who were glad to see her again.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lewis observed the first anniversary of their marriage by giving a large dinner party last Sunday to the parents, brothers and sisters of Mrs. Lewis and their families. It was a most delightful occasion for all of the guests.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson arrived Friday evening for an extended visit with her parent, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin. Mr. Johnson came Saturday night for a stay of a few days. The Red Lake Falls people were all glad to receive a from the Johnson.

Rev. Father Fayolle and Paul Berthon will leave next Monday for Pass Christian, Miss., where they will spend a month or six weeks of the winter season. This is one of the popular winter resorts of the South, and no doubt these gentlemen will enjoy their outing.

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Representative Simons fared well at the hands of Speaker Clague. He is given the chairmanship of the committee on banks, one of the most important assignments on the list. He is also a member of the committee on drainage, besides several other minor assignments.

Treasurer Hansen visited over Sunday with his family at Thief River Falls. He expects to move the folks down here as soon as the weather moderates. The Red Lake Falls people will give cordial welcome to them as they will be valuable additions to the social life of the city.

F. C. Lang, traveling passenger and freight agent of the Omaha railway, was up from St. Paul this week in the interest of his road. Mr. Lang represents one of the best railroads in the country, and the lines between St. Paul, Chicago and Omaha receive a generous patronage from this end of the state.

County Attorney Germo was called to Thief River Falls Tuesday to prosecute an alleged criminal case. A farmer living near town was accused of stealing a neighbor's hay, but the facts developed that he had simply made a mistake in taking more of the hay than entitled to. Mr. Germo moved to dismiss the action, which was done.

John Kotschever is again employed at Joseph Helm's machinery emporium after a year's absence, during which time he has been the manager of Matt Skala's big farm north of town. Mrs. Kotschever and the children are residing on their claim in Polk county. John's many friends will be glad to see him back at his old stand.

A preliminary meeting for the organization of a choral union was held yesterday. The enterprise is under direction of Prof. Andrew Onstad, director of the Red Lake Falls band, which insures a musical success. Our people remember with pleasure the cantata given last year, and will give generous patronage to the event this year.

Ed. H. Chase, the new manager of THE COURIER arrived last Friday from Armstrong, Iowa, and is already engaged in his new work. Mrs. Chase and son will come up in the early spring, when the family will go housekeeping. Mr. Chase is a competent newspaper man, and we are satisfied he will prove a valuable citizen of Red Lake Falls.

Berthon & Armstrong are advertising a big reduction on men's suits and overcoats. Every suit ranging from $7 to $9 will go at $6; all suits ranging from $10 to $15 are priced at $8.50; and all suits ranging from $18 to $22 will go at $15. Boys' clothing is marked down 33⅓ per cent. For further particulars look up their big advertisement on the first page.

Ralph Converse, who has been an employee of THE COURIER office for the past month, left Monday evening for Crookston, where he will enter the Crookston college to complete a course in type-writing and stenography. Ralph has already had several months' schooling in this line at Fergus Falls and expects to complete his education in about two months.

We wish to announce to the ladies of Red Lake Falls and vicinity that we have secured the exclusive agency for the sale of "Queen Quality" shoes, a line which you are no doubt acquainted with by reason of merit and extensive advertising in the women's magazines. In buying our initial stock in assorted widths and exclusive styles we shall aim to fit the feet properly.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The farm residence of Mrs. Anna M. Childs, in Poplar River township, was totally destroyed by fire last Friday. All the members of the family were away from home on a visit at the time and nothing was saved from the flames. The loss is quit serious one, coming at this season of the year, and considering that all of the family clothing and supplies were destroyed. There was no insurance on either the house or contests.

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Last week a rumor was published in a local paper that C. F. Johnson had retired from the Northern Minnesota Milling company. Mr. Johnson states that there is no truth in the rumor and that he still retains all his interest in the company, although there has been some talk of a dissolution.

Last Friday the board of county commissioners passed a resolution in favor of the county paying the expense of the Treasurer Hansen's bond. Mr. Hansen is required to furnish a fidelity bond in the sum of $70,000, and the cost of the same is $387.50 for the two years. As the people of the county are the ones most vitally interested it is no more than fair that they should stand the expense. The action of the board will be generally approved.

"Big Bend" is the name of the newest township on the map of Red Lake county. It was created Friday by the board of county commissioners and embraces Township 153, Range 42—just east of Rocksbury and north of Wyandotte. An election is to be held January 24 by the residents of this territory to choose township officers. There is much good land in this township and is quite well settled. Doubtless four or five more towns will be organized during the present year.

Fake chart agent are reported to be "doing" the county. District school boards are warned to have nothing to do with them. If you desire to have these charts, write to our county superintendent and he will refer you to reliable houses where fair treatment can be depended upon. As far as this chart propositionis concerned, however, there is much nonsense connected with it, very few of these combinations, claimed by the agents to be indispensable in the school room, ever proving to be of any real, practical value to instructor or scholars.

The board of county commissioners last Friday decided to buy the building used as a court house, and the offer of $4,000 for the property was accepted by the owner, Ernest Buse. It seems that it was up to the commissioners to do something, as the owner of the building demanded an increase of rental from $480 to $700 per annum, and it was decided that it would be much cheaper to buy the property. A payment of $2,400 on the property will be made at once, and the remainder is in the shape of a mortgage which will necessarily have to be cared for by the board.

M. O. Sortedahl is at Bemidji this week on a business mission.

O. T. Tandberg and family left Tuesday for Thief River Falls, where they will make their future home. Mr. Tandberg will assume his new duties as cashier of the First National Bank at once.

Joseph Lizotte mourns the loss of $15 in cash, a gun and a razor, carried away by a Swiss that has been working for him for the past three weeks. The fellow was caught and Mr. Lizotte is in town today to procure a warrant for his arrest.

At a meeting held last evening to organize a choral union Mrs. E. F. Marshall was elected president, Leland Healy treasurer and Prof. A. Onstad director. Another meeting will be held next Wednesday night at the K. of P. hall, and all are invited to attend and join the union.

The Thief River Press has been sold to Frank E. Packard, formerly managing editor of the Crookston Times. Mr. Packard is one of the ablest and best-known newspaper men in the valley, and is sure to set a new pace for Thief River journalism. He gives out that a daily will be established after a while. S. W. Bagley, the retiring editor has been in charge of the Press for nearly four years, and has made a success of the paper. THE COURIER sincerely hopes that his retirement form newspaper work will not mean his removal from the county. We cannot afford to lose him.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. Henry St. George, of Elm Grove, Wis., thought that he was permanently crippled. Sciatica rheumatism had such an iron grip on him that he thought that he would never be able to walk again, but through the aid of Gloria Tonic he was completely cured, after high priced Doctors failed. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Influence for Good.

I am of the opinion that it is the duty of every good citizen to support societies like the Modern Woodmen of America. They are "a very present help in time of need," and in every community in which a Camp is in operation it is powerful influence for good.—Hon. A. F. Bliss, Gov. of Michigan.

Four Hundred Babies.

St. Vincent's Infant Asylum, Chicago, shelters homeless waifs awaiting adoption, and there are nearly 400 babies there. Sister Julia writes: "I cannot say too much in praise of Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it, as it is a safe remedy and certain in results Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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BOTH RUSSIA AND JAPAN APPARENTLY DETERMINED TO PRESS THE WAR.

The Delivery of Russian Prisoners at Port Arthur Is Completed—Total Number Is Over 24,000—Gens. Fock and Smirnoff Not Killed.

London, Jan. 8.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from St. Petersburg says that at a meeting of the council yesterday, presided over by the czar, it was decided to continue the war with renewed energy. Gen. Kuropatkin is to be reinforced by 200,000 men before the end of February. The transport capacities of the transsiberian railway are to be increased by the use of a new type of car. It also was decided to recall Admiral Rojestvensky immediately. The czar and the council were unanimous in declaring, it is said, that the closing of the war now would be incompatible with Russia's dignity. Determination was expressed to continue hostilities until Russian arms had achieved a decisive victory.

Japan's Attitude.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Japan has made no overtures for peace to Russia, directly or indirectly, through the United States or any other power and contemplates no such action, and now that Port Arthur has fallen proposes to press the war in the north all the more vigorously by reenforcing the Japanese armies at Liaoyang with the greater part of the troops which have been besieging Port Arthur. This in brief represents the views of Mr. Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister.

"The fall of Port Arthur," said the minister, "is but a step in the war which Japan is waging for a principle. Certainly it is an important step, but nothing could be further from the truth than the assumption that because Japan has captured a stronghold, the fall of which has long been expected, the Japanese government will now make overtures for peace. Japan is too busy fighting. We are as much in earnest to-day as we were at the outset of the war. We have made no overtures for peace either directly or indirectly nor have the powers approached us with any idea of intervention."

Order Prevails.

Tokio, Jan. 5.—The following report was received from Gen. Nogi at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon: "Order is maintained at Port Arthur by the officers. The people are quiet. Our minute investigation was not finished until Tuesday night. The total number of inhabitants is about 35,000, of whom 25,000 are soldiers or sailors. The total number of sick or wounded is 20,000. Common provisions and bread are plentiful, but there is a scarcity of meat and vegetables. There are no medical supplies at Port Arthur. The Japanese are strenuously succoring the people. The capitulation committees are pushing their respective works."

Delivery of Prisoners Completed.

Washington, Jan. 9.—The Japanese legation received the following cablegram from the foreign office at Tokio under date of Sunday: "Gen. Nogi on Sunday reports delivery of Russian prisoners under capitulation was completed on Saturday. The total of the prisoners were 878 officers and 23,491 men, whereof 441 officers and 229 orderlies gave parole so far. Gen. Smirnoff, Gen. Fock, Gen. Gorbatvosky and Admiral Willmann referred to be sent to Japan as prisoners."

Will Go to Japan.

Headquarters Japanese Army at Port Arthur, via Fusan, Jan. 9.—Lieut. Gens. Fock and Smirnoff have decided to go to Japan as prisoners of war. Gen. Smirnoff was in command of the forts at Port Arthur and Gen. Fock commanded the fourth division of the army there. Gen. Fock says he will drill his men in Japan. Fifty per cent. of the Russian officers will go to Japan and share with their men the fate of prisoners of war.

Reports previously received were to the effect that both Lieut. Gens. Fock and Smirnoff had been killed at Port Arthur. The reports prove to be untrue. Gen. Fock, however, was wounded.

Celebrate with Bombardment.

Gen. Oku's Headquarters, via Fusan, Jan. 9.—The Russians, in celebrating their Christmas eve, began a heavy rifle fire at ten o'clock Friday evening opposite Linihimpu. Their artillery joined in at 11 o'clock, and kept up two hours of the hardest firing known since the Shahke river was reached, spreading along the whole front of Gen. Oku's army. The Japanese sustained no damage and refused to reply. They simply moved into their trenches, preparing to repulse an expected attack, which was not attempted. There were no casualties among the Japanese troops.

Tragedy in Minnesota.

Virginia, Minn., Jan. 9.—John Phillips, aged 33, shot and killed Ruth Phillips, aged 16, of this city, at nine o'clock Sunday morning. The murderer and his victim were distantly related. Phillips was in love with the girl, but she did not respond to his love-making.

Crime of an Illinois Farmer.

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 9.—William Rapson, after a family quarrel at the Higginbotham farm, Saturday fatally shot his son Herbert, after which the old man called Herbert's wife out to the barn, shot and killed her, and then shot and fatally wounded himself.

Mayor Drops Dead.

Nebraska City, Neb., Jan. 9.—Mayor H. H. Bartling dropped dead because of heart failure. He was at the head of the Bartling Grain company and a pioneer of the city and state.

THE KOCH TRIAL.

Doctor in an Adjoining Office Tel of Missing Strychnine Tablets.

New Ulm, Minn., Jan. 10.—Should Dr. G. R. Koch be convicted of the murder of Dr. L. A. Gebhardt, the verdict of the jury will be based as much as anything on the testimony of Dr. O. C. Strickler, offered yesterday afternoon. The physician evidently was an unwilling witness, but his conduct on the stand was everything that could be desired of a straightforward man.

Dr. Strickler is a close friend of Dr. Koch, occupying adjoining offices with the dentist and with Dr. Vogel, another physician. They used the same reception room. They saw much of each other both during and outside office hours, Dr. Strickler for three years having been like an older brother of Dr. Koch.

The physician was called by the state to testify as to 85 or 90 sulphate of strychnine tablets which he missed from his instrument case nearly a month before the murder, and about five weeks after the bottle of poison was sent to Dr. Gebhardt. He was requested also to testify as to Dr. Koch's manner after the murder, the injuries to Dr. Koch's hands, and conversation which the physician had with the accused man relative to the murder.

Dr. Strickler's testimony did not directly connect Dr. Koch either with the murder or the sending of the poison, but it was developed that the strychnine tablets were available to Dr. Koch.

The cross-examination of Dr. Strickler was conducted by Mr. Abbott and lasted for half an hour. He brought out that Dr. Koch was in his ordinary spirits after the murder until he learned that he was suspected; that he attended to his patients up to that time, and that nothing out of the ordinary was noticeable.

The second feature of the day was the attempt of the state to prove that the typewritten address on the poison package was written on a certain make of machine in the insurance office across the hall from Dr. Koch's office.

Two expert witnesses were brought on from St. Paul who testified that a typewriting machine with letters out of alignment has an individuality which cannot be duplicated on another machine.

Fatalities at Port Arthur.

Tokio, Jan. 10.—In well-informed circles it is estimated that the original garrison of Port Arthur numbered 38,000 to 40,000 men, including sailors. The killed, those who died of sickness and those who are missing are placed at about 10,000.

It is believed that the Russian casualties will total about 25,000.

The Japanese, who express great admiration for Gen. Fock and other officers for refusing parole and standing by the men of their army, are busily preparing to receive the Russian prisoners from Port Arthur. The first batch of 10,000 are expected to arrive at Nagasaki and Shemonoseki shortly.

Free Seed Wheat.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw will send a request to congress recommending free seed wheat from Canada.

Speaking of the recent request in behalf of Minnesota farmers, who want seed wheat this spring from Manitoba, Secretary Shaw said yesterday:

"There is a provision of the law whereby grass seeds are imported free of duty, but nothing providing for the free admission of grain. I shall soon send a communication to Speaker Cannon and the president of the senate recommending a provision, authorizing the department to refund the duty on imported wheat used for seeding."

More Land Frauds.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Alleged land frauds have developed in South Dakota, in addition to California, Oregon, Idaho and Montana, and the department of the interior has begun to investigate.

The conditions alleged to exist in south Dakota have been called to the attention of the department by several members of congress, and it is said at the department that congress may start an investigation of its own.

Convicts Killed.

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—News from Manila received tells of an attempt of about 500 convicts at Bilibid prison to attempt to break from jail. It occurred on the afternoon of Dec. 9 and resulted in the killing of sixteen of the prisoners and the wounding of forty others.

Six of the wounded were not expected to live and twenty-six were in a critical condition.

Injured While Coasting.

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 9.—A bobsled bearing a party of fifteen crashed into a fire engine, fatally injuring five.

They are W. C. Reynolds, Horace Willmers, Iva Collinson, Grace Schwind and Mildred Frudden.

One of the horses suffered a broken leg, and the engine, which was on the way to a fire, was overturned.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Jan. 9.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.17½; No. 3 northern, $1.15; May, $1.18½. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 39c. Rye—No. 2, 71c. Barley—No. 3, 40c. Flax—$1.23. Butter—Creamery extras, 25@26c; creamery, firsts, 23@24c; dairy, fancy, 21@22c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c. Hay—Uplands, fancy, $8.50.

St. Paul, Jan. 9.

Cattle—Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $1.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.50@4.75. Sheep—muttons, $3.00; lambs, $5.00.

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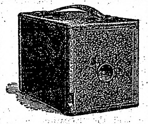

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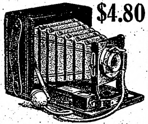

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BISHOP SPALDING IS SERIOUSLY ILL

WELL-KNOWN PRELATE IS SUFFERING FROM STROKE OF PARALYSIS.

Attacked by the Disease in His Residence at Peoria, Ill.—His Condition, While Serious, Is Not Considered to Be Dangerous.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 7.—Bishop John L. Spalding is at his residence on North Madison avenue, this city, suffering from a severe paralytic stroke which attacked him about four o'clock Friday afternoon. While his condition is said not to be dangerous, it is serious enough to keep his brother, Dr. Leonard H. Spalding, by his side continually. The entire left side of the bishop's body is affected, and for several hours after the stroke he was unable to speak. Leeches applied to his head resulted in bringing back in a measure his speech, and in the evening he was able to converse with those who were with him. The bishop is 65 years old, and while he has been in fair health practically all his life, his age tends to add to the fear of his friends for another and more serious attack. He complained Friday morning to Father J. F. O'Reilly that he was suffering with a slight attack of neuralgia, but thought nothing more about it. Shortly before four o'clock his housekeeper was startled by the sound of something falling in the bishop's room. She ran hastily to the place, and found him lying on the floor partially unconscious and unable to rise.

BISHOP SPALDING.

Shows Improvement.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 9.—There is a noticeable improvement in the condition of Bishop John L. Spalding, the Catholic prelate who was suddenly stricken with paralysis at his residence Friday afternoon. He has regained somewhat the use of his left arm and speaks with more freedom. The remainder of the left side of his body, however, he is unable to use at all.

PEABODY LOSES.

Alva Adams Is Seated as Governor by the Legislature of Colorado.

Denver, Col., Jan. 9.—Alva Adams is the choice of the people of Colorado for governor, and he will be inaugurated. This was announced shortly before midnight Saturday night, at the conclusion of the canvass of the vote of the last election by the legislature in joint session. The returns showed that Adams had a majority over Peabody of 9,774. A whirlwind of cheers greeted the decision that brought to an end the bitter contest that has lasted almost two months. The announcement that all the other republican candidates for state offices had been elected caused no excitement, for the fact was known before. Under the terms of the compromise agreement reached by the various factions in the legislature earlier in the day, Gov. Peabody is to file no notice of contest with the legislature until after Mr. Adams is inaugurated. There is some doubt, indeed, whether Gov. Peabody will undertake a contest.

Takes His Medicine.

Savannah, Ill., Jan. 7.—William Myers, awaiting a second trial here for the murder of Wayland F. Bennett, of Thomson, in September, appeared before Judge Heard and withdrew his plea of not guilty, entered at the trial in November. He then plead guilty to the charge of murder and was sentenced to the penitentiary for life at hard labor.

Taylor Appointed Judge.

Washington, Jan. 6.—President Roosevelt has appointed Robert W. Taylor, formerly a representative in the house from the old McKinley district, as United States district judge of the northern district of Ohio to succeed Francis J. Wing, resigned.

Killed by Penknife Stab.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 7.—Tom Bradley, of Marquisville, died at the Mercy hospital of a severe abdominal wound inflicted by a penknife, and Beverly Walker, his assailant, is held in the county jail on the charge of murder.

Six Injured.

Ashland, Wis., Jan. 9.—While the fire department was fighting a fire in the barn of George Wilkinson, Sunday, a quantity of dynamite exploded in the burning building, seriously injuring four firemen and two spectators.

Wants Envoy to Morocco.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Secretary Hay, through the secretary of the treasury, has asked congress to appropriate $7,500 annually to provide for an envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Morocco.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Street Car Panic.

A panic was created in a Seventh street car at Seventh and Franklin streets, St. Paul, by the burning of the motor underneath the car. About ninety persons were in the car at the time and several were badly bruised and cut about the arms and hands.

Jacob Pinger, aged seventeen years, was taken to the city hospital suffering from loss of blood from cuts on the hands. Later he went to his home, 681 Randolph street. Mrs. Geo. Dupree was also cut about the arms and hands while climbing through a window. She was not seriously injured and was taken to her home on Danforth street. The names of the other injured persons could not be learned as they hurried from the scene shortly after the occurrence.

The panic started when flames burst from underneath the car at Seventh and Franklin streets. Immediately after this there was a rumbling noise beneath the car and all the wires about spurted thousands of sparks.

A Close Call.

The family of Leon Lillie, who resides near Chatfield, had a narrow escape from being burned in their home. Mr. Lillie was awakened about four o'clock by the cracking of flames and rushing up stairs found the entire second story on fire. His wife and two little daughters already were unconscious from the smoke. He succeeded in carrying them outside but the were unable to save anything except the clothes in which they had retired for the night. Mr. and Mrs. Lillie both had their feet badly frozen before they were able to reach the house of the nearest neigbor. The Lillie home was a total loss, amounting to about $1,500. There was some insurance.

Vacancy Waiting.

Congressman James A. Tawney states that no applications yet have been received for the vacancy at West Point which is to be filled by the First district, although the announcement of this vacancy was made last fall. The examination is to be held at Fort Snelling in February. Under the present law any young man who can present a certificate from a high school principal showing that he is properly qualified can be admitted without examination. Mr. Tawney is at a loss to know the cause for the apparent lack of interest, as there are usually a number of applicants for appointment at West Point.

Loving Cup.

A loving cup two feet in height and handsomely engraved and inscribed, the gift of Governor Van Sant to the State dairy and food commission's buttermaking contest, was received at the commissioner's offices and placed on exhibition in the old capitol.

The exceptionally beautiful trophy will decorate the home of Alfred Schroeder of Lafayette, Nicollet county, who proved in the contest, which continued for twelve months, the average score of all products of the dairies being taken, that he could make better butter than any competitor in the bread and butter state.

Dropped Dead.

William Smith, 767 Jackson street, stepfather of Ald. Brennan of the 9th ward, dropped dead at Iglehart and Wabasha streets, St. Paul.

He was going home from religious services at the Cathedral in company with John McNulty. The conversation drifted to the number of recent sudden deaths in the city. Mr. Smith remarked to his companion: "I shall die in that manner very soon."

As he uttered the words he said to Mr. McNulty, "I feel a pain in my side," and then he fell to the sidewalk.

Fire at Duluth.

Fire which broke out in the engine house of the No. 1 Northwestern coal dock at Duluth, threatened for a time to destroy the entire season's supply of coal, amounting to over 50,000 tons, and occasioned a loss of $8,000.

The engine house containing a twenty-horsepower upright engine and boiler was destroyed, and part of the dock superstructure will have to be rebuilt.

No insurance was carried on the property by the coal company.

Appointed.

Gov. Van Sant has appointed S. G. Comstock of Moorhead as a member of the board of regents of the state university. Mr. Comstock succeeds Elmer E. Adams of Fergus Falls, who has been elected as a member of the legislature, when necessiated his resignation from the board of regents.

Mr. Comstock is at present a member of the state normal school board. His term as a member of the board of regents will expire in 1909.

News Notes.

The St. Paul curlers make preparations for the Northwestern bonspiel to begin at the Nushka rink on Jan. 23.

The associated school boards section of the Minnesota Educational association condemns football.

K. T. Quale, a prominent merchant of Pelican Rapids, dropped dead at his home.

Joseph Guilmette was sentenced at Crookston to life imprisonment at hard labor, on recommendation of the attorneys for the state and the foreman of the jury. He said nothing but "I'm innocent." The sentence seemed to relieve him.

A petition to Gov.-Elect Johnson for the appointment of Capt. John F. Snow, of Company C, First regiment, Minnesota National Guard, as military storekeeper, has now been signed by most of the officers of the Second and Third regiments and several of the artillery officers, besides all of the officers of the First regiment.

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The "Minnesota," which sails from Seattle on Saturday, January 21, her initial trip in the trans-Pacific trade with the Orient, typifies the highest achievments in American shipbuilding. She is the heaviest cargo-carrying vessel in the world, and her passenger accomodations are unequalled on the Pacific and take first rank with the great Atlantic liners. Broad decks and large cabins, superior service and every convenience know to modern shipbuilding, ensure the full enjoyment of a Pacific voyage. 2,000 people, including 250 cabin passengers, 68 intermediate and 1,500 troops, or Asiatic steerage passengers, may be accommodated on this great vessel, which is 630 feet in length; 73 feet 6 inches bean, and 56 in depth from keel to upper deck amidships, the total depth from the upper navigating bridge to the keel being 88 feet 4 inches. All first-cabin passengers are berthed amidships, the intermediate are on the main deck forward, and the steerage are berthed on the same deck aft. Nine decks serve to meet the requirements of passengers, crew and cargo. The ship has 32 water-tight compartments and is fitted with bilge keels to insure steadiness from the sea. The public rooms, cabins and hallways are all mechanically ventilated with filtered hot and cold air. The appointments of this vessel throughout are such as to fully provide for the comfort, safety and health of passenger under all conditions.

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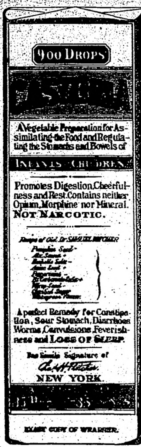

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Boys and Opportunity.

Governor Johnson's message to the legislature was on the whole a well-written document. The Journal has commented upon a number of its recommendations heretofore, but now wishes not to call attention of the rising youth of Minnesota to this document as a whole and to the man who produced it.

The facts surrounding the life of John A. Johnson are full of encouragement to poor boys in Minnesota. He was the son of poor parents, he never had more regular schooling than could be crowded into the first ten years of his life. After that he was always busy with the struggle of existence. Beginning as a helper in a grocery store at a few cents a day, proceeding from that to a more important position in a drug store, and finally finding his life work in the ownership of a vigorous country paper, he is at length honored by his state with the governorship, and is able to produce out of his own experience and observation a state paper that men of all parties unite in praising.

The suggestion of Governor Johnson's career to young men is that hard work and ambition will cure many of the defects of opportunity. There are just as many chances for boys in Minnesota today as there were thirty years ago, they do not come to the boys who have learned only to play cards or shove a pool cue. These things are not necessarily evil in themselves, but they are almost universally taken as the evidence of departing ambition.

A good many young men do not know what their elders mean by hard work. The phrase is hard to define. But it may be illustrated. Recently J. P. Morgan sent for one of the managers of his banking house, and said he wanted a certain young man in the bank to take the management of an outside enterprise he was starting. The manager demurred. "That young man can't very well be spared," he said. "Well," replied Mr. Morgan, "I didn't want a man that could very well be spared." The young man imbued with the spirit of work will soon, without realizing it, find himself one of those who cannot well be spared and then if he does not change his habits his future is well assured.

The true value to the young man of being in this class is not, however, in his worth to his employer but in his value to himself. It is the consciousness of power, of competency, of adaptability, which makes the man, not the fact that he knows his present employer cannot very well dispense with him. It is this which gives the American youth that flexibility which enables him to change his employment and make a success of an entirely new line. It is all dependent on learning to do and to be.

In one of the large factories of the country, one in which the proprietors take great care of the employees, giving them a dining hall, a gymnasium, a library and an amusement hall entirely free, there is a postbox put into which employees may drop written suggestions on how to improve the business. The proprietors have testified that some of the most valuable improvements in their methods were obtained thru following these suggestions, and some of the employees, thru taking an interest in the postbox, have risen from messengers to managers. This is a phase of the adaptability and willingness which was spoken of above. It is still characteristic of American life and should always remain so.

John A. Johnson might have remained in the grocery store, made an honest living and become a substantial business man in his town, but he had ambitions, and by watchfulness over his opportunities he achieved much. The door is still open. No boy in Minnesota who is in good health need despair of his future, however meager may be his present.—Minneapolis Journal.

TWO LONG-LIVED WAITERS.

Living Contradiction of a Theory That Is Entertained by Some People.

One of New York's oldest waiters does much to contradict the theory that waiters are short lived, says the Sun.

A recent change in the management of a Broadway hotel has brought him to the Tenderloin, where for the first time he serves the patrons of a cafe. He has passed the greater part of the 30 years that he has worked here in the hotels on upper Fifth avenue.

Twenty-five years ago he was in the old Windsor, and used to look after the Columbia college men who frequented the hotel then. He was known to many classes of students, and his acquaintance made in the other hotels to which he afterward wandered is comprehensive.

There is scarcely an uptown hotel in which he has not been employed, and he was just as gray 20 years ago as he is to-day. He is quite as active now, too, as he ever was, and few younger men are able to get about so spryly as he.

One of the most popular waiters in a cafe on Broadway is the oldest man in the place. He was for many years in Delmonico's, an establishment which parts with its men more rarely than any other. But for some reason he did not get along with Phillippe, and took a place in the new French restaurant when it was opened two years ago.

Many men have come and gone in that time, but Paul finds his services always in demand. His clients wait until one of his tables is vacant in order that they may have his attention and skill in mixing a salad.

Both of these men are long past the age at which they might be thought to be most efficient. But they are able to earn more than their youthful colleagues.

Old waiters are not as a rule so capable, however, as younger men, mainly because they are likely to be bad tempered.

German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land forces.

On the Russian side it is calculated that the active field army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns.

On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 men and 780 guns.

PUSH CART TRUST FORMED.

Vehicles in New York City Are Loaned to Peddlers and a Handsome Profit Is Derived.

Officials of New York city have discovered the existence of one of the most interesting of trusts—a combination among holders of push cart licenses over on the east side of Manhattan, which controls, it is believed, almost exclusively the push cart trade and is extorting unreasonable rates from peddlers for the use of its carts. One of the heads of departments under Mayor McClellan has been investigating the process by which the combination manages to control the push cart trade and the matter has been brought to the attention of the mayor. The investigation is being continued and before long some interesting disclosures in connection with the operations of the push cart trust are expected.

It is not known whether or not there is any combination of the kind controlling the push cart trade in Brooklyn, because the city official who has had the matter under investigation has confined himself altogether to the east side of that borough. Inasmuch as the push cart business done in Brooklyn is small compared with that in Manhattan, however, it is not believed that the same condition of affairs exists in Brooklyn.

According to the city official who has had the matter under investigation there appears to be a padrone system on the east side which has managed somehow to obtain licenses for push carts at two and four dollars a year. Instead of using the push carts themselves those behind the system let them out to peddlers at the rate of 15 cents a day. On this basis one push cart alone would bring in a profit of over $50 a year, and as the number of carts controlled by the syndicate is large it can readily be seen that the push cart trust derives a handsome profit from its scheme.

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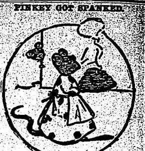
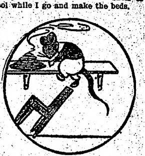
THEDFORD'S BLACK DRAUGHT

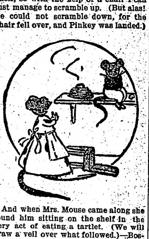
PINKEY GOT SPANKED.



Mrs. Mouse—Now, I'll just put these best jam-tarts onto the larder shelf to cool while I go and make the beds.



Pinkey—Pip-pip! Ma's safely upstairs, and those tarts are safely on the shelf, so with the help of a chair I can just manage to scramble up. (But alas! he could not scramble down, for the chair fell over, and Pinkey was landed.)



And when Mrs. Mouse came along she found him sitting on the shelf in the very act of eating a tartlet. (We will draw a veil over what followed.)—Boston Globe.

ENGLAND'S DEATH WARRANT

Not Always Carried Into Effect, But Serves as a Deterrent of Crime.

The present agitation in England to abolish the pronouncing of the death sentence in cases where it is patent that capital punishment will not follow will probably meet with the approval of most people who desire that the law should lose nothing of its dignity, and at the same time have nothing of unnecessary horror added, says St. James' Gazette. The lord chancellor pleads for the retention of the form, saying that the passing of the death sentence will act as a deterrent. James I. juggled with death sentences in this manner, and got himself rather badly disliked for it. Over the plot in which Raleigh, Cobham, Grey and others were implicated, he had the less puissant ones put to death and "very bloodily handled." Cobham's brother was beheaded "like a gentleman." The bishop of Chichester, with the blood of the latter still upon him, went then to Lord Cobham. Him the bishop exhorted to confession. Other prelates were similarly engaged with Sir Walter Raleigh and Lord Grey. Meantime Markham, another of the conspirators, had been placed upon the scaffold and was about to bow his head to the ax, when the sheriff was called away by a Scotch hireling, and the prisoner left to contemplate the ax for an hour. Then he was led away and told to prepare for death at the end of a further two hours. Grey's turn was next. He prayed half an hour before the block, then raised himself to die—and was led away, the king sending word that the order of execution had been changed. So forth came Cobham, and, having made his last declaration, prepared to take farewell of the world, when the sheriff stayed the execution, and brought forth Markham and Grey, all three thinking that the other two had been executed. They were told, after having suffered the agony of all but death itself, that their lives would be spared. Raleigh's experience was similar. That was how they used to make death sentences act as "a deterrent" in the good old days. There would be danger for those who tried a repetition to-day.

She and Shakespeare.

Herbert Spencer tells this story of a woman of his acquaintance: Vain as well as vulgar, she professed to have a high admiration of Shakespeare, and was partial to reading his plays aloud, and considered that she declaimed the speeches extremely well. On one occasion, after enlarging upon her reverence for him, she ended by saying: "Ah, I often wish that he were alive, and that I had him here. How we would enjoy one another's conversation."

Uncle Joe's Strenuous Ruse.

A submarine torpedo boat off Newport remained below for 12 hours at a stretch. There is a suspicion, remarks the New York Telegram, that "Uncle Joe" Cannon was aboard, dodging the vice presidential nomination.

No Refuge Left.

The Russians are certainly having a rush of very bad luck, remarks the Brooklyn Eagle. Their timber rights along the Yalu have now been annulled by the Korean government—and just at the time, too, when they have most need to taking to the tall timber.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Proceedings of the Regular Meeting, January 5, 1905.

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the city hall, January 5, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, President.

Roll called: Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, bills were allowed as follows:

John Deforge, street work	9 90
Sam Allard, tending to fire engine	3 00
A. L. Riechert, stationery	2 35
Fred Borchers, committee work	30 00
N. P. Express Co., express	85
Red Lake Courier, city printing	43 10
O'Brien Bros., hardware acct	73 34
Frank E. Hunt, hardware acct	80 70
Paul Prouex, street work	4 50
O. Lacoursiere, street work	3 00
I. Lemieux, street work	4 50
John Drier, service as fire warden	19 50
A. P. Toupin, Justice fees	10 85
Chatel Bros., cord wood	2 25
Ernest Buse, rent	6 00
Joseph Lachance, rent	14 00

The bill of Red Lake Falls Electric Light Company was ordered returned for correction.

The amendment to the original ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, the right and franchise to lay, maintain and operate railway tracks over and across certain streets and alleys in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, was on motion duly adopted; and said ordinance, as amended, passed its second reading.

The following resolution was offered by Hennemuth, which was seconded by Crompe:

Resolved, That the petition of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, asking the City Council to proceed towards vacating the following streets and alleys in the city of Red Lake Falls, to-wit:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne & Dows addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clear Water river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line o the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's addition to said Clear Water river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) of said Champagne & Dow's addition easterly of the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne & Dow's addition.

All that part of Saint John Annex extending from the southerly line of First street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of St. John Avenue to said Clear Water river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne & Dow's addition and block four (4) of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow Avenue.

All that part of Dow Avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city.

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow Avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All of the alley in block seven (7) in Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All that part of Gieriet Avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of Sibley Avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street was filed of record with the City Clerk, and ordered that the Council meet at the city hall of said city of Red Lake Falls, on the 16th day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., to hear and consider said petition, and that the City Clerk cause notice of the filing of said petition and the said time and place of hearing be published in the official paper of the city for four weeks at least once each week, the first publication to be January 19th, 1905.

Upon roll call the following Aldermen voted aye:

Hennemuth, Crompe, Hatten, Brady and Borchers.

Noys, none.

whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, Pres.

Approved this 11th day of January, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

Go To Sunny California

Far from the chills of wintry blasts. Boating, bathing and outdoor pleasures may be enjoyed during the winter months in California. Through tourist cars via the North-Western Line from Minneapolis and St. Paul on two days of each week make the journey comfortable and at a minimum of expense. For rates, literature on California or any information desired write T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn.

ROBINSON & CO.,
General Merchandise.

Agents for Red Lake Falls Milling Co's
MASCOT FLOUR.
PLUMMER, MINN.

ST. HILAIRE.

[From the Spectator.]

Dr. N. N. Watson, the well known politician, was a caller here yesterday.

The St. Hilaire hotel and bar was opened last Monday by K. R. Killand.

Dr. J. E. Argue, of Red Lake Falls was here several days the first of the week.

R. H. Duntley came back on Monday from Fertile where he has visiting relatives.

Frank Jeffers, the newly elected register of deed, was here from Red Lake Falls last Saturday calling on friends.

A crew of men started at work the first of the week putting the planing mill in order. It is the intention of the lumber company to start the planer at work about the 20th of this month. A large number of orders are on hand and it will be busy all winter.

Sheriff Dan Linnihan in company with Andrew Erickson, P. E. Dainsrd, Andrew Letvig and Chas. Krohn went out to Wyandotte yesterday to evict Mrs. Hanum from a piece of land which had been under dispute.

The county printing was awarded last Tuesday to the Red Lake Falls COURIER at the lowest rate ever made in Red Lake county. The tax list, commissioners' proceedings and financial statement will be published in the Thief River News and Press and in the Spectator.

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in Pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. C. S. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Stone Wanted.

The undersigned will contract for stone to be delivered during winter at mill. Red Lake Falls Milling Co. tf

An Apt Description.

An old colored man who addressed a temperance meeting at Welden, N. C. says: When I see a man going home wid a gallon of whisky and a half pound of meat, dat's temp'rance lecture nuff for me and I see it ebery day, I knows dat eberthing in his house is on the same scale—gallon of misery to every half pound of comfort.

Greatly in Demand.

Nothing is more in demand than a medicine which meets modern requirements for a blood and system cleanser, such as Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are just what you need to cure stomach and liver troubles. Try them. At all druggists, 25c., guaranteed.

The Catholic Order of Foresters elected officers as follows at the meeting last Friday evening: Chief ranger, A. P. Toupin; vice ranger, Eus Normandeau; past ranger, L. A. Kaufer; recording secretary, J. R. Fortier: financial secretary, J. P. Harren; treasurer, Oliver Caron; senior conductor, T. A. Crompe; junior conductor, John Alstadt; medical examiner, Dr. I Lemieux; trustees, Theo. LaBissoniere, T. A. Crompe and A. Robillard; inside sentry, I. Bsril. outside sentry, John Schmitz spiritual directors, Revs. Father Fayolle and Ansgar.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

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During the past fiscal year the famous North-Western Line carried 22,731,023 passengers. Standing shoulder to shouder this would make a line of humanity more than one-third the distance around the world. This is evidencee of the spendid service on this famous road.

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Carpets and Rugs

We have an unusually large and up to date line of HOUSE FURNISHINGS. Many articles especially suited for Christmas presents. Our assortment of

Rockers and Couches

was never more complete, and affords an extensive variety from which to select. The most handsome and useful Holiday gifts.

MUSIC BOXES, $11.50, now $8.50;
MUSIC BOXES, $10.50, now $7.50.

Now is the time to take advantage of these bargains. We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Anderson & Healy

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FAST TRAIN TO WINNIPEG.

Northern Pacific to Compete With Soo and Great Northern.

It is rumored in railroad circles that the Northern Pacific railway will shortly put on a "flyer" between St. Paul and Winnipeg. If such a train is put on it will make the time between Winnipeg Junction and Pembina in five hours and twenty minutes, equal to a sustained speed of forty miles an hour including stops. This is supposed to be a much faster speed than possible on the Great Northern or Soo roads on account of the superiority of the Northern Pacific roadbed and rails. The train will be similar in style and conveniences to the "North Coast Limited" which runs to Portland.

Agent Mizen when seen regarding the matter stated he had received no official confirmation of the report that the new equipment is to be added. The matter has been under discussion among railroad men for some time, however, and the installation of the new train would not be a surprise to the employers along the line. The new time of five hours and twenty minutes would be considerable faster than that now made by the Great Northern and Soo over the same stretch of territory, and the conveniences at the north terminal for transfer to the C. P. R. are a considerable factor in the matter.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure no pay. 35cents, Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

Calumet Baking Powder

A wonderful powder of rare merit and unrivaled strength.

Surety Bonds for County Officers.

The suggestion of Public Examiner Johnson that county officers be required to furnish surety bonds, at the expense of the county, is one that should meet general approval. A bond given by any of the well-known companies is absolutely good, in the first instance and in the second the man under such a bond knows that if he goes wrong he will be prosecuted. Surety bonds aid as a moral tonic, and if there is a defalcation the loss is made good without trouble or expense. Personal bonds may be good today and in six months absolutely worthless. The experience of the state, where money was deposited in banks that later went into the hands of receivers, shows the folly of accepting personal bonds. It is also something of a hardship on the officials and an imposition on their friends to give an individual bond of many thousand dollars. The county officers are entitled to every cent they receive by way of salary, and the expense of bonds to protect the taxpayers is one that should be shared by all the property owners. It is in a way insurance against loss, just as county buildings are insured, and there is no more reason why the county officers should be required to stand the expense of one more than the other.—St. Cloud Journal Press.

January Bargains.

The Big Store offers the following "snaps" during this week:

25 per cent. off on clothing;
Best prints, 5c.
12½c and 15c waistings, 8c;
Thread, 4c;
Silkolein, 3½c;
Tomatoes, 9c;
Oat meal, 30 pounds for $1.00;
Good soap, 40 bars for $1.00;
Good rice, 25 pounds for $1.00;
Egg-o-see, 8c;
Syrup, per gallon, 33c;
Eagle smoking, 12c;

These prices will make dull January a lively month.—THEO. LABISSONIERE.

DAIRYMEN TO MEET.

Annual Meeting of Red River Valley Dairymen's Association.

Joel G. Winkjer, of St. Hilaire, secretary of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association, announces that the annual convention will be held at Crookston, Friday, Feb. 3.

An interesting and instructive program has been arranged, and timely subjects will be discussed by men of authority on these matters. The meeting is an important one and all who are interested in the dairy and its improvement should make an effort to attend.

Following is the program:

MORNING.

A. J. McGuire—First Steps towords Successful Dairying.
L. Thompson—Grading of Cream.
A. H. Gerber—Buttermaker's relation to patron.
Blunt—Care of the Hand Separator and Cream.

AFTERNOON.

E. K. Slater—Patron's relation to the Creamery
T. L. Haecker—Care of the cow.
J. A. Wilson—Present condition of dairying in the Red River Valley.
Dr. V. Pleth—Tubercolosis in cattle and its relation to man.
Vrooman—Cheese Making in the Valley.
State Dairyman—Special purpose cow.

EVENING.

Music.
Col, Wilkinson—Progressive agriculture.
Prof. J. H. Worst—Agricultural education.
Prof. F. S. Haecker—Future dairying in Northern Minnesota.
State Dairyman—Feed for the dairy cow.

There will be a business meeting Saturday when several interesting subjects will be discussed.

The Reward of Industry.

When we read the message of Governor Johnson, concluding with that splendid exhortation and pledge to a high standard of official service, and when you enjoyed the admirable style in which it was expressed, did you recall the fact that the man who wrote it was once the little chap who quit school in St. Peter at the age of 11 years to help his mother support the family of younger brothers and sister? When you are looking for a good example of a self-made man, where the job has been done, you need not go further than the statehouse in St. Paul.—Minneapolis Journal.

Notice of Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examination for Red Lake County will be held at Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire in accordance with the following program:

THURSDAY, FEB. 2ND.
(First grade studies)
A. M.—8:30 Enrollment.
9:00 Physics.
10:30 Algebra.
P. M.—1:30 Geometry.
2:45 Civics
4:00 Physical geography or general history.

FRIDAY, FEB. 3RD.
(Second grade studies.)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional test.
9:30 Spelling.
P. M.—1:30 Geography.
3:00 Reading.
4:30 Composition and penmanship.

SATURDAY, FEB. 4TH.
(Second grade studies continued)
A. M.—8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English grammar.
11:15 Music.
P. M.—1:30 Physiology-hygience.
2:45 Drawing.

Teachers, please notice that the examination begins at 8:00 a. m. Feb. 3rd and 4th.

H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

Rural Delivery and Better Roads.

The extension of the rural free delivery service is proving to be the greatest inducement to the building of better roads for it has been found not only expensive but nearly impossible to deliver the mails over some of our country roads. The automobile, the bicycle and now the United States mails have all come at an opportune time for the good roads people, just as golden grain belt beer has been perfected just when we need it the most. It is the great opponent of fatigue and over exertion, bringing rest and quiet to those who use it regularly in their homes. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson Crookston.

And Her Name Was Rose.

"One of Bill Nye's old stories has been going the rounds of late," said a man who admired the late humorist, "and it is, in my judgement, one of the cleverest bits of wit circulated in connection with Nye's life. Nye owned a cow which he wanted to sell, and put an advertisement in a newspaper, which read like this:

"Owing to ill health, I will sell at my residence, in township 19, range 18, according to the government survey thereof, one plush raspberry cow, aged eight years. She is of undoubted courage and gives milk frequently. To a man who does not fear death in any form she would be a great boon. She is very much attached to her present home with a stay chain, but she will be sold to anyone who will agree to treat her right. She is one-fourth Shorthorn and three-fourths hyena. I will also throw in a double-barrel shotgun, which goes with her. In May she usually goes away for a week or two and returns with a tall red calf on wobby legs. Her name is Rose. I would rather sell her to a non-resident."—Ex.

Pointed Paragraphs.

There is no one so hopeless as those who do not make mistakes.

No man can do anything against the grain. Woman can do it, but man can't.

A great deal of the friendship others have for you is like the come-any-time invitation.

A man can get sick now almost as easy as he can sin, and you all know how easy that is.

If a man can get into a bank after banking hours he considers himself a prominent citizen.

There is something fine in the bravery of a new father who carries a baby through the streets in his arms.

The first thing a girl does to a man after they are married is to get out his middle name, dust it off and use it as common as his first name.—Atchison Globe.

For a Non-Political Tariff.

It is manifest that the Republican party must soon make some move in the direction of more reasonable tariff schedules if not to be convicted of self-stultification. It could do much to promote popular confidence just now by establishing a non-political tariff commission with instructions to go into the tariff question as a problem in pure economies and to deal with it practically and scientifically. This the party seems unlikely to do. Many of its leaders are disposed to let matters drift as they are. If they are to continue in this attitude, with what grace do they expect to be able to repeat their shibboleth about letting the tariff be revised "by its friends" when again they seek the favor of the voters?—Chicago News.

Where Corn is King.

One hundred ears of corn selling at over $1 an ear is the record of the Iowa seed corn school at Ames, Iowa. The ears which commanded so fancy prices were the winners in the corn contest. They were bought by experts who wanted to use them for seed.

The craze for improved corn and improved methods of handling it in cultivation has become remarkable. The railroads all over Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and South Dakota have been running special "seed corn" trains all winter, carrying expert lecturers who "tail-end" the country districts and lecture farmer audiences on how to select the best corn, how to test it, plant it and cultivate it. Farmers crowd to the country towns and listen by thousands to the advice. Last years corn crop in Iowa, as a result of such a campaign, showed an increase of about 20 per cent, and the whole West, led by the railroads, is taking up the movement. The roads run free trains, and the corn experts give their time.

Persons Who Bark.

If you are coughing your head off, have visions of asthma, try Gloria Lung Balsam. Made of honey, wild cherry and other healing balsam. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiner.

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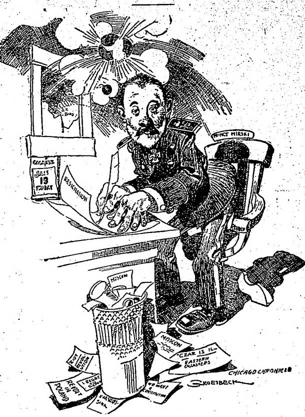

FACING DISGRACE HE CHOOSES DEATH

INDIANA LODGE OFFICIAL UNABLE TO ADJUST SHORTAGE IN HIS ACCOUNTS.

Kills Man Who Persisted in Uncovering His Irregularities, and Then Takes His Own Life—Tragedy Occurs in Barber Shop.

Veedersburg, Ind., Jan. 16.—John Brant, of the Veedersburg News, and Charles Eckburg, a barber, were found dead Sunday afternoon in a barber shop where they had gone to balance the books of the odd fellows' lodge, in which both held official positions. At a late hour they had not appeared and citizens began an investigation which resulted in their finding Brant in a barber's chair, shot through the head, and Eckburg lying on another chair, shot through the temple. A revolver was found in a cuspidore near Eckburg's body. On Eckburg's body were found three letters. One was addressed to the public and was dated January 1. In it Eckburg declared his intention of killing himself because of his financial troubles. He admitted that he could not adjust the shortage. The second letter was written to Harry Wertz, the dead man's best frend. In it he said that he had determined to take his life, and that he would "take Brant with him." To Wertz he admitted his troubles and asked Wertz to settle up his affairs and do the best he could for his family. The third letter was addressed to his wife and was not made public. The coroner's verdict charges that Eckburg shot and killed Brant and later killed himself. Eckburg was financial secretary of the local odd fellows' lodge for several years. About January 1 an auditing committee, composed of Brant, John Labaw and Charles Pugh, was appointed to audit the books, and in this Brant took the initiative. He has since been persistent in trying to discover the alleged irregularities.

FAMILY PERISHES.

Man, His Wife, Two Children and Servant Lose Their Lives in Burning Home.

New York, Jan. 16.—William T. Mason, a lawyer, and his family, consisting of wife and two children, Ellen, four years old, and Marion, six months, with a servant, Annie Wells, lost their lives in a fire which partially destroyed the brown stone dwelling occupied by them at No. 133 West One Hundred and Thirtieth street early Sunday morning. Although neighbors say they heard cries of "murder" and "burglars" the police found nothing to indicate that the fire was not accidental. The whole family appears to have been suffocated. The bodies of the father and youngest child were untouched by the flames, and those of the others were probably burned after they had died. A policeman and a neighbor who heard the cries attempted to get into the house by breaking windows of the parlor floor, but were driven back by the smoke. The firemen were unable to enter until after the lower part of the house and the halls had been burned out. The charred bodies of Mrs. Mason, the servant and four-year-old child were found in a closet under the roof scuttle, through which they are supposed to have been attempting to escape. The bodies of Mr. Mason and the younger child were in a bedroom.

Stolen Jewels Unearthed

New York, Jan. 13.—Detectives, after eight months' search, found jewels valued at $30,000 stolen from the wife of Bishop Potter. The gems were found in a vacant lot in this city, hidden beneath a rock, and William Coleman, well-known to the police, was arrested as the thief.

IN CONGRESS.

A Brief Resume of Proceedings in the Senate and House of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 12.—An amendment to the army appropriation bill providing that retired officers above the grade of major should not receive the full pay of their grade when assigned to duty with the militia of the several states brought on a discussion in the house Wednesday of the appointment of Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles as inspector general of the state of Massachusetts. Several members declared that the amendment was directed especially at Gen. Miles, but Mr. Hull, who introduced it, insisted that he had no such thought in mind. The amendment was adopted.

The attention of the senate was divided between the statehood question and governmental regulation of railroads. All amendments to the statehood bill, except that relating to liquor traffic in Indian territory, were agreed to.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was on Thursday read at length in the senate, and there was considerable discussion of the civil service question and the provision for an investigation of foreign trade conditions by the department of commerce. The bill for the encouragement of the mercant marine was reported.

The house of representatives devoted its entire session to discussion of the impeachment charges against Judge Charles Swayne, of the Northern district of Florida.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Upon convening Friday the house of representatives nonconcurred in the senate amendments to the Philippine government bill, and sent the bill to conference. Further consideration was given to the impeachment charges against Judge Charles Swayne.

The senate passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, and also a number of private pension bills.

Washington, Jan. 16.—In the senate Saturday there was some discussion of a bill permitting American women who have married foreigners to retain citizenship in the United States, but it did not reach a vote. Among other bills passed was one protecting the great seal of the United States against counterfeiting.

Pension legislation at the rate of passage of 459 bills in 108 minutes was indulged in by the house, the result being the smashing of all previous records of the house as to legislative nimbleness.

OUTLOOK IS BRIGHT.

Weekly Review Shows Trade Conditions Continue to Be Quite Satisfactory.

New York, Jan. 14.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: "Erratic weather produces irregularity in retail distribution of merchandise at many points, and southern business is quiet because of the depression in cotton, but the general outlook is considered very bright. Manufacturers report that confidence is warranted by the number of new orders, while deliveries on old contracts are of satisfactory volume. The best news comes from the iron and steel industry, while footwear factories are busy, woolen mills in exceptionally good condition and activity is assured among cotton spinners as soon as the raw material market becomes settled.

Failures this week numbered 324 in the United States, against 324 last year, and 28 in Canada, compared with 24 a year ago.

Feud Causes Three Deaths.

Whitesburg, Ky., Jan. 16.—At Holman, this county, the feud factions, led respectively by W. Roarck and Henry Holcomb, met, and those two and Joseph Holcomb were killed and Buford Roarck probably mortally wounded. The trouble originated in the murder of one of the Roarcks years ago, the Holcombs being suspected. The two factions have been armed and ready for a meeting for several weeks.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: There is considerable pain in having other people very happy.

A girl has an idea everybody would rave over her beauty if her hair had more curl to it.

In a flirtation a woman is never in earnest till the man thinks it is time for it to be over.

When a woman takes somebody into her love affairs it is a sign she hasn't any.

A man always has a lot more income ahead when he is trying to borrow than the man he wants to lend to him.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Brain Leaks.

A wife's religion is not a husband's passport.

Men who wait for reforms never lead processions.

Stygian contractors are never short on paving material.

We wish we were young enough to wish we were older.

Good ideas and envy do not sprout from the same soil.

Scandal's tongue will wither when ears are turned away.

The older a man gets the better he could skate when a boy.

The man who is afaird of falling never climbs very high.

The man who hunts for trouble never has to follow a long trail.

Too many people blame heredity for their personal acquisitions.

The best way to solve the labor problem is to do your whole duty.

It is a golden rule that works both ways with satisfactory results.

When a man is starving it is a poor time to talk to him about his soul.

The work done tomorrow does not pay the grocery bills of yesterday.

The cloak of religion is transparent when used by a sinner as a disguise.

The dollar you give does more good than the millions you wish you could give.

Some men who would not steal a pocketbook do not hesitate to steal a state.

A great many things prejudicial to the people are done in the name of party harmony.

Those who boast much of their ancestry are not keeping up the average of posterity.

There are Christians who think they have done their full duty when they pay the preacher.

The man who does his whole duty has precious little time to criticise the work others are doing.

We have our doubts about the Christianity that has to get into a man's heart through a bullethole.

Billiard players put chalk on the cue to keep it from slipping. Some men need chalk on their consciences.

A great many people have a habit of expressing surprise at the exposure of corruption that they were cognizant of all the time.

Some men drop a dime in the contribution box on Sunday and imagine they have bought enough Christianity to last them the rest of the week.

The greatest system renovator. Restores vitality, regulates the kidneys, liver and stomach. If Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea fails to cure get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichert.

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—That's what a prominent druggist said of Scott's Emulsion a short time ago. As a rule we don't use or refer to testimonials in addressing the public, but the above remark and similar expressions are made so often in connection with Scott's Emulsion that they are worthy of occasional note. From infancy to old age Scott's Emulsion offers a reliable means of remedying improper and weak development, restoring lost flesh and vitality, and repairing waste. The action of Scott's Emulsion is no more of a secret than the composition of the Emulsion itself. What it does it does through nourishment—the kind of nourishment that cannot be obtained in ordinary food. No system is too weak or delicate to retain Scott's Emulsion and gather good from it.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is atleast one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strenght by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo O.

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Traveling nowadays is a pleasure. We loll back in fortable seats of luxuriously appointed, cars, resplendent in mahogany, mirrors and dainty furnishings; dine from a menu the acme of culinary art and receive every attention from courteous attendants;—Buffet Cars with comforts of the Club, Cosy Compartment Cars, which the ladies especially appreciate and the finest of Pullman Sleeping Cars are all to be found on the famous North-Western Limited—every night—Minneapolts and St. Paul to Chicago.

School tablets of all kinds at the Courier stationery store.

Settlers's Rates to Points in the Southeast.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, January to April inclusive, the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell one way tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia at very low rates. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass,
I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,
I'd leave my wife with and cross the sea,
Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

Notice of Abatement.

WHEREAS, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a plat showing in green color the streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of said streets, alleys and public grounds upon the grounds that The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company is the owner of all the property abutting on the parts of said streets, alleys and public grounds to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated for the construction of railway tracks thereover and thereon;

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at a regular meeting thereof, to be held in the city hall of said City of Red Lake Falls, on the 16th day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appear and be heard.

The streets, alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line of the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's addition to said Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) of said Champagne & Dow's addition easterly of the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne & Dow's addition.

All that part of Saint John Avenue extending from the southerly line of First street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of St. John Avenue to said Clearwater river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne & Dow's addition and block four (4) of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow Avenue.

All that part of Dow Avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city.

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow Avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All of the alley in block seven (7) in Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All that part of Gieriet Avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of of Sibley avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street

Dated at the office of the City Clerk January 16th 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN
j19f9 City Clerk.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls, and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on February 3d 1905, and terminating on February 2d 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

A. M. ROBILLARD.

in that certain frame building situated on lot 21 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 2nd day of February A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 16th day of February A. D. 1905.

j18 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12. 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d29-f9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

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And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m, of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit:

The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
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COMMISSIONERS IN SESSION

Proceedings of the County Board at the regular January Session.

(Continued from last week.)

Jan. 6, 1905, Board reconvened at 9 a. m. with all members present.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Demann was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, That the chairman of this board of county commissioners, the County Auditor and the County Attorney be and are hereby designated to be and act as a purchasing and auditing committee for the purpose of purchasing all stationery, blanks, blank books and supplies of whatsoever kind necessary for the county offices and jail during the year 1905, and that no bills for any such supplies shall be allowed by this Board unless the same are ordered or purchased by said committee.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Shaw and adopted by unanimous vote:

Whereas, the recently ceded Red Lake Indian Reservation lying and being within Red Lake county, Minnesota, the same being unorganized, is not attached to any Commissioner District in said county,

Now, therefore be it resolved, That all that portion of the said Red Lake Indian Reservation lying and being within the county of Red Lake aforesaid, and lying north of the Red Lake river, be and the same is hereby attached to Commissioner District No. 4 in said county, and that all that part of said territory lying and being within said Red Lake county and lying south of Red Lake river, be and the same is hereby attached to Commissioner District No. 3 in said county.

The financial statement of the county for the year 1904, as prepared by County Auditor Ford, was examined, and on motion same was approved and ordered published.

It was moved and carried that the premium, amounting to $387.50, on the surety bond of the County Treasurer be paid by Red Lake county.

The following proposition was submitted by Ernest Buse for consideration by the Board:

"Ernest Buse offers to sell and convey, or cause to be conveyed, unto the county of Red Lake, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 of block 3 in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, with all buildings thereon, by good and sufficient warranty deed, subject to two mortgages upon said property, one of $1,000 and one of $600, interest on both paid to date, for the sum of $2,370.00 to be paid to him, he also assigning all insurance and paying all taxes."

ERNEST BUSE.

After due consideration of the foregoing proposal by the Board, Commissioner Demann offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, A demand has been made by Mr. Ernest Buse, owner of lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, of block 3 of Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, for increased rent for the use and occupation of the above described premises as a court house for Red Lake county, Minnesota, and

Whereas, Said Ernest Buse has made an offer of sale to this Board of the above described premises to the said county for the sum of $2,370.00, subject to one mortgage of $1,000 and one other mortgage of $600.00, and to furnish a good and sufficient warranty deed for same, and

Whereas, After due consideration, this Board is of the opinion that said increased charge of rent is unreasonable and exorbitant.

Therefore be it resolved, That said offer of said Ernest Buse, be and the same is hereby accepted, and that the sum of $2,370.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the funds available for such purposes, and that a warrant be drawn by the County Auditor and Chairman of this Board for the said amount to be paid to said Ernest Buse on presentation by him of a good and sufficient warranty deed of said premises and an abstract of title of said premises, showing good and sufficient title thereto, but subject to the said mortgages; and the County Auditor and Chairman of this Board are hereby authorized to sign and execute forthwith with the said Ernest Buse a contract for deed on said premises, said deed to be delivered on January 26th, 1905, and that said offer is accepted and said appropriation is made and directed to be paid to the said Ernest Buse, only on condition that he deliver to the said Board of County Commissioners a warranty deed as aforesaid, and an abstract of title showing good, valid and marketable title, and that the County Attorney, County Auditor and the Chairman of this Board of County Commissioners be and are hereby appointed as a committee to pass upon the title to said premises.

The motion to adopt the foregoing resolution was seconded by Commissioner Falardeau and declared adopted upon the following vote:

Aye, Commissioners Sutor, Demann and Falardeau.

No, Commissioners Shaw and Johnson.

Resolution declared adopted.

Motion made by Commissioner Sutor and seconded by Commissioner Demann, that the bill of Ernest Buse in the sum of $2,370.00, being the purchase price to be paid said Ernest Buse for lots 9, 10, 11 and 12 in block 3 of Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls and the buildings thereon, the same to be used for court house purposes for the county of Red Lake, Minnesota, be allowed in full and a warrant be drawn by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners and the County Auditor for the amount, provided that said Ernest Buse fulfills his part of the contract made with him for the purchase of said premises.

Commissioners Falardeau, Sutor and Demann voted aye.

Commissioners Shaw and Johnson voted no.

Chairman declared the motion carried.

On motion duly carried, bills were allowed as follows:

Red Lake Falls Gazette, official notices..	$ 52 30
Red Lake Falls Gazette, ditch notice.....	5 40
Red Lake Falls Gazette, primary and general election ballots..........	135 00
Red Lake Falls Gazette, Commissioners proceedings..........	81 00
Red Lake Falls Gazette, proceedings Co. Board of Equalization..........	28 80
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., lights and fixtures Sept., Oct., Nov. and Dec., 1904..........	53 45
Olaf Larson, procuring primary election ballots, Numedal..........	2 60
O. T. Romsos, procuring general election tickets, Polk Center..........	2 60
A. J. Hemstad, procuring general election tickets, Emardville..........	3 20
J. L. Cossette, procuring general election tickets, Terrebonne..........	3 20
H. E. Gusa, procuring general election tickets, North..........	1 30
K. O. Gigstad, procuring general election tickets, St. Hilaire..........	3 40
P. Engelstad, procuring general election tickets, Rocksbury..........	2 00
Geo. Walker, procuring general election tickets, Gervais..........	1 80
Olaf Larson, procuring general election tickets, Numedal..........	2 60
Moses Ducharme, procuring primary and general election ballots, Lake Pleasant.	4 00
P. A. Ekstrom, procuring general election ballots, Black River..........	4 00
A. S. Anderson, procuring general election ballots, River Falls..........	3 80
A. D. Berry, procuring general election ballots, Louisville..........	2 60
Ildaige Baril, procuring primary and general election ballots, Red Lake Falls...	3 00
Arthur Laniel, procuring general election ballots, Poplar River..........	1 20
Louis Doucet, procuring general election ballots, Lambert..........	1 00
Ernest J. Akerlund, procuring general election ballots, Bray..........	1 10
G. J. Nordhagen, procuring general election ballots, Norden..........	2 40
Nels K. Anderson, procuring general election ballots, Sanders..........	3 00
A. P. Toupin, procuring general election ballots, city of Red Lake Falls..........	2 40
Wm. Olson, carrying primary election returns, Numedal..........	1 93
Mathias Waldorf, carrying primary election returns, Lake Pleasant..........	2 00
David Hougen, carrying primary election returns, Wyandotte..........	1 75
Phillip Gibeau, carrying gen elec returns, Lambert..........	1 20
Chas. Seeger, carrying general election returns, Gervais..........	1 80
A. L. Reichert, carrying general election returns, city of Red Lake Falls, 3d ward	1 20
Chas. E. Bouehton, carrying general election returns, city Red Lake Falls, 2d w	1 20
Louis Parenteau, carrying general election returns, Terrebonne..........	3 20
T. J. Thorkelson, carrying general election returns, Vill of St. Hilaire..........	3 40
H. E. Gusa, carrying general election returns, North..........	1 30
C. P. Swanson, carrying general election returns, Bray..........	3 16
Chas. Gustafson, carrying general election returns, Rocksbury..........	1 70
Napoleon Delorme, carrying general election returns, Lake Pleasant..........	2 00
L. C. Erickson, carrying general election returns, Equality..........	4 00
Hans J. Pederson, carrying general election returns, Emardville..........	3 40
Chas. Zutz, carrying general election returns, Polk Center..........	2 80
Iver A. Rolstad, carrying general election returns, Wyandotte..........	2 90
A. D. Berry, carrying general election returns, Louisville..........	2 60
Thos. Dougherty, carrying general election returns, Black River..........	2 40
Halvor Johnson, carrying general election returns, Numedal..........	2 19
Rasmus Mortenson, carrying general election returns, Norden..........	1 60
Wm. Hebert, carrying general election returns, Poplar River..........	1 20
Herman Ortloff, carrying general election returns, Sanders..........	4 00
N. A. Nelson, carrying general election returns, River Falls..........	3 80
E. K. Gjernes, carrying general election returns, Garnes..........	11 76
Joseph Tschithart, carrying general election returns, First Ward R. L. Falls....	11 20
Jacob Ove, carrying general election returns, First Ward Thief River Falls....	11 20
H. L. Dudley, carrying general election returns, 2d Ward Thief River Falls....	11 20
John Fuller, carrying general election returns, 3d Ward Thief River Fulls.......	11 20
A. P. Toupin, member Co. Canv Bd, 3 dys	9 20
Jas. E. Ford, do..........	9 20
S. L. Lewis, do..........	9 20
Wm. C. L. Demann, do..........	10 40
A. P. Toupin, mem. Leg. Canv Bd 1 day.	3 20
Wm. C. L. Demann, do..........	4 40
S. L. Lewis, do..........	3 20
James E. Ford, do..........	3 20
D. Linnihan, long distance telephone call	4 80
James E. Ford, do..........	2 65
James E. Ford, postage and express company, Co. Auditor's office..........	15 91
K. M. Hansen, postage Co. Treas. office..	12 00
F. A. Grady, long distance telephone call.	2 55
Red Lake Tel. Exch., use of phones Oct. Nov. and Dec., 1904..........	15 00
Frank Schirrich, service as fire warden, Polk Center..........	1 50
C. P. Swanson, do Bray..........	20 10
Chas. Englund, do Bray..........	1 50
Emil Larson, do Bray..........	1 50
C. A. Nelson, do Bray..........	3 00
W. F. Shumacher, do Bray..........	1 50
Axel Kron, do Bray..........	1 50
A. E. Anderson, do Bray..........	1 30
Arthur Lindblom, do Bray..........	1 50
Halvor Hanson, do Bray..........	1 50
Ernest J. Akerlund, do Bray..........	1 50
Peter Lindblom, do Bray..........	1 50
Henry Lindblom, do Bray..........	4 00
C. P. Swanson, do Bray..........	5 00
Swan Scholin, do Bray..........	1 50
Ed Crown, do Bray..........	3 00
Jno. O. Swanson, do Wyandotte..........	5 00
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for Co. officers..........	45 25
Geo. D. Barnard & Co., blanks and books for Clerk of Court..........	21 00
Geo. D. Barnard & Co., blanks and books for County Auditor..........	26 50
Free Press Ptg. Co., blanks and books for Treas. and Probate Judge..........	52 22
McGill-Warner Co., blanks and supplies for Supt. Schools..........	34 75
Miller-Davis Ptg. Co., blanks and supplies for Co. officers..........	44 24
Crookston Times, 6,000 Treas. tax receipt	54 00
C. F. Greenwood, office supplies..........	3 60
A. L. Reichert, office supplies..........	36 90
Pioneer Press Co., Treas. warrant register	12 00
John E. King, stationery and general election ballots..........	122 95
Anderson & Healy, supplies for Co. jail..	14 75
Robert Ford, 24¾ cords of wood..........	61 87
Theo. LaBissoniere, kerosene..........	1 30
" " clothing for prisoners..........	2 18
Garceau & Zaiser, supplies for Co. jail...	18 28
O'Brien Bros., hdw for court house and jail..........	3 50
Wm. C. L. Demann, services on Board of Audit 1 day..........	3 00
James E. Ford, do..........	3 00
Joseph Perrault, do..........	3 00
" " misc fees of Clk Dis Crt.	70 05
" " copy of findings in appeal case of ditch No. 21..........	75
S. L. Lewis, Justice fees, State vs L. C. Connor..........	75
Wilfred Chatel, 15 cords wood..........	52 50
J. A. McPeak, janitor work during Teachars' Training School..........	22 50
James Brady, repairing Co. Jail..........	2 20
Joseph Hebert, hall rent for Coroner's inquest..........	3 00
John C. Matthews, sawing wood for jail..	1 50
W. A. Riechel, photos of prisoner..........	1 25
John Grady, premium on Fidelity Bond of Co. Treas..........	387 50
Ernest Buse, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 3, Champagne & Dow's Add. to Red Lake Falls..........	2370 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, services on County Purchasing Com..........	4 40
Louis Falardeau, services on poor com...	6 40
Wm. C. L. Demann, services on Bridge Committee..........	20 00
James Sutor, committee work and attending reg. Jan meeting of Bd. 4 days 20 m	27 00
O. J. Johnson, carrying ballots for Wyandotte, general election..........	2 00
Daniel Shaw, attending reg. Jan. meeting of Co. Board, 4 days, 40 miles..........	16 00
O. J. Johnson, do 4 days, 40 miles..........	16 00
Louis Falardeau, do 4 days 48 miles..........	16 80
Wm C. L. Demann, do 4 days 14 miles...	13 40
H. Grundy, Coroner's fees inquest, John Danielson..........	19 00
H. Grundy, do Chris Martinson..........	6 30
H. Grundy, do Peter Swanson..........	5 00
O. H. Peters, Justice fees, State vs Louis Pigeon..........	4 95
A. P. Toupin, Justice fees, State vs Rock Lefaive..........	13 75
Sebey Champagne, witness fees, State vs. Rock Lefaive..........	3 40
Leon Champagne, do..........	3 40
Florjan Tougas, do..........	3 16
Thomas Boisvert, do..........	3 40
M. Champagne, do..........	3 40
Henry Champagne, do..........	3 40
Sam Bushea, do..........	3 16
Joseph Champagne, do..........	3 40
D. Linnehan, board of prisoners..........	134 52
" summoning petit jurors....	76 70
" summoning grand jurors...	49 60
" meals for petit jurors..........	17 50
" Sheriff's fees, state cases....	137 25
" do..........	4 50
George Jarman, Deputy Sheriff's fees, State cases..........	279 19
A. D. Letvig, Deputy Sheriff fees..........	7 70
Joseph Smith, Sheriff's fees, State vs. Jeager..........	3 50
L. A. Thomas, Sheriff's fees, State vs. Jas McIntyre..........	5 80
J. R. Shaver, Sheriff's fees, State vs. Aug. Riechel..........	4 50
Wm. R. Addison, Sheriff's fees, State vs. Louis Grimm..........	2 00
Chris Hall, constable fees, State vs. Louis Pigeon..........	14 55
S. M. Sivertson, witness fees State vs Nelson..........	1 12
Jacob Pahlen, do..........	2 24
H. C. Hanson, do..........	1 12
G. G. Kindseth, do..........	2 24
E. W. Brouillet, do..........	1 12
Dr. I. Lemieux, do..........	1 12
Wm. C. L. Demann, witness fees appeal case School District No. 23..........	1 00
Wm. Albrecht, do..........	1 00
J. J. Haeberle, do..........	1 96
H. O. Wiken, witness fees appeal case Ditch No. 21..........	5 40
Ingebret Wiken, witness fees appeal case Ditch No. 21..........	5 40
Emil Larson, witness fees appeal case Ditch No. 21..........	4 92
John F. Magnuson, witness fees appeal case Ditch No. 21..........	4 92
Jacob Amundson, material for bridge across ditch No. 21..........	30 00
Otto Zaiser, witness fees appeal case ditch No. 21..........	3 12
Geo. A. Ralph, services as engineer county ditches..........	184 74
George Tupper, Med. attendance on Wm. Gilles, non resident pauper..........	3 00
A. Sinvik, board of pauper..........	18 00
Bethany Hospital, board and care non resident paupers..........	43 15
Dr. Geo. Tupper, medical attendance on non resident paupers..........	35 00

On motion the following bills were referred back for correction:

Geo. Jarman, Sheriff's fees..........	11 70
Pioneer Press Co., blanks..........	10 00
W. A. Schreiter, medicine..........	5 30
A. F. Anderson, extra work Gervais ditch No. 1..........	129 34

The following bill was on motion rejected:

W. O. Braggans, stenographic paper..........	1 94

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die.

O. J. JOHNSON,
(Seal) Chairman Board of County Commissioners.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

A Grim Tragedy

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PLANTS HAVE HYSTERIA.

Certain Species Have Nerves That Are as Sensitive as Those of Human Beings.

Science claims to have discovered that plants have nerves, and that some species are irritable and nervous to a marked degree. The peculiar phenomena are not new, for the poets have sung of the sensitive plant's plaintive actions when played upon by the rough wind and of the mimosa's fright when crushed or broken by some strange foot; but these were supposed to be merely figures of speech, and no one believed that the song makers had such insight as to discover that plant organisms were gifted with nerve centers and brain cells. Science has worked out the fact, however, says the New York Times, that the poets were nearer the truth than we gave them credit for, and that certain species of our common woodland growths possess nerves that can be played upon by the east wind as readily as those which afflict mankind. The sensitive plant leads all others in this respect. But what we considered innate modesty at being handled is nothing more than irritable nerves. The genus Mimosa comprises about 200 species, and most of these exhibit peculiarly irritable natures if touched or handled in the wrong way. The Mimosa pudica, the botanical name for the sensitive plant, is so highly organized that it is kept in a state of neurasthenia most of the time. A puff of wind, the tramping of heavy feet near it, or the rude touch of the hand, will cause this plant to go off into nervous hysterics. The exciting noise or commotion strikes the nerves of the plant and causes it to close up or droop its leaves. Hundreds of sensitive plants have been diagnosed in the modern biological laboratories, and the observers of the plants have traced the nerve centers to their foundation.

In some of the plants the ends of the nerves have been located. Thus if Mimosa pudica is touched with ever so fine a point at the base of a pinna or along its axis, the most remote pair of leaves will shiver and begin to close. Finally, when all the leaves have closed, the pinna which has been touched will droop. The shock has been so great that the whole nervous system has been temporarily disarranged. However, like all nervous, irritable people, there is a point beyond which fright reacts and a control of the system begins to manifest itself. If the sensitive plant is shaken for some time it gets over its attack of neurasthenia and some of the leaves will begin to open again.

The most sensitive place of the plant is at the base of the secondary leaf stalks, where an immense number of nervous corpuscles or delicate tissues are located.

WHEN PEACE COMES IN ASIA

Neither Russia Nor Japan May Be Allowed to Dictate What Terms Shall Be.

"There is little doubt that the present struggle, if other nations do not interfere, will be a bitter one," says Gen. Francis Vinton Greene in the war number of the World's Work, "but should Russia gain a really decisive victory, as she did over Turkey in 1878, she would seek to make Japan a mere Russian province, filled with splendid harbors and forming a magnificent outpost for the coast of the orient. Should Japan gain such a victory over Russia, she would wish to drive Russia entirely away from the Pacific coast, establish herself on the mainland and put herself at the head of the far eastern races.

"Neither will be allowed to do what it wishes. Wars are not ended in that way in these days, but in such a way as the great nations think proper. In her last war Russia had Turkey at her mercy, but she was obliged to tear up the treaty she had made at San Stefano and to submit to such terms as the noncombatant nations saw fit to allow at Berlin. And in her last war Japan inflicted a signal defeat upon China and dictated the terms of peace in the treaty of Shimonoseki, which was ratified on May 8, 1895. But only two days later, at the dictation of Russia, Germany and France, the Japanese emperor signed a document in which he renounced and gave up the chief advantages he had gained by that treaty. Similarly now, it is quite certain that Japan will not become a Russian province, nor will there be any 'yellow peril' under the leadership of Japan, for, no matter which side wins, the treaty of peace will be made, not by the two combatants, but by a congress of all the great powers, including ourselves—so far have unforeseen events carried us away from the traditions of Washington. The terms of that treaty will be such as the great nations think best for the interests of the whole world, and not alone of the two nations who carried on the war."

ORIGIN OF NUMERAL SYSTEM

Paper Read Before Philological Society Comments on Forerunners of Present Method.

In a paper read before the Philological society of the University of Michigan, recently, Prof. George Hempl commented upon the forerunners of our present system of numeration. Some two years ago, in seeking the origin of the Runic letters (the first letters used by the Germanic races), Prof. Hempl discovered the primitive Germanic numeral notations. This threw new light upon the early Germanic numerical system, as well as upon the primitive Indo-European numerical system, and upon the development of the Greek alphabet and the Greek numerical notation. The primitive Indo-European numerical system was a mixture of the decimal and the sexagesimal. The first large number was the "shock," that is, 60, and the next large number was the "hund," or "hundred," that is, 120. Between 60 and 120 there were no numbers like our 70, etc., 70 being "a shock and 10," and 80 being "a shock and 20." The introduction of our present numbers between 60 and 120 arose out of the introduction of the decimal hund or hundred, that is, 100, in distinction from which the old hundred (120) was called the duodecimal hundred, or the "great hundred," which is still used in Iceland and parts of England.

BOSTON GOT ITS BEANS.

Absence of Favorite Dish Once Threatened City, But Striking Bakers Took Pity.

It has never been successfully disputed, says the Boston Watchman, that Bostonians are extremely addicted to baked beans (with their orthodox and inseparable companion, brown bread) and to pie. But no one has hitherto settled which of the two held the higher place, or, in other words, which is more necessary to the maintenance of truly Boston life at the proper point of culture and coldness. The decision of this delicate and difficult yet delightfully interesting question, which has successfully defied in the past both the literary skill and intellectual powers of the city, has been left for solution to the exigencies of the modern industrial problem. In the recent strike of 1,400 bakers Boston was compelled to go pie hungry for days. But when Saturday night approached and the dreadful possibility appeared of Boston being compelled to face a Sunday morning without baked beans, the hearts and consciences of the bakers were stirred, and they made a special and extraordinary effort to supply the city with its habitual Sunday morning breakfast, while no such emotion was elicited by the sufferings incident to the lack of pie.

PENNSYLVANIA'S BIG TREE.

Largest Chestnut in Keystone State Is More Than Two Hundred and Twenty Years Old.

On the farm of Irwin H. Schantz, who lives near Spinnerstown, Bucks county, Pa., stands a mammoth chestnut tree, one that eclipses all the rest of the giant chestnut trees in the Keystone state. Two feet above the ground the circumference of the trunk of this tree measures exactly 36 feet. The tree's height is 60 feet, and ten feet from the ground are two branches, one to the left and the other to the right, and the circumference of the former is eight feet, the latter nine feet two inches. Ten feet above the ground its great branches extend, one of them six feet four inches in circumference, each of the others a few inches less. Its boughs spread nearly 60 feet.

The age of the tree, says the Philadelphia Record, is known to be at least 221 years, from tales told by ancestors of the proprietors of the property on which the tree stands. No one ever thought of cutting this giant down, except in 1876, at the time of the Centennial in Philadelphia, when the exposition commission offered the proprietors $100 for an unbroken section of the trunk one foot from the ground. What saved the mammoth from destruction was the fact that no saw long enough to cut it could be procured.

With luxuriant foliage like that of a young tree, the monster chestnut still bears abundant crops.

Four Hundred Babies.

St. Vincent's Infant Asylum, Chicago, shelters homeless waifs awaiting adoption, and there are nearly 400 babies there. Sister Julia writes: "I cannot say too much in praise of Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it, as it is a safe remedy and certain in results Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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Wheeling, W. V., May 28, 1903.

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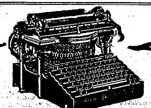

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THE Windom Reporter remarks that it is hard on a man to have to be able to support an automobile as well as a woman before he can get married.

W. C. WHITEMAN, the affable Ortonville editor, seems to have the call on the presidency of the Minnesota editorial association at the meeting in St. Paul next month.

THE Duluth News-Tribune observes: "Speaker Clague has tasted the bitterness of success. His committee appointments have failed to make a unanimous hit. It was ever thus."

How generous! The Thief River people really figured on allowing us to keep the court house for three or four years had the commissioners been good and not bought property in Red Lake Falls.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT seems to be developing some radical convictions which were not mentioned in the convention platforms. As long as they are on the side of the people there will be no objection.

THE new state capitol is being severely criticized by the newspapers of the state. However, there seems to be no difficulty on the part of Governor Johnson in finding people willing to live in it for a couple of years.

SENATOR GEORGE SOMERVILLE is making a new record as a criminal lawyer in defending Dr. Koch, charged with murder at New Ulm. Whether the Doctor is declared innocent or guilty, he can be assured that his lawyer left no stone unturned that would aid in his defense.

JIM MARTIN's arduous political efforts have been rewarded by his appointment as postmaster of St. Cloud. Well, Jim worked hard enough for the place, and we trust he will remember that a postmaster is not supposed to be offensively partisan.

SENATOR MOSES E. CLAPP was reelected Tuesday by the Minnesota legislature for the term of six years commencing March 4 next. There were only 13 votes against Mr. Clapp. Twelve of these were cast by the Democrats for Hon. Robert A. Smith, mayor of St. Paul, and one by Representative Ware of Northfield for Frank Clague, speaker of the house. Seven Democrats voted for Senator Clapp.

GEORGE W. PETERSON, of Long Prairie, has gone to Washington, where it is his mission to deliver to the president of the United States Senate, the vote of the Minnesota presidential electors. The electors met at St. Paul last week, formally cast the vote of the state for Theodore Roosevelt, and selected Mr. Peterson to carry the vote to the national capital. He is entitled to three dollars a day and fifteen cents a mile for the trip, which will mean a total remuneration of approximately $450.

DR. H. M. BRACKEN, in his annual report as secretary of the state board of health, gives a chapter on leprosy in which the following paragraph occurs: "It has been the general belief that there were no American-born lepers in the northwestern states, where the population is made up largely of Scandinavians and their descendants, but this statement can no longer be maintained, for now I have knowledge of three American-born, who contracted leprosy in Minnesota."

LAST week the Thief River newspapers come out in double-column broadsides announces the opening of a county-seat war. This week they will draw in their horns. There will be no county-seat war. Thief River Falls doesn't want one, and to all intents and purposes the seat of county government is irrevocably fixed at Red Lake Falls for all time and then some. The newspapers of the up-river city were a little hasty. If they had consulted the proper persons they would have known last week that there would be no contest.

THERE is a great deal of criticism of the Horton capitol commission bill, which passed the senate Monday evening. This bill gives entire control of the now capitol to a commission, and a $3.000 official is to be the general overseer of the work. Heretofore the capitol has been in charge of a custodian appointed by the governor, and it is the general feeling that the Republican legislature is attempting to take out of Governor Johnson's hands the appointment of the cutodians and workmen necessary to employ in taking care of the building. The fact that the life of the commission is to be but two years looks on the face to be a direct slap at the Democratic governor.

A NATION'S TRUE GLORY.

At this time, when many people seem disposed to measure a nation's greatness by the size of its army and its navy, and its future by its wealth, it will not be out of place to recall the words of Bishop Whipple, which present a higher national ideal. The words are worth remembering, Bishop Whipple says:

"The true glory of a nation is an intelligent, honest, industrious Christian people. The civilization of a people depends on their individual characters; and the constitution which is not the outgrowth of this character is not worth the parchment on which it is written. You look in vain in the past for a single instance where the people have preserved their liberties after their individual character was lost. It is not in the magnificence of its palaces, not in the beautiful creations of art lavished on its public edifices, not in costly libraries and galleries of pictures, not in the number or wealth of its cities, that we find a nation's glory. The ruler may gather around him the treasurer of the world, amid a brutalized people; the senate chamber may retain its faultless proportions long after the voice of patriotism is hushed within its walls, the monumental marble may commemorate a glory which has forever departed. Art and letters may bring no lessons to a people whose heart is dead. The true glory of a nation is the living temple of a loyal, industrious, upright people. The busy click of machinery, the merry ring of the anvil, the lowing of the peaceful herds, and the song of the harvesthome, are sweeter music than the paeans of departed glory, or the songs of triumph in war. The wineclad cottage of the hillside, the cabin of the woodsman, and the rural home of the farmer are the true citadels of any country. There is a dignity in honest toil which belongs not to the display of wealth or the luxury of fashion. The man who drives the plow, or swings his axe in the the forest, or with cunning fingers plies the tools of his craft, is as truly the servant of his country as the statesman in the senate, or the soldier in battle. The safely of a nation depends not alone on the wisdom of the statesman, or the bravery of its generals. The tongue of the statesman never saved a nation tottering to its fall; the sword of a warrior never stayed its destruction. Would you see the image of true national glory, I would show you villages where the crown and glory of the people are in common schools, where the voice of prayer goes heavenward, where the people have that most priceless gift, faith in God."

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"This is to certify that I was laid up with Sciatic Rheumatism 16 months, being unable during that time to perform any labor and had paid out $490 to physicians without benefit. Being advised by a friend to try Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure I did so and 4 bottles cured me. Since then I have recommended it to hundreds suffering with kidney troubles and the result has been a cure in every case. O. S. SPRAY, Bloomington, Ill."

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ST. VITUS' DANCE. "We have sold many dozens of Dr. Fenner's St. Vitus Dance Specific and every case has been cured by it. It is a blessing. ALLEN-CLARK DRUG CO., Akron, O."

Sold by A. L. REICHERT, Red Lake Falls.

Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

If all the teachers in the county were to be asked, "what do you consider the hardest subject you have to teach?" I doubt not that most of them would say at once, Language.

Should this be so; yes and no. If they try to make a separate subject of it and try to spend as much time on it as a special subject, then they may well say "yes," for handled that way it is the hardest subject in the curriculum to interest a pupil in. But if it is used as a medium by which all other subjects are handled, as instrument for expressing ones thots about his lessons, then it may be called the easiest subject to teach.

What is Language? By Language in our schools of course we mean English Language. It is simply the instrument that the English people use to express their thots to one another. Using correct Language simply means using that instrument correctly or as the best writers and speakers use it. The laws of our language are not a set of arbitrary laws created by a few men, telling us how to use that instrument, but they are a set of laws carefully compiled telling us how the majority of those best fitted to know actually have used this instrument.

How then is the best way to teach our children to use that Language correctly? A careful study of the question will convince us that we must proceed along two lines. It must be treated; first, as a science and then; as an art. The science will teach the child how others use it, and the art will lead them to put into practice what they have been taught.

When can they be taught how others use Language to better advantage in the lower grades than in connection with the reading lesson? Did you ever stop to think how carefully our lower grade readers are thot out, and how well fitted they are to use as examples of correct Language?

"But," I hear some of you say, "how shall I use them to teach the correct use of Language?" Simply by teaching them how the author used the different words, phrases, and clauses. No, I would not teach the technical terms, noun, verb, phrase and clause, etc., etc.,

But I would have them all become familiar with words, use in the sentence, and lead them to know with conscious knowledge, the many different that authors use words for. To illustrate: Take the following page from one of our first readers.

The ducks like the rain.

They cannot fly like larks, but they can swim.

The little ducks are as yellow as buttercups.

They like to swim in the brook.

The old duck swims with them sometimes. Sometimes she waits for them on the land.

To carry this work out successfully requires much thot and study on the part of the teacher, much tact, and a large knowledge of the mental status of the pupil.

It would hardly do to ask a first reader pupil at the outset what the author used the word "the" for in the first sentence or the word like in the second sentence. But should you ask what he used the word ducks for, and should you rightly direct your question you would soon get the answer, the author used the word ducks to name the things that like the rain.

What did the author use the word like for in the first sentence? The author used the word like to tell what the ducks did; what did he use the word rain for? The author used the word rain to name the thing the ducks like; what did the author use the word "they" for in second sentence? The author used the word they instead of ducks. Now just a few answers I should expect to get. The author used the word little to tell how big the ducks were. He used the word young to tell how old the ducks were or are. He used the word yellow to show what color the ducks were or are. He used the words "to swim" to show what the ducks like to do.

The author used the words "in the brook" to show where the ducks like to swim. He used the words "for them" to tell why the old duck waits, or what the old duck waits for.

He used the words "on the land" to tell where the old duck waits for them. He used the word "sometimes" to show when she waits for them. He used the word "waits" to show what the old duck does.

Surely when your children have gone thro the whole list of uses of words in this simple way they know much of the science of Language altho they know on tichnical term. And is not every answer teaching them the art of using correct language? But none of the art in the future.

Teachers, try this combining of Language with your Reading and see if you do not find better results and less worry.

THE St. Paul Dispatch says the members of the legislature with "customary complacency with railway passes in their wallets, on which they rode cost free from their domiciles to St. Paul, went down to the state treaurer's office and drew the mileage whose sole purpose is to reimburse them for their expenditure for railway transportation." And the Albert Lea Standard adds that yet they but followed a practice which has prevailed since ever there has been a railroad in the state. It is nevertheless pernicious, an imposition on the railroads, a graft at the expense of the taxpayers, and it ought to be abolished by law. Gov. Lind recommended the passage of an act to stop it, and now Governor Johnson has repeated the evident need of the reform. It next remains to be seen whether the legislature has a sufficient sense of public duty and civic decency to abolish the corrupting and demoralizing "habit."

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate person. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Railroad Construction.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: The year just closed proved to be a distinctly poor one in the matter of railway building, as every one expected it would be as a result of business conditions during the first half of the year. According to the Railway Age only 4,168 miles were added to the railway mileage of the country against 5,786 miles in 1903 and 5,684 miles in 1902. Not since 1898, when only 3,083 miles were built, has there been less activity.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. Henry St. George, of Elm Grove, Wis., thought that he was permanently crippled. Sciatica rheumatism had such an iron grip on him that he thought that he would never be able to walk again, but through the aid of Gloria Tonic he was completely cured after high priced Doctors failed. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Sickening Shivering Fits

of Ague and Malaria, can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to Quinine, having none of this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munday, of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At all druggists, price 50c, guaranteed.

"Flinch," "Somerset, and all the new card games at THE COURIER stationery store.

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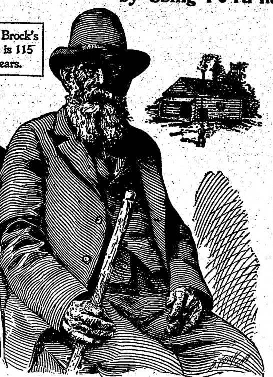
THE OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters by Using Pe-ru-na.

Mr. Brock's Age is 115 Years.



MR. ISAAC BROCK, BORN IN BUNCOMBE CO., N. C., MARCH 1, 1788.

His age is 115 years, vouched for by authentic record. He says: "I attribute my extreme old age to the use of Peruna."

Born before the United States was formed.
Saw 22 Presidents elected.
Pe-ru-na has protected him from all sudden changes.
Veteran of four wars.
Shod a horse when 99 years old.
Always conquered the grip with Peruna.
Witness in a land suit at the age of 110 years.
Believes Peruna the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for 115 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

A short time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 115 years ago.

Surely a few words from this remarkable old gentleman, who has had 115 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable. A lengthy biographical sketch is given of this remarkable old man in the Waco Times-Herald, December 4, 1898. A still more pretentious biography of this, the oldest living man, illustrated with a double column portrait, was given the readers of the Dallas Morning News, dated December 11, 1898, and also the Chicago-Times Herald of same date. This centenarian is an ardent friend of Peruna, having used it many years.

In speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says:

"After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so.

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper thing for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 115 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States.

"I have always been a very healthy man, but of course subject to the little affections which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature. During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds and diarrhœa.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy.

"It exactly meets all my requirements. It protects me from the evil effects of sudden changes; it keeps me in good appetite; it gives me strength; it keeps my blood in good circulation. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine.

"When epidemics of la grippe first began to make their appearance in this country I was a sufferer from this disease.

"I had several long sieges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for la grippe and found it to be just the thing."

In a later letter dated January 31, 1903, Mr. Brock writes:

"I am well and feeling as well as I have for years. The only thing that bothers me is my sight. If I could see better I could walk all over the farm and it would do me good. I would not be without Peruna."

Yours truly,

Isaac Brock,

For a free book on catarrh, address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

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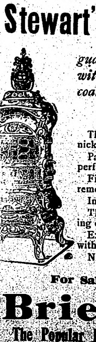

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Men's clothing at 33⅓ off at the Big Store.

Many of those good resolutions are already in need of repair.

See "Seth" outwit the old Squire at the opera house January 27.

K. O. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller at the county seat Monday.

Be indifferent to those who hate you. Its only their way of enjoying themselves.

Geo. Browe, of Plummer, was a Red Lake Falls visitor one day the first of the week.

Peter Hansel, Wylie's hustling blacksmith, was a county seat business visitor last Saturday.

"Em" is general manager of the laughing machine in the "Heart of a Hero" at the opera house January 27.

Did you ever try to find out the secret of the miraculous growth of Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn?

Dr. F. F. Fletcher was at Plummer and Brooks the first of the week. He may decide to make regular visits to these new towns.

A dancing party was held by the Grange last evening at Kaus hall. A large crowd was present and a good time is reported.

Alex Thompson, of Crookston, was a business visitor at this place one day last week. This office acknowledges a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Garceau left Monday for Montevideo, Minn., where they will visit for ten days or so with friends and relatives.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. Kindseth Saturday afternoon, January 21st. All are cordially invited.

Rev. Father Fayolle and Paul Berthon started Sunday on their trip to the Sunny South. The gentlemen go to Chicago thence south over the Illinois Central Ry.

The report of the Merchants State Bank is printed in this issue in conformity with the recent call of the public examiner. It shows a healthy condition a substantial growth in business.

After this week people in need of J. R. Watkins' remedies may call at the home of William Zaiser in Red Lake Falls. I will call on my customers in the country soon.—Theo. Zaiser.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

Directors:
A. P. TOUPIN, PRESIDENT, THEO. LABISSONIERE, VICE-PRESIDENT; J. A. DUFFY, CASHIER; P. F. POULIOT, ASST. CASHIER.

Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

Messrs. James Brady and Joe Tschirhart were at Plummer Tuesday.

Theres many a time when an ounce of silence is worth a ton of talk.

W. A. McIntyre was a business visitor to St. Paul the fore part of the week.

County Treasurer Hansen spent Sunday with his family at Thief River Falls.

A small dancing party enjoyed themselves at the K. of P. hall last Saturday evening.

J. R. Pouliot went down to Granite Falls last week, at which place he is working for Bangs & Co.

Messrs. Higinbotham and Gaass, of this place, transacted business at Plummer Tuesday of this week.

Sheriff Linnihan returned this morning from a visit with his parents and other relatives in Waseca county.

"The Heart of a Hero" by the Spartans, for the benefit of the school library at the opera house January 27.

One of Billy Krueger's bus horses died last Saturday. Billy promptly went out in the country and secured another one.

James Powers, of Crookston, spent several days at this place the past week in the interest of the Singer Sewing Machine Co.

If you want a short course (usually 3 mos.) in bookkeeping the Crookston College will give you the same, including books, for $25. tf

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice: Bena Shun, A. S. Fitch, Ernie Howard, Anthony Raiche–2, J. Tyson and Wm. Schumaker.

Deputy Sheriff Geo. Jarman, of Thief River Falls, has been at this place most of the time the past week attending to official duties during Sheriff Linnihan's absence.

E. L. Slater, the new state dairy and food commissioner, has announced assignments for his staff. J. G. Winkjer, of St. Hilaire, is to be one of the creamery and dairy inspectors.

Archbishop Ireland has been in the east and says every where he was asked questions in regard to the New Ulm murder, and he says the case is attracting attention the country over.

The Knights of Pythias gave a very enjoyable card party last Friday evening at their lodge rooms in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson. Those present report a most enjoyable time.

An Auditor of the Soo Ry. while in Thief River Falls recently said that a $30,000 or $40,000 hotel was a possibility at that place the coming year. He says the project will be backed by his road.

Hon. Ole Peterson, of Brighton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Erickson several days last week. Mr. Peterson is a member of the legislature and is serving his second term as representative from Nicollet county.

While blasting on the Great Northern right-of-way yesterday a large chunk of frozen earth was thrown through a window in A. L. Reichert's residence. Fortunately the velocity of the projectile had been spent and no damage was done save the breaking of a couple of window panes

Seven candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the Modern Brotherhood of America Monday evening. This lodge is growing rapidly, and gives promise of soon being the largest lodge in Red Lake county.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Johnson returned to their home at Park River, N. D., Monday, after a week's visit here with relatives and friends. The couple have hosts of friends at this place who will always be glad to welcome them.

Patrick King, an old settler of Red Lake county, died Monday morning at his home in St. Hilaire at the advanced age of 85, of senility. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from St. Mary's church in Red Lake Falls.

Some colleges offer a life scholar ship and a situation at the end of that time. Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., guarantees a good paying position in from three to four months or you pay nothing for your tuition.

James Cunningham, a young man who was employed here on the steam shovel, was taken sick last week and confined to his room at Paul's hotel. He has been on the mend this week and expects to leave tomorrow for his home at Marion, Ohio.

One of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s teams indulged in a runaway Monday morning, and barely missed being struck by the Great Northern morning passenger train. However they got over the track safely, and no serious damage was done.

"Queen quality" reigns only as a shoe for particular women—for women who wish that certain gracefulness in walking which can only be attained by a perfect-fitting shoe. Prices very moderate—$3 and $3.50. For sale by Garceau & Zaiser.

There will be four eclipses during the year 1905. A partial eclipse of the moon will occur on February 19–20 but it will not be visible in this country. The annual eclipse will occur on August 14–15 and will be visible throughout the Western hemisphere.

Parents should be careful that their children's feet do not become flat-footed or deformed by wearing poorly-made shoes. "Red School House" shoes are made correctly. School bags free with every pair of shoes sold.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon, January 25, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Boughton. A ten cent lunch will be served from 4 to 6 p. m. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to everybody.

Representative Simons of Red Lake Falls was treated very liberally by Speaker Clague in the matter of committee assignments. He is chairman of the committee on banks and banking, one of the most important in the house, and besides has five or six minor assignments.

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If you want to make **Bread** that is **Bread**

Yeast Foam is the yeast that took the First Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition. Sold by all grocers at 5 cts. a package—enough for 40 loaves. Send a postal card for our new illustrated book "Good Bread: How to Make It."

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CHICAGO, ILL.

Attorney Grady went to St. Paul the fore part of the week to argue the Kratka-Richardson mayoralty case before the supreme court. It seems that Mr. Kratka will get little glory or salary out of the position even though he should win, as the term of office will expire with the current year.

A basket supper will be served by the Modern Woodmen of America at their hall next Monday evening, January 23. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to everybody, whether or not they are members of the lodge. A good time is assured, and it is hoped that a large crowd will be present.

Naniel Breeneau brought an action against Emory Dion in Justice Toupin's court last Saturday, claiming money due for drilling a well. The case was continued until Wednesday, Jan. 25. Atty. Grady appeared for the plaintiff while the defendant's interests were looked after by County Attorney Germo.

Miss Rosanna Grenier, the eleven-year-old daughter of Frank Grenier, died yesterday after a short illness with rheumatism of the heart. The funeral will be held tomorrow from St. Mary's church. Miss Rosanna was an unusually bright and attractive child, and the family has the sympathy of all in their great affliction.

A man in Indiana in returning home from hunting the other day found his neighbor just leaving the house, and being of a jealous nature, drew his gun and filled the man's legs with fine shot. A law suit followed and it was learned that the man was there to borrow the local paper. The law suit cost $75 and the doctor bill was $25 and $1 would have saved the trouble.

The business outlook over the country is much brighter than it has appeared for two or three years past, the city merchants especially apparently realizing and giving forth information leading to this conclusion. The condition of the soil for crops is much improved and farmers feel much encouraged over the prospects for a good crop. They expect it and deserve it.

When County Treasurer Hansen returned from Thief River Falls Monday morning wearing a smile from here to yonder we were a little nervous, thinking perhaps the town to the north of us had sneaked off with the court house while we were asleep Sunday morning. Karl soon relieved our mind by telling us the cause of his smile was the arrival of a bouncing baby girl at his home last Thursday.

Thief River News: County superintendant of schools McAnulty was in the city last week giving a number of settlers on the eleven towns pointers as to how to form new school districts. The organizing of these new districts will envolve a great deal of work and the county superintendent has shown a disposition to aid the settlers in every way possible. A number of new school districts will be organized at the next meeting of the board of county commissioners.

Thief River Review: The annual meeting of the National Bank was held last Tuesday afternoon in the director's room. There was no change made in the board of directors and old official were all re-elected. O. T. Tandberg, the retiring county treasurer, was elected as assistant cashier, as was also Mr. Baker. The business for the past year shows a healthy increase in all departments. A satisfactory dividend was declared and a substatial addition made to the surplus fund.

The man who kindles the fire with the catalogues from the department stores, and gives all his trade to his home merchants, is the man who helps to put a better value on his property. The more a town grows and the more business it does, the greater the increase in the value of property—both city and farm. The man who patronizes the city department store in preference to his home merchants, thinking that he might thereby save a few paltry pennies, is detracting from the wealth of his own community.—Adrian Democrat.

A minister's wife, a doctor's and a traveling man's wife met one day recently and were talking about the forgetfulness of their husbands. The minister's wife thought her husband was the most forgetful man living because he would go to church and forget his notes and no one could make out what he was trying to preach about. The doctor's wife thought her husband had a poorer memory still, for he would often start out to see a patient and forget his medicine case, and travel nine to ten miles for nothing. "Well," said the traveling man's wife," my husband beats that. He came home the other day and patted me on the cheek and said, "I believe I have seen you before—what is your name."—Ex.

The Busy Store's Stock-Taking Sale

After taking inventory we find many odds and ends accumulated from the tremedous volume of business done in the economical supply-center during the last four months; we have decided to sell these goods at a deep cut in price.

This Sale is a great money-saving opportunity.

Careful, economical buyers will instantly realize the advantage of these unparalled offerings.

Garceau & Zaiser.

The steam shovel, which has been used by the Great Northern contractors here during the past several months, will be shipped this week to Idaho, where the company has several cuts to make in the mountains. The connection at this point will be finished in about ten day, and it is altogether likely that the trains will run via Tilden after February 1. It is thought the new time-table will be promulgated next week, and the northbound train is expected to reach Red Lake Falls about 9:15 a. m., returning about 6 p. m.

Nels Helland, of Emardville township, will hold a public sale at his farm on Monday, January 30. Mr. Helland is figuring on moving to North Dakota in the spring. He is sadly afflicted, being totally blind. About two years ago Mr. Helland was injured in the back while working in the lumber camps, and the affection gradually spread to the eyes. There is now little hope that he will ever recover his sight. Bills will be printed this week detailing the property to be offered for sale, and doubtless the friends and neighbors of the unfortunate gentleman will attend the sale and offer a fair price for the goods.

"The Heart of a Hero" is the title of a pretty little drama to be presented at the opera house Friday evening, January 27 by the Spartan literary society of the high school. The proceeds will be applied toward buying books for the school library. The drama is especially suited for amateur players, and there is every assurance that it will be well rendered. It sparkles with fun from first to last, and is full of pathetic and exciting situations. It is expected that the orchestra will furnish music, and this in itself will be a drawing card. New athletic specialties are being prepared, and Harry Healy will swing Indian clubs with torches. This is a beautiful sight and well worth your money. The prices of admission will be 15c, 25c and 30c.

Stone Wanted.

The undersigned will contract for stone to be delivered during winter at mill. Red Lake Falls Milling Co. tf

Lent Begins Late.

The season of lent begins unusually late this year as Ash Wednesday comes on March 8. Easter Sunday, which marks the close of lent, will therefore fall on April 23.

Real Estate Transfers.

For weeking ending Saturday, Jan. 14. 1905.

Knut Danielson to C. W. Enderle e½ se¼ and sw¼ se¼ and lot 7, Sec 14-151-41	$2055 00
Mary R. Kivel to Dennis LeSage, lots 30, 31, blk. 9, in Knox's Add. Red Lake Rapids	1 00
E. Beausoleil to B. Snyder, nw¼ Sec. 31-151-43	3700 00
B. Snyder to John Wilson, nw¼ Sec. 31-151-43	4000 00
Arthur A. Miller to R. Lefebyre, ne¼ nw¼ and n½ ne¼ Sec. 20, nw¼ nw¼ Sec. 21-150-72	1000 00
T. DeLorier to A. Godtfried, lot 3, blk 32, Thief River Falls	200 00

Will Learn Better.

Ida Index: Up in Red Lake county the printers agreed to disagree and immediately went to work to see how much they could beat each other out of by cutting the price allowed for the county printing into the smallest proportions ever heard of in Red Lake county. This feat of foolishness will show the "boys" where they are at in the future and "rubitinski" will be relegated to the rear, and business methods used.

Bank Statement.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF MERCHANTS STATE BANK, at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on Jan. 11, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$71,830.22
Overdrafts		1,441.79
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		5,169.74
Other real estate		1,018.63
Due from banks	$16,353.54	
Checks and cash items	280.56	
Exchanges for Clg. house	179.78	
Currency	$2,187.00	
Gold	1,210.00	
Silver	1,400.00	
Fractional	11.88	4,808.88
Total available assets		21,622.16
Total		$101,077.45

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$15,000.00
Surplus fund		3,000.00
Undivided profits, net		3,538.72
Dividends unpaid	$750.00	
Deposits subject to check	34,508.12	
Demand certificates	2,242.46	
Cashier's checks	558.59	
Total immediate liabilities	38,059.17	
Time certificates	41,479.56	
Total deposits	79,538.73	79,538.73
Total		$101,077.45

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, ss:
I, J. A. Duffy, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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HIGH HONOR FOR AN ILLINOIS MAN

CONGRESSMAN WARNER PLACED AT HEAD OF PENSION DEPARTMENT.

Bristow Quits Postal Service to Accept Commission to Make Investigation of Trade Conditions and Freight Rates.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The president Friday appointed Vespasian Warner to be commissioner of pensions. Mr. Warner is now a member of congress from Illinois. Mr. Warner is from the Nineteenth district of Illinois and was reelected last November for the fifth term and was strongly indorsed by the state delegation and by prominent members of the G. A. R. and other organizations of ex-soldiers.

New Position for Bristow.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Joseph L. Bristow, fourth assistant postmaster general, on Friday tendered to the president his resignation as an officer of the postal service to take effect on the 20th instant. By an executive order issued late in the afternoon President Roosevelt designated Mr. Bristow as a special commissioner to make an investigation into the present trade conditions and freight rates between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and between the west coast of South America and the east coast of the United States, and Europe, to determine the best policy of managing the Panama railroad. The announcement came at the conclusion of an extended conference between the president, Secretary Taft, Mr. Bristow and Senator Long, of Kansas. After the conference at the white house, Senator Long said that the transfer of Mr. Bristow from the post office department to work in connection with the proposed isthmian canal had been under consideration for a long time. Mr. Bristow has had interviews with the president and Secretary Taft regarding the matter, but his final determination was not reached until Friday. His decision to accept the special commissionership was hastened, it is understood, by the transfer Thursday of the division of post office inspectors from the bureau of the fourth assistant postmaster general to the direct control of the postmaster general himself. Mr. Bristow regarded the issuance of the order of transfer of the division as a reflection upon him. That the order as to the inspectors' division was not issued with the idea of humiliating Mr. Bristow is evidenced by the president's action on Friday.

WILL QUIT OFFICE.

Premier Combes and His Colleagues in the French Cabinet Decide to Resign.

Paris, Jan. 16.—The ministry of M. Combes, after emerging successfully from its bitter midnight struggle in the chamber of deputies, has decided to abandon the field while some portion of its prestige still remains, and has signified its intention of resigning. Official announcement of the resignations has not yet been made, but M. Combes has definitely stated the intention of himself and his colleagues, and the termination of the ministry after a tempestuous career of three years only awaits the formal submission of the letters of retirement. These have not yet been forwarded to President Loubet because of the death of the latter's mother, which occurred Sunday.

The effect of the change upon the government's policies is not considered to be great. The new ministry will have the same majority as that supporting Premier Combes, and so there cannot be a radical change. This majority has repeatedly upheld M. Combes' project tending toward separation of church and state. It is expected, therefore, that the programme relating to separation will be carried out, although M. Combes' retirement probably will exercise a moderating tendency.

The issue which proved most decisive in hastening the resignations of the ministers was a popular outcry against secret reports on the lives of army officers. The change will undoubtedly insure the abandonment of the last vestige of this system. The enactment of an income tax and other important measures will not be materially affected.

Would Give Taft More Power.

Washington, Jan. 14.—President Roosevelt, in a brief message transmitting to congress the first annual report of the Panama canal commission, together with a letter from Secretary Taft relating to Panama affairs, recommends that he be given greater discretion, as he is charged with the responsibility of constructing the canal. The board of canal commissioners, he says, should be reduced to five or preferably three members, whose duties, powers and salaries should be assumed by the president.

Files Notice of Contest

Denver, Col., Jan. 13.—Notice of former Gov. James H. Peabody's contest against Gov. Alva Adams for the office of governor was filed with the legislature Thursday. The complaint sets forth the allegation that the majority of 9,774 for Adams on the face of the returns as finally canvassed was obtained by means of a conspiracy in Denver and several other counties.

Not Properly Constituted.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 14.—The ecclesiastical court of inquiry called to consider charges against Bishop Talbot, of central Pennsylvania, adjourned sine die Friday afternoon, the members having decided that the body was uncanonically constituted.

THE KOCH TRIAL.

The Defendant Testifies in His Own Behalf and Comes Out Well in the End.

New Ulm, Minn., Jan. 17.—Dr. Geo. R. Koch, whom the state charges with murdering Dr. L. A. Gebhardt, was on the witness stand nearly five hours yesterday, and at the conclusion of his cross-examination by Gen. Childs he returned to his seat near his attorneys. His bearing and his testimony was a source of satisfaction to his friends and a disappointment to some of his accusers.

The accused man proved to be the star witness for the defense, and while his testimony added nothing new in the way of facts, his appearance on the stand and his demeanor under fire of questions were strong points in establishing a conviction that he is innocent.

As a witness for the defense Dr. Koch was a conceded suscess. Carefully he was led over the ground by his lawyer and in testimony told minutely of his movements and whereabouts every moment of the day of the murder. If he did not kill Dr. Gebhardt, Dr. Koch may be portrayed as ordinay young man.

Dr. Koch's testimony was the feature of the day. There was a large crowd in attendance during the afternoon session and the stillness of the court room while the accused told his story was noteworthy.

After Dr. Koch left the stand half a dozen witnesses were put on by the defense.

Miss Ida Koch testified to having marked some of the defendant's handkerchiefs. She was given the bloody handkerchief to inspect and said it was not her brother's.

Prof. Fischer of Madison Wis., assisant professor of chemistry in the state university and state chemist of Wisconsin, testified concerning the poison bottle.

Dr. J. H. Vogel and Mr. Abbot identified an advertising pencil produced in court as the one laid away by Dr. Koch the morning after the murder.

Both the pencil and the box were placed in evidence without objection from the state.

FIRE AT ST. CLOUD.

Lives of 150 Girls in the Normal School were in Great Peril—Many Narrow Escapes.

St. Cloud, Minn., Jan. 16.—A fire at 4:30 Saturday afternoon, believed to have been caused by an overheated chimney in the attic, totally destroyed Lawrence Hall at the St. Cloud state normal school, together with the entire contents, and rendered homeless 150 girls rooming in the building. There were many narrow escapes from death in the panic that followed the announcement of fire. John Duncan, a fireman, leaped twenty-five feet to avoid being buried under a falling wall, and sustained a broken leg and other internal injuries.

When the alarm was sounded, there were four girls sick in their beds. Three were able to dress and and get out, but the fourth, Freda Giles of Verndale, Minn., had to be carried out and later was taken to a hospital in an unconscious condition. The janitor built a rousing fire about 3:30, and at 4:25 fire was discovered in the attic. President Shoemaker thinks it started from a defective flue, though there are stories that some of the girls were making fudge with an alcohol lamp, which tipped over accidentally.

Formal Entry of Japanese.

Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army at Port Arthur, Jan. 17.—The victorious Japanese army Friday formally entered Port Arthur. General Nogi with his staff entered first through the old town, and took his stand in the public square of the new town. The army was represented by one regiment from each brigade. The prosession, which was five miles long, was three hours passing the saluting base.

Nearly Burned to Death.

Minneapolis, Jan. 16.—A fire, probably caused by spontaneous combustion in rags saturated with turpentine, caused a loss of about $5,500 to the shoe store of John A. Sederberg, 1213 Washington avenue S. The building is a three-story brick structure and a dozen families occupy the two upper floors. It was with the greatest difficulty that these persons were awakened and taken safely to the ground.

Murder and Suicide.

Norfolk, Neb., Jan. 17.—Andrew Nelson, aged 20, a farm hand, murdered Miss Carrie Jacobson, 19 years old, and then killed himself, near Neligh, Neb. Nelson blew off the girl's head with a shotgun, and, turning the gun on himself, was instantly killed. Jealousy was the cause.

McKinley Monument.

Canton, O., Jan. 17.—Harold Van Buren Magonigle, architect of the McKinley monument to be erected in Canton, has announced that construction will begin about June 1. The shaft will require about two years for completion.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Jan. 16.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.15; No. 2 northern, $1.10; May, $1.15⅝. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 39c. Rye—No. 2, 71c. Barley—No. 2, 40c. Flax—$1.23. Butter—Creamery, extras, 25@26c; creamery, firsts, 23@24c; dairy, fancy, 21@23c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c. Hay—Uplands, fancy, $8.50.

St. Paul, Jan. 16.

Cattle—Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.50@4.75. Sheep—muttons, $3.00; lambs, $5.00.

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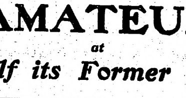

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Disgraceful Orgies Follow Capitulation—Buildings and Shipping Badly Damaged—Formal Entrance Into City Is Made.

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Procession Five Miles Long.

The procession, which was five miles long, was three hours passing the saluting base, after which the troops passed out of the city through the new town. The correspondents then visited the captured city for the first time. The old town buildings were badly smashed by shells, but in the new town the damage was slight. All the shipping in the harbor was badly damaged by shell fire, the warships being practically useless, owing to the injuries they had sustained by shells.

Proposals for the surrender of Port Arthur were first made December 29, at a council of war. Gen. Stoessel was in favor of surrender, but some of his general officers were bitterly opposed to it. The regimental officers and the troops were not consulted. The first news they had of the surrender was January 1, after Gen. Stoessel had communicated with the Japanese.

The scenes following the surrender were disgraceful. Drunken soldiers filled the streets and refused to obey their officers. Many of them destroyed the guns upon the positions they had defended and came into the city without permission. The infantry loudly protested that the fortress had been given away. They threw their rifles and ammunition into the harbor and proceeded to break into warehouses and loot and drink vodka until in a helpless condition.

Surrender Not Necessary.

It was evident that the surrender was not necessary, as there were 31,000 effective men in the fortress. The supply of ammunition was short, but it was not exhausted. Food was scarce, but private stores were not requisitioned by the military. There is no difficulty in getting good meals in the city, even now, from the stores in private possession. A portion of the fortress was capable of defense for months longer. It was the opinion of the noncombatants at Port Arthur that the surrender was unnecessary, as the troops were willing and able to fight to the bitter end. Gen. Stoessel was much blamed for what was characterized as a disgraceful conclusion of a splendid defense, which ended with the death of Maj. Gen. Kondratenko, who was loved by the soldiers, and was the life of the defense.

Ask Kind Treatment for Stoessel.

Tokio, Jan. 17.—Gen. Nogi has written to the governor of Nagasaki the following: "As to the treatment of Gen. Stoessel you will be advised by the proper authorities, but it may not be out of place to point out that Gen. Stoessel is now neither a prisoner of war nor an enemy, but a foreign gentleman, who meritoriously served his country, and, moreover, so honorably performed without unnecessary delay the complicated task of transferring the forts and munitions of Port Arthur that he deserves to be accorded full military honors, and I commend him to your consideration."

Invaded Neutral Territory.

Tokio, Jan. 17. — Later reports from Newchwang indicate that Gen. Mistchenko's Cossacks in their recent raiding southwest of Liaoyang deliberately invaded neutral teritorry and broke the limits of the war zone. The reported Russian note to the powers calling attention to China's nonenforcement of neutrality is regarded here in some quarters is absurd. It is felt that China's weakness and constant failure to enforce neutrality must release Japan from obligation to observe restrictions which Russia openly ignores. While the extension of belligerent territory is to be regretted it is felt that Japan must take steps to protect herself against the repetition of raiding expeditions whose success depends on the violation of neutral territory.

To Jail for Four Years.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 17.—John T. Hoffman, ex-coroner of Wayne county, who was found guilty Saturday of the charge of obtaining money from the state by false pretenses, was Monday sentenced to four years' imprisonment in Jackson prison by Judge Murphy. Hoffman, who was elected sheriff of this county at the November election, collected illegally fees from the state by means of fictitious charges in connection with inquests.

Wisconsin Banker Dead.

Watertown, Wis., Jan. 17.—Col. Daniel Jones, organizer of and identified with many banks in Wisconsin, is dead here, aged 89 years. He was president of the Wisconsin national bank for 40 years, and in early days as head of the railroad board was instrumental in bringing railways into the state.

Iron Workers Strike.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 17.—Twelve thousand men at the Putiloff iron works struck Monday.

INDIA RUBBER.

The Second Voyage of Columbus Gave It Publicity.

The first notice of india rubber dates back 500 years, when Herrera, a Spanish historian, during the second voyage of Columbus, saw that "the natives of Haiti played with balls made of the gum of a tree, which were lighter and bounced better than the wind balls of Castile."

In a record published in Madrid, 1615, we are told: "There is a tree which the Indians call ulequahuiti, very high, with round, ashy gray leaves. It yields a milky substance, thick and gummy, in great abundance, which is collected and allowed to settle in calabashes and afterward softened in hot water or smeared over the body and rubbed off when sufficiently dry."

Even at that early date Spaniards used the juice of the ule tree to waterproof their cloaks.

The first accurate account of these gum elastic or caoutchouc trees was furnished by La Condamine, who was sent in 1735 by the French government to measure an arc of the meridian near Quito.

It was introduced into Europe as a drug about 1730, and some fifty years later was used commercially as rubber for pencil marks and to waterproof clothing.

THE WATER LOTUS.

A Plant That Has the Power of Purifying Standing Water.

There is a plant growing in the southern waters of the United States which possesses the singular property of being able to render the most impure standing water perfectly healthy. The people of Louisiana and Mississippi call it the water lotus.

It consists of leaves about the size of the head of a pin and roots so fine as to escape notice save under a microscopic inspection. Where it grows at all, it covers the water and to the casual observer looks like a coating of green scum. The flowers and seeds are microscopic, so that its appearance in any given locality is not readily accounted for, but wherever it does appear the water beneath is always fit to drink.

So marked is this property that families using the water from bayous where the lotus is abundant are known to have better general health than those taking their drinking water from places where the lotus is not found. It is often transplanted into ponds, bayous and lakes, spreads with wonderful rapidity and never fails to do its work well.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HOMES OF HEALING.

The History of Hospitals Begins With the First Century.

The temple at Epidaurus was founded by Antoninus Pius at the end of the first century A. D. in honor of Æsculapius, Homer's blameless physician. Beyond the sacred inclosure was a building for the reception of the sick and dying, which Strabo describes as a place renowned for the cure of all diseases, always full of invalids and containing votive tablets descriptive of cures.

About 380 A. D. a hospital was founded by Valens and richly endowed by him at Cæsarea, and another at Rome by Fabiola, a wealthy Roman widow, for the reception of the sick poor.

Basil is said by Gregory, the presbyter, to have built a large hospital for lepers with money collected for the purpose. The Hotel Dieu in Paris, founded in the seventh century, and two founded in 1080 by Lanfranc, archbishop of Canterbury, were both connected with monastic establishments. Bartholomew's, 1547, and St. Thomas', 1553, are the oldest hospitals in London and were both originally religious foundations.

Omens In Tea.

When the tea is made and the lid of the teapot is forgotten for a minute or two it is a sure sign that some one will drop in for the meal. Two spoons put by chance into the saucer of a maid or a bachelor denote that he or she will be married within a year. Putting cream into your tea before you sweeten it will bring you love troubles. A tea stalk floating in a girl's teacup is a "beau." She should stir her tea briskly and then hold the spoon upright in the center. If the "beau" be attracted toward the spoon and cling to it a gentleman visitor may be expected some time that evening. If, however, the "beau" goes to the side of the cup the visitor will not come that day.

Messages of War.

Among the natives of Australia notched and carved sticks are used for messages. For instance, a piece of wood carried from one village to another with straight and curved lines cut upon it is a message of war and means: "There is a fight on hand. Fetch your spears and boomerangs."

The North American Indians utilized wampum belts from time immemorial for like purposes. The arrangement of the different colored beads conveyed the signification desired.

Playing Safe.

"Look here, sir! You have been calling on my daughter every night for the past six months!"

"But I can't afford to get married, sir, and if I call on any other girl I'm afraid I might fall in love with her."—Smart Set.

What Did She Mean?

Alice—Yes, I accepted George at once. I knew when he proposed to me he was wholly unselfish. Bertha—Oh, nobody could ever have any doubt about that!—Boston Transcript.

The easiest way to get along with some people is to let them think they are right.—Atchison Globe.

TWO LONG-LIVED WAITERS.

Living Contradiction of a Theory That Is Entertained by Some People.

One of New York's oldest waiters does much to contradict the theory that waiters are short lived, says the Sun.

A recent change in the management of a Broadway hotel has brought him to the Tenderloin, where for the first time he serves the patrons of a cafe. He has passed the greater part of the 30 years that he has worked here in the hotels on upper Fifth avenue.

Twenty-five years ago he was in the old Windsor, and used to look after the Columbia college men who frequented the hotel then. He was known to many classes of students, and his acquaintance made in the other hotels to which he afterward wandered is comprehensive.

There is scarcely an uptown hotel in which he has not been employed, and he was just as gray 20 years ago as he is to-day. He is quite as active now, too, as he ever was, and few younger men are able to get about so spryly as he.

One of the most popular waiters in a cafe on Broadway is the oldest man in the place. He was for many years in Delmonico's, an establishment which parts with its men more rarely than any other. But for some reason he did not get along with Phillippe, and took a place in the new French restaurant when it was opened two years ago.

Many men have come and gone in that time, but Paul finds his services always in demand. His clients wait until one of his tables is vacant in order that they may have his attention and skill in mixing a salad.

Both of these men are long past the age at which they might be thought to be most efficient. But they are able to earn more than their youthful colleagues.

Old waiters are not as a rule so capable, however, as younger men, mainly because they are likely to be bad tempered.

German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land forces.

On the Russian side it is calculated that the active field army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns.

On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 [illegible] and 780 guns.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at all druggists.

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

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8:28 am Lv	Shirley	Ar 6:10 pm
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DR. KOCH JURY STILL OUT

A special to THE COURIER at 4:30 this afternoon states that the jury in the Koch murder case at New Ulm is still out. The case went to the jury at 9:30 this morning.

At this writing a disagreement is anticipated.

THE STATE LIBRARIANSHIP

At the time of going to press the state senate had not acted upon the nomination of the editor of this paper as state librarian, which was sent to the senate last week along with the other nominations of Governor Johnson.

Last Thursday the nomination was temporarily held up on motion of Senator Hawkins, who claimed that the appointee had severely criticized Lieutenant Governor Jones during the campaign.

The lieutenant governor disavows any desire to defeat the confirmation and says that he would be glad to see all of Governor Johnson's appointments ratified, and that he will urge his senatorial friends to take such action.

Senator Hawkins has promised the Democratic leaders that he will call up the nomination the latter part of the present week, and it is the general belief that the appointment will be confirmed without serious opposition.

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Teachers' Association Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Red Lake county Teachers' association will be held at Thief River Falls on Friday and Saturday, January 27 and 28. A good program will be rendered. Several noted educators will be present and address the meeting Friday evening. School boards are requested to allow teachers to close their respective schools on Friday, the 27th, in accordance with the custom of other counties having teachers' associations. Members of school boards are also requested to be present and take part in the proceedings. All persons interested in education are invited to attend and assist in making the meeting successful. H. T. MCANULTY, Co. Supt.

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We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in Pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. C. S. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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Washington School Notes.

Carl Buseand Ottila Alstaed, reporters.

The fifth and sixth grades of the Washington school are going to give a program Feb. 2, 1905.

The pupils were very glad to receive their library books Friday night.

The third and fourth grade of Miss Norby's room lost their banners.

On account of the cold weather, many of the smaller pupils were absent from school the first part of the week.

Clara Bourdon and Frank Campbell were absent from school a few days.

The two weeks of vacation are over now and we are all glad of it.

Winter does not seem to stop the boys from playing football.

Some of the boys and girls of the fifth and sixth grades had their seats changed.

In the sixth grade geography class Mr. Healy bent a glass tube and filled it with mercury. This was a barometer and with it we found that we were about 3280 feet above sea level. The column of mercury was 26½ inches high.

Edward Beaulieau started school in the sixth grade after vacation.

The sixth grade history are in the period of discovery and exploration.

A week ago Monday Mr. Healy went home at 11:30 because he was sick and Miss Neilaad took the fifth and sixth grade spelling classes.

Tena Rewertz started to school Monday.

The fifth grade drew some maps Monday afternoon and some of the best ones will be shown on visiting day. We are saving some of our arithmetic papers for that day.

The sixth grade had to stay after school Monday night for their arithmetic.

All of our grades are working hard for the banners for January. You grades of the other school will have to watch out.

Mrs. Argue visited our [school last week.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Leo Steinert, Theo. Majeres, and C. F. Johnson, under the name of the Northern Minnesota Milling Company, at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, has been dissolved, all property of the company including the name, good will, and accounts due them having been sold and disposed of to H. H. Zaiser, who will con the business. All liabilities of the firm will be paid by the aforesaid tormer members.

Dated Jan. 18th, 1905.

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Should Sit on it Hard!

Battle Lake Review: If the schemers try to get an appropriation through the legislature for an exhibit from Minnesota at the Portland show the legislature should sit down on the proposition hard. It's a nice soft berth for a few men and as usual the taxpayers foot the bill.

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can easily be cured by using Gloria Lung Balsam. It is sweet, pleasant and soothing preparation and even the worst cases can be relieved at once. It is made of healing and soothing balms and is best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Money for Poor Lo.

Congressman Steenerson has been advised by the secretary of the interior at Washington that a per capital payment of $170,000 will be made on June 17 to the Red Lake Indians. This money comes from the first payment of settlers on lands opened in the reservation last summer.

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The Chicago Great] Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month sell tickets at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisianna, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

Some men who would not steal a pocketbook do not hesitate to steal a state.

RUSSIA IS POWERFUL

CZAR TELLS HIS TROOPS NOT TO LET THE FALL OF PORT ARTHUR DISMAY THEM.

Says Russian Strength Grows With Adversity and Asserts the Empire Has Survived Still Heavier Trials. Believes Time Is Coming When God Will Assist Russian Army and Navy to Defeat the Enemy.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 14.—Emperor Nicholas has addressed the following rescript to the army and navy:

"Port Arthur has passed into the hands of the enemy. During eleven months the fight had been going on in its defense. More than seven months its noble defenders had been cut off from the rest of the world. Without any positive assurance of relief they continued to fight and did everything in their power to check the progress of the enemy, sparing neither life nor heart's blood to uphold the honor of the Russian people.

"Russia, with pride and admiration, followed each move in the contest. The whole world was astounded at their gallantry, but daily their ranks were thinned, their powers of resistance diminished and, under repeated attacks by the enemy, they were obliged to give way.

"Peace, honor and undying memory will be the portion of you Russians who have fallen in the defense of Port Arthur. Far from home you have laid your bodies upon alien soil—a sacrifice to the dictates of your own honor and the demands of your emperor.

"My gallant troops and sailors: Do not let this sorrow dismay you. Our enemy is strong and daring. This fight against them occurs 7,000 miles from our home, but Russia is powerful. In the thousand years of its existence there have been still heavier trials, worse and more threatening dangers, but Russia ever arose from trial with renewed force and strength. Do not let your souls be troubled by lack of success and heavy losses. Russian strength grows with adversity.

"With all Russia I join in the belief that the time is coming when God will give strength to our glorious army and navy to arise and break the forces of the enemy."

JAPS TAKE POSSESSION.

Victorious Army Formally Enters Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Jan. 14, via Tientsin, Jan. 16.—The victorious Japanese army yesterday formally entered Port Arthur. General Nogi, with his staff, entered first through the old town and took his stand in the public square of the new town. The army was represented by one regiment from each brigade. The procession, which was five miles long, was three hours passing the saluting base, after which the troops passed out of the city through the new town. The correspondents then visited the captured city for the first time. The old town buildings were badly smashed by shells, but in the new town the damage was slight. All the shipping in the harbor was badly damaged by shell fire, the warships being practically useless owing to the injuries they had sustained by shells.

Proposals for the surrender of Port Arthur were first made Dec. 29 at a council of war. General Stoessel was in favor of surrender, but some of his general officers were bitterly opposed to it. The regimental officers and the troops were not consulted. The first news they had of the surrender was on Jan. 1, after General Stoessel had communicated with the Japanese.

GENERAL STOESSEL IN JAPAN.

Russian Commander at Port Arthur Arrives at Nagasaki.

Nagasaki, Jan. 14.—The Japanese transport Kamakuru, from Port Dainy Jan. 11, with General Stoessel and others on board, arrived here during the day. After a prolonged quarantine inspection Governor Arakawa, with the chief officials of the port, proceeded on board the Kamakuru and General and Madame Stoessel, two of the Russian commander's personal staff, seven other officers, two ladies and six orphan children were landed in three steam launches at the Inasa jetty, where they were received by a guard of fifty police and several officers. The Russian general was attired in a gray military overcoat and wore his sword. He looked well and walked with a stately step. Preceded by a few police officers and followed by his retinue General Stoessel slowly wended his way up the hill to a prettily situated bungalow on Inasa hill, where he will be quartered. Half way there some dozens of Russian officers, finding that their late chief was arriving, ran up from all directions and saluted in respectful silence. The party then entered the house.

JAPANESE LOSSES LIGHT.

Russian Casualties at Newchwang Estimated at Three Hundred.

Tokio, Jan. 14.—The Japanese casualties in the recent fighting at Newchwang and other places involved in the Russian raid are estimated at one killed and fifteen wounded, all noncommissioned officers or privates. The Russian total losses are estimated at over 300.

The Japanese report that the supplies of munitions stored at Newchwang and Niuchiatun were not damaged.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

The Concrete Industry.

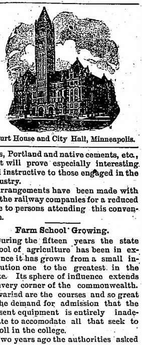
The first annual meeting of the Northwest Concrete Manufacturers' Aossociation, is to be held at Minneapolis, January 24th, 25th and 26th, 1905.

The object of the meeting is to bring together in a convention the manufacturers of cement products, contractors, engineers, architects and all persons interested in the progress and development of the concrete industry.

So many people have already signified their intention to be present at the meeting that the management has deemed it necessary to engage the entire fourth floor of the county side of the new court house and city hall.

There will be papers and discussions touching upon the various uses of Portland and native cements, covering the field of building blocks, fireproofing, sidewalks, sewer pipe, cement brick, etc., read by prominent prominent authorities on each specific issue.

It has been arranged to have a large exhibit in connection with the covention of concrete machinery of all descriptions, samples of finished products, Portland and native cements, etc., that will prove especially interesting and instructive to those engaged in the industry.



Court House and City Hall, Minneapolis.

Arrangements have been made with all the railway companies for a reduced rate to persons attending this convention.

Farm School Growing.

During the fifteen years the state school of agriculture has been in existence it has grown from a small institution one to the greatest in the state. Its sphere of influence extends to every corner of the commonwealth. So varied are the courses and so great is the demand for admission that the present equipment is entirely inadequate to accomodate all that seek to enroll in the college.

Two years ago the authorities asked the state to levy a tax sufficient to yield $250,000 in two years. This tax amounts to about a fifth mill and the last half of it will be due the first of next August. The present legislation will be asked to continue that tax two years longer.

Found.

After fifty years of a mildewed and hidden existence, the original draft of the constitution of Minnesota was inadvertently exhumed from a dusty pile of miscellaneous documents by George B. Brown, an assistant in the secretary of state's office. For the past thirty years every secretary of the state has had had nearly every year calls from persons who desired to see the original draft of the constitution.

Search after search has been instituted in the office and the records have been overhauled more times than could be counted on the fingers and toes, but still the historic document eluded and defied every search made.

Big Business.

The yearly report of the St. Paul Union Stock Yards company for 1904 shows that 389,300 cattle, 881,635 hogs, 772,766 sheep and 6,438 horses were received during the twelve months just closed. This live stock was shipped in 28,835 cars. Of these, 275,493 cattle, 71,654 hogs, 622,269 sheep and 6,205 horses were shipped out. There were slaughtered at South St. Paul during the last year 94,250 cattle, 17,573 calves, 810,151 hogs and 174,600 sheep. The comparative table shows a decided increase in every item during 1904 over the preceeding year, with the exception of horses, which fell off 1,305 head.

Agents Not Liable.

According to a ruling handed down by the supreme court, agents of wild cat fire insurance companies cannot be sued for loss under these worthless policies in the event the company itself refused to make settlement. The specific was that of M. Webster & Sons of Houston county, who brought suit against the agent, P. Ferguson, under the law of 1895. The majority of the justices held that collection could be made from the agent, but Justice Douglas presented a dissenting opinion on the ground that the assured was deceived and believed the policies valid.

News Notes.

William Goodman, living nine miles southeast of Winthrop, while driving, was killed by a Minneapolis & St. Louis passenger train.

Judge W. L. Windom, of Duluth, fined John Knutson, a wife beater, $50 and costs, with alternative of sixty days in jail.

W. A. Avery, of Detroit, has sold 7,000,000 feet of his pine tributary to the Duluth & Iron Range road, and gave an option to a prospective purchaser for 80,000,000 feet.

George Norman, an employe at the Great Northern shops, St. Paul, fell into a cinder pit in the shops and sustained several severe cuts and bruises about the head.

Somewhere in St. Paul or Minneapolis there lives a girl, Nellie Kerburn by name, to whom $3,000 has been left by C. C. Maxson, the young Frenchman who was killed at Kerkhoven.

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FIVE MINERS KILLED.

Overcome by Smoke and Fire in Illinois Colliery.

Decatur, Ill., Jan. 17.—Emil Norr, August Yagusch and Charles Laschinsky and two unknown miners are known to be dead and a score or more of other miners are entombed by fire and smoke in a 600-foot coal mine shaft. Rescuing parties have gone into the mine, but have been unable to do anything on account of the dense smoke. The fire broke out Monday afternoon in the mule stable. Firemen were called out and they took a line of hose down the shaft 600 feet, but were unable to suppress the flames. A mile away is an escapement shaft, and to this most of the miners hastened. More than a score were cut off by the flames and held prisoners. They may be dead. Big crowds surrounded the mouth of the shaft amid intense excitement, but the onlookers were helpless to assist.

PEABODY OPENS FIGHT.

Files Notice of Contest for Governor of Colorado.

Denver, Jan. 12.—Notice of former Governor James H. Peabody's contest against Governor Alva Adams for the office of governor was filed with the legislature during the day.

The complaint sets forth the allegation that the majority of 9,774 for Adams on the face of the returns as finally canvassed was obtained by means of a conspiracy in Denver and several other counties. The legislature is petitioned to open the ballot boxes from a number of precincts in Denver, Adams, Las Animas, Boulder and Conejos counties. It is alleged the frauds in these precincts were so extensive and varied that it would be impossible to segregate the true from the false ballots and the legislature is asked to discard these precincts altogether.

MORE FIGHTING IN SAMAR.

Nine Constabulary Killed in Action Near Maslog.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Lieutenant General Chaffee, chief of staff, has received a cable message from General Corbin, commanding the Philippines division at Manila, saying that he has received the following dispatch from Brigadier General Carter, commanding the department of the Visayas, dated Tacloban, Jan. 14:

"Lieutenant Avery, one Philippine scout and two native employes were wounded in action at Dolores river Jan. 14. Private Austin, hospital corps, was wounded and nine constabulary were killed in action near Maslog, Samar, Jan. 8. Lieutenant Avery and Private Austin arrived here today."

The officer referred to in the above dispatch is First Lieutenant Morton I. Avery of the Philippine scouts.

SENATORS ARE EXPELLED.

Colorado Republicans Unseat Two Democratic Members.

Denver, Jan. 13.—The senate, by a party vote, seated James B. Dick in place of Senator Robert M. Born. Dick was unseated by the Democratic majority during the contest over election of United States senator two years ago.

The senate membership is now twenty Republicans and thirteen Democrats, with two vacancies.

Senator Born refused to give up his seat and was forcibly ejected by the sergeant-at-arms.

Senator Daniel Healy, who was seated two years ago in place of Jesse F. McDonald, now lieutenant governor, was also expelled by a vote of 18 to 15, the same as Born's case.

BIG STRIKE IN GERMANY.

That of the Coal Miners the Most Serious in Country's History.

Berlin, Jan. 17.—The strike of coal miners which broke out Monday is the most formidable affair of the kind that Germany has ever had. There had been no serious trouble in the coal industry since the strike of 1889, but this strike far eclipses the one alluded to, all labor organizations taking part, whereas in 1889 only the Socialist unions were concerned. The present movement has been largely engineered by the so-called Christian unions, which otherwise oppose the Socialist element.

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POSTMASTER General Wynne was once a newspaper correspondent at the capitol city. A good story concerning Mr. Wynne is going the rounds. It is related that President Roosevelt once asked Mr. Wynne: "How does it feel to attend a cabinet meeting after having spent so much time on the outside trying to find out what occurred at similar gatherings?" "Oh, it is not so much how he feels," said Secretary Wilson, "as how the rest of us feel." Wynne has Irish blood in his veins and ready wit at the tip of his tongue. He came back in this fashion: "That reminds me of what Secretary Foster said when he took charge of the treasury department. I was his private secretary. One day he remarked to me: "Wynne, when I first came to Washington as a member of the cabinet I gazed in awe at the distinguished men who were my colleagues and wondered how I got there. After I had been in the cabinet three months I wondered how my colleagues got there.'"

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Settlers's Rates to Points in the Southeast.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, January to April inclusive, the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell one way tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia at very low rates. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

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GAUNTLET IS THROWN DOWN

Thief River Falls Gives Notice of a Desire to be Seat of County Government.

Yesterday notices were posted over the county to the effect that the citizens of Thief River Falls would circulate a petition praying for the removal of the county-seat from Red Lake Falls to that place. This is the beginning of a struggle which for several years has seemed inevitable.

Red Lake Falls is not slow in upholding her end of the game, and in this issue is printed a notice of remonstrance to the proposed removal. A meeting will be held this evening at the city hall to devise ways and means of protecting the interests of Red Lake Falls, and a counter petition will be circulated as soon as the required time is passed after publication.

It is not an easy job to move a county-seat, as the people of Thief River will discover before they have progressed very far with the fight. We have in mind several instances in the southern part of ihe state, where efforts have been made time and again without avail—in some cases where the contesting city has seemingly a large advantage in point of location and population. Probably not more than one attempt in twenty is successful.

In order to move the county-seat Thief River Falls will be required to obtain a petition endorsed by sixty per cent. of the legal voters of the county. After this will come an election, at which that city would need 55 per cent. of the votes cast on the proposition. The five per cent. above a majority may not look to be material, but as Red Lake Falls would need only 45 per cent. to hold the seat of government it will be seen that on a probable vote of 3,000, Thief River would need 1650 to succeed, or 300 more than Red Lake Falls. To one acquainted with conditions in Red Lake county this would seem an impossible task.

More developments will probably take place in the near future, and the Courier will endeavor to keep its readers posted on all tne news relatove to the matter.

YARNS WITH A LAUGH.

Mark Twain tells a story that while traveling in Germany a man sitting next to him at a dinner in a hotel ordered a bottle of Johannesburg wine. When it was brought he saw on the bottle a label of Moselle, and called it to the attention of the manager, who exclaimed: "Ach! what a stupid donkey; I distinctly told him to put on the Johannesburg label."

A blushing and pretty Swedish girl just arrived from the old country attended evening service at a Duluth church. The minister, seeing she was a stranger, shook hands with her at the close of the meeting and said he would find pleasure in calling upon her soon. Whereupon the girl hung her head and bashfully murmured: "T'ank you, but ay have a fella."

Mr. Campbell, the Irish solicitor-general, speaking the other day upon delusions, told a story of a north of Ireland Protestant who was perfection save on one point. This staunch Protestant harbored the delusion that one of his legs belonged to a Roman Catholic and therefore when he went to bed every night he used to leave the Catholic leg outside the blanket by way of punishment.

There had been a railway collision near a Scottish country town, and an astute local attorney had hurried to the scene of disaster. Noticing an old man with a badly damaged head lying on the ground, he approached him with note book in hand. "How about damages, my man?" he began. The injured man waved him off with the remark: "Na, na; ye'll get nae damages fre me. It wasna me that hit yer bloomin' auld train."

Many years of hard work on the farm had made the old man round-shouldered and his coat fitted badly. His son in the city sent him a coat stretcher on which to hang the coat at night. On his next visit to the farm the young man asked how the coat stretcher worked. His father looked a little embarrassed and then confessed: "I can't stand it on," said he. "It was real good of you to send it. Your mother fastened it to my coat with tape, but I wasn't comfortable in it and I had to take it off."

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending Saturday, Jan. 21. 1905.

Elwood Land Co. to H. T. Daniels, sw¼ nw¼ and w½ sw¼, se¼ sw¼ Sec. 19-150-43	1 00
Chas. O. Elwood to H. T. Daniels, w½ nw¼, se¼ nw¼ and lot 1, Sec. 14-152-42	1 00
Clara Elwood to H. T. Daniels, se¼ Sec. 35-151-43	1 00
Gunder Olson to Ole A. Pedersen, lot 5, blk 2, Thief River Falls	125 00
Ed. L. Healy to Peter Enevoldsen, w½ ne¼ Sec. 27-151-43	1500 00
J. K. Hanney to Clara Sagdalm et. al., se¼ Sec. 13-152-44	3200 00
Andy Erickson to Louise Wenberg, lots 6, 7, blk. 9, Porter's Add. to Thief River Falls	400 00
Wm. Remick to M. F. E. Withers, ne¼ Sec. 28-150-43	2500 00

How to Avoid Pneumonia.

We have never heard of a single instance of a cold resulting in Pneumonia or other lung trouble when Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Dr. C. S. Bishop of Agnew, Mich., writes: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia with good results in every case." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

The Main Traveled Line.

During the past fiscal year the famous North-Western Line carried 22,731,023 passengers. Standing shoulder to shouder this would make a line of humanity more than one-third the distance around the world. This is evidencee of the spendid service on this famous road.

COURT HOUSE IS PURCHASED

Warrant Issued and Paid to Ernest Buse Tuesday Morning to Complete the Deal.

Red Lake county now has an official home, owned by the county. Tuesday morning of this week the order for the purchase of the building now used as a court house was issued by Auditor Ford and paid by Treasurer Hansen to Ernest Buse, and the deed for the property turned over to the county.

The purchase of this property by the board of county commissioners is generally commended. The saving in the item of rent will alone pay for the property in five or six years, and besides the building and lots will be worth all the county paid for them at the expiration of that period.

There seems to have been a disposition on the part of a portion of the people of Thief River Falls to enjoin the county officials from carrying out the instructions of the commissioners with regard to the purchase, and Attorney H. W. Lee was sent down Tuesday to serve an injunction on Auditor Ford, Treasurer Hansen, Ernest Buse and the board of county commissioners. The injunction was served, but it was too late. The warrant had been issued and paid several hours before Mr. Lee reached town, and we are not informed as to what further steps the upriver city intends taking. It would appear to be a legal and physical impossibility to compel Mr. Buse to return the money received from the sale of property made in good faith and strictly in accordance with law. The probabilities are that no further action will be taken. Thief River seems to have an idea that it is going to get the county-seat at some future date, and of course is interested from a purely selfish standpoint in preventing the county from acquiring more property in Red Lake Falls.

It is not an easy matter to change the location of a county-seat. It has been tried in counties where conditions were a dozen times more favorable to removal than in Red Lake county and failed. It is but the truth to say that Red Lake Falls is not alarmed at the prospect and it is not believed that Thief River will make the attempt.

Notice of Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examination for Red Lake County will be held at Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire in accordance with the following program:

THURSDAY, FEB. 2ND.
(First grade studies)
A. M.—8:30 Enrollment.
9:00 Physics.
10:30 Algebra.
P. M.—1:30 Geometry.
2:45 Civics
4:00 Physical geography or general history.

FRIDAY, FEB. 3RD.
(Second grade studies.)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional test.
9:30 Spelling.
P. M.—1:30 Geography.
3:00 Reading.
4:30 Composition and penmanship.

SATURDAY, FEB. 4TH.
(Second grade studies continued)
A. M.—8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English grammar.
11:15 Music.
P. M.—1:30 Physiology-bygience.
2:45 Drawing.

Teachers, please notice that the examination begins at 8:00 a. m. Feb. 3rd and 4th.

H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first signs of Kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, he was soon a victim of Bright's disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night, and had a severe backache and pains in the kidneys and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

"THE HEART OF A HERO."

High School Play at Opera House Tomorrow Evening.

"The Heart of a Hero" is the name of the play to be presented by the Spartan society of the high school at the opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening, January 27. It is sparkling with fun, and the incidents are exciting and interesting. The orchestra will furnish music between the acts, and a number of new athletic features have been worked up for the occasion. The proceeds will go to buying new books for the library. Come out and see the play, and enable the school to buy a nice lot of books. The cast of characters is as follows:

Gilbert Westover, Esq., owner of the mammoth mills	Harry Garceau
Seth Marlow, to self and honor true	Walter Johnson
Clarence Denton, an enemy in disguise	Ernest Toupin
Arnold Payne, from the city	Orson Doe
Cyrus Bodkin, a lone widower	Ewald Zaiser
Robert, office boy at mill	Herbert Findeisen
Caroline Westover, the Squire's sister	Margaret Kaus
Salina, his daughter, in love with Seth	Iza Tibbetts
Tillie Sloan, a village belle	Mayme Linnehan
Em, not much of anybody	Clara Marchand

Tickets are on sale at Anderson's jewelry store; 15c, 25c and 35c.

Washington School Notes.

Harry Anderson and Clara Bourdon reporters.

Austrid Kindseth is absent on account of sickness.

Lloyd Moran has returned to scool after a week's absent.

The second grade will study the Eskimo as a type of brown race.

Hurrah for another holiday! Don't forget George Washington birthday.

The "A" class of the second grade are reading "Aunt Martha's Corner Cup board."

All of the pupils of the "A" class in Miss Hennemuth's room had to stay after school Monday for their spelling.

While ringing the first bell on Monday the clapper of the bell broke and had to be immediately fixed in order to ring the last bell.

The schools are planning a visiting day, on which every one will be given a chance to visit and examine the work which will be displayed in the high school building.

The fifth and sixth grades are planning on selling $20. worth of tickets for the high school play on Friday night. We hope that you will take a ticket when asked.

Being that the eighth grade of the Lafayette school had a half holiday on Friday afternoon, Hazel Healy visited the Washington school's fifth and and sixth grades.

Last Friday the second grade pupils made chinamen. We wonder if "Yen" would know himself should we give him one of our chinamen. Doubtless he would feel hurt for in most most cases his eyes are much like the white man.

It may interest some people to know how many scholars there are attending the Washington school. The following is the number by grades: First grade, 29; second grade, 32; third grade, 25; fourth, 16; fifth, 25; sixth, 16. The total number in regular attendance is 143. Of this number 69 are girls and 74 are boys.

Constipation and piles are twins. They kill people inch by inch, sap life away every day. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure you. No cure no pay. 35cents, Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

KING CONFIRMED BY SENATE

Last Chapter in Holding Up of Appointment of Librarian Enacted This Forenoon.

St. Paul, Minn., January 26—Governor Johnson's appointment of John E. King, the Red Lake Falls editor, as state librarian, was confirmed this morning by the state senate by an unanimous vote. Senator Hawkins, who had the name of Mr. King excepted from the list of appointments two weeks ago, announced that while Mr. King's paper had made certain derogatory remarks with respect to Lieutenant Governor Jones both before and after election, in deference to the wishes of the lieutenant governor he had decided not to press the objection further and moved that the appointment be confirmed.

TO CONFIRM KING.

Lieutenant Governor Will Interceed for Man Who "Roasted" Him.

Yesterday's Minneapolis Journal says the appointment of John E King as state librarian is to be confirmed by the senate today, according to the program agreed on yesterday.

It is expected that some Democratic senator will bring King's name up today. Then Lieutenant Governor Jones, using his privilege of addressing the body over which he presides, will request the senators to drop their opposition and vote for King's confirmation.

The fight has been made on the lieutenant governor's account, and of course his intercession would result in unanimous confirmation. It would also, the senators feel, leave the strategic advantage with the men who have held King up.

The senators have been supplied with typewritten copies, giving extracts from King's paper, the Red Lake Falls Courier, showing that after election he made some statements very derogatory to the lieutenant governor.

Ambition and Happiness.

Ambition, enterprise, effort and success are largely states of mind; happiness is in no way dependent upon these. If you want to be happy, decide to be, don't wait for the future or for prosperity. The man with a good constitution and perfect health is happier than most millionaires. The money is hard to make, but health and happiness can be had through using golden grain belt beer. Don't take our word for it; try a case at home; use it regularly with your meals and convince yourself. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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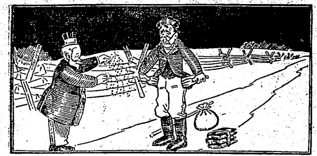
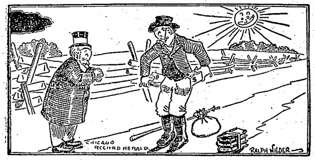


Oberlin Student (Walking Home)—"It's No Use, Old Man. A Woman Came Down Here and Made Those Same Motions at the Bank President Who Had My Money, and the Bank Is Busted and So Am I."



Mr. Carnegie—"Andrewcarnegieprestochange! But You Seem to Have Something in Your Pockets!"

END OF STRIKE AT FALL RIVER

AFTER SIX MONTHS' IDLENESS COTTON OPERATIVES DECIDE TO ACCEPT REDUCTION.

Work in the Big Mills to Be Resumed at Once—Gov. Douglas to Adjust Minor Differences—Strike Has Cost About $5,000,000.

Boston, Jan. 19.—The strike of the cotton mill operatives at Fall River, which affected about 25,000 persons and has been in progress for six months, to the great hardship and suffering of Fall River's people, was settled Wednesday through the mediation of Gov. William L. Douglas. Under the terms of an agreement accepted by both manufacturers and operatives, at a conference held at the state house Wednesday, the strikers will return to work at once under the 12½ per cent. reduction, against which they struck last July, and with no discrimination because of the strike. No rate of wages was established, but it was agreed that Gov. Douglas shall investigate the matter of margins between the cost of cotton to the mill owners and the selling price of the cloth, and submit his conclusions as to an average margin upon which the manufacturers are to pay a dividend of five per cent. on wages earned from the present time to April 1. Both sides regard the outcome of the deliberations as a victory.

The mills affected by the strike have a combined capital of $25,000,000, and have 2,300,000 spindles. During the months the mills were shut down the operatives lost nearly $150,000 weekly, and the corporations about $23,000. The aggregate direct losses to all interests up to Wednesday are estimated at fully $5,000,000. The indirect losses were also considerable.

FOUR PERISH IN FIRE.

Terrible Result of Burning of a Farm Residence in Northern Wisconsin.

Iron River, Wis., Jan. 23.—The residence of George Barnes, one of the [illegible]st known farmers in north Wisconsin, was burned early Sunday morning. Four persons perished. The dead are: Mrs. George Barnes, Jennie May Barnes, aged seven; Virginia Barnes, aged fou[illegible]; Miss Elsie Miestner, of Washburn, [illegible] Wis., a school teacher.

[illegible]lly Elected.

Chicago, Jan. [illegible] 19.—Formal election of United States se[illegible]nators occurred on Wednesday as follow[illegible]: Indiana, Albert J. Beveridge, to su[illegible]cceed himself, and James A. Hemenway, to succeed Vice President-elect Fairba[illegible]nks; New York, Chauncey M. Depew; M[illegible]aine, Eugene Hale; Connecticut, Morg[illegible]an G. Bulkeley; Rhode Island, Nelson [illegible] W. Aldrich; Massachusetts, Henry Ca[illegible]bot Lodge, to succeed himself, and [illegible] V. Murray Crane, to fill out unexpired term of the late Senator Hoar.

Murder and Suicide.

Ellis, Kan., Jan. 20.—At Wilson, Kan., Thursday City Marshal Tillman shot and killed Sam Hutchinson, the postmaster and editor of a paper there, and then committed suicide. Several days ago Tillman whipped Hutchinson's boy and the latter scored the marshal in his paper. Thursday they met and quarreled.

Mi[illegible]ers Bar Saloon Men.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 23.—A resolution barring membership to all saloonkeepers, owners of saloons or bartenders was adopted at the convention of the United Mineworkers Saturday.

Left Widow Aged 105.

Knobel, Ark., Jan. 23.—A man giving his name as Magar, who lately removed to this place from Howell county, Missouri, is dead, aged 125 years. His widow is 105 years old.

VOTES FOR IMPEACHMENT.

House Adopts Articles Providing for Removal of Accused United States Judge Swayne.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, made an impassioned statement before the senate Tuesday denouncing his indictment in connection with the Oregon land frauds.

The house listened to a five-hour debate on the Swayne impeachment case. The committee on post offices and post roads reported the post office appropriation bill. It carries $180,781,993.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The lower house of representatives on Wednesday adopted the 12 articles of impeachment against Judge Charles Swayne, of the district court of the northern district of Florida, which had been presented by its special committee of investigation. The speaker was authorized to appoint seven managers to present the case to the senate and conduct the impeachment proceedings before that body.

The charges of impropriety, made in connection with the campaigns of 1896 and 1904, were revived for a time in the senate by Senator Stone, who spoke in support of his resolution providing for an investigation of the charges.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The house of representatives on Thursday completed consideration of the army appropriation bill. A vigorous attack was made, but to no avail, on the army transport service by Mr. Humphrey, of Washington.

Consideration of the statehood bill was continued in the senate and Senator Stone spoke for two hours in opposition to it. The bill for the remuneration of American fur sealers who suffered losses because of their suppression was also debated.

Washington, Jan. 23.—In the senate Saturday a resolution accepting from the state of Kansas a statue of John J Ingalls was adopted. Notification of the appointment of the house managers to conduct the impeachment trial of Judge Swayne was received, and the response was made that the senate was ready to proceed with the case.

In the house the Indian appropriation bill was passed. Speaker Cannon announced the appointment of house managers to present the Swayne impeachment case to the senate as follows: Messrs. Palmer, of Pennsylvania; Powers, of Massachusetts; Olmstead, of Pennsylvania; Perkins, of New York; Clayton, of Alabama; De Armond, of Missouri, and Smith, of Kentucky.

Roosevelt to Receive Degree.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 23.—President Roosevelt, who is stated to have accepted the invitation of Williams college to attend the commencement in June, will receive the degree of LL. D. The president will reach Williamstown on June 20 and 21, and remain a day or two as the guest of President Henry Hopkins. He will then go to Cambridge to attend commencement at Harvard and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the graduation of his class.

Dies Over Chess Game.

Osceola, Ia., Jan. 20.—His defense gone, Levi Taylor, business man and inventor, of Oscola, smiled defeat Wednesday night at his friend across the chess board, [illegible] then fell prostrate to the floor. He play[illegible]ed with death and lost. Apoplexy, du[illegible] to the excitement of the game, was the ca[illegible]use of the sudden demise.

[illegible] of Louise Michel.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The funeral of Louise Michel, the revol[illegible]utionary agitator, at Levallois Perret S[illegible]unday was the occasion of a large anar[illegible]chistic demonstration. The streets, how[illegible]ever, were heavily guarded by military [illegible] police and there was no serious disor[illegible]der.

Smoot Testifies.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Reed Smoot, United States senator from Uta[illegible]h, on the witness stand, declared his b[illegible]elief in revelations from God and said he would obey them, but in case they conflicted with the laws of the land he would leave the country.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: There is more coal written on the bills than is put in the bins.

Some men are mean enough to want to deprive women of the joy of their sorrows.

It's queer that men object to swearing off drinking when there is so much fun swearing on again.

Every man has a pretty good opinion of himself till he gets in public office and reads what a scoundrel he is.

A girl has no end of self-control, when a man proposes, to be able to pretend she doesn't understand him when she really wants to yell with triumph.

Four Hundred Babies.

St. Vincent's Infant Asylum, Chicago, shelters homeless waifs awaiting adoption, and there are nearly 400 babies there. Sister Julia writes: "I cannot say too much in praise of Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it, as it is a safe remedy and certain in results Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Ordinance No. 26.

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & MANITOBA RAILWAY COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE RIGHT AND FRANCHISE TO LAY, MAINTAIN AND OPERATE RAILWAY TRACKS OVER AND ACROSS CERTAIN STREETS AND ALLEYS IN THE CITY OF RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA.

The City Council of the city of Red Lake Falls do ordain as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby granted unto the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, the right, privilege and franchise to lay, maintain and operate for and during the term of ninety-nine (99) years from and after the date of passage of this ordinance, a single or double track line of standard guage railway, over, upon and across the following described streets and alleys in said city of Red Lake Falls, to-wit:

Over and across Hamilton street, at the intersection of said Hamilton Street and Gieriet Avenue.

Over and across Harrison Street, approximately between Blocks eight (8) and fifteen (15) of Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls.

Over and across St. Martha Street, between Blocks fifteen (15) and eighteen (18) of said Bottineau's Addition.

Over and across Main Street, between Blocks fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) in Buse and Canty's Addition to Red Lake Falls.

Over and across Eleventh Street opposite Block twenty-one (21) of said Buse and Canty's Addition.

Over and across First Street at the point near the northeast corner of Block two (2) in Champagne & Dow's Addition, where the tracks of said railway are already laid.

Over and across Seventh Street between Blocks seven (7) and eight (8) in Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's Addition.

The exact location of said tracks in and upon said streets being shown in red on the plat hereto annexed and hereby made a part hereof.

Section 2.—The rights, privileges and franchise hereby granted are granted upon condition of the full performance by the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, of the following covenants and stipulations:

Said rights, privileges and franchise shall be used and exercised by the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, in such manner as not to impair the usefulness of said streets above described, and said tracks shall be laid upon, over, and across said streets in such a manner as not to render said streets unsafe for public travel.

The said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, shall construct and maintain under its tracks laid in said streets above described culverts sufficient to carry off all surface water which shall come to its roadbed and tracks in said streets by natural drainage, or by surface drainage of said streets and adjoining territory, as the grades of adjoining streets are now established and graded without substantial changes.

Said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, shall and will maintain upon and over its tracks the present grade crossing on First Street, and shall construct and maintain over its tracks in Hamilton Street an overhead bridge at least twenty (20) feet wide, suitable for the accomodation of travel thereover, and shall and will from time to time as the said City Council may by resolution provide in the future construct suitable crossings, either grade or overhead, over its tracks on the rest of said streets above named; all such crossings to be constructed and maintained at the sole cost and expense of the said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns.

The City of Red Lake Falls hereby reserves to itself the right, at its sole cost and expense, to excavate for, lay down and maintain under the roadbed and tracks of said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, in said streets above described, public sewers, water and gas mains.

Section 3.—If said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors or assigns, shall at any time fail, refuse or neglect to comply with any of the terms of this ordinance, or to do or perform, or permit to be done or performed, any of the things mentioned herein, the City Council of said City shall have power to declare and effect a forfeiture of all the rights, privileges and franchises herein and hereby granted said railway company, its successors or assigns, said declaration of forfeiture to be by resolution or ordinance duly passed. But no such forfeiture shall be declared or take effect if said railway company, its successors or assigns, shall fully comply with the terms of this ordinance within thirty (30) days after they shall receive notice of the intention of said City Council to declare such forfeiture. Such notice shall be by resolution duly passed by said City Council, stating wherein said railway company, its successors or assigns, is in default, and that said City Council will declare such forfeiture as aforesaid unless said default is made good within thirty days after notice served, and said resolution shall be published once in the official paper of said City and a copy of such resolution shall be served personally upon the acting ticket or freight agent in said City of said railway company, its successors or assigns, or of the railway company then in control of and operating the said line of tracks through said City; and with such service and publication, the service of such notice shall be complete.

And said Railway Company shall, when said City shall have laid, or caused to be laid, sidewalks upon any of said Streets up to the line of the right-of-way of said railroad Company, if ordered by resolution of said City Council, build, maintain and keep in good repair, sidewalks across the full width of said right-of-way, where said tracks cross said Streets, of the same kind and width as the sidewalks then already built up to said right of way along said streets, except that upon said bridge on Hamilton street, which shall be a wooden sidewalk four feet wide.

And said railway Company shall construct and maintain safe and suitable wing fences from the East end of said bridge on Hamilton Street at least as far as to the East sides of Gieriet and Sibley Avenues, and from the West end of said bridge at least as far as to the West sides of said Avenues, and extending to the South and North sides respectively of said Hamilton Street.

Section 4.—Said St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, shall indemnify and save said City harmless from any damages arising from or resulting through the use of said streets herein before named by said Railway Company, its successors and assigns.

Section 5.—This ordinance shall not take effect or be in force until said Railway Company has duly filed its acceptance thereof with the City Clerk, duly signed and acknowledged by said Company, and thereupon and after compliance with this section, and passage, approval and publication hereof this ordinance shall take effect and be in force.

Passed first reading, Oct. 27, 1904.
Passed second reading, Jan. 5, 1905.
Passed third reading, Jan. 19, 1905.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 25th day of January, A. D. 1905.

Attest: J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.
A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, January 19, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, January 19th, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called: Aldermen all present except Brady.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried bills were allowed as follows:

Chas Patnode, cord wood	$ 6 00
Henry Hennemuth, street committee work	25 00
T A Crompe, do	25 00
Fred Borchers, committee work	6 00
M A Hatten, do	6 00
Peter Martell, blacksmith account	5 71
Anderson & Healy, rent of hall	10 00
Merchants State Bank, cash to Mrs. Gagnon, a pauper	10 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., bill of $112.56, allowed at	95 76

On motion duly carried Nick Grace was duly hired to clean the city well for the sum of $35.

An ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway company, its successors and assigns, the right and franchise to lay, maintain and operate railway tracks over and across certain streets and alleys in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, passed its third reading and was declared duly adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hennemuth, which was seconded by Alderman Crompe:

Whereas, there has recently occurred several cases of hydrophobia in the city limits, and danger of further developments exists; therefore be it resolved, that all owners or possessors of dogs in the city of Red Lake Falls be and they are hereby ordered to muzzle and keep muzzled or keep confined all dogs in their possession or control for the period of two months from date hereof, under penalty of having said dogs confiscated by the city authorities, and the city police are instructed to enforce this order.

Upon roll call the following aldermen voted aye:

Hennemuth, Crompe, Hatten and Borchers.

Nays, none.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

The city clerk was duly instructed to advertise for sealed bids for city printing for the year 1905, bids to be received until Feb. 2, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m.

An ordinance to regulate the hitching of teams in the streets passed its second reading.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 25th day of January, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest. A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

I'll brave the storms of Chilkoot Pass,
I'll cross the plains of frozen glass,
I'd leave my wife with and cross the sea,
Rather than be without Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

To Whom it May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON Saturday, the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905, the undersigned, along with other legal voters of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, will begin the circulation of a petition among the legal voters of said County of Red Lake, addressed to the county commissioners thereof, the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said County of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situated in Township 154 North of Range 43 West, in said County and State.

Dated, January 25th, 1905.

CHAS. M. EVENSON.
LARS BACKE.
D. N. WINTON.
JOHN MORGAN.
C. J. KNOX.
MATT BARZEN.
W. J. LaBREE.
ALEX A. SWEAAS.

Bids for Printing.

Sealed bids will be received by the city council until February 2, 1905, at 8 o'clock in the evening of said day, for the city pring of said city for the year 1905. A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice of Abatement.

WHEREAS, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a plat showing in green color the streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of said streets, alleys and public grounds upon the grounds that The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company is the owner of all the property abutting on the parts of said streets, alleys and public grounds to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated for the construction of railway tracks thereover and thereon:

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at a regular meeting thereof, to be held in the city hall of said City of Red Lake Falls, on the 16th day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appear and be heard.

The streets, alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line of the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's addition to said Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) of said Champagne & Dow's addition easterly of the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne & Dow's addition.

All that part of Saint John Avenue extending from the southerly line of First street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of St. John Avenue to said Clearwater river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne & Dow's addition and block four (4) of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow Avenue.

All that part of Dow Avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city.

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow Avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All of the alley in block seven (7) in Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All that part of Gieriet Avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of of Sibley avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street

Dated at the office of the City Clerk January 16th 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN
j19f9 City Clerk.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls, and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on February 3d 1905, and terminating on February 2d 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

A. M. ROBILLARD.

in that certain frame building situated on lot 21 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 2nd day of February A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 16th day of February A. D. 1905.

j18 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903 at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, the said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d29-f9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 60 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
d29-f9 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 59 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit:

The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

Grant Van Sant,
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PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

Frank Brady went to Red Lake Falls on Friday night for an over Sunday visit with the home folks.

Buttermaker wm. Lauritzon is busy nowadays puttings the creamery in shape for the coming season's work. He expects the ice house to be moved in next week and have it filled at once.

P. K. Olson has been taking a lay off from business for the past few days owing to a sore hand.

Fritz Gerke, who is digging the well for the new creamery, yesterday struck water at the depth of 27 feet,

Dr. Fletcher, the Red Lake Falls dentist, made his first professional visit to this town on Monday last and was well pleased with it. He will come regularly every month hereafters.

James Brady and Joseph Tschirhart were here from Red Lake Falls on Tuesday paying their respects to this town and its people for the first time. They were very much surprised to find such a good town here.

E. K. Gjernes was quite badly injured in a runaway while coming to town on Wednesday from his home in Garnes. His team started to run and in order to stop them he pulled into a patch of brush. He was thrown from the sled and his face and head were badly cut and bruised by coming in contact with the trees; He was in again yesterday and shows the marks of rough usage very plainly.

BADGER.

William St Yves accompanied by Rev. Father Bouchard, both of Crookston, called at the home of E. Quesnell,s on their way home from Terrebonne.

An eleborate supper was served at the home of Adelard Laurent Monday.

The Misses Alyce and Anna and Louis Quesnell arrived home last week from their visit at McIntosh and Fosston, and needless to say they enjoyed their visit.

Miss Rosana LaBissoniere is visiting friends and relatives here since last week.

August Morin and Joseph Lachance of Red Lake Falls and Charlie Charlebois of McIntosh have been working for E. Quesnell since Monday. Mr. Quesnell is having his home finished and no doubt they will find it a great deal pleasanter.

Joseph Ducharme, Evangelist Quesnell and Mitchel Quesnell and wives drove to the home of Joseph Prudhome, near Gentilly, Sunday afternoon, returning home after having eaten a hearty supper, and having a good time.

Homer Laurent of Terrebonne called on friends here Sunday.

Alphonse and Albert LaCombe, two popular young men of St. Hilaire, were guest at the home of E. Morinville last week.

Miss Maria Robillard of Red Lake Falls visited her cousin, Rosa Lachance, here last week.

Mrs. Mitchel Quesnell visited with friends and relatives at the Falls last week.

Ovila Robillard took the advantage of the nice roads last week and hauled several loads of hay to the Falls.

Miss Aurore Ducharme was a guest of the Misses Alyce and Anna Quesnell Monday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Louis St Yves, Dolphis Champeaux and Regis Gagnon were guests at the home of Joseph Champeaux of Terrebonne last Sunday.

Evangelist Quesnell and daughter, Bertha drove to the county seat Monday on business.

Masters Elie and Harvey St Yves, accompanied by their cousin, Horace Laurent, of Terrebonne visited friends and relatives at Crookston last week The boys report a very good time.

Misses Bertha and Zella Quesnell spent Sunday afternoon at M. Quesnell.

THE above picture of the man and fish is the trademark of Scott's Emulsion, and is the synonym for strength and purity. It is sold in almost all the civilized countries of the globe.

If the cod fish became extinct it would be a world-wide calamity, because the oil that comes from its liver surpasses all other fats in nourishing and life-giving properties. Thirty years ago the proprietors of Scott's Emulsion found a way of preparing cod liver oil so that everyone can take it and get the full value of the oil without the objectionable taste. Scott's Emulsion is the best thing in the world for weak, backward children, thin, delicate people, and all conditions of wasting and lost strength.

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LILLO.

Knute Lintwedt went to McIntosh last Tuesday.

John Raduiecki has taken up his residence on his claim on the other side of the Clearwater.

Osof Legwold came down from the lumber camps and returned last Wednesday with a big load of beef.

Lars Fore made a trip to Plummer last Saturday.

Miss Martha Kolstoe of Carnes called at Lillo last Monday.

August Lillo has moved himself and effects across the Clearwater into his homestead.

Our well known friend Ljot Sigurson is again carrying the mail after a month's vacation.

Mr. Con Short has been having his cellar plastered and cemented.

Several new arrivals in the community are reported. Mr. and Mrs. O. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. S. Storaasli each welcome a new son and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reindal have another daughter.

Services were at the residence of O. Lintwedt last Sunday by Rev. Kolstoe.

The Clearwater ladies' aid held their annual meeting at Lillo Wednesday of last week and the following officers were elected: President Mrs. A. Rolandson; Secretary, Mrs. B. Langeli; Treasurer, Mrs. I. Lillo. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. O. Legwold the first Wednesday in February.

Brain Leaks.

He who wastes minutes wonders what becomes of the hours.

The best victories are won a long time ahead of the real conflict.

A man is often in bad company when he is alone with his thoughts.

"Good luck" is the term that the shiftless apply to the diligent.

The man who talks to himself always has an appreciative audience.

We have some doubts about the man who is always boasting of his reform.

Better meet trouble half way than to sit still and let it overwhelm you.

When a man is the slave of his stomach he can never be master of his mind.

A little today is better than waiting for tomorrow in the hope of getting more.

It beats the world how big a little house feels when the babies are away visiting.

The fellow who is in the wrong is usually the fellow who has "nothing to arbitrate."

It is a good thing for this old world that the people who growl about the weather do not have the making of it.

The funniest thing about the "comic sections" of the daily papers is the fact that they are called "comic sections."

But fine feathers do make fine birds, despite the old proverb. But fine feathers do not always make good or useful birds.

Opportunity knocks once at every man's door, but the trouble is that so many men are so busy grumbling at their fate that they can not hear the knock.

A Grim Tragedy

is daily enacted, in thousands of homes, as death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and to-day she is well and strong." It kills the germs and of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and $1.00 by All Druggists. Trial bottle free.

Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., has more graduates working in that city as stenographers and book-keepers at a good salary than all other business colleges combined and offers $100 to anyone who will prove the contrary.

New line of correct fall stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

MANNERS IN BUSINESS.

Brains and Good Deportment a Winning Combination.

The value of brains in business can not be overestimated, of course; but neither can the value of manners. Don't make the error of supposing that brains are everything. You may have the best set of brains in the town, but if you haven't the manners of a gentleman nobody is going to appreciate you. Your manner is the outward indication of what you are within in the estimate of most people, and if the manner is disagreeable few will take the trouble to examine into you any further.

The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcupine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence it is in business, where cold calculation so largely takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in everyday dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

A WHISTLER PICTURE.

The Dramatic Manner of Its Finish and an Anticlimax.

Whistler was one day visited by a foreign artist, an old acquaintance, with whom Whistler had not as yet quarreled. He was received with genuine cordiality, and, artist-like, he ran round the studio looking at everything. One small picture seemed to charm him especially, and he said, "Now that is one of your good ones." "Don't look at it, dear boy," said Whistler airily, "it's not finished." "Finished!" said the visitor. "Why, it is the most carefully finished picture of yours that I have ever seen." "Don't look at it!" persisted Whistler. "You are doing injustice to yourself, you are doing injustice to my picture, and you are doing injustice to me!" The visitor looked bewildered, when Whistler, in a theatrical tone, cried out: "Stop! I'll finish it now!" Then he procured a very small camel's hair brush, fixed it on a long and slender handle, mixed a little speck of paint on his palette, dipped the tip of his brush into it, and then, standing off from his picture and with the action of a fencer with his rapier, he lunged forward and touched the picture in one spot with his pigment. "Now it's finished," said he. "Now you may look at it." This was all highly dramatic, and indeed very well acted, but, as in the case of some stage plays, the final act of Whistler's performance proved to be an anticlimax. The foreign artist took his leave, but, finding that he had left his umbrella behind him, called for it next day. The servant, recognizing him, told him that Mr. Whistler had gone out for the day, but invited him to go to the studio and seek his umbrella. He went there and found it, but also took the opportunity of having one more look at the picture which had been "finished" for his special benefit the day before, and then he saw that the little dab of wet paint which Whistler had so dramatically put on he had afterward scrupulously wiped off again!—Frederick Keppel in The Reader.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and a loving favor rather than silver or gold.—Solomon.

A Handy Question.

Joseph Chamberlain was delivering a political speech in Birmingham, England. The hall was so packed that not another human being could have crowded in. The enthusiasm was tremendous, but suddenly a scowling man arose in the middle of the crowd.

"What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?" he howled.

"Shame!" "Put him out!" yelled the crowd.

Three sturdy men hurled the interrupter a few yards, and others helped hustle him to the street.

As he was picking himself up and brushing off the dust he grinned pleasantly at a man who had followed him from the hall and who asked, "What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?"

"I don't know," he replied, "and I don't care. I had a terrible toothache, and I couldn't butt my way through that crowd, and the only thing to do was to get thrown out."

In Case of Poison.

When any one is accidentally poisoned and you are not sure of the antidote give an emetic of some kind immediately. Mustard and salt are two things found in every household, but a bottle of ipecac costs little and is better than either and should always be kept in the house. If mustard is to be used put a dessertspoonful in a glass of lukewarm water and make the patient take two or three glasses. Then by tickling the throat with the finger vomiting is certain. The dose should be repeated in about ten minutes so that the stomach may be thoroughly emptied. No matter what the poison, remember, the thing you should do is to give an emetic.

Why He Paid.

Lord Alvanley in the first part of the last century had a duel with a political opponent, but nobody was hurt. His lordship was so pleased at returning without injury that he paid his hackney coachman with a liberality that surprised the latter, and on the man remarking that it was more than his due for driving him that distance Lord Alvanley replied, "It is not for carrying me there, but for bringing me back."

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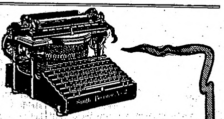

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"LAY ON, MACDUFF!"

The gage of battle has been thrown and the capitol of Red Lake county is the high stake for which the people of Thief River Falls mean to play. Notice is given that on February 11 the citizens of that city will circulate a petition praying for the removal of the seat of county government from Red Lake Falls to Thief River Falls.

This matter is of great importance to the cities concerned in the fight. But it is of more importance to the farmers and tax-payers of the county, who will be compelled to foot a pretty bill if the scheme of Thief River Falls is successful. Red Lake county has property in Red Lake Falls in value aggregating more than $8,000. If the county-seat is moved this will of course be of little value and will mean practically a total loss to the tax-payers. The expenses of moving the county offices and the acquisition of new quarters will mean a good many thousand dollars of expense, and if the proposition wins farmer and business man alike will feel a twang at their purse-strings calculated to take the edge off of their enthusiasm for awhile.

The people of Red Lake Falls will of course fight to the bitter end for the retention of the county-seat, and the fact that they are in possession and that 55 per cent. of the vote of the county is required to move the county-seat gives the odds to them.

Perhaps it is just as well that the fight should come now. For some years it has seemed inevitable, and the vote—if it comes to that—will settle the question for all time.

THE most brittle thing in the world is a good resolution.

MANY a man wants the earth, but in the end the earth gets the man.

WE fight shy of all comers on our "busy days," but we're all at home to the world when the dollar rings.

THE report that the present legislature will establish a press censorship is probably incorrect.

IF the state press had the say-so it is evident that the editor of the COURIER would be confirmed as state librarian in a jiffy.

MINNEAPOLIS lays claim to the distinction of being the healthiest city in the world. This is all because she happens to be located in Minnesota.

THE Slayton Gazette, one of the strong Republican papers of Southern Minnesota declares that "Governor Johnson's start-out warrants the expectation that he will edit the business of the state in a decidedly satisfactory manner."

Now and then we hear a man say the public schools cost a lot of money, but he must be inordinately selfish as well as too ignorant to appreciate the value of an education if he does not believe they are worth every cent.

EDITOR JOHN C. WISE, of the Review, has been appointed resident director of the Mankato normal. The selection is especially fitting, and will please the people of Mankato and Mr. Wise's many friends elsewhere.

ALEX THOMPSON of Crookston has been appointed surveyor general of logs and lumber for the Red River district, succeeding James H. Maybury. Mr. Thompson is a Democratic wheelhorse in the valley, and his selection is generally satisfactory. The appointment takes effect in April.

GOVERNOR LAFOLLETTE will be the new senator from Wisconsin, the legislature yesterday electing him by a substantial majority. The fighting governor has had a stormy and strenuous career, but the people believe he is honest, courageous and capable. It would be well for the nation if we had more senators of LaFollette stripe.

EDITOR HUNTINGTON ought to come to Red Lake Falls where the ladies always remove their hats at public entertainments. He says in his Windom Reporter: "Now, if the legislature will pass a law forbidding the ladies wearing their hats in public places it will have done one worthy deed and won the hearty approval of the masculine population.'

P. M. KERST, who has been deputy public examiner for the past six years, will be appointed public examiner in a few days. Mr. Kerst is well equipped for his new post by years' of experience in public accounting, and no doubt his appointment will prove a popular one. Frank N. Stacy of Minneapolis, at present private secretary to Congressman Lind, will be his deputy.

THE report of the new statute revision committee is giving the legislators a great deal of trouble. Some of the laws of the state have been left out altogether and many others so emasculated that it is impossible to tell just where we would be if the new code was adopted without careful revision. It looks as though a new commission ought to be appointed to revise the revisionists.

RUSSIA is reaping the whirlwind. The revolutions in Moscow and St. Petersburg indicate the downfall of the autocratic government, and it is not improbable that a republic will be evolved out of the present chaotic condition. This will be the greatest stride in the world's progress to better things in more than half a century. Beaurocracy and monarchy cannot long survive the tendency of the age.

FRED T. LINCOLN, the journalistic genius who brought the Crookston Journal into prominence, now has editorial charge of the Crookston Times, and under his management we shall expect that paper to increase in prominence and popularity. Mr. Lincoln is one of the best all-around newspaper men ever coming to the Valley, and the Times is fortunate in securing his services.

THE Northfield News prints a list of twenty-three entries in the Republican gubernatorial race to succeed Governor Johnson. In the meantime it is not wise to pick a winner too early in the game. Governor Johnson himself is yet to be reckoned with. If he could be elected in a presidential year, why should he be defeated next year, when there will be no special reason for voting the ticket straight?

THE Princeton Union argues that "the stone and timber act should be repealed and give place to an act that might serve to better protect the public domain from speculators. Nine-tenths of all the land taken up under the stone and timber act passes into the hands of the lumber rings and thieves. Valuable timber land belonging to the nation going at $2.50 per acre. A great head, Uncle Sam, a great head!"

SENATOR ALLEY of Wright county has introduced a bill in the state senate to abolish the death penalty for murder except where the jury shall agree to bring in a verdict imposing that penalty. In all other cases the extreme penalty shall be thirty years' imprisonment. The new law would impose the direction of the sentence directly upon the jury instead of upon the court as at present, although under the present law the court has no discretion in cases of murder in the first degree, and the verdict of the jury in fact imposes the penalty, although not in terms.

THE annual meeting of the Minnesota Editorial association will be held in St. Paul, February 23 and 24. The session will be held in the parlors of the Commercial club. The executive committee of the association held a meeting last week and outlined plans for the 1905 meeting. The members of the executive committee are: C. C. Whitney, of Marshall, C. P. Stine, H. P. Hall, David Ramaley, of St. Paul, and F. J. Meyst, of Minneapolis. President C. F. McDonald of St. Cloud, met with the committee. A program of interest will be prepared and the editors will be hospitably entertained by the Commercial club and civic associations. The fraternity always looks foreward to these meetings with satisfaction for it is profitable to occasionally get away from one's self and exchange thoughts and ideas with our fellows in the profession.

THE GRAND JURY.

A strenuous effort will be made at the present session of the legislature to abolish the grand jury by urban members whose motives are not altogether clear. There is a shadow of truth in the argument that the abolition is demanded by the people, as witness the vote on the constitutional amendment proposition at the recent election. Since there is no crying demand for a change in the law it is only fair to presume that the amendment carried under a misapprehension in the minds of the voters. The Minnesota electorate has somehow got into the habit of voting "yes" on these propositions, and any question that is negatively stated can be assured of a majority, even though by this vote the people are signing away one of their most cherished rights and privileges.

The grand jury has its disadvantages and innocent people are not in frequently made to suffer injustice and mortification, but it is hard to determine wherein the new system of giving a public prosecutor full power in conducting criminal investigations would be an improvement. Representative Simons of this district is strongly opposed to a change in the law, and in a recent interview gives his views as follows:

"My reasons for opposing the abolition of the grand jury are that the matter of indictments for crime followed by trials are more likely to be attended to where the indicting power is part of the system and machinery of the court as is the grand jury. Abolish the grand jury and you put the initiative of the matter up to the county attorney to be subject to his whims, sense of duty, energy and prejudices.

"There would be a tendency to allow political offenses to go unpunished, such as bribery charges, malfeasance in office, violations of duty on the part of public officers, etc. Wealthy corporations and individuals might see an opportunity to presist in public offenses in the hope of fixing the matter right with county attorneys. I speak of these only as possibilities that might be realized under the new system. The chief reasons for abolishing the grand jury are that it is expensive and cumbersome. I think neither of these reasons have much weight against the alternative conditions just named. The grand jury system has had the test of centuries and should, in my judgement, be allowed to stand."

BOARD OF CONTROL SECRECY

Wheelock's Weekly: Mr. Jacobson of the board of control thinks the selection of L. A. Rosing as a member of that board is an excellent one, and adds: "He will undoubtedly, once he learns the situation from the inside, approve of the board's plan of secrecy in regard to contracts and other matters." We can agree cordially with Mr. Jacobson's opinion of Mr. Rosing's appointment, but as to believing that L. A. Rosing will ever approve of the czar-like methods which the board of control thinks so statesmanlike, that is beyond the bounds of possibility. It makes no difference how well the plan has worked up to the present time, there will come a time when the secret bid and secret contract will be a cloak to grafting of the worst description, and the picayunish savings of the previous boards will dwindle into nothingness in comparison with the sums that will be looted from the public treasury.

Moreover, the people are the bosses of the board of control, not its servants, and the people demand and have a right to know every detail about its conduct in office, its payments, bids, contracts, and all other matters connected with its official life. If the people are willing to pay the slightly higher price for commodities that the board says is saved by the secret system, it is not the board's province to refuse the people that privilege. It is a case of the sheerest bureaucracy, and must sooner or later give way to the weight of public displeasure with which it is viewed. Mr. Rosing probably cannot, single handed, make any reform of the board's methods, but he would not be L. A Rosing were he to desert his own belief in the supremacy of the people and approve the board's present course in this matter.

A Narrow Escape.

Mr. Henry St. George, of Elm Grove, Wis., thought that he was permanently crippled. Sciatica rheumatism had such an iron grip on him that he thought that he would never be able to walk again, but through the aid of Gloria Tonic he was completely cured, after high priced Doctors failed. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Leo Steinert, Theo. Majeres, and C. F. Johnson, under the name of the Northern Minnesota Milling Company, at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, has been dissolved, all property of the company including the name, good will, and accounts due them having been sold and disposed of to H. H. Zaiser, who will con the business. All liabilities of the firm will be paid by the aforesaid former members.

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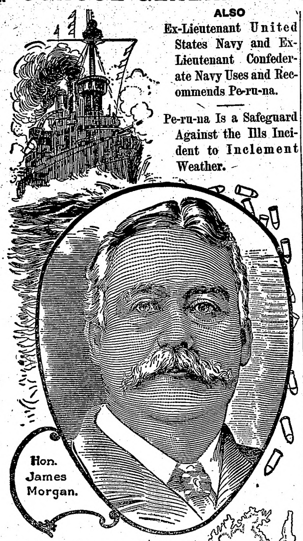

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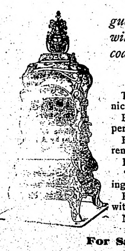

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Arthur Zaiser visited over Sunday with friends at Crookston.

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County Surveyor J. K. Wood was down from Thief River Falls over Sunday.

William Schwalen was a business visitor to Grand Forks last Friday and Saturday.

The marriage market is dull this week. Not a single license has been issued since January 13.

Big bargains offered this week in men's fur coats. Don't miss this opportunity.—Garceau & Zaiser.

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Attorney J. K. Hannay was down from St. Hilaire Monday on professional business.

Advertised letters are at the postoffice for the following persons: T. Golis, Venia St. Mary.

Ladies' and children's coats this week at half price—just half their real value at Garceau & Zaiser's

Attorney W. A. McIntyre was at Crookston over Monday night to argue a case before Judge Watts.

"The Heart of a Hero" by the Spartans, for the benefit of the school library at the opera house January 27.

Leo Erb went to Crookston last week to commence work in the job department of the Crookston Times office.

A meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held on Friday evening of this week. A large attendance is desired.

Did you ever try to find out the secret of the miraculous growth of Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn?

John McIntyre, an employee of the J. I. Case company at Fargo, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. L. Reichert, over Sunday.

Owing to an unusual rush of work at this office this week the educational department is omitted. It will appear next week as usual.

"Queen Quality" shoes for women not only permit easy walking, but keep the foot well arched with narrow insole.—Garceau & Zaiser.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson continues to improve and will be able to sit up in a few days. It will be several weeks, however, before he is strong enough to resume his work.

Mrs. F. E. Hunt will entertain the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church at her home next Wednesday afternoon, February 1. A ten cent lunch will be served.

After this week people in need of J. R. Watkins' remedies may call at the home of William Zaiser in Red Lake Falls. I will call on my customers in the country soon.—Theo. Zaiser.

Leo Spillane is at Crookston last week and is temporarily employed in the office of the Crookston Times. If he finds the work congenial he may conclude to take a permanent position there.

The M. B. A. basket social was well attended Monday evening and everybody had an excellent time. The M. B. A.'s are ospitable people and their social functions are always delightful occasions.

For popular-priced children's shoes see our Godman line. Misses' shoes at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.40. Children's shoes, 60c and 90c. Cheap but good. Every pair guaranteed for the price.—The Big Store.

The J. B. Cigar company this week installed a new pool table in their retail cigar store, and the public generally is invited to make use of it. This store is likely to prove a more popular place than ever for the young men.

Frank E. Hunt is expected home from Talapoosa, Georgia, the fore part of the week. Mr. Hunt must have improved in health more rapidly than anticipated, as he did not expect to return before April at the time he left Red Lake Falls.

The orchestra went to St. Hilaire last evening to furnish music for the masquerade ball. A number of Red Lake people accompanied them to enjoy the festivities of the evening. The affair is pronounced a great success by all in attendance.

See our new line of St. Cecilia shoes for women. These shoes have certainly merited the good will of the ladies of this town. We promise that our new line will still further ingratiate itself in the hearts of women who are dainty about shoes.—Theo. LaBissoniere.

The Sunday school of the Presbyterian church will give a rag ball social Frinay evening, February 3, at the church parlors. Every young lady is requested to bring her name securely wrapped in a rag ball. These will be auctioned to the highest bidders for partners to supper. Don't miss it.

E. E. Parke, representing the McGill-Warner company of St. Paul, was interviewing the county officials yesterday. Mr. Parke was formerly engaged in selling school supplies, but on the first of the year started out with the general line of printing and supplies for this house.

A newspaper may devote a column in the praise or commendation of a man and he will forget it in a couple of weeks, but a two-line item that is not altogether pleasing, will be remembered by the average reader for two years.

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The annual financial statement of Red Lake county will appear in next week's issue of THE COURIER and continue for three weeks. The statement make a complete exhibit of the business of the county during the past year and shows that public affairs have been managed economically and intelligently.

Grand Forks Herald: Mrs. James Sullivan, who came here from Red Lake Falls on Sunday, was taken to the Deaconess hospital and an operation performed yesterday. Her case is considered quite a serious one. Mrs. Sullivan was formerly a resident of East Grand Forks and her husband died here a year ago.

The new code, if adopted as reported by the revision committee, would reduce the clerk hire in the county auditor's office 50 per cent. As the clerk hire allowance in the newer counties is already inadequate the new deal would work a manifest injustice. It is likely that the more glaring errors will be corrected before the code is adopted.

Rev. Father LaCrosse of Winnipeg will deliver a lecture at the Terrebonne church on Thursday evening, February 19. Father Lacrosse is a humorous and interesting talker, and the people having the pleasure of hearing him will receive a rare treat. Red Lake Falls people are extended a cordial invitation to attend the lecture.

A paper of more than usual interest was recorded at the office of the register of deeds this week. It is a mortgage filed by the Soo railway, and covers more than fifty pages of closely written typewriter matter. The fees for this one transaction are sufficient to keep the wolf from Register Jeffers' door for a day or two.

Instructions have been received by the postoffice authorities to discontinue the star route mail service from Red Lake Falls to Lost and from St. Hilaire to Wyandotte. The orders go into effect February 1, after which time both offices will be permanently closed. Lost and Wyandotte are in the vicinity of Plummer, which office will hereafter supply the patrons.

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Jens Nelson has purchased the interest of his partner, T. J. Thorkelson, in the Imperial Drug company at St. Hilaire. Mr. Thorkelson does not yet know where he will locate, but expects to leave St. Hilaire in the near future. THE COURIER wishes both of the boys unbounded success, for they are deserving of it.

Commissioner Daniel Shaw was down from Thief River Falls yesterday, enroute to Crookston, where he will take an examination before a committee of past master Masons before assuming the office of worshipful master of his home lodge, a position to which he was recently elected.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Armstrong, Misses Lillian Buse and Melvina Allard and Messrs. Harry Healy, Arthur Mercier, E. G. Buse, Sullivan Hall, Ernest Gerlach, Andrew Onstad, Adelard Lemieux, Ralph Healy and Roy Wilford attended the masquerade ball at St. Hilaire last evening nd report a most delightful time.

R. H. Green came in from Equality Monday to visit friends and look after business matters for a couple of days. Mr. Green says the farmers out his way have plenty of hay and feed this year, which is certainly fortunate since there is no market for cattle or horses just at present. Many farmers have surplus stock they would like to dispose of, but are unable to find buyers at any price.

Judge Tarrant was mad enough to swear yesterday. He remained at his office after his usual dinner hour in expectation of earning a fee for performing a marriage ceremony, but it turned out that a license could not be granted because the blushing prospective bride had not been divorced from her first husband the statutory six months. In this case the marriage bells did not ring.

Once upon a time a newspaper man went to church and after much deep reflection studied out the reasons that brought people to the house of worship as follows: Some go to weep, while others go to sleep; some go to tell their woes, others go to show their clothes; some go to hear the preacher, others like the solo screecher; [illegible] to reconnoiter, girls [illegible] they orter; some go for reflection, precious few to help the collection.

A meeting is called at the city hall to-night by Mayor Duffy to discuss the county-seat question and devise ways and means of promoting the remonstance to the proposed petition of Thief River Falls for the removal of the county-seat. The COURIER goes to press too early to report the meeting, but the business men and citizens generally are thoroughly alive to the situation, and no expense will be spared in protecting the interests of the city. A large crowd is in attendance at the meeting.

The first issue of the Thief River Press under the management of Frank Packard appeared last week. Mr. Packard is a good newspaper man and has some metropolitan ideas with regard to journalism which can doubtless be worked out satisfactorily in rural newspaper work. Mr Packard talks of establising a daily in March. At present Thief River is rather a small town, and the field for a daily newspaper is rather limited. However, if anybody can make a success of such a venture Mr. Packard can.

Crookston Journal: Marcus Johnson and S. M. Sivertson, the Red Lake Falls and Crookston mill men, who drove down from the Falls Friday evening report the country roads in bad shape and in some places hard to pass over because of the warm weather last week. The short thaw experienced throughout the northern portion of the state was disasterous to the country roads as well as loggers and as a result teamsters find driving rather hard work for their teams. Mr. Sivertson spent yesterday in Fargo and points on that line and Mr. Johnson proceeded below.

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Choice cambric, with fancy drawn work and lace insertion, a snap at.........	1.50
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Good grade muslin tucked yoke, at..	65c

Skirts.

Elegant quality cambric, tucked and embroidery trimmed yoke, a bargain at......	1.50
Best quality muslin skirt tucked and lace trimmed yoke, at	1.25
Good fine quality muslin, deep flounce with three lace insertion, a special value at	1.00

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Choice cambric with ruffle trimming in the new effect...	50c
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Good muslin, fancy lace trimmed, full cut excellent value at	30c

Drawers.

Made of good quality muslin, yoke band, full size and finished with tucks...........	35c
Umbrella style, made of fine cambric with deep hemstitched lace trimming, at....	45c
Made of the best high grade material, beautifully trimmed with embroidery and ten tuck trimming, at	65c

Garceau & Zaiser.

The Great Northern pile driver was tought to town Monday, and a force of men is now engaged in driving piles in the sliding earth along the Clearwater river bank. Much trouble is anticipated next spring, and it is not unlikely that a wall of masonry will be necessary to keep the restless soil from going into the river. The soapy substance of the banks of the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers has entailed a big bill of expense on the railroads at Grand Forks, Crookston and Red Lake Falls.

The Thief River Review charges that "Attorney Grady and a companion named McIntyre" got onto Attorney Lee's game at Crookston the other evening and telephoned Red Lake Falls parties to get the warrant for the court house purchase paid at once. Both the gentlemen disavow the soft impeachment, and deny that they held any telephone communication whatever with anybody from Red Lake Falls. They were at Judge Watts' chambers on legal business of their own and were not interested in Attorney Lee's troubles.

80 Years Old.

Mrs. Sina W. Platt, of Unity, Wis., a lady of 80 years, was recently cure of rheumatism by Gloria Tonic after many well-known remedies were previously used. This happy result ought to be a great encouragement to many of our readers. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

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1 March.................................Clark
"Belle of New York."
2 Caprice.................................Losey
"Dance of the Fireflies."
3 Recitation, "Sister and I"...............
Miss Lucy Hunt.
4 Selection from "Il Trovatore"...........Verdi
5 One act farce comedy......................
"Remember Benson."
6 "Pickinieles Patrol"...............Laurendeau
7 Selection...............Theo. Moses Tobane
"Daughter of the Regiment."
8 Recitation ....Wallace
"Ben Hur Chariot Race."
9 March.................................Wenstein
"Eleven O'Clock Toast."

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WORKINGMEN PETITION HIM TO APPEAR AND LISTEN TO GRIEVANCES.

Instead, He Sends Big Force of Troops, Who Charge Upon and Fire Volleys Into Mob in the Great Palace Square, Killing Hundreds.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.—Sunday was a day of unspeakable horror in St. Petersburg. The strikers of Saturday, goaded to desperation by a day of violence, fury and bloodshed, are in a state of open insurrection against the government. A condition almost bordering on civil war exists in the terror-stricken Russian capital. The city is under martial law, with Prince Vasilchikoff as commander of over 50,000 of the emperor's crack guards. Troops are bivouacking in the streets and at various places on the Nevsky Prospect, the main thoroughfare of the city. The empress dowager has hastily sought safety at Tsarskoe Selo, where Emperor Nicholas II. is living.

Men Met with Troops.

Minister of the Interior Sviatopolk-Mirsky presented to his majesty Saturday night the invitation of the workmen to appear at the winter palace Sunday afternoon and receive their petition; but the emperor's advisors already had taken a decision to show a firm and resolute front, and the emperor's answer to 100,000 workmen trying to make their way to the palace square on Sunday was a solid array of troops, who met them with rifle, bayonet and saber.

The Slaughter.

The latest estimates of the killed and wounded at the various points where the conflict raged are as follows:

	Killed.	Wounded.
At Narva gate......	300	500
At Morskaia gate....	1,000	1,500
At Nevsky gate.....	500	700
In Vassili district...	200	500
Scattering.........	100	1,700
Total	2,100	4,900

The priest Gopon, the leader and idol of the men, in his golden vestments, holding aloft the cross and marching at the head of thousands of workmen through the Narva gate, miraculously escaped a volley which laid low half a hundred persons.

Populace Infuriated.

The blood which crimsoned the snow has fired the brains and passions of the strikers and turned women as well as men into wild beasts and the cry of the infuriated populace is for vengeance. The sympathy of the middle classes is with the workmen.

The military authorities had a firm grip on every artery in the city. At daybreak guards, regiments, cavalry and infantry, held every bridge across the frozen Neva, the network of canals, which interlaces the city, and the gates leading from the industrial section, while in the palace square, at the storm center, were massed Dragoon regiments, infantry and Cossacks of the guards.

At the Palace Square.

When the correspondent arrived at the palace square early in the morning he found a considerable crowd of demonstrators already lining the railings of the admiralty garden and the boulevard. The square itself presented the appearance of a military encampment.

The crowd of strikers in and outside the admiralty gardens continued to grow hourly, swelled by arrivals from the Nevsky Prospect, which touches upon the boulevard skirting the gardens. The strikers manned and held a small edifice at the corner of the gardens and poured out constant objurgations and reproaches at the troops. It was in vain that officers requested them to disperse.

Bridge Cleared.

Every time the troops moved the strikers hissed them. Strikers also gathered at the entrance of the grand Norskaia and of the avenue leading to the Moika canal. The crowd at the latter place swelled to huge proportions, blocking the bridge across the canal. The order came at 1:30 p. m. to clear them off. The colonel commanding the horse guards uttered a short, sharp command: the troopers drew their swords and advanced at a quick trot, and then broke into a gallop, heading straight for the Moika, where they were lost in a cloud of snow. Shrieks from the wounded resounded. Then came a deadly silence, broken only by the galloping of ambulance horses.

Charge Ordered.

The next 20 minutes passed without incident. Nothing indicated the approach of the horrible butchery which was destined to stain the corner of the admiralty gardens with human blood. The crowd there persisted in refusing to move on clamoring for the emperor and continually hurling abuse at the troops, but attempted no violence. Two companies of the Proebranjensky guards, of which Emperor Nicholas himself was formerly colonel, which had been standing at ease in front of the palace, formed and marched at double quick towards the fatal corner. Events followed with awful swiftness.

Awful Butchery.

The commanding officer shouted: "Disperse! disperse! disperse!" Many in the crowd turned to flee, but it was too late. A bugle sounded and the men in the front ranks sank to their knees and both companies fired three volleys, the first two with blank cartridges and the last with ball. A hundred corpses strewed the sidewalk. Many women were pierced through the back as they were trying to escape. The correspondent, standing behind the troops, saw mangled corpses of persons of all ages and both sexes strewing the ground. One boy of 13 had his skull pierced and rent by bullets. Great splashes and streams of blood stained the snow. Only a few of the victims remained alive, for the fatal volley was fired at a distance of not more than 20 paces, and so the ambulances had little work to do. The police recruited a large number of droshkys (sleighs) to carry off the dead. Heartrending scenes were witnessed as wives, husbands and mothers came up to claim their dear ones, and were carried off with them in the sleighs. Meanwhile the crowd had drifted up the Nevsky Prospect yelling: "Murderers! murderers!" and the square resumed its calm aspect, the troops returning to their stations.

It was now the turn for the crowd stationed at the Morskaia entrance to the square, where the horse guards repeated the exploit with which they had cleared the Moika and drove the people pell mell down the thoroughfare. From thenceforward the palace square ceased to be the center of interest.

The troopers moved off down the street, the crowds shrieking, "murderous dogs," but quickly vanishing before them. A few who were wounded were picked up and conveyed to a drug store on the opposite corner of the Grand Morskaia and the Nevsky Prospect.

Officers Mobbed.

The wilder element in the crowd had now got the upper hand and proceeded to attack every officer in sight. A general, driving up the Nevsky Prospect, was mobbed with shouts of "murderer!" His sword was captured as a trophy, the crowd shouting "hurrah!" Another general was nearly dragged from his sleigh, but clutched the driver desperately, and in escaping was struck on the bald head by a glass bottle and stunned. Swords were wrenched from several passing officers and the crowd shouted: "Break their swords, but do not beat them."

The appearance of several companies of infantry restored order, but the crowd refused to disperse and several volleys were fired and a number of people killed.

Barricades Destroyed.

The correspondent was present when the first barricades were constructed on Vassil Ostrov island, where fighting occurred later, resulting in the killing of 30 of the defenders of the barricades.

HAY SAVES CHINA.

Secretary of State Sends Note to the Powers—Receives Satisfactory Answers.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Secretary Hay has secured positive assurances from the powers that there shall be no attempt made upon the integrity of Chinese territory. Recently it was reported that some of the powers contemplated extending the territorial possessions they already had in China at the conclusion of the war in order to maintain what they called the balance of power in the east, asserting that the outcome of the war would be a readjustment of Chinese territorial boundaries. A circular note was dispatched by Secretary Hay to the powers based on this information with the result that they have now all positively disclaimed any such intention.

A DEADLY AVALANCHE.

Mass of Rock Slides Into Lake in Norway Causing Death of Fifty-Nine Persons.

Christiana, Norway, Jan. 18.—Fifty-nine persons perished as the result of an avalanche of rocks at Naesdal, north of Bergen, Sunday. A mass of rock was suddenly precipitated into Loenvand lake from the neighboring hills, causing an immense wave 20 feet high, which swept the neighboring shores. Houses, people and cattle were swept away by the rush of water, and it is known that 59 persons perished. Thus far only four bodies have been recovered.

Death of a Noted Woman.

New York, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Clara C. Stranahan, founder of Barnard college for women, Columbia university and long identified otherwise with the higher education of women in this country, died at her home in Brooklyn Sunday of apoplexy, aged 73 years. Mrs. Stranahan was the widow of the late James S. T. Stranahan who from his benefactions and public spirit was known as "Brooklyn's first citizen." Mrs. Stranahan at one time was called "the best educated woman in the United States." She was a trustee, as well as the founder, of Barnard college and some years ago donated $25,000 to Michigan university as a memorial of her father, Seth Harrison.

Jealousy Causes Murder.

Charlotte, Mich., Jan. 19.—Charles Smith, a 21-year-old farmer, living near Eaton Rapids, shot and instantly killed Morton Kimes, aged 16 years, Tuesday night. Smith was married about ten months ago to a 15-year-old girl and it is said was jealous of Kimes. The shooting followed a scuffle in which Smith was the aggressor.

Barber's Deadly Revenge.

Cairo, Ill., Jan. 23.—George Carr, a colored barber and restaurant proprietor of this city, shot and killed Rev. Greer on Commercial avenue Sunday afternoon. Greer is the pastor of the colored "Do Right" church, and some time ago he eloped with Carr's wife. Carr had threatened to shoot Greer on sight.

Death of a Centenarian.

Cadillac, Mich., Jan. 18.—Ira Brown died at the home of his daughter here Tuesday, aged 100 years and eight months.

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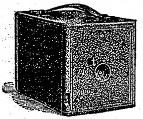

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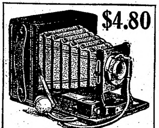

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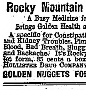

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REVELATIONS COME THROUGH PRESIDENT

Moses Thatcher's Difference with Mormons Explained — Witness Admits That Politics Was One of the Reasons.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Senator Reed Smoot resumed testimony in his own behalf Monday, Judge Tayler continuing the cross-examination.

Relative to the trial of Apostle Moses Thatcher, following his differences with the church over politics, Senator Smoot said he would not want to say politics was the principal cause of the differences, but was one of the reasons.

Judge Tayler asked if the fight against Thatcher was not led by the church, and the witness replied that the Deseret News, the church organ, charged Thatcher's candidacy was "anti-church."

Smoot Indorses Statements.

Judge Tayler took up the political manifesto, or the rule which required officials of the church to obtain a leave of absence, which Apostle Thatcher had disapproved and refused to obey.

As it was read, clause by clause, Senator Smoot indorsed the statements made by Thatcher.

Judge Tayler asked if Senator Smoot saw any criticism in the statement of Moses Thatcher that the church was getting out of its proper sphere in interfering in functions of the state.

"I do not think there was any charge that the church was trying to influence the action of the legislature," answered Senator Smoot. "That would be wrong and most reprehensible."

First President Supreme.

"The first presidency is supreme in everything pertaining to the church," said Senator Smoot in answer to a question by Chairman Burrows. He also said, in explanation: "Of course, when it comes to a question of revelation that is to be binding upon the people of the church, the president himself receives it and it must be accepted by the people."

"Do I understand you to say the apostles are not prophets?" asked Chairman Burrows.

"I say they are sustained as prophets, but I do not think a man is a prophet at any time unless he speaks by the spirit of prophecy. In other words, I do not believe that a man has always that spirit of prophecy with him."

"Do you think the president of the church communicates directly with God—has direct revelation?"

"If God desires to speak to his people it would be through the president of the church."

"Does God speak through the apostles in the same way?"

"Oh, not in the same way. An apostle has no more authority in a stake of Zion than its president has, unless sent by the head of the church to act in the stead of the stake president."

Senator Burrows interrogated Senator Smoot regarding the details of the endowment ceremony. The witness declared he believed them sacred and would never reveal them.

FOUR PERISH BY FIRE.

Terrible Result of Burning of a Farm Residence in Northern Wisconsin.

Iron River, Wis., Jan. 24.—The residence of George Barnes, one of the best known farmers in north Wisconsin, was burned early Sunday morning. Four persons perished. The dead are: Mrs. George Barnes, Jennie May Barnes, ager seven; Virginia Barnes, aged four; Miss Elsie Miestner, of Washburn, Wis., a school teacher.

Representative Stricken.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Representative Pearre, of Maryland, was stricken with epilepsy on the floor of the house Monday and was carried to the cloak room and attended by Dr. Godfrey Hunter, a member of the house from Kentucky. Owing to the confusion and excitement a recess of ten minutes was taken. Mr. Pearre revived rapidly and was taken to his home. Dr. Hunter later diagnosed Mr. Pearre's attack as nervous convulsions.

Trouble Amicably Settled.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—After a conference of less than an hour's duration Monday between General Manager Atterbury, of the Pennsylvania railroad, and Grand Master Morrissey, Vice Grand Master Lee and the board of adjustment of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Mr. Morrissey announced that the differences between the company and the men have been amicably settled.

Bank Closed, Cashier Suicides.

Columbus, O., Jan. 24.—Charles M. Houseman, cashier of the East Side savings bank, shot himself Monday in his room. The suicide is said to be due to business worry. A run was started on the bank when the bank was closed by orders of the court.

Village Almost Wiped Out.

Milwaukee, Jan. 24.—The village of Brookfield, about 12 miles west of this city, was nearly wiped out by fire Monday. The approximate loss is estimated at $30,000, partly covered by insurance.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

State Fair Officers.

The three-day meeting of the state agricultural society closed with a business session, during which the election of officers took place. President C. N. Cosgrove of Le Sueur and First Vice President B. F. Nelson of Minneapolis were re-elected by acclamation and C. M. Griggs of St. Paul was elected second vice president.

The office of second vice president is the St. Paul office of the society, and has been filled during the past six years by Chester R. Smith. Mr. Smith was a candidate for another term and Mr. Griggs was presented as the representative of the jobbers and the manufacturers. Mr. Griggs was elected by a vote of 128 to 74.

Two new members of the board of managers were elected. G. W. Patterson of Worthington was chosen in place of J. C. Curryer of St. Paul, and D. S. Hall of Buffalo Lake was chosen to succeed N. S. Gordon of Crookston. Both will hold office for three years.

Pensions.

Excellent work has been done by the adjutant general's department in securing pensions for soldiers, their widows and families, according to the report on pensions for the last two years issued by the department. The work has been under the supervision of Maj. Oscar Seebach, assistant adjutant general.

During the last two years there were filed 1,382 new claims, of which 982 were granted and 394 rejected. A comparison with the reports of other years shows that this is the greatest number of pensions ever granted through the agency of the adjutant general's office in the history of the state.

The report shows an increase of 300 per cent over the work done in this division during the previous year. The claims granted during the last two years represent an aggregate annual income to the pensioners of $34,530.

Thieves at the Capitol.

Vandals and thieves are already getting in their work at the new capitol building. Among the crowds of people who have visited the structure in the past two weeks there have been some whose instinct for curios was stronger than conscience. The capitol commission employees have already missed several of the ornamental brass doorknobs with which the building is fitted.

Some bold persons seem to have actually walked away with handsome chairs. The new capitol is full of workmen and men are carrying furniture in and out every day, so almost any one can pick up a chair and walk out with it and not attract attention. Either some furniture has gone astray in delivery, or else some thief has taken chances by carrying chairs away in plain sight of hundreds of people.

His Face For a Label.

Gov. Johnson has been asked repeatedly since election that he allow his name and picture to be used upon cigar boxes as a label for a new brand of smokes.

More than one dozen applications of this nature have been received by Frank A. Day, private secretary, and like applications for office, they have been placed on file until the governor gets leisure to decide whether he wants to go down to posterity as the champion of the weed.

Gov. Johnson has been too busy to give them a thought, but it is intimated that the manufacturs will have to cast around for a new name for their products.

To Aid Reserves.

Two bills will be introduced to the present legislature relating to the Minnesota naval reserves. One will be a code bill for the government of the naval militia. It realy will be an amendment to the naval reserve bill of 1899, except that it will provide for an appriation of about $10,000 a year for maintenance. The reserves will have the United Sates ship Fern for a training ship on Lake Superior next season, and will have her or some other government vessel permanently. The naval reserves have spent $400 themseves, in addition to what the city of Duluth and the government has done and are doing.

Beet Sugar.

Eight and one-half million pounds of sugar is the estimated output of sugar at the Minnesota Beet Sugar company mill, St. Louis Park, for the season of 1904. The crushing period, which usually lasts about 100 days and ends about Jan. 1, will this year continue about ten days longer, marking the season as the most successful in the history of the industry. The per cent of sugar in last year's beets averaged 12.5, varying from 14 to 17.75. The quality of the sugar is "chemically pure," and has been pronounced by New York experts as the finest on the market.

News Notes.

New rules for the pardon board are made in a house bill.

State employment bureaus are provided for in a house bill.

Duluth national bank teller and $10,000 are missing and defalcation is charged.

Duluth citizens are engaged in a court house site war. The contention is between those who would like to have the new half-million-dollar court house built on the old court house site, and those who would have it on a site nearer the business center.

It has been definitely decided by the Standard Lumber company, of Bemidji, not to erect a saw mill on the reservation, as originally planned. All logs will be shipped by rail to Grand Rapids and floated down the Mississippi to the company's mills at Dubuque.

TWO LONG-LIVED WAITERS.

Living Contradiction of a Theory That Is Entertained by Some People.

One of New York's oldest waiters does much to contradict the theory that waiters are short lived, says the Sun.

A recent change in the management of a Broadway hotel has brought him to the Tenderloin, where for the first time he serves the patrons of a cafe. He has passed the greater part of the 30 years that he has worked here in the hotels on upper Fifth avenue.

Twenty-five years ago he was in the old Windsor, and used to look after the Columbia college men who frequented the hotel then. He was known to many classes of students, and his acquaintance made in the other hotels to which he afterward wandered is comprehensive.

There is scarcely an uptown hotel in which he has not been employed, and he was just as gray 20 years ago as he is to-day. He is quite as active now, too, as he ever was, and few younger men are able to get about so spryly as he.

One of the most popular waiters in a cafe on Broadway is the oldest man in the place. He was for many years in Delmonico's, an establishment which parts with its men more rarely than any other. But for some reason he did not get along with Phillippe, and took a place in the new French restaurant when it was opened two years ago.

Many men have come and gone in that time, but Paul finds his services always in demand. His clients wait until one of his tables is vacant in order that they may have his attention and skill in mixing a salad.

Both of these men are long past the age at which they might be thought to be most efficient. But they are able to earn more than their youthful colleagues.

Old waiters are not as a rule so capable, however, as younger men, mainly because they are likely to be bad tempered.

German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land forces.

On the Russian side it is calculated that the active field army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns.

On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 men and 780 guns.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

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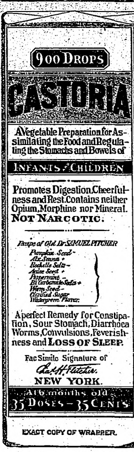

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A reception day is rigorously kept, and much entertaining at dinner and dejeuner may be done, but always of a formal character. A person having the penetrating qualities of a book agent might venture to try "dropping in" on a French woman on a day when she is not regularly receiving, but in the natural course of ordinary social experience in Paris this would never happen, says Flora McDonald Thompson in Harper's Bazar.

Such order of living readily permits great economy. One has not to waste time, good clothes or house room in daily preparation for the unexpected guest. Six days of the week a French woman may run her sewing machine in the middle of her salon if she likes, secure from the interruption of chance callers. It is said that the chief function of the petit salon of a Paris apartment is to provide storage room for ball gowns which on reception days are taken down from the chandelier and locked up in a bedroom till the guests have departed.

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The hemlock is their pasture, and they make beaten paths going to and fro between the tree and their home. Once up in a tree the porcupine goes out on the big limbs and, pulling the small branches in with one paw, browses on the pungent leaves. In going through the woods you will find little piles of these fine leaves on the ground under hemlock trees. That means that a porcupine is feeding in the tree, the leaves on the ground being dropped from his feast.

Sometimes a porcupine will remain in a hemlock tree for a week at a time, hugging close to the trunk at night and feeding during the day. This curious little beast is the only known living thing that eats the foliage of the hemlock.

DANGER SPOTS IN A STORM.

Places to Avoid When the Lightning Is Flashing.

Out of doors trees should be avoided in a thunderstorm, and if from the rapidity with which the explosion follows the flash it is evident that electric clouds are near at hand a recumbent posture is the safest. It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts or low buildings or under the arch of a bridge, and a distance of twenty or thirty feet from tall trees or houses is an eligible situation, for should a discharge take place these elevated bodies are most likely to receive it.

It is well also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream may determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room or when standing on a thick hearth rug. The chimney should be avoided on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it, and gilt moldings or bell wires are sources of risk. In bed we are tolerably safe, since blankets and feathers are bad conductors.

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JIMMY MAGUIRE'S LAST JOB

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When Jimmy Maguire—by which name they knew him at McCoy's—came downstairs into the office carrying a suit case of considerable weight and wearing on his freckled face an air of virtue which was glaringly artificial, the clerk behind the desk looked him over carefully and then deliberately dropped one eyelid.

At McCoy's hotel, which is near the water front, the guests are very seldom questioned on any matter, but on this particular afternoon there was no one save the clerk in the office when Jimmy entered. It was because the clerk's acquaintance with Jimmy extended over a period of seven years that the gentleman behind the desk inquired casually:

"Anything on, Jimmy?"

"I'm getting my clothes pressed for Sunday," said Jimmy meekly.

The clerk laughed spasmodically.

"Anything funny in that?" Jimmy inquired peevishly. "Can't I get my clothes pressed for Sunday?"

"Course, Jimmy, course," the clerk tittered. "Going to get 'em pressed in town?"

"Maybe," said Jimmy, walking over to a rack of time tables and spreading out a folder.

Two hours later Jimmy Maguire and his suit case were speeding through the early evening gloom on a southbound train. The smoker was nearly deserted, and in the dim light of the lamps Jimmy was examining a plan crudely drawn on the back of an envelope. In one place on the rough map was a heavy cross, and near it was drawn an arrow, along whose shaft ran these words: "Alley here. Enter third window from this end."

Jimmy folded the envelope carefully and placed it in an inner pocket. Then he lay back and dozed until the brakeman called "Redpath!" Jimmy caught up the suit case and alighted.

He went down the dark street from the station, took the first left, then the second right, as the map had directed, and suddenly stopped before a squat brick building. In the dim light of a neighboring street lamp he read the tarnished gilt sign beneath the cornice, "Redpath County Loan and Construction Company." He went to the rear and found the alley indicated on the map. He also found the third window which was mentioned. He pulled out his watch.

"Quarter past 10," he mused. "Whole town's in bed probably. This is too easy!"

In a few moments Jimmy was inside and standing before the heavy door of a vault which he was examining critically.

"Dynamite nothing," he mused to himself. "'Twon't take me thirty minutes to open that."

Jimmy went swiftly and quietly to work. In just twenty-six minutes from the time he opened the suit case he swung open the door of the vault. He took one step forward and then staggered back, for out of the vault tottered a young woman, who stood beside him swaying to and fro. Jimmy sprang forward and caught her just as she fell.

He laid her gently on the floor, with his coat beneath her head. Then he brought water from a faucet he found in the inner office and deftly laved her wrists and temples. Presently she opened her eyes and sat up.

"Pretty narrow squeak that," said Jimmy cheerfully.

"Where—where are the rest?" she asked dazedly.

Jimmy brought a chair and lifted her into it.

"I know all about it," he said soothingly. "You work here, and some one accidentally locked you in the vault at closing time. I confess I didn't expect to find you in there when I opened it. I came of my own accord, you understand, for quite another purpose."

"Oh!" she gasped and regarded him with wide opened eyes. "It was just in time for me anyway. I couldn't have lived in there much longer."

Jimmy had risen and was putting his tools in his suit case, after which he shut the door of the vault.

"I have interrupted your—your business," she said.

Jimmy smiled. He noted she was a very pretty girl. There was something, too, in the way she accepted the situation that won his admiration.

"Really," he said, "I'm not in the mood for work tonight. If you feel able to stay alone here for a moment I'll call a carriage to take you home."

The girl gave him a grateful look.

"I didn't realize there were gentlemen in your—your profession," she said. "But I fear you'll run too much risk in getting the carriage. You'd better not go."

"Nonsense," laughed Jimmy and disappeared through the window.

It was two years from the night that Jimmy Maguire and his suit case left McCoy's that Mr. Andrew Rider—"Silent Andy," more commonly—opened a letter in the office of the same hotel and read as follows:

> Dear Andy—You remember that job you put me next to down in Redpath. Well, what do you think I got out of that vault? Old boy, it was a wife, the best and sweetest woman in the world. We were married here in Redpath last Tuesday. You see, she was accidentally locked in that vault I cracked, and I cracked it just in time to save her too.
>
> As I hope for peace and happiness the rest of my days, Andy, I've been an honest man from the moment I first looked into her eyes.
>
> This note is to let you know what has become of me and also to inform you that I have found the best way to live—straight. I wish you would meet me at Southport some day and take away that case of tools. My regards to all the boys.
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SIDNEY H. COLE.

GROWTH OF SWEARING HABIT

Striking Phenomenon of the English Life of To-Day—Is Steadily Becoming More Pronounced.

One of the most striking phenomena of English life at the present day is the habitual use of bad language by many workingmen.

It is a habit which is daily becoming more pronounced, and an East End clergyman suggests that it is due to a desire on the part of the workingman to be picturesque and emphatic, and that it might be eradicated by a more thorough teaching of the English language in the elementary schools.

"There can be no doubt that the use of bad language is increasing, especially in towns," said Max Pemberton. "That may be due to the more crowded conditions of life. The man living in town has more experiences and sensations than the agricultural laborer. I think there is little doubt that England takes first place for bad language. The old swears used in Sheridan's plays—'Zounds,' 'oddsfish,' and so on—have fallen out of use, and stronger words have taken their place. One reason, probably, is that nothing has been done for the past 30 years to check the use of bad language, and it is the easiest habit to fall into, and one that grows. It ought to be stopped, and I think that a sharp campaign, with a fine of £1 for every offense, would strike the imagination of the workingman and induce him to leave out the bad words. The strangest feature of the phenomenon is the meaninglessness of many of the expressions used. Some one might draw up a new list of forcible but harmless expressions. The educated man, of course, has an advantage. A man with the latest edition of Murray's dictionary could knock the average bricklayer into fits."

NEW POWERFUL ANESTHETIC

Eucaine Renders Patient Unconscious to Pain, But Leaves Him Conscious During Its Use.

The recent discovery of eucaine, a powerful anesthetic, is looked upon as another scientific triumph.

It will make possible operations which might not otherwise take place owing to heart weakness, for the patient remains conscious during its use, although, of course, those parts of the body to which it is applied are insensible to pain. It will also give the surgeon more time for his work, and do away with certain people's conscientious objections to anesthetics.

Although it can be used for amputations, it will probably be most useful for treatment of the thyroid glands. In such operations the use of chloroform is often impracticable.

A successful operation of this kind which was recently performed with eucaine in a London hospital lasted nearly an hour and a half.

Eucaine is injected by a hypodermic needle under the skin at the place where the incision is to be made. After a few moments the skin may be cut without the patient feeling anything. As different and deeper parts are exposed the drug is dropped at intervals of a few minutes.

To the observer the operation appears similar to those of the days before chloroform, as the patient is conscious and now and again makes some remark. The eyes are covered with a cloth to minimize nervousness, and the patient is strapped to the operating table to prevent involuntary movements. He is conscious, but he cannot feel.

PEARL-FISHING IN SOUTH.

Amateur Divers Reap Rich Rewards in Tennessee River by Simple Method.

Fishing for pearls in Clinch river, in Tennessee, has begun. The river has been low, but the rains have caused the stream to swell and made fishing more difficult.

More fishing will be done this summer on Clinch river than ever before. Inexperienced fishers often destroy mussels which if untouched might produce valuable pearls. The industry has shown signs of waning on Clinch river, although one of the most valuable pearls ever found in this region was picked up last summer.

Fishers become expert in detecting the value of their finds. Small skiffs are sent out a short distance from the bank, and the pearl hunters dive for the gems. When the boat is loaded with mussels it is rowed to the bank and the finds are investigated.

The season opens with the coming of warm weather and continues until September, but the best of the season is in July, August and September. Some hunters have become wealthy, but the work is now overdone by inexperienced fishers. Knoxville jewelers make a business of handling the pearls found in East Tennessee.

Better Be Blind.

The Chicago minister who felt it was his bounden Christian duty to speak to the ladies of his congregation in a most confidential, heart-to-heart manner concerning their petty faults and foibles, has now had it made clear to him that he had better be listening for a call to some other pulpit. "Never be critical upon the ladies," was the maxim of an Irish peer, remarkable for his homage to the sex. "The only way that a gentleman should look at the faults of a pretty woman is—with his eyes shut."

Tibbles in the Wrong Camp.

We learn, remarks the Indianapolis Sentinel, that Tom Watson has been nominated for president by the populists. And a man named Tibbles goes along with him. Tibbles ought, in the eternal fitness of things, to be on the ticket with Swallow.

Two Through Tourist Cars to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway offers choice of two through tourist cars every week to California, one leaving Minneapolis and St. Paul Tuesdays via Omaha and the Rock Island Route, arriving San Francisco 5:20 p. m., Saturday; the other leaving on Thursdays via Kansas City and the Santa Fe route, arriving at Los Angeles 8:25 a. m. Monday. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

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On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, January to April inclusive, the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell one way tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia at very low rates. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

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Notice of Contest of County Seat Removal.

To whom it may concern:

Whereas, a notice signed by Chas. M. Evenson, Lars Backe, D. N. Winton and others, dated January 25th, 1905, has been posted, published and given, in the county of Red Lake, stating that it is the intention of said signers and others to circulate a petition the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said county of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situate in Township 154, North, of Range 43 West in said county and state; and proceedings have been begun to effect such change;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, legal voters of said county, with other legal voters thereof, desire to, and will, contest such proposed removal of the county seat of said county from its present location to said City of Thief River Falls, and to that effect, will, with other legal voters of said county, on Saturday, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1905, begin the circulation of a Remonstrance among the legal voters of said county, addressed to the Board of County Commissioners thereof, remonstrating against, and objecting to, the removal of the county seat of said county from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls aforesaid, and to any further proceedings in said matter; and will take such further steps as may be necessary in the premises.

Dated January 26th, 1905.

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JOSEPH HELM,
WM. FINDEISEN,
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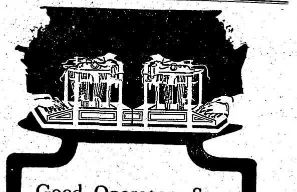

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Suggestive Names.

The Coxcomb mountains of British Honduras, to some extent an unknown part of the famous Mahogany coast, are undergoing a process of christening which will identify them for all times with the begining of the twentieth century. One range has just been named the Queen Alexandra mountains, another range takes the name of the Prince of Wales, and a 4,000 foot peak has been named Mount Joseph Chamberlain.

Poison Made Body Luminous.

At the inquest of a man who died at the London Hospital recently from swallowing rat poison it developed that the whole of his body was luminous in the dark. The rat poison contained phosphorus.

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INJUNCTION WOULDN'T HOLD

Thief River Falls Fails to Sustain Injunction Proceeding Brought Before Judge Watts.

Red Lake Falls has first blood. Tuesday evening Judge Watts in his chambers at Crookston dismissed the action brought by Thief River Falls for an injunction against the county commissioners and the county officials to prevent them from paying for the court house property purchased last month.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton and County Attorney Germo appeared for Red Lake Falls, and they moved that the case be dismissed on the grounds of the insuffciency of the affidavit upon which the complaint was made. The affidavit was verified upon information and belief rather than upon absolute truth and facts, and was held by the court to be insuffieient, hence the dismissal of the proceedings.

The next proceeding on the part of Thief River Falls cannot be guessed. So far they have been outwitted and outgeneraled at every turn, and there is danger that may tire of making a losing fight before many weeks.

A Million Messages a Day.

About a million measages a day are sent over the world's telegraph lines. Great Britain heads the list with 92,000,000 dispatches a year, with the United States a close second with 91,331,000 messages. It is only sixty years since the first message was sent by the Morse alphabet from Baltimore to Washington and yet this enormous development. In less time still golden grain belt beer has reached its present phoenomenal position as the leading beverage from the health stand-point as well as on account of its delicacy as a table beverage. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Washington School Notes.

Harry Anderson and Clara Bourdon reporters.

On Thursday afternoon no one was tardy or absent. Wonderful!

The Sixth grade had an examination in geography Wednesday afternoon.

The Fifth grade is studying the northern states of the Mississippi valley in Geography.

Prof. Healy has started to read a new book entitled "Silent Pete" to the Fifth and Sixth grades.

In the Sixth grade history test some of the papers were very good and will be shown on visiting day.

The Fifth and Sixth grades did well in selling tickets for the high school play, disposing of $11.60 worth.

The Fifth and Sixth grades had an examination in Language Friday afternoon, covering three months' work.

The Third and Sixth grades won the banners for attendance last month, but the Fourth and Fifth grades lost theirs.

The boys who play foot-ball came in quite late Wednesday at recess so the teacher took away the ball for the last few days of the week.

Matthew Kotschever returned to the Sixth grade Monday morning. He left school the first week in October. We are glad to see him back again.

The Sixth grade received the geography examination papers Friday afternoon and were very much disappointed in the markings. The lowest was 16 and the highest 89. The papers will be kept for visiting day.

To My Patrons.

I shall need the money that is coming to me in the near future, and trust that all knowing themselves indebted to THE COURIER will come in or send remittance at once. All bills contracted previous to February 1 will be paid by the undersigned. After that date the new firm of King & Chase will be responsible for bills contracted by THE COURIER.

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INDIANS GET MONEY.

Coin for 1,365 Reds on Red Lake Reservation.

The first payment on account of the ceded eleven townships of the Red Lake reservation, adjacent to Thief River Falls, thrown open for settlement last fall, will be made at Red Lake agency Tuesday. The payment will amount to between $60,000 and $115,000, depending upon whether payment is made to adults only or to children as well. There are 1,365 Indians, including children, to participate in the payment, these Indians being the ones who were removed from the ceded eleven townships about a year ago.

Major Scott left Bemidji Monday morning to take charge of the payment. Checks will be issued directly to the Indians on the first National bank of Chicago.

The scene at an Indian payment is an extraordinary one. The Indians come from their homes across the lake to the agencies in a body and camp in tents and tepees during the payment and for several days afterwards. The money is drawn by the braves, and except for a trifling reservation for tobacco, is immediately turned over to the squaws, who at once began to buy. Many of them will sit on the floors of the stores all day long buying at intervals whatever catches their fancy. It is said to be not an infrequent sight to see little children enter the stores with a $5 bill and look about for something to buy. Entire families stay at the agency until tyeir money is spent.

About a dozen merchants left Bemidji this morning for the agency to display their wares and to obtain a share of the Indian trade. The bulk of the trading will be completed within a week.

A Menace to Health.

Kidney trouble is an insidious danger, and many people are victims of a serious malady before the symptoms are recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure, correct irregularities and strengthens and builds up the kidneys, and it should be taken at the first indication of kidney trouble, as it is impossible to have good health if the kidneys are deranged. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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WAS A SUCCESS.

Band Concert Tuesday Evening an Enjoyable Affair.

The band concert Tuesday evening at the opera house was a big success and was highly enjoyed by these present. The program was carried out as announced in a very creditable manner. and every number received hearty applause. The boys played well, handling the selections, as well as the lighter music, in a creditable manner.

Recitations by J. D. Marshall and Miss Lucy Hunt were features of the entertainment, and both numbers won the hearty approval of the audience. Prof. Onstad gave a clarinet solo by request of his numerous admirers, and his performance was up to his usual high standard. A one-act farce comedy entitled "Remember Hanson," in which Sam. S. Haislet, J. D. Marshall and Dan C. Johnson took part furnished the laughter for the occasion. A dancing party enjoyed themselves after the program was rendered.

PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

J. J. Kordahl was over from St. Hilaire on Thursday to transact some real estate business with Julius Pleth.

George Bender, of Equality, was here Thursday on his way home from Wisconsin where he has been visiting for some weeks.

The appointment of John E. King as state librarian was confirmed by the senate early this week. The confirmation was held up for awhile because he had said things about certain republicans. The opposition found out that he had only been practising upon vituperation preparatory to the county seat fight and withdrew their demand that he be not confirmed.

Ralph Green spent the begining of the week at Red Lake Falls transacting personal business and arranging for a physician to come to Plummer and examine a dozen or so of applicants for membership in the Plummer camp of the M. B. A. These new members are secured through Mr. Green's hustling qualities as camp deputy and he is not near through yet.

On last Monday evening at 8 o'clock Rev. Herman P. Fisher, of Crookston held divine service in the Adolph Nelson building. He was greeted by a large and attentive audience, and delivered an able sermon, pleasing all who heard him. This was Plummer's first church service in the English language. Rev. Fisher is an earnest and conscientious speaker and all who heard him on Monday evening hope to hear him again in the near future.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all outstanding warrants drawn against Ditch No. 21, Red Lake county, Minnesota, are now payable and interest will cease upon said warrants from date hereof.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 31st day of January, A. D. 1905.

KARL M. HANSEN, County Treasurer.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, all others are mere imitations, H. E. BUCKLEN & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

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Rev. C. Sund, of Harrisville, Wis., writes that Gloria Tonic, the new rheumatism cure, in tablet form, cured two members of his congregation, one had suffered 16, the other 25 years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

INVESTIGATING RATES.

Senate and House Joint Committee Looking into the Matter.

The legislature has appointed a joint committee of the senate and house, of which Senator A. O. Eberhart is chairman, to investigate transportation and traffic rates in this state, with the view of ascertaining any unjust rates, or discrimination in rates, that may exist, and advising the enactment of such legislation as may be necessary to correct such evil, either by granting increased powers to the railroad and warehouse commission, or by other legislation.

This committee has now organized and is holding its sessions at the railroad committee room of the senate, at the new capitol. It requests that the people of this state who are interested in this matter shall cooperate with the committee in making this investigation thorough and effective. The committee proposes, so far as it is concerned, to thoroughly sift the charges made that transportation and express rates are excessive and that various parts of the state are unjustly discriminated against by these rates. To do this the committee must be furnished with the evidence, or at least with complaints put in such tangible shape that the committee can intelligently act upon them. The committee calls upon the shippers and others of this state who are interested in seeing this question of rates and unjust discrimination fully and fairly presented to the committee, to formulate their charges, making them as specific as possible and sending them to the chairman of the committee. The committee will then take the matter up and make a thorough, careful and complete investigation of each charge.

Bryan's Greatness.

Fairmont Sentinel: Bryan never showed his greatness to better advantage than in his recent call upon Democrats to support President Roosevelt in his fight for more just and equitable railway transportation rates. This is one of the things Democrats have for years been fighting for and only the peanut politician will hold back because someone in another party happens to be leading the fight.

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There's pretty girl in an Alpine hat,
A sweeter girl with a sailor brim.
But the handsomest girl you'll ever see,
Is the sensible who uses Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

MEANS BUSINESS.

New Dairy Commissioner Tells of His Plans.

E. K. Slater, recently appointed dairy and food commissioner, recently announced the policy of the new dairy and food commission. The co-operation of every citizen in the state is asked in order that the laws may be impartially and rigidly enforced. He states:

"The policy of the new dairy and food commission is to be one of education, rather than prosecution. The intent of our dairy and food laws is to bring our food products up to the highest possible standard of perfection, and we believe this can be better accomplished by a campaign of education and co-operation than by the use of the "big stick." Every man who is interested in the work and who desires and strives honestly to co-operate with us on bringing about these results, which mean so much to the people of the state, will recieve every assistance and encouragement within our power. Those who wilfully violate the dairy and food laws, or who neglect to follow out their purport, with a view to private gain, will receive none of the consideration due those who aim to do what is right.

"A plan will be worked out in the pure food work whereby the consumer will become educated in regard to the different brands of food products and will also be enabled to acquaint himself with the requirements of the law in regard to the different articles. We hope to acquaint both consumer and producer with such requirements to such an extent that one will demand goods of high quality, and the other will not produce an article of inferior quality because of a lack demand, as well as on account of the laws which may govern its production.

"In the dairy work of the department we shall aim to co-operate with the other institutions and agencies working in this state for the education of the producer and manufacturer of our dairy products and with a view toward the further establishment of Minnesota as a dairy state and still further enhancing her reputation for purity and excellence in her dairy products.

"We shall expect such service from every member of the department as would be required in the business walks of life from any amply paid employe, and we shall have no sinecures.

"We ask for the hearty co-operation of every citizen interested in the further upholding of this important branch of the state government."

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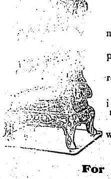

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A man and his wife may be one, but they can't wear the same pair of trousers.

It takes a woman to say "dear" in a tone that makes it sound like a cuss word.

The difference between a skin and a complection is that you can get the latter at a drug store.

Even the girl who cannot boil water without burning it, will not admit that she can't cook.

The woman who holds her skirt high on a rainy day usually has three good reasons for it. One of them is the mud.

If you don't notice each time your wife changes the style of wearing her hair, she begins to think that you no longer love her.

Men wear clothes for comfort, women for adornment. Men adjust their clothes to their figures; women adjust their figures to their clothes.

When a pretty girl is careful to pull her skirts down so that her feet won't show it is a sign that she has on an old pair of shoes.

There are lots of old bachelors who would charge at the belching cannon's mouth who will tremble at the approach of a baby.

For Years and Years,

The North-Western Line has been recognized as a most progressive road. It was the first to operate Pullman sleeping cars, dining cars. compartment cars, buffet library cars and parlor cars between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago. The continuation of their progressive methods is evidenced by the elegance of the famous electric lighted North-Western Limited with its perfect equipment and the many conveniences to be enjoyed on this peer of all fine trains.

England's Postal Savings Banks.

One thousand million pounds or $5,000,000,000 is the estimated amount of money to the credit of the thrifty poor and the working classes in Europe which invested fund is backed up by the security of the government of each country. Of this sum no less than two hundred million pounds sterling, or $1,000,000,000 represent the amount invested in the Postoffice Savings Bank of Great Britain and Ireland, and savings banks with almost equally good security.

The history of the savings banks of England is one of the most beautiful chapters of English progress, and like the story of the Penny-Post is a triumph for the English people in setting an example to the rest of the civilized world which has been eagerly followed.

Taking the population of Great Britain and Ireland at slightly over 40,000,000, we find that one person in every four and one-half has deposits in the postoffice savings banks, and that the average amount desposited by each poor person is exactly £15 10s 10d. Statistics are generally dull, but these must be most interesting and gratifying to all who have the welfare of mankind at heart.—J. Hermiker Heaton, M. P., in Arena Magazine.

BOILS AND ERUPTIONS

Have been suffering from Impure Blood for many years, having Boils and other Eruptions. Having heard of S. S. S. I decided to try it, and am glad to say that it has done me a great deal of good. I intend to continue to use it, as I believe it to be the best Blood Medicine on the market.

Cleveland, Tenn. W. K. DETERS.

For over fifteen years I have suffered more or less from Impure Blood. About a year ago I had a boil appear on my leg below the knee, which was followed by three more on my neck. I saw S. S. S. advertised and decided to try it. After taking three bottles all Boils disappeared and I have not been troubled any since.

GEO. G. FERTIG.
114 W. Jefferson St., Louisville, Ky.

Newark, Ohio, May 23, 1903.

From childhood I had been bothered with bad blood, skin eruptions and boils. I had boils ranging from five to twenty in number each season. The burning accompanying the eruption was terrible. S. S. S. seemed to be just the medicine needed in my case. It drove out all impurities and bad blood, giving me permanent relief from the skin eruption and boils. This has been ten years ago, and I have never had a return of the disease.

MRS. J. D. ATHERTON.

SSS Write for our book on blood and skin diseases.

Medical advice or any special information about your case will cost you nothing.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

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Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr, King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25c at All druggists. try them.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Leo Steinert, Theo. Majeres, and C. F, Johnson, under the name of the Northern Minnesota Milling Company, at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, has been dissolved, all property of the company including the name, good will, and accounts due them having been sold and disposed of to H. H, Zaiser, who will con the business. All liabilities of the firm will be paid by the aforesaid former members.

Dated Jan. 18th, 1905.

Northern Minnesota Milling Co.
Leo Steinert,
Theo. Majeres.

Stone Wanted.

The undersigned will contract for stone to be delivered during winter at mill. Red Lake Falls Milling Co. tf

School tablets of all kinds at the Courier stationery store.

Notice of Contest of County Seat Removal.

To whom it may concern:

Whereas, a notice signed by Chas. M. Evenson, Lars Backe, D. N. Winton and others, dated January 25th, 1905, has been posted, published and given, in the county of Red Lake, stating that it is the intention of said signers and others to circulate a petition the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said county of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situate in Township 154, North. of Range 43 West in said county and state; and proceedings have been begun to effect such change;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, legal voters of said county, with other legal voters thereof, desire to, and will, contest such proposed removal of the county seat of said county from its present location to said City of Thief River Falls, and to that effect, will, with other legal voters of said county, on Saturday, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1905, begin the circulation of a Remonstrance among the legal voters of said county, addressed to the Board of County Commissioners thereof, remonstrating against, and objecting to, the removal of the county seat of said county from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls aforesaid, and to any further proceedings in said matter; and will take such further steps as may be necessary in the premises.

Dated January 26th, 1905.

J. A. DUFFY,
FRED BORCHERS
E. G. STORAASLI,
JOSEPH HELM,
WM. FINDEISEN,
A. J. POULIOT,
SIMON PAUL,
W. H. KRUEGER,
FRED ZAISER,
OTTO ZAISER,
CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
P. B. GAASS,
P. F. POULIOT,
S. L. LEWIS,
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CHAS. N. BOURDON,
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JOHN GRADY,
F. A. GRADY,
A. P. TOUPIN,
THEO. LABISSONIERE
W. A. McINTYRE,
J. H. PARADIS,
H. H. ZAISER,
J. M. BRAY,
J. H. BLAKE,
W. A. SCHREITER.

To Whom it May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON Saturday, the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905, the undersigned, along with other legal voters of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, will begin the circulation of a petition among the legal voters of said County of Red Lake, addressed to the county commissioners thereof, the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said County of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situated in Township 154 North of Range 43 West, in said County and State.

Dated, January 25th, 1905.

CHAS. M. EVENSON,
LARS BACKE,
D. N. WINTON,
JOHN MORGAN,
C. J. KNOX,
MATT BARZEN,
W. J. LABREE,
ALEX A. SWEAAS.

Notice of Abatement.

WHEREAS, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a plat showing in green color the streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of said streets, alleys and public grounds upon the grounds that The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company is the owner of all the property abutting on the parts of said streets, alleys and public grounds to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated for the construction of railway tracks thereover and thereon:

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at a regular meeting thereof, to be held in the city hall of said City of Red Lake Falls, on the 16th day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appear and be heard.

The streets, alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line of the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's addition to said Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) of said Champagne & Dow's addition easterly of the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne & Dow's addition.

All that part of Saint John Avenue extending from the southerly line of First street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of St. John Avenue to said Clearwater river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne & Dow's addition and block four (4) of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow Avenue.

All that part of Dow Avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city.

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow Avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All of the alley in block seven (7) in Champagne. Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All that part of Gieriet Avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of, of Sibley avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street

Dated at the office of the City Clerk January 16th 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN
j19f9 City Clerk.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903 at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
901 Pioneer Press Building.
d29-f9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors; to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 60 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
d29-f9 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 59 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit:

The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

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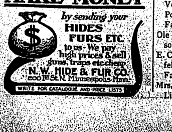

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God looks behind the sum given to see the heart of the giver.

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The man who reaps joy today is the man who sowed smiles yesterday.

The best way to measure a man is to put him alongside a big issue.

A brave man is always willing to admit that he is afraid to do wrong.

A lot of men expect to wear crowns because their wives bore heavy crosses.

When a congregation goes to sleep it is a sign that it is time to wake up the preacher.

It's a selfish man who insists on sharing the benefits without helping to bear the expense.

We know men who never do good with their right hands for fear their left hands will find it out.

Whenever a man offers as an excuse for wrong doing that he is a victim of environment it is generally safe to guess that he chose the environment.

The greatest successes some men achieve are their failures. And some men fail most lamentably when they succeed in accomplishing their objects.

As a general proposition it is not difficult to ascertain the party who is in the wrong in a labor dispute. Just spot the one who is not willing to meet the other half way.

When we hear a man making fun of what the average woman carries in her pocketbook we feel like offering him something to make a showing of what he has in his sixteen or twenty pockets.

Edgar Howard, one of the democratic editors in the west, defends the dress suit on the ground that it is the most democratic garment a man can wear. He says that when men wear dress suits you can not tell the chief guest from the head waiter.

A Lincoln mother who has two little daughters recently began scolding because they kept the house in a constant litter with their toys. One of the little ones looked up and asked: "Mamma, which would you rather have, your two little girls or a clean house?"

Electricity not a Success.

Mr. F. Faerber, of Concordia Publ., House, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Rheumatism cannot be cured by electricty. I have tried it for years. I used Gloria Tonic and it completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending Jan. 28, 1904.

Tennis Leroux to Mary Leroux, ne¼ Sec. 34-150-42	$3200 00
Leonora C. Rodgers to Agnes M. Simons, lots 21, 22, 23, 24 block 70, Kretzschmar's Add. Red Lake Falls	1260 00
Torkel and Andrew Hanson to Otto Schulz, lots 31, 32, 38, 34, blk. 34, Red Lake Rapids	200 00
Lucenda Langevin to May Buse, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, blk. 3 Champagne & Dow's Add. Red Lake Falls	1500 00
May Buse to Ernest Buse, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, blk. 3. Champagne & Dow's Add. Red Lake Falls	1000 00
Ernest Buse to County of Red Lake, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, blk. 3, Champagne & Dow's Add. Red Lake Falls	2370 00
Joseph Ryson to Charles Newberry, ½int. part of lots 13, 14, blks 57, Thief River Falls	200 00
Charles Newberry to Geo. Turyille, ½Int. part of lots 13, 15, blks 54, Thief River Falls	400 00
John P. Gonigam to Alex. Richards, et. al., ne¼ Sec. 10 and e½ sw¼ Sec. 14-150-43	5000 00
J. M. Bishop to Ole Ellingson, lots 19, 20, blk. 11, Thief River Falls	150 00
E. Eshelby to Kristina Willson, lot 19, town of Fairfield	133 75
B. K. Kveste to Ingebor T. Sordal sw¼ 11-151-42	30 00
H. A. Tronnes to Gustav Iverson, lots 23, 24, 25, blk. 11, Porter's Add. to Thief River Falls	600 00
B. K. Kviste to T. G. Anderson, lot 5, Sec. 31-551-40	50 00
Peter Sanderson to Ole P. Melting, lots 3, 4, blk. 34, St. Hilaire	800 00
Mrs. Cora B. Flanders to LeVerne Schoalcraft, lot 6, blk. 8, Porter's Add. Thief River Falls	125 00
Ole P. Melting to Peter Sanderson, lot 2, Sec. 18-152-43	800 00
E. C. Eshelby to John F. Honfek, lots 9, 10, in town of Fairfield	250 00
Mrs. Amelia Knaspe to Ole G. Lillebo, sw¼ Sec. 25-152-45	350 00

May His Tribe Increase.

We want to say a good word for the man who promptly pays all his small obligations. There are too few of them and the breed needs encouraging. Most men will pay sometime, but only a few pay promptly. Almost any business doing a credit business will testify that, counting time, postage, book-keeping, interest and the like, it costs all some accounts are worth to collect them, and still the man owing it to them is perfectly responsible in a financial way. It very often happens that the worst sinners in this particular are the men the best able to pay. We have known more than one case where a man having money on deposit in the bank drawing interest made a poor little shop keeper wait and wait for his pay nearly a year so that the debtor might get the benefit of the four per cent interest which his bank deposits drew. God bless the man who is uneasy just so long as he owes a dollar, and who will hunt up his creditors with as much energy as some creditors are forced to use in hunting up their debtors. The everyday business of any community would be immensely benefitted by the prompt payment of all of the small obligations, for a dollar can do a lot of business in twenty-four hours when it is on the road and traveling. The slackness of a few men in this particular in the community makes it much harder for all to carry this plan into effect. If you have been one of these slack ones turn over a new leaf.

Agonizing Burns

are instanly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores. 25c at All Druggists.

New Variety of Potato.

The new potato is purplish green in color and is said to be far superior to the common "Irish" tuber both in flavor and in yield that is destined to drive all competitors out of the market. It comes from the banks of the Mercedes river, in Uruguay, and is probably the result of a happy horticultural accident. Claim is made that it is immune to the diseases that ordinarily afflict potatoes, but whether or not it can resist the operations of the predatory potato bug is not stated.

There is no vegetable to the improvement of which more attention has been devoted than has been bestowed upon the potato. It has been mainly, however, for increasing the size of the tuber and to augment the yield. Flavor has been almost wholly ignored, and as a consequence the potatoes of today have less flavor than those which our grandfathers ate fifty years ago. Furthermore, all of the market varieties taste pretty much alike, where as formerly there were recognizable differences.

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All effort have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

He Was Mad All Right.

Judge R. W. Clifford is proverbial for his original humorous stories, and one of his latest is told of a corpulent German who came rushing into the circuit court who one morning, before court was called, and said:

"I vant to git varrant for a man to kill a tog."

"Well, my man, you don't come to this court to get warrants in cases of that kind. If you want the dog killed, you should go to police court," said the judge.

The German started to leave, when the judge inquired in an interested manner:

"Did the dog bite you?"

"Yeas, he bit me."

"Well, was the dog mad?"

"Vas de tog madt? No, I vas madt."—Chicago Herald.

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Wholesome Advice.

Get interested in your town and stand by it. If a rich man starts a project, encourage him; or a poor man encourage him, says a contemporary. Don't be afraid to stick your hand in your pocket. If you have means, invest in something that will give employment to somebody. Do not kick on every proposed improvement simply because it is not at your door. Do all you can to beautify the town and your property also. Be friendly to every body and courteous to strangers, and never forget that you are a part of the town and that your own deportment does its share in giving to the town its character. Sell and buy all you can at home. Stand by all enterprising citizens and be ready to do some of the work yourself.

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A WORD PERSONAL.

The removal of the editor of this paper to St. Paul necessitates something of a change in the management of THE COURIER, and in view of the fact that the office cannot have the personal supervision of the proprietor during the coming two years, a half interest in the business has been leased to Mr. Ed. H. Chase, an Iowa newspaper man, who comes to Red Lake Falls with the highest recommendations as a business man and as a citizen. Mr. Chase will have the entire business control of the paper and of the job printing department in connection therewith, and will be responsible for the local pages. It is the expectation that the editorial page will be conducted from St. Paul, and it is believed that it will be more readable than ever from the fact that St. Paul is the mecca of state politics and state news.

The writer hereof desires to commend Mr. Chase to the people of Red Lake county. He is a courteous, enterprising and aggressive young man, who will find a place in the business and social circles of the town and county. We trust the friends of THE COURIER will use him well, and in return we can promise that everyone will receive in return honorable and fair treatment.

The writer does not feel as though he is bidding the people of Red Lake Falls good-bye, because every cent of his material wealth is invested here, and he confidently expects in due course of time to return to the city. He will always feel that he is a resident of Red Lake county and the Red River valley, and if there is any way in which he can advance the interests of his town or county it will be done with a feeling that it is his home and abiding place, and deserving of the support and good will which every good citizen owes to his own locality.

Whenever the Red Lake county people get to St. Paul the latchstring of the state librarian's office will be found on the outside, and all of them are invited to call and ask the benefit of any information that can be tendered.

THERE is a lurking suspicion in certain quarters that Senator Hawkins does not consider a Democrat fit to hold a public office anyway.

REPRESENTATIVE W. I. NOLAN, the funny man, has introduced a bill providing a whipping-post for wife-beaters. This is no laughing matter.

FRANK EDDY says in his Sauk Center Herald that when his gasoline engine bucks he "gets madder than he has been since the civil war" but it doesn't do any good.

SINCE the fireman of the senate has nothing to do but draw his salary, the Minneapolis Tribune thinks the legislature might make the job heavier by increasing the amount.

HON. L. C. SIMONS has introduced a bill in the house providing for the abolishment of all fee offices. If passed the bill would make sheriffs, register of deeds and clerks of court salaried officials.

A. N. DARE, editor of the Elk River Star-News, has been re-appointed state printing expert by the commission composed of Governor Johnson, Secretary Hansen and Auditor Iverson.

THE Thief River papers have apologized for doing Commissioner Ole Johnson an injustice last week. The trouble is the papers up there go off half-cock on a lot of propositions they know very little about.

A FEW more country editors have landed berths in the oil inspection department of the state government. Among them are J. P. Coughlin of the Perham Enterprise, John L. King of the Jackson Pilot and James Keating of the Wabasha Herald.

A WRITER in Public Opinion is giving a series of articles to prove that Thomas W. Lawson is not a saint, but is made of ordinary flesh and blood. We knew this before, but it does not lessen the effect of Lawson's charges against the Wall Street gamblers.

THE prospective county-seat fight seems to have rejuvenated Editor Eastman of the Thief River News He has dipped his fountain pen in gall and writes with one hand on his pistol pocket. The days of the Arizona Kicker promise to be revived in the News sanctum.

THE Lakefield Standard has just passed its twenty-first milestone, and looks to be good for many more spins around the track. For the past fifteen years the Standard has been in charge of Crawford Bros., who have made it one of the leading newspapers of Southern Minnesota, and won an important niche in the journalistic history of the state.

THE LeSueur lyre should take to the woods. The Thief River correspondent to the Twin city dailies has him skinned to death and then some. We are told this week that sixteen hundred voters on the reservation are patiently awaiting the opportunity to vote for the county-seat removal. The density of population out on the reservation is actually incomprehensible.

SOME of the Democratic state-house officials are changing the order of things. Insurance Commissioner O'Brien turning the fees of his office over to the state treasury and labor Commissioner Williams has reorganized his bureau and established a number of reforms in the interest of economy and efficient service. It looks as though the Johnson administration will mean a large saving to the taxpayers.

ACCORDING to a bill introduced in the senate the work of taking the state census is to begin June 1 and end July 1 and will be under the direction of the secretary of state, who is the superintendent of the census. The pay of enumerators is to be $2 per hundred in cities of 5.-000 and over; $2.25 in cities between 500 and 5,000 inhabitants and in all other cities at the rate of 21-2 cents per person. The amount of the appropriation is $65,000.

THE new editor of the Thief River Falls Press is getting to be a charming prevaricator on short acquaintance. According to his story Red Lake county has been looted by unscrupulous officials. As a matter of fact no county in the state has more capable, conscientious or painstaking officials, and we are pleased to acknowledge that Thief River furnished three of them. The annual statement printed this week shows an economical and business-like administration of county affairs. There is not a shadow of truth in the wholesale indictment by the Press, and that paper should be heartily ashamed of its attempt to besmirch the good names and reputations of honorable men.

JUDGING from the report of the commission, as submitted to President Roosevelt by Secretary Taft, considerable progress was made in the Philippines last year. Peace reigns except in the disturbed Moro districts of Jolo and Mindanao and in the wild interior of Samar. A stringent civil-service law has improved the personnel of the government service. The new coinage is on a firm basis, the only danger being that the rise in the price of silver may make the peso actually worth more in bullion than as a coin. But there has been a falling-off in revenue which has unfortunately cut down by several hundred thousand dollars the expenditures for education, which last year reached a total of only $1,200,000. Secretary Taft asserts that without waste $5,-000,000 could be spent in education every year. Unless congress shows more graciousness, there are going to be great difficulties with the revenues of the islands. A relaxation from the Dingley tariff, insofar as it affects Philippine goods, is imperative.

LaGrippe and Pneumonia.

Pneumonia often follows LaGrippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cures lagrippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and comsumption. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Mr. G. Vacher, of 157 Gsgood St., Chicago, writes "My wife had a severe case of lagrippe three year ago, and it left her with a terrible cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50 cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reicher.

Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

While Language is from the teacher's standpoint perhaps the most difficult subject, from the standpoint of the pupil History perhaps is the great bugbear. That this is so few will deny. That the fault is inherent in the subject some will claim but none should believe. Who or what, then, is to blame? The pupil? No. The teacher? In part. The books? Yes, largely. The system? Mostly.

What is History? Largely biographical norration. Did you ever see a child who was not interested in a story? Most certainly no. Then the pupil or the subject cannot be blamed. Let us look at the question from a psycological point of view. The education of the child should be conducted along a line that recognizes the group classification of the mental powers of man. The course of study should be so arranged as to be in harmony with the best development of the three classes of powers. That our courses of studies are not so arranged all will admit. Now courses of study create a demand for books. As the right kidd of books are not demanded they are not published. Herein do we find the cause of the dislike for History.

The three classes in which the mental powers may be put, are: Acquisitional, Assimilation and Expressional. The consideration of these three powers will show you that with a developing child they must be acquired before they can be assimilated. They must be assimilated and worked over into our own mental grasp before they can be expressed.

A study of the child mind shows that these powers do develop in the order named. It also shows that each power is most active and does its work most easily while it is in the stage of most rapid development. Now our greatest students of psychology declare that acquisitional faculty of the mind develops fastest between the ages of one and ten years; that the assimilative faculty develops most rapidly between the ages of ten and eighteen years, and that the expressional faculty develops most rapidly between the ages of eighteen ans thirty years. It will be impossible in the space at my disposal to discuss at length the needed changes in our curriculum. But if you will stop to think about the nature of History you will see that it is largely acquisitional in its character. Then if you will remember that the acquisitional faculty is most active before ten years you will see that History should be largely presented during those years. To do this would require a decided change in the manner in which we present the subject. Here the books become at fault.

The fault that most conscientious pupils find with History is that there is such a sameness in all of the books from the simplest to the highest. The complaint is a just one. Take any set of outline histories and you will find them taking up Columbus, Captain John Smith, George Washington, etc., etc., and in nearly the same order. During the use of the first book you find no one complaining, but when they take their second book and turn page after page, day after day, and come to the same men, do you wonder that they become disgusted? Not at all. The wonder is that we can keep them at work at all. You ask me what I would have. I answer, our history story told in simple child language and in large outline with simplest connecting incidents. Also the boyhood of our great men with just a simple statement of what made them famous. These books to be carefully arranged by a competent person, and graded to be used as supplementary reading for the second, third and fourth grades.

Then for the fifth, sixth and seventh grades a set of three outline histories, written by the same person or competent colabrators, each taking up the story with a different working theme, and each simply referring to the persons and incidents of the preceding books, and adding new persons and incidents necessary for the elaboration of the working theme. At the same time I would have the simplest story of English and French history told in supplementary readers for the fifth and sixth grades. This would bring the purely acquistional work at the time when that power of the mind is most active in its development, and it would also bring the elementary assimilative work at a time when the assimilative faculty of the mind is becoming active.

In the eight grade give a brief outline study of English history and ancient and modern history in the first and second years in high school. This would furnish a splendid foundation for a year's good solid work in United States history and civics in the third year of High School at a time when the assimilative faculty is strong and the expressional power of the mind is becoming active.

These changes in the system and books would, I feel certain, remove most objectionable features from the study of history, and at the same time make the work easier for the pupils and furnish better mental discipline.

Now what is there left for the teacher? I believe that the above mentioned changes will of themselves remove most of the faults now attributed to the teacher. But at the same time they will make possible nearly as many new faults. In this system the teacher must be the life and fountain-head of inspiration for the whole class. She must have a large and comprehensive grasp of the whole subject as it is treated in the books used by the pupils. She must have her work reduced to a decided spstem, so that she can easily discover and quickly refer to any former person or incident that is connected with the lesson in hand so closely as to constitute a cause for the present incident. If she do this carefully and systematically she will conduct the best review possible, while she keeps the interest of the child at a fever heat by causing him to be constantly meeting and renewing acquaintance with his old friends. How interesting it is to meet with old friends under such conditions. I fully believe that with proper preparation on the part of the teacher such a system and such books would make a new subject out of history, and make our pupils much better citizens. We cannot make the change at once but if we all set our faces towards the right we will win in the end.

AN APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE.

All public-spirited business men and farmers of the Red River valley who have seen the grand work done by the Agricultural school at St. Anthony Park and the benefits received by the young men and women who have attended the school one term or more and seen the improvements and benefits to the country surrounding the homes of the lucky ones having an agricultural education, know the value of such an institution, and many have asked us work unceasingly for the establishment of such a school at Crookston in connection with the Experimental Farm, which under the able management of Prof. Hoverstad and his assistants has done much for the northwestern farmers in the experiment of seed grains, grasses, corn, vegetables, small fruits, etc. They are at present conducting experiments in raising and feeding horses, cattle and poultry that will be of great value to the surrounding country. Since Representative B. S. Bennett has introduced a bill in the legislature asking an appropriation for the purpose of starting a branch agricultural school here, it becomes our duty to call the attention of all our representatives and senators to the need of this school by numerously signed petitions from all parts of the Red River valley. We should unite and use all honorable means to secure the early passage of this bill.

This school teaches the young people to farm for profit, creates an interest in farm work, and stimulates a desire to stay on the farm and live independently, instead of the trend which predominates the young people of the country to flow into the cities, there to become servants and menials. A school of agriculture is very much needed here, and we believe we are entitled to it. We have paid our share of the taxes to support the university and agricultural school in the southern part of the state and derived very little benefit therefrom, because of the fact that few of our farmers can afford to pay transportation to the Twin cities, and the high prices for board. On the other hand if we had a branch agricultural school at Crookston we could easily secure cheap board with friends who would take pride and interest in the education of our farmers' sons and daughters.

Such a school would be of untold benefit to the young generation of the farming communities of the Red River valley, and we hope that public-spirited men from every quarter of the valley will get up a petition, have it generously signed and mail to the representative or senator from their district. Such a showing will help our legislators materially.

REMI FORTIER, M. G. G.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss.
Lucas County }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public [Seal]

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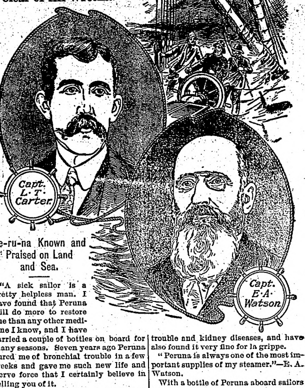

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Ernest Buse made a business trip to Crookston this week.

Ladies' fur collarettes at half price at Garceau & Zaiser's

E. Sheldrup, of Plummer, was a county-seat visitor Tuesday.

Messrs. A. P. Toupin and Exerie Chatel were at Brooks Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Allier Pouliot, Tuesday, Jan. 31.

For dress making call upstairs in Rue's house on corner of Main St.

Zatique Bray, of Brooks, was a business caller at this place yesterday.

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks for half price this week at Garceau & Zfaser's.

Hon. L. C. Simons was at home over Sunday looking after business matters.

Julius Pleth, the hustling land man of Plummer, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Monday.

Perl W. Mabey was down from Thief River Falls Saturday and Tuesday on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Haislet entertained a party of friends at cards last Saturday evening.

Miss Melina Alsteadt is here from Grand Forks for a visit with the home folks for a few days.

James E. Morrissey of Crookston has been named as boiler inspector for the Polk county district.

Ladies' and children's coats this week at half price—just half their real value at Garceau & Zaiser's

Big bargains offered this week in men's fur coats. Don't miss this opportunity.—Garceau & Zaiser.

Nels Otterness, of St. Hilaire, was in the city Tuesday. He reports the land business as being good.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned last Saturday from her visit with Miss Grace Moorhouse at Grand Forks.

H. H. Tompkins of Mankato was the city yesterday looking after his farms in Lake Pleasant township.

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Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

Mrs. Henry Kaufer was at Thief River Falls over Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Murphy.

10,000 yards of laces and embroideries just received at The Big Store. Direct importation therefor low prices.

A dancing party will be given at the K. of P. hall Saturday evening by the young people. Everybody invited.

Thief River Falls has a mayor now. At the last meeting of the city council D. B. Bakke was elected to that position.

Leo Spillane returned yesterday from Crookston, where he has been working in the Times office for a couple of weeks.

There will be a dance at Woodman hall next Tuesday evening. All Woodmen and Royal Neighbors are invited to attend.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. Sidney Bagley, of Thief River Falls, visited Red Lake Falls friends Tuesday between trains.

Our advertising is well put together, but still not so well as our Red School House shoes for children.—Garceau & Zaiser.

We are not saying much about dress goods and wash goods yet—but wait! We have surprises in store for you.—The Big Store.

The ladies of St. Mary's society will meet next Thursday, February 9, with Mrs. H. M. Kaus, from 4 to 6. All are invited to attend.

Ralph Wyer, assistant cashier of the First State Bank, made a business trip to Brooks and Lambert on business for the bank last Friday.

"Queen Quality" shoes for women not only permit easy walking, but keep the foot well arched with narrow insole.—Garceau & Zaiser.

Some of the farmers of the northwest corner of Gervais are petitioning the board of county commissioners for the organization of a new school district.

A number of our young people attended a dance at the residence of Eli Lasha, three miles west of town, Tuesday evening. Those present report a most pleasant time.

The next time you buy a corset just ask to see those new styles of Royal Worcesters at The Big Store. It will be a revelation to you. 60c up to $2.00.—The Big Store.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy will entertain the ladies of the Presbyterian church at her home next Wednesday afternoon, February 8. A ten cent lunch will be served and all are invited.

P. B. Gaass left Monday for Armstrong, Iowa, where he was called as a witness in the district court. He will remain a few days in that section visiting old acquaintances.

Remember the rag ball social Friday evening at the Presbyterian church parlors. Every lady is requested to bring her name wrapped in a rag ball. These will be auctioned off to the highest bidder for partners for supper. Come and have a good time.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson was down town Tuesday for the first time in five weeks. Both he and Mrs. Wilkinsen are rapidly gaining strength and will soon be in their usual good health.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Wilkinsen, of Poplar River, were visitors at the home of Dr. J. C. Wilkinson the first of the week. Mrs. Wilkinson will remain with the doctor's family for a week or two.

Frank E. Hunt is expected home from his trip to Talopoosa, Georgia, today. Mr. Hunt arrivrd in Minneapolis last Saturday and has been looking after business matters in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere has been quite ill during the past week, but is now on the road to rapid recovery. Mrs. LaBissoniere's mother, Mrs. P. Martin, has been over from Crookston this week.

Rev. I. T. Aastad will hold services in the Scandinavian language at Zion's Evangelical Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

Conductor A. G. Lockman of the Great Northern has a number of fine Plymouth Rock chickens, and says he can supply eggs to all who desire them. His price is $1.50 for a setting of thirteen eggs.

Mrs. John E. King has recovered from a long illness from blood poisoning. The poisoning was first noticed the latter part of December, and is thought to have been caused by eating canned mushrooms.

It will be of interest to our high school pupils to know that the Fergus Falls debating team was defeated last week by the team from Breckenridge. The latter team now holds the Ninth district championship.

The annual financial statement of Red Lake county will be found on the inside pages of this issue. The statement will be interesting to the taxpayers of Red Lake county who like to know where the money goes.

Thirty-six singers attended the meeting of the choral union last evening. Meetings are held Wednesday evening of each week at the parlors of the Presbyterian church. All who enjoy singing are invited to join the organization.

Fergus Falls is going to make an effort to induce the Soo road to build into that city, and now Aitkin is planning to make an effort to get the Soo to come into that town, it having been stated that the road is thinking of building toward Duluth.

The groundhog had no trouble in seeing his shadow today, and according to tradition he will go back in his hole for another six weeks. If he doesn't forget to wake up at that time the people of northern Minnesota will be satisfied.

Did you ever try to find out the secret of the miraculous growth of Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn?

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Rev. A. E. Driscoll, field agent of Macalester college, St. Paul, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Driscoll is a pleasing and forceful speaker, and audiences greatly enjoyed his sermons.

Parents should be careful that their children's feet do not become flat-footed or deformed by wearing poorly-made shoes. "Red School House" shoes are made correctly. School bags free with every pair of shoes sold.—Garceau & Zaiser.

"Queen quality" reigns only as a shoe for particular women—for women who wish that certain gracefulness in walking which can only be attained by a perfect-fitting shoe. Prices very moderate—$3 and $3.50. For sale by Garceau & Zaiser.

County Attorney Thomas Germo went to St. Paul Tuesday evening to attend the annual meeting of the county attorneys of the state. No doubt the gathering will prover very pleasant and profitable. Mr. Germo is expected home tomorrow.

The famous Kratka-Richardson mayoralty contest at Thief River Falis was decided last Friday by the supreme court in favor of Ira C. Richardson. The decision will have but little effect, since neither of the parties to the suit want the office now.

This morning was the coldest of the year, the thermometers registering 44 below zero. This does not nearly equal last year's record, however, as one morning in January showed a frigidity of 58 below. The winter on the whole has been exceptionally mild.

F. A. Argue, of Hamilton, North Dakota, visited his brother, Dr. J. M. Argue, of this place one day the first of the week. Mr. Argue was attending a meeting of the North Dakota hardware dealers at Fargo and took a day off to visit his brother here.

We are jnst opening up our line of St. Cecilia ($3.50), Nunaimo ($3.00) and Saranac ($2.50) shoes for women. Be sure to come in and see the finest line of shoes ever exhibited in this city. Glad to show you the goods even if you don't want to buy.—The Big Store.

Angus D. McKinnon, a Crookston young man employed in a grain house in Minneapolis, is suffering from a peculiar sort of poisoning. It is believed that he was poisoned by wheat rust which found its way into an abrasion on the skin of his nose while he was smelling the grain for grading.

The drama entitled "The Heart of a Hero" was presented at the opera house Friday evening by the Spartan society of the high school to a good sized audience. We are pleased to learn that a neat sum was realized. This money will be spent in securing new books for the school library.

County Auditor Ford wishes the COURIER to announce that he has some farm literature issued by the government that our farmer friends can have by calling at his office. The subjects are timely, relating to the farm and its products, and will no doubt prove beneficial to all who read the pamphlets.

L. E. Metzgar has resigned his position as manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling company, and left yesterday for Oregon, where he has another situation in view. Mr. Metzgar is popular with the people of Red Lake Falls and his many friends will hope that his lines are cast in pleasant places.

Work on the Great Northern connection at this place has not been progressing as rapidly as anticipated, and as a result the new train service will not be established before March 1. Several important changes affecting the main line and all of the branches are expected to go into effect at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LaBissoniere, of North Yakima, Washington, arrived in Red Lake Falls Tuesday for a two or three weeks visit with their son, Theo. LaBissoniere. Mr. LaBissoniere was one of the pioneers of this section and has many friends who will be glad to see him and will enjoy talking over old experiences with him.

Rev. Father Fayolle is expected to return Saturday from a visit at Pass Christian, Miss. No services have been held during the past two Sundays because of the reverend gentleman's absence, but next Sunday the regular ceremonies will be resumed. The many friends of Father Fayolle hope that he had a pleasant vacation.

The residents of International Falls, the new town on the Canadian border, don't like the new name for their town, and they want their old name, Koochiching, back again. The settlement has been known by that name for many years, but a year ago was changed to International Falls. A special election will soon be held to vote upon the proposition.

The pile driver is making haste slowly at the Great Northern fill this week. The weather has been extremely cold, and the foreman says the piles are very hard to drive because of a substratum of hard soil beneath the clay subsoil. It requires 250 strokes of the hammer to get these piles in place, when ordinarily only 150 strokes are required.

T. L. Melgaard, cashier of the Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, has been in the city this week working diligently at the court house. He has been making out a list of taxes, both personal and real, for the territory tributary to Thief River Falls, and the people of that part of the county will be able to pay their taxes at his bank hereafter, saving them a trip to the county-seat.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton and Thos. Germo went to Crookston Tuesday evening to present arguments in favor of Red Lake Falls in the injunction proceedings started by H. W. Lee to restrain the county commissioners from buying the court house property. By order of Judge Watts the injunction was dissolved, so that Red Lake Falls has first blood in the county-seat fight.

Members of the local lodge of Modern Woodmen are planning on a big time at Plummer, Saturday evening, Feb. 11. Several new members will be added to the Plummer lodge that night, and the Red Lake Falls boys will have charge of the work. Delegations from Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and other towns will attend the meeting, and the occasion promises to be one of importance for the order in Red Lake county.

John J. Hegg, a well-known Wyandotte farmer, was in to pay his taxes yesterday. Mr. Hegg says practically every quarter section of the reservation adjacent Wyandotte has been filed upon, but that more than half of the purchasers will never make their second payments on the land. There are numerous bogs and swamps in that section, and many persons bought land without taking a look at it. This condition is in a measure true of other parts of the reservation.

Remi Fortier, one of the prominent farmers of Polk county, was in from Gentilly yesterday and made a pleasant call at this office. Mr. Fortier is greatly interested in securing a branch of the state agricultural school at Crookston, and in a communication elsewhere in this issue advises the farmers of the valley to send petitions to their member of the legislature in the interest of this project. There is no question but that this school would be of great benefit to the farmers of the Red River valley.

A petition to the state legislature praying for an appropriation to build a bridge over the Red Lake river in Louisville township is being circulated by the farmers of that locality. The petition has already upward of a thousand signatures, and if there is virtue in petitions this one ought to be effective. The bridge would be a great convenience to the farmers of the southwestern corner of the county and benefit the business men of Red Lake Falls. It is understood that Senator Stephens and Representative Simons will do all they can to secure the appropriation.

The Minneapolis Journal of Saturday has this bit of society news: "An interesting announcement of the week was that of the engagement of Miss Rebecca Van Cleve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Van Cleve, and Rev. J. H. Nicholl of Thief River Falls. Miss Van Cleve is the granddaughter of Mrs. Charlotte O. Van Cleve, a famous Minnesota pioneer, and Mr. Nichol was formerly pastor of Andrew Presbyterian church. The wedding will take place in May and in the fall Mr. Nicholl will take his bride to Syria where they will serve as missionaries at Beirut."

A meeting of the Red Lake County Teacher's association was held at Thief River Falls last Friday and Saturday. About thirty of the rural teachers of the county were in attendance, and an interesting and profitable program was rendered. Prof. E. E. McIntyre of Crookston and Prof. C. S. Yaeger of Fosston attended the meeting and made excellent addresses. T. J. Krause of Terrebonne gave an address and and papers were read by Misses Grace Meehan, Mary McGinn, Florence Columbus and Katie McAnulty. County Superintendent McAnulty also made a talk relative to school work in Red Lake county and President Chas. Moller gave a cordial welcome to the teachers in his opening address. The next meeting will be held at St. Hilaire later in the year.

"Flinch," "Somerset, and all the new card games at THE COURIER stationery store.

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And they will go where they can get the most for their money.

Ninety-five per cent of the business men of Crookston will advise you to go to Button's Business College. Ask them and see.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

—OF—

RED LAKE COUNTY. MINNESOTA.

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1904

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, RED LAKE COUNTY,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, January 6, 1605.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota:

GENTLEMEN: I submit to you herewith a statement of the financial condition of Red Lake County, Minnesota at the close of the fiscal year. December 31, 1904, showing the receipts and expenditures for the year, the cash balances in the different funds and the total amount to the County Treasury, together with a statement of the finances of the County at the end of the year, including all debts and liabilties, and the assets and other means of discharging the same.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

RECEIPTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1904.

Balance January 2, 1904	$48253 43	
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1904	4636 58	
Current tax collections	91950 29	
Delinquent tax collections	9767 29	
Interest, penalty and costs	3481 13	
Ditch liens paid in full	1581 41	
Private redemptions	1800 37	
State land collections	4938 68	
Warrants No. 2124 and 2125 surrendered and cancelled	225 00	
A. P. Toupin, fines Justice Court	25 00	
B. H Costello, " " "	4 85	
S. L. Lewis, " " "	5 00	
J. M. Bishop, " " "	7 50	
State school apportionment	12080 75	
Kankel & Zeigler, donation to Road and Bridge Fund	100 00	
Dupont & Sons, " " " " "	50 00	
Twp. of Terrebonne " " " " "	100 00	
Joseph Perrault, jury fees district court	72 00	
Johnson & Son, liquor license	500 00	
Z. Bray, " "	500 00	
W. G. Brown, " "	500 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	500 00	
Remie Lefaive " "	500 00	
Erick Iverson, deposit with application for liquor license forfeitd	10 00	
A. P. Toupin, costs in Justice Court case	9 55	
Mchts State Bk., Red Lake Falls, proceeds sale of ditch bonds	6519 86	
State of Minnesota, wolf bounty refunded	418 50	
Marshall Co., state loan for school district No. 219	60 00	
First State Bank o fRed Lake Falls, interest on deposits	283 53	
Merchants State Bk, Red Lake Falls " " "	220 97	
Bank of Red Lake Falls " " "	112 35	
First State Bank Thief River Falls " " "	132 24	
First National Bank Thief River Falls " " "	180 38	
Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls " " "	181 70	
First State Bank of St. Hilaire " " "	111 98	
Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire " " "	73 77	
O. G. Harlis, auctioneer's license	10 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	10 00	
Thos. Morean, " "	10 00	
D. Patterson, " "	10 00	
R. J. McKircher " "	10 00	
S. G. Iverson, State Auditor, nomination fees	21 65	
J. E. Ford. County Auditor, " "	465 02	
Total		$190430 78

DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE YEAR 1904.

Warrants outstanding January 2, 1904	$25993 92	
County Revenue Fund	16371 51	
County Poor Fund	73 00	
County Road and Bridge Fund	6434 14	
County Bond and Interest Fund	2178 41	
County Jail Fund	11 90	
Couuty Special Bond and Interest Fund	6985 92	
Private Redemption Fund	1809 95	
General Ditch Fund	16373 51	
Incidental Expense Fund	239 18	
School Districts Fund	50628 20	
Town, City and Village Fund	27994 35	
Collections for Hunters' Licenses	2 70	
State Taxes	6012 20	
Collections on account State Lands	4820 41	
Refunding Orders	109 99	
Error making entries	20 94	
Balance cash on hand December 31, 1904	24370 55	
Total		$190430 78

TRIAL BALANCE.

Books of Red Lake County at close of business December 31, 1904.

County Treasurer	$24370 55	
Warrant account		$4636 58
Taxes and Penalties		9024 88
Current School Fund		617 88
County Revenue Fund		1729 24
County Poor Fund	703 57	
County Road and Bridge Fund	384 57	
County Bond and Interest Fund		2078 06
General Ditch Fund	1102 05	
Redemption Fund		118 71
School District Funds		5577 36
Town, City and Village Funds		1084 49
Incidental Fund		65 23
State Land Fund		250 15
Court House and Jail Fund		1378 16
Totals	$26560 74	$26560 74

County Revenue Fund.

RECEIPTS

Tax collections	$ 13491 19
Interest on deposits, county funds	1296 92
Auctioneers' licenses	50 00
Wolf bounty refunded by state	418 50
Candidates' filing fees	486 47
Jury fees	72 00
Deposit with application for liquor license	10 00
Justice court costs refunded	9 55
By error	06
Trnsferred from General Ditch Fund	14000 00
Total	$27834 89

DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft, January 2, 1904	$ 11432 72
Transferred to Incidental Fund	300 00
Warrants paid	16371 51
To error	1 42
Balance cash in fund, December 31, 1904	1729 24
Total	$29834 89

WARRANTS ISSUED

COUNTY OFFICERS' SALARIES

COUNTY AUDITOR

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
5972	James E Ford	$ 100 00
6103	do	100 00
6251	do	100 00
6369	do	100 00
6411	do	100 00
6519	do	100 00
6605	do	100 00
6699	do	100 00
6728	do	100 00
6958	do	100 00
7082	do	100 00
7169	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

COUNTY TREASURER

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5973	O T Tandberg	$ 100 00
6104	do	100 00
6252	do	100 00
6370	do	100 00
6412	do	100 00
6520	do	100 00
6606	do	100 00
6700	do	100 00
6729	do	100 00
6959	do	100 00
7083	do	100 00
7170	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5974	Frank Jeffers	$ 87 50
6105	do	87 50
6253	do	87 50
6371	do	87 50
6413	do	87 50
6521	do	87 50
6607	do	87 50
6701	do	87 50
6730	do	87 50
6960	do	87 50
7084	do	87 50
7171	do	87 50
Total		$1050 00

COUNTY ATTORNEY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5925	F A Grady	$ 100 00
5975	do	100 00
6106	do	100 00
6254	do	100 00
6372	do	100 00
6414	do	100 00
6522	do	100 00
6608	do	100 00
6702	do	100 00
6731	do	100 00
6961	do	100 00
7085	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

PROBATE JUDGE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5976	N W Tarrant	$68 75
6107	do	68 75
6250	do	68 75
6368	do	68 75
6415	do	68 75
6523	do	68 75
6609	do	68 75
6703	do	68 75
6732	do	68 75
6962	do	68 75
7086	do	68 75
7172	do	68 75
Tetal		$825 00

CLERKS IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5978	I D Converse	$ 50 00
6109	do	50 00
6256	do	45 19
6374	do	50 00
6528	do	30 85
6611	do	50 00
6705	do	50 00
6734	do	50 00
6964	do	50 00
7088	do	44 23
7144	de	50 00
Total		$520 27

JANITOR

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5977	J O Gjerberg	$ 40 00
6108	do	40 00
6255	do	40 00
6373	do	40 00
6416	do	40 00
6524	do	40 00
6610	do	40 00
6704	do	40 00
6733	do	40 00
6963	do	40 00
7087	do	40 00
7173	do	40 00
Total		$480 00

COURT REPORTERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5979	Chas M Lohn	$ 12 50
5980	W O Braggans	12 50
6110	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6111	W O Braggans	12 50
6257	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6258	W O Braggans	12 50
6375	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6376	W O Braggans	23 59
6417	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6418	W O Braggans	23 59
6525	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6526	W O Braggans	23 59
6612	Chas M Lohn	23 59
661[illegible]	W O Braggans	23 59
6706	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6707	W O Braggans	23 59
6735	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6736	W O Braggans	23 59
6965	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6966	W O Braggans	23 59
7089	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7090	W O Braggans	23 59
7175	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7176	W O Braggans	23 59
Total		$499 62

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PER DIEM AND MILEAGE

FIRST DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6029	James Sutor	$ 16 80
6133	do	23 00
6268	do	14 40
4479	do	33 20
6649	do	11 00
6660	do	5 90
6847	do	7 00
Total		$111 30

SECOND DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6026	Wm C L Demann	$ 13 40
6134	do	17 80
6267	do	14 40
6478	do	20 10
6650	do	10 40
6662	do	5 90
6849	do	5 50
Total		$92 50

THIRD DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6027	O J Johnson	$ 16 00
6135	do	23 00
6266	do	14 80
6476	do	20 00
6653	do	15 40
6664	do	3 50
6846	do	7 00
Total		$99 70

FOURTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6030	Louis Hanson	$16 00
6136	do	23 00
6475	do	20 00
6654	do	15 40
Total		$74 40

FIFTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6028	Louis Falardeau	$ 16 80
6137	do	24 60
6265	do	17 80
6480	do	21 60
6651	do	13 80
6652	do	2 50
Total		$97 10

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6655	James Sutor	$19 00
6656	Wm C L Demann	16 40
6657	O J Johnson	19 00
6658	Louis Hanson	16 00
6659	Louis Falardeau	19 80
Total		$90 20

DISTRICT COURT EXPENSES

GRAND JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6889	Joseph Dupont	$ 10 20
6890	John R Gotia	9 20
6891	Bruman Derosier	9 60
6892	Edmond Cadieux	20 20
6893	Leo Schultz	10 00
6894	Matt Skala	8 20
6895	W G Brown	10 80
4896	Chas Lundquist	10 80
6897	August Maxin	9 60
6898	Chas Mothson	11 90
6899	Hans Frederickson	11 40
6900	Nils O Nora	13 40
6901	Jacob Amundson	11 60
6902	James Brady	8 20
6904	Moses Guerard	11 60
6905	Joseph Robidoux	12 00
6906	Henry Cyr	11 80
6931	Henry Kaufer	8 20
7003	Simon Paul	8 20
Total		$196 00

PETIT JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6169	Joseph Pigeon	$ 3 20
6199	Damien Charboneau	6 40
6207	Gustav Johnson	7 60
6218	Peter Kilburg	2 20
6220	Ovide Emard	2 20
6221	Henry McAnulty	2 20
6222	C. Guerin	2 20
6223	Joseph Gray	2 20
6224	Simon Paul	2 20
6225	L A Dautremont	2 20
6226	E A Moran	2 20
6227	C P Swanson	11 20
6229	J O Valdal	10 20
6239	Regis Huot	10 60
6231	Aug Larson	10 40
6232	Fred Anderson	11 00
4233	Nels Knutson	12 20
6234	Anton Sundael	11 20
6235	Peter Engelstad	11 40
6236	Jacob Boutain	10 60
6237	Paul Schoenauer	9 60
6238	Omer Delorme	10 00
6239	R H Green	14 00
6240	Wm M Erb	8 20
6241	Joseph Morissette	12 80
6242	John B Hebert	12 40
6243	W Schanno	13 20
6244	Rock Lefebvre	11 60
6245	H C Clement	9 80
6248	Chris Paulson	12 00
6907	H E Ives	8 40
6908	Emil Just	10 00
6909	Dan Latandresse	8 20
6910	Mat Erickson	12 00
6911	Chas Hallas	12 60
6912	Carl Johnson	10 40
6916	J E Bray	6 00
6917	M Boyce	6 00
6918	J B Demarias	6 00
6919	H B LaPlante	11 60
6920	Napoleon Delorme	6 00
6921	John Drier	6 00
6922	Nick Majeres	6 00
6924	Ed Enright	6 00
6932	Albert St Mars	6 00
6933	J J Donahue	17 00
6934	Marcel Patnode	12 60
6935	Wm Tyselling	12 60
6936	Emil Larson	15 20
6937	Oliver Paradis	13 60
6938	Allier Pouliot	11 20
6939	Olaf Larson	18 80
6940	J W Lynch	18 00
6941	M A Hatten	11 20
6942	And Johnson	13 60
6944	Iver Rustad	15 00
6946	Chas Ford	12 00
7005	[illegible]	3 40
7011	Napoleon [illegible]	5 00
7012	Emil Just	8 00
7013	Iver Rustad	10 00
7014	Ted O'Neill	6 00
7015	John Rison	8 00
7017	Geo Fink	4 00
7018	Chas Hallas	8 60
7019	M A Hatten	6 12
7020	Joseph Landa	5 60
7021	William Gallagher	4 80
7022	Emil Larson	9 20
7023	Dolphis Patnode	5 00
7024	H E Ives	8 40
7023	Chas McAnulty	4 12
7027	Lewis Weiss	6 00
7028	L A Dautremont	4 20
7030	Frank Glass	7 40
7035	Chas Perrault	3 00
7052	Oliver Paradis	14 60
7053	Chas Eklund	15 20
7034	Allier Pouliot	12 20
7055	And Johnson	14 60
7056	Olaf Larson	18 80
7057	Marcel Patnode	13 60
7058	Mat Erickson	10 00
7059	J W Lynch	18 00
7060	Wm Tysseling	13 60
7061	Chas Ford	13 00
7062	J J Donahue	18 00
7063	Dan Latandresse	12 20
7070	Carl Johnson	8 40
7071	A M Anderson	4 12
Total		$848 36

CLERKS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5939	Joseph Perrault, clerk	$ 12 50
6056	do	7 90
6287	do	12 00
6469	do	252 75
6780	do	18 65
6857	do	3 00
7110	do	45 00
6261	Adam Zeh, deputy clerk	12 00
6959	do	22 30
7107	do	33 00
7158	do	18 00
Total		$436 55

SHERIFFS AND DEPUTIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5984	D Linnihan, sheriff	$107 79
6166	do	116 15
6619	do	169 57
5938	Geo Jarman, deputy sheriff	12 00
6262	Fred Zaiser, do	10 50
6779	E J Sullivan, sheriff Polk county	2 40
6903	A Robillard, deputy sheriff	12 00
6930	John Marleau, do	3 00
6945	John Kivel, do	21 00
6951	E A Moran, do	3 00
6956	Fred Zaiser do	19 50
7073	do do	19 50
7078	John Kivel, do	31 50
Total		$527 91

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6869	Geo Jarman	$ 3 40
6870	Anton Langseth	3 40
6871	E O Erickson	3 40
6872	Anton Gulseth	3 40
6873	E W Brouillet	1 12
6874	Jacob Pahlen	1 12
6875	John Gjerberg	1 12
6878	Adam Zeh	1 12
6879	Frank Doyea	1 12
6880	Mrs Beausoliel	1 12
6882	Frank Cernousek	3 40
6883	W E Baker	3 40
6884	A C Douglas	3 40
6886	Chris Hall	2 44
6887	Minnie Clyton	2 44
6888	T J Britt	40 24
7008	Dr I Lemieux	6 12
7009	Dr G A Morley	10 00
7010	T J Britt	42 24
Total		$134 80

JAILOR'S SALARY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6739	D Linnihan	$ 65 00
7093	do	56 00
7168	do	31 00
Total		$152 00

BOARDING PRISONERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6774	D Linnihan	$66 12

JUSTICE COURT EXPENSES

JUSTICE FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5985	A P Toupin	$ 31 60
6159	S A Swanson	5 40
6471	O N Skomedal	4 45
6472	S A Swanson	16 75
6618	A P Toupin	15 40
6771	O H Peters	3 60
6774	A P Toupin	18 90
Total		$96 10

JURORS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5992	Joseph Sally	$ 2 00
5993	Aug Krueger	2 00
5994	Wm M Erb	2 00
5995	O A Henderson	2 00
5996	Otto Zaiser	2 00
5997	J R Pouliot	2 00
5990	J R Fortier	2 00
5999	Wm Krueger	2 00
6000	Wm Zaiser	2 00
6001	J B Demarais	2 00
6152	H J Kaufer	2 00
6453	Wm Schwaien	2 00
6454	Ed Bray	2 00
6455	H J Kaufer	2 00
6456	J F Mathews	2 00
6457	Joseph Sally	2 00
6458	Otto Zaiser	2 00
6459	J B Demarais	2 00
6460	Nap Pouliot	2 00
6461	F C Burgdorf	2 00
6462	Adam Schmitz	2 00
6463	Peter K Olson	2 00
6464	Fred Burgdorf	1 00
6624	Simon Paul	2 00
Total		$47 00

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5986	Samuel Cunningham	$ 3 12
5987	Alf Walswick	1 24
5988	H Williams	1 24
5989	Ernest Walswick	1 24
5990	Adam Zeh	1 12
5991	Clara Ramsdell	1 12
6153	Mrs Elesta Allison	1 36
6154	Andrew Anderson	1 12
6625	Fred Lehrer	5 52
6626	Clem P Mercier	1 48
6627	Henry Busse	5 52
6620	Helen Mostrom	4 40
6782	E W Brouillet	1 12
6783	Albert Mostrom	4 40
Total		$34 00

CONSTABLE AND SHERIFF FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6465	Geo Jarman	$ 17 30
6620	do	2 40
6621	Arthur Roy	3 25
6622	E A Moran	6 05
6772	Chris Hall	12 94
6777	D Linnihan	153 66
6778	Geo Jarman	31 17
Total		$226 78

MUNICIPAL COURT COSTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6042	J M Bishop	$ 6 30
6316	do	12 30
6499	do	4 30
6615	do	10 45
6691	do	20 70
6698	do	2 20
Total		$59 25

PROBATE COURT EXPENSES

MEDICAL EXAMINERS' FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6115	Dr J C Wilkinson	$ 7 65
6119	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6303	Dr J Gendron	7 65
6305	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6320	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6321	do	7 65
6335	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6350	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6982	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6983	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
6984	do	15 30
6985	Dr N M Watson	15 30
6999	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
7076	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
7139	do	5 20
7140	Dr I Lemieux	5 20
7141	Dr H Grundy	11 00
Total		$143 80

WITNESS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6364	R H Duntley	$ 2 44
6861	George Olson	2 80
6862	Gust Swandby	9 60
6863	Ingeborg Helland	2 80
6864	Nels Helland	2 80
6992	A E Sorenson	2 26
7002	J C Mathews	2 40
Total		$25 18

MISCELLANEOUS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6117	D Linnihan, bringing patient before the court	$ 9 85
6295	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	38 02
6296	Edward Peterson, asst. conveying patient to hospital	27 88
6317	L T Bergh, conveying patient to hospital	36 13
6318	Mrs Chas Fellman, asst. conveying patient to hospitel	28 87
6330	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	41 03
6331	Edward Enright, asst. conveying patient to hospital	30 97
6991	Adam Zeh, asst. conveying patient to hospital	23 42
6997	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	39 92
7000	D Linnihan, bringing patient into court and subpœnaing witnesses	12 10
7001	do do	8 40
137	Geo Jarman, bringing patient into court	10 40
Total		$307 02

RENT OF COURT HOUSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
[illegible]	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake Falls	$ 40 00
6112	do	40 00
6259	do	40 00
6377	do	40 00
6419	do	40 00
6447	First State Bank, Red Lake Falls	10 67
6527	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake Falls	40 00
6614	do	40 00
6708	do	40 00
6737	do	40 00
6967	do	40 00
7091	do	40 00
7177	do	40 00
Total		$490 67

FIRE WARDENS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6003	David Haugen	$ 2 00
6450	Andrew Johnson	2 50
6451	John S Smith	8 50
6452	X Sauve	2 00
6642	Louis Parenteau	4 75
6645	Samuel Sabourin	6 75
6646	Alcide Perusse	75
Total		$27 25

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6002	Dr H Grundy, quarantining	$ 5 00
6061	Town of Poplar River, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
4276	Town of Lambert, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
6474	Town of Wyandotte, one-half expenses refended	2 50
Total		$27 50

BOARD OF AUDIT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6010	James Sutir	$ 3 00
6011	James E Ford	3 00
6155	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6467	James E Ford	3 00
6468	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6477	Wm C L Demann	3 00
Total		$18 00

CORONER'S INQUESTS

CORONER'S FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6009	Dr H Grundy	$17 00
6629	do	30 10
6840	do	34 60
Total		$81 70

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6680	Swan Olson	$ 1 12
6740	John Dalson	1 12
6742	John Aas	1 12
6743	Mikkel Bakken	1 24
4744	Seigart Bakken	1 24
6745	August Anderson	2 12
4744	Dr Geo Tupper	5 12
Total		$13 08

JURY FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
4747	Ole Jacobsen	$ 1 12
6748	Swan Severson	1 12
6748	S T Johnson	1 12
6750	Aug Stenseth	1 12
Total		$4 48

TELEPHONE SERVICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6004	W A Schreitrr	$30 00
5032	J E Ford, long distance calls	2 80
6163	O T Taudberg	2 30
6448	W A Schreiter	20 00
6631	do	10 00
6798	do	15 00
6838	D Linnihan	8 80
6839	J E Ford	1 55
Total		$90 45

LIGHTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6005	Red Lake Falls El. Light Co.	$10 35
6151	do	16 50
6271	do	8 00
6449	do	16 00
6630	do	16 00
6037	do	16 00
Total		$82 85

FUEL

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6008	Adam Zeh	$168 00

ELECTION EXPENSES

CARRYING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6769	Hans J Pederson	$3 40
6770	Samuel Sabourin	3 20
6810	H L Dudley	1 20
6811	Chas Gustafson	1 60
6812	C Retallick	1 20
6813	John Fuller	1 20
6814	Herman Ortloff	1 20
6815	A S Wilson	4 00
6816	O J Tweet	3 40
6817	A L Reichert	2 70
6818	John C Mathews	1 20
6819	N A Nelson	1 20
6820	Thas Daugherty	3 80
6821	Geo Walker	2 40
6822	Albert Dreger	1 80
6823	H E Gusa	2 80
6824	Michael Kees	1 60
6825	E K Gjernes	1 20
6826	Antoine Lambert	1 64
6827	Joseph Pigeon	1 00
6828	A D Berry	1 50
6829	Martin T Smerud	2 60
6830	C P Swanson	1 54
Total		$47 38

MISCELLANEOUS ELECTION EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6834	John E King, printing ballots	$144 40
6638	Miller-Davis Printing Co., blanks and supplies	62 66
Total		$207 06

CANVASSING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6786	A P Toupin	$ 6 20
6787	K O Gigstad	8 40
6788	F J Cernousek	10 00
6789	S L Lewis	6 20
6790	Joseph Perrault	6 20
Total		$37 00

PRUCURING PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6791	H E Gusa	$ 1 30
6792	Lewis Sall	2 00
6793	A J Hemstad	3 20
6794	A S Anderson	3 80
6795	P A Eckstrom	4 00
6796	A D Berry	2 60
6797	O T Romsos	2 60
6799	K O Gigstad	3 40
6800	Lars Backe	1 20
6801	P Engelstad	2 00
6802	T H Carver	1 80
6803	Arthur Laniel	1 00
6804	Ernest J Akerlund	1 10
6805	Nels K Anderson	3 00
6806	O J Johnson	3 00
6807	G J Nordhagen	2 40
6800	Olaf Tande	1 40
6809	J L Cossette	3 20
Total		$42 96

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6025	St Hilaire Spectator	$ 31 74
6149	Red Lake Courier	5 40
6150	St Hilaire Spectator	9 09
6430	Sam S Haislet	13 60
6431	Red Lake Falls Gazette	13 50
6432	do	69 60
6433	do	568 06
6835	John E King	8 09
6836	Review Ptg Co	8 00
Total		$716 90

BLANK BOOKS, BLANKS, STATIONERY AND SUPPLIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6014	Free Press Ptg Co	19 80
6015	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 15
6016	Pioneer Press Co	24 00
6017	Red Lake Courier	33 60
6018	Geo D Barnard & Co	43 00
6019	Red Lake Falls Gazette	14 00
6020	McGill-Warner Co	12 15
6021	A L Reichert	6 95
6022	Mpls Stamp & Stencil Co	1 91
6023	W E McKenzie	5 45
6140	Free Press Ptg Co	18 00
6141	Pioneer Press Co	75 00
6142	do	6 20
6143	W E McKenzie	70 40
6144	Geo D Barnard & Co	26 50
6145	McGill-Warner Co	8 55
6146	W M Welch & Co	25 25
6447	John C Mathews	2 75
6148	Red Lake Courier	22 25
6269	Pioneer Press Co	4 75
6270	Free Press Ptg Co	20 25
6434	Pioneer Press Co	17 45
6435	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 02
6436	C F Greenwood	2 00
6437	W E McKenzie	11 75
6438	A L Reichert	20 15
6439	Sam S Haislet	35 50
6440	Blymyer Bros	1 50
6441	John E King	37 00
6442	Free Press Ptg Co	27 80
6632	W E McKenzie	10 00
6633	Red Lake Falls Gazette	21 25
6634	Anderson & Healy	40 00
6635	W A Schreiter	1 65
6636	W M Welch & Co	11 00
6637	Pioneer Press Co	44 20
6639	Free Press Ptg Co	23 30
6831	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	22 50
6831	Pioneer Press Co	14 60
6833	Free Press Ptg Co	55 00
Total		$860 68

WOLF BOUNTY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5927	Julius Mossestad	$ 7 50
5930	Victor F Sandstrom	7 50
5935	Henry Cyr	7 50
5941	Vital Desrosier	7 50
5944	Gudor Hagen	7 50
5946	Louis Plante	7 50
5947	Henry Lemieux	7 50
5952	Wm Vague	7 50
5953	Ole Pederson	7 50
5956	O W Brink	30 00
5957	Berlet Haga	7 50
5966	Charley Nelson	7 50
5967	Wm Rose	7 50
5969	John G Hagen	7 50
5970	Richard Larson	7 50
5971	Richard Dubuque	15 00
6038	Louis Halvorsen	7 50
6040	Julien Guerrard	7 50
6041	George Boutain	7 50
6048	John Torske	7 50
6049	Willie Dempsey	7 50
6079	Gilbert Skjervas	7 50
6081	Eli Boutain	7 50
6092	Pedei Johnson	7 50
6101	Mike Madden	15 00
6102	Ole J Pleton	7 50
6165	Oluf O Juberg	7 50
6166	Chas G Leader	7 50
6167	Frank C Busch	7 50
6174	Gust Konikson	22 50
6306	Ole Peterson	15 00
6353	Peter Roerig	7 50
6354	Victor Brink	7 50
6367	Mike Madden	15 00
6378	Gilbert Skjerva	7 50
6331	Knut Olson	7 50
6383	Mike Madden	7 50
6395	Aug E Amundson	11 50
6396	Carl Nelson	9 00
6409	Ole Norveson	4 00
6424	Albert Sevra	7 00
4679	Wm Rose	7 50
6759	do	7 50
6953	Mike Ault	7 50
6977	John G Hagen	7 50
6994	do	7 50
7014	Mikkel L Kjos	7 50
7051	C A Parnell	7 50
7074	Albert Nettleland	7 50
7079	P B Gaass	7 50
7113	Joachim Rose	7 50
Total		$451 50

REPORTING BIRTHS AND DEATHS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6034	A D Berry	$ 7 50
6051	N M Watson	14 50
6052	A F Blomburgh	9 75
6053	Lars Backe	16 75
6054	P A Eckstrom	1 25
6055	E J Akerlund	2 00
6056	A J Hemstad	4 25
6057	Lewis Sall	3 50
6058	O Tande	4 50
6059	A Patnode	25
6060	T H Carver	50
6061	T Grandbois	1 00
6062	Moses Ducharme	3 50
6063	Louis Doucet	6 50
6044	J L Finke	25
6065	G J Nordhagen	1 50
6066	H E Gusa	50
6067	O Larson	3 25
6068	O T Romsos	2 50
6069	J B Hebert	2 00
6070	Arthur Laniel	5 50
6071	Ildaige Baril	2 50
6072	A S Anderson	2 75
6073	F T Satre	1 00
6074	P Engelstad	3 25
6075	N K Anderson	3 75
6076	O Tessier	50
6077	O J Johnson	1 25
6157	Joseph Perrault	71 30
6342	N M Watson	1 00
6343	A D Berry	1 50
6344	Moses Ducharme	25
6345	Lewis Sall	75
6346	Olaf Tande	1 00
6347	Arthur Laniel	75
6348	P Engelstad	25
6349	Lars Backe	1 50
6390	Olaf Larson	25
6406	A F Blomburgh	1 25
6470	Joseph Perrault	7 10
Total		$187 65

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5954	J W Wallin, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	$438 28
5955	Ovide Emard, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	738 30
6006	Thief River Falls Lumber Co., lumber for repairing vault	3 50
6007	Frank E Hunt, stoves and hardware	17 40
6012	Joseph Sally, moving safe in Treasuree's office	1 00
6013	Diebold Safe & Lock Co., expert opening Treasurer's safe	52 00
6014	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	28 98
6158	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 00
6160	J B McGinnis, asst. Co Supt 3 days	9 00
6272	F A Grady, insurance prem	44 00
6273	Adam Zeh do	39 00
6174	Theo LaBissoniere, kerosene	60
6275	F A Grady, transcrip evidence in criminal case	4 50
6398	Imperial Drug Co., refundm't special dog tax	68
6443	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	77 42
6444	B Puschinsky, rep. chair Reg. of Deeds' office	75
6445	Agnes Sampson, cleaning jail	15 00
6446	F A Grady, expenses of Co. Att'y case of State vs P. & J Meehan	11 30
6473	Samuel Gibeau, list of real estate mortgages for assessment; report of forec. decrees and foreclosures; rec. town treasurers' bonds	36 40
6603	Red Lake Co. Ag. Ass'n, appropriation	250 00
6623	Wm Krueger, meals for jurors	3 00
6640	E E Havick, assess. Ass't Dis. No. 2	1 00
6641	Ole A Aubol, assess. Ass't Dis No. 1	10 00
6647	Fritz Gerke, material and labor repairing vault	10 25
6648	Eli Lasha, mat. and labor repairing jail	10 00
6693	Oliver Paradis, ref. spec. dog tax	98
6754	Jas J Dow, Supt., clothing, etc. for A Hendrickson at School for Blind	34 03
6754	A C Rogers, Supt., clothing, etc., for Ralph Swenson and Josephine Morovek at School for Feeble Minded	36 52
6775	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 20
6781	F A Grady, exp. Co. Att'y case State vs. McMann	8 15
6784	Samuel Gibeau, rec. town treas. bonds	85
6785	Lydia E Fletcher, asst. Co. Supt. 3 days	9 00
6841	Torrison Bros., undertaking fees, supposed murder of Hilding Olson	25 00
6842	Frank Tilton, digging grave, etc., remains Hilding Olson	7 00
6843	John C Mathews, cleaning jail	3 00
6844	Jas Brady, repairing jail	2 05
6843	W A Reichel, photos of prisoners	6 58
6856	Jas E Ford, Government envelopes, postage and express	34 41
Total		$1976 35

County Poor Fund

RECEIPTS

Taxes collected	$1456 20
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	703 57
Total	$2159 77

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6162	Hans Frederickson,	boarding P Freeman and caring for stock	53 00
6486	F D Patterson,	med attend. on paupers	20 00
	Overdraft, Jan. 2, 1904		2066 79
	Error		19 98
	Total		$2159 77

Bond and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$1216 67
Taxes collected	3376 41
Total	$4593 08

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$2178 41
Transferred to Special Bond and Interest Fund	336 61
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	2078 06
Total	$4593 07

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5949	Joseph Perrault	$ 56
5951	A P Toupin	37
5959	H B Kaufer	1 84
5960	First Nat Bk, T. R. Falls	25
5964	W E McKenzie	2 01
5968	N M Watson	2 10
5983	John Power	10
6036	A Paquin	06
6039	B Christianson	3 48
6043	Mer. State B'k, Red Lake F	138 03
6044	O T Tandberg	7 78
6046	First State Bank, Red Lake F	91 57
6050	Thore Nelson	16 50
6083	Chas E Boughton	22
6086	A C Rogers, Supt	1 65
6087	H D Boardson	13
6094	N M Watson	32
6096	J Gendron	12
6120	W M Welch & Co	90
6124	Red Lake Falls Elec L'ht Co.	2 10
6130	Octave Lafaive	54
6131	L K Moen	10
6138	O T Romsos	08
6168	John Naplin	40
6170	W P Johnston	1 12
6171	McGill-Warner Co	56
6172	Jas J Dow, Supt	87
6248	First State Bank, St. Hilaire	1 55
6292	Gunder Gunstenson	14
6311	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	3 21
6313	W A Sorsoleil	15
6332	Mchts Nat. Bank, Crookston	1 00
6333	do	8 80
6355	Geo E Harris	31
6380	Chase Nat. Bank	1 50
6385	Pioneer Press Co	2 30
6386	Scandia Am. Bank, Crookston	85
6387	Mankato State Bank	2 25
6391	First State Bank, Red Lake F	630 00
6399	Mchts " "	17 20
6404	A S Anderson	49
6426	J W Wheeler, cashier	39
6503	First State Bank, Red Lake F	38
6507	Mchts " "	400 00
6517	State of Minn	120 00
6570	First State Bank, Red Lake F	560 00
6584	J N Tate, Supt	69
6598	Frank E Hunt	18
6616	First State Bank, Red Lake F	2 79
6673	Cit. State Bank, T. R. F	1 65
6681	K O Gigstad, cashier	57
6682	Paul Mathews	95
6685	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake F	240 00
6859	A D Berry	17
7004	First State Bank, St Hilaire	7 13
	Total	$2178 41

Road and Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1903	$2580 98
Tax collections	1968 59
Donations	250 00
Liquor licenses	1250 00
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	385 57
Total	$6434 14

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per following itemized schedule	$6434 14

WARRANTS PAID

APPROPRIATIONS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what Town	Amount
6080	Louis Falardeau,	Lambert	$150 00
6676	Leonard Holmes,	St. Hilaire	300 00
6678	Simon Sutter,	Red Lake Falls Tp	85 00
6923	George Orr,	Gervais	50 00
6987	Wm Schaper,	Lake Pleasant	175 00
6989	Simon Sutter,	Red Lake Falls Tp	75 00
7069	Cyrille Lussier,	Aoplar River	100 00
7105	H R Kolseth,	Wyandotte	75 00
7106	do	do	75 00
	Total		$1085 00

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6084	Geo Walker	$40 00
6085	Pierre Emard Jr	14 00
6088	Eli Emard	55 20
6090	Eli Emard, trustee	30 00
6091	Ovide Emard	30 00
6093	Andrew Bisson	20 00
6098	Alex Emard	20 00
6100	E E & Millie Fletcher	34 80
	Total	$244 00

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6129	James Brady,	piers at Terrebonne bridge	$ 600 00
6197	do	do	380 00
6340	Northw Bridge Co.,	rep. Thief River Falls Bridge	1325 00
6845	James Brady,	extra work Terrebonne piers	91 94
6602	James Brady,	bridge across Black River, in Polk Center	350 00
6753	Kankel & Zeigler,	rep. Terrebonne bridge	305 00
6980	D Linnidan,	Red Lake Falls steel bridge, part payment	2000 00
	Total		$5051 94

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6264	Joseph Rose,	inspecting plans for bridge	$25 00
6484	James E Ford,	rec. county road proceedings	23 70
6643	Samuel Miller,	assisting in survey	2 25
6644	Levi Miller	do	2 25
	Total		$53 20

Incidental Fund

RECEIPTS

Balanee Jan. 2, 1904	$ 4 41
Transferred from County Revenue Fd.	300 00
Total	$304 41

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized schedule following	$239 18
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	65 23
Total	$304 41

WARRANTS PAID

POSTAGE AND EXPRESS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5923	N W Tarrant	$ 2 00
5924	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
5931	G N Exp Co	40
5933	do	1 00
8937	James E Ford	8 00
5942	Joseph Perrault	6 60
5962	O T Tandberg	10 04
5965	Ed Bray	1 16
6033	N W Tarrant	2 00
6037	Frank Jeffers	6 47
6095	James E Ford	1 75
6099	O T Tandberg	5 00
6116	N W Tarrant	2 00
6118	G N Exp Co	45
6122	Frank Jeffers	2 50
6127	James E Ford	5 00
6132	G N Exp Co	60
6289	Samuel Gibeau	8 25
6290	G N Exp Co	40
6291	Frank Jeffers	5 00
6294	Joseph Sally	3 50
6308	N W Tarrant	2 00
6312	J L Tracy, agent	1 25
6320	do	40
6165	do	70
6389	Samnel Gibeau	40
6401	N W Tarrant	2 00
6410	Joseph Sally	3 30
6421	J L Tracy, agent	1 10
6428	Joseph Perrault	7 91
6481	Samuel Gibeau	22 75
6482	O T Tandberg	23 27
6483	James E Ford	7 35
6405	N W Tarrant	2 00
6512	Frank Jeffers	7 17
6557	James E Ford	10 77
6595	O T Tandberg	1 30
6596	do	12 37
6617	Joseph Sally	1 10
6663	Frank Jeffers	2 70
6689	do	5 00
6692	J L Tracy, agent	2 25
6711	N W Tarrant	5 00
6712	Samuel Gibeau	9 00
6716	Joseph Perrault	5 33
6767	Joseph Sally	3 00
6768	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
6867	do	4 85
6868	Frank Jeffers	5 25
6981	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
7126	do	75
7149	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
7115	Joseph Sally	2 25
7167	Frank Jeffers	2 24
	Total	$239 18

Redemption Fund

RECEITTS

Balance Jun. 1, 1904	$ 128 26
Redemptions	1800 37
Total	$1928 66

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$1800 95
Cr. balance December 31, 1904	118 71
Total	$1928 66

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5926	W W Prichard	11 03
5940	Wm M Erb	19 97
6186	Samuel Gibeau	5 60
6283	W G Bosworth	11 54
6336	E M Perrault	68 98
6386	Joseph Gray	3 50
6384	J W Wheeler	10 88
6388	Minnie K Norton	39 39
6405	W W Prichard	3 57
6407	Wm Higinbotham	21 05
6408	G Vandertunk	30 16
6422	John A Dapy	24 97
6489	J A Duffy	18 78
6491	G Vandertunk	17 66
6493	Andrew Stenseth	33 27
6494	J A Duffy	98 54
6501	Leo Steinert	17 28
6561	W S Short	26 25
6576	N E Gaass	30 70
6686	J W Wheeler	13 77
6714	do	35 26
6715	J K O Sherwood	49 78
6717	J A Duffy	44 70
6718	Wm M Erb	19 91
6756	M V Evenson	357 38
6762	J A Duffy	43 58
6763	Wm M Erb	15 99
6764	A D Stephens, agt	38 81
6765	do	40 35
6773	Chas D Mattson	46 20
6860	J W Wheeler	22 81
6865	J A Duffy	20 89
6929	Wm M Erb	26 04
6969	Mary S Hodgson	43 39
6973	N E Gaass	31 79
6995	Wm M Erb	29 12
6996	G Vandertunk	29 88
7026	W S Short	26 84
7031	J A Duffy	22 67
7100	W W Prichard	86 79
7101	A D Stephens	113 24
7119	J W Wheeler	17 72
7127	J A Duffy	10 10
7129	do	26 90
7144	do	18 19
7125	W W Prichard	12 69
7154	Martina Lee	3 68
7156	G Vandertunk	52 35
	Total	$1809 95

General Ditch Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 2, 1904	$ 9501 19
Collections, ditch taxes	13024 92
Proceeds bond issue	6519 86
Warrants surrendered and cancelled	225 00
Error	50
Overdraft Dec. 31, 1904	1102 05
Total	$30373 51

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued, per following itemized schedule	$16373 51
Transferred to County Revenue Fund	14000 00
Total	$30373 51

WARRANTS PAID

EXCAVATING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6588	John Freeman	$ 473 00
6589	Wm Eickhoff	1500 00
6590	Gjernes & Hokenson	400 00
6591	do	250 00
6592	A F Anderson	200 00
6720	John Carlson	453 00
6122	A F Anderson	500 00
6723	Theodore Halvorsen	2500 00
6724	Gjernes & Hokenson	159 00
6725	do	1350 00
6726	K M Hansen	140 00
6727	Sauve, Parenteau & Perusse	202 00
6738	J W Lynch	100 00
6752	E A Moran	175 00
6760	LaBissodiere & Findeisen, bondsmen	963 07
6761	X Sauve	104 47
6125	E Perusse	77 03
	Total	$9537 57

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6360	Red Lake Falls Gazette	$21 60
6425	do	24 65
	Total	$46 26

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6599	Carrie J Kordale	$39 04
6600	Anton A Aubol	65 07
6601	P O Hagglund	13 02
	Total	$117 13

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No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6661	James Sutor	$12 70
6665	O J Johnson	14 70
6666	Wm C L Demann	11 70
6667	Louis Falardeau	12 70
6850	Wm C L Demann	36 20
6851	O J Johnson	36 20
6852	James Sutor	36 20
6853	Louis Falarneau	10 80
	Total	$171 20

ENGINEERS FEES AND EXPENSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6164	Geo A Ralph	$ 5 60
6669	"	34 12
6854	"	74 05
	Total	$113 77

VIEWERS FEES AND EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6357	Joseph Pigeon	$59 66
6358	Olaf Tande	40 90
6359	Ed L Stowe	40 90
	Total	$141 46

INTEREST ON BONDS AND WARRANTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5929	First State Bank Red Lake Falls	$ 296 15
5932	" " " " "	3 50
5943	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	14 40
6045	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	108 65
6114	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	2145 03
6176	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	29 47
6191	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	141 45
6208	" " " " "	49 90
6382	First " " " "	450 03
6496	Merchants " " " "	178 75
6709	First " " " "	360 08
6710	Merchants " " " "	2145 00
7157	" " " " "	178 75
	Total	$6100 56

MISC EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6668	James Suter, team hire	$ 8 00
6670	E K Gjernes, timber for bridge across Garne & Emardville ditch	361 00
6671	T C Smiley, witness fees ditch 21	22 00
6672	J E Ford, Auditor's fees ditch No. 21	23 33
6855	J E Carroll, witness fees ditch 21	24 32
6885	J K Hanney, Atty. for Pltfs., costs appeal case ditch No. 21	31 90
	Total	$145 55

Special Bond and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Jan. 2, 3904	$5991 27
Tax collections	658 94
Transferred from Bond and Int. Fund	336 61
Total	$6985 91

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
7133	Treas. of Polk Co., principal and interest on bonds	$6985 92

Court House and Jail Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$390 73
Tax collections	999 43
Total	$1390 16

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6031	Aug Morin,	calcimining jail	$ 11 90
	Error in Warrant No. 1484		10
	Cr. balance		$1378 16
	Total		$1390 16

Current School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 600 73
State apportionment	12080 75
Interest, penalty and costs on real estate taxes	1197 08
Fines Justice court	42 35
Total	$13920 91

DISBURSEMENTS.

Distributed to school	$13303 03
Credit balance	617 88
Total	$13920 91

Taxes & Penalties Account

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 8049 70
Collections	105198 71
Error	9 62
Total	$113258 03

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5982	Sam Lambert, refundment	3 78
6498	L B Arnold, "	99 36
6677	Paul Ostby, "	4 50
7108	Gerome Longtin, "	2 35
	Taxes and penalties distributed	104113 54
	Balance undistributed Dec 31, 1904	9024 88
	Error	9 62
	Total	$113258 03

Warrants Account

RECEIPTS

Warrants outstanding Jan. 2, 1904	$ 25993 92
By error	20 94
Warrants issued	140045 37
Total	$166060 23

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants redeemed by Co. Treasurer	$ 161423 65
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1905	4646 58
Total	$166060 23

State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance January 2, 1904	$ 2 40
Taxes collected	6012 20
Total	$6014 90

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
5958	State of Minn.,	hunters' licenses.	$ 2 70
6193	do	taxes collected	2160 21
6552	do	do	2639 76
7080	do	do	1212 23
	Total		$6014 90

State Lands Fund

RECEIPTS

Collections of principal and interest due on State lands	$4938 68
Balance Jan. 2, 1904	131 80
Total	$5070 56

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6194	State of Minnesota.	collections	$ 590 10
6553	do	do	3392 96
7001	do	do	837 35
	Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904		250 15
	Total		$5070 56

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued		Amount
5928	H Bragge Jr	Dist No 228	$ 93 67
5934	Raphael Trudeau	" 191	87 06
5936	Ole O Vattendahl	" 204	21 37
5948	Felix Anderson	" 94	187 19
5950	Wm Tysseling	" 43	30 94
5961	H O Wiken	" 221	2 42
6035	A S Anderson	" 133	99 12
6047	Ed Enright	" 108	51 74
6070	A Wels	" 73	124 48
6097	E M Hoff	" 102	621 91
6113	G Swanson	" 210	66 97
6123	Andrew Bodin	" 5	19 70
6125	Joseph Laurent	" 81	50 00
6126	Thos Crompe	" 15	1500 00
6128	A Thompson	" 16	10 50
6139	Carl Gerlach	" 63	101 86
6173	Octave Beauchene	" 153	240 35
6175	Jacob Thill	" 1	202 73
6177	Haldor Erickson	" 2	115 93
6178	Phillip Gibeau	" 9	156 38
6179	Andrew Ekland	" 135	69 08
6180	Joseph Brokmann	" 151	117 55
6182	C F Elvidge	" 12	90 21
6183	Andrew Johnson	" 127	84 93
6184	T A Crompe	" 15	1421 79
6185	Nels Lolland	" 13	152 33
6187	H H Finrow	" 115	83 88
6189	Emery Dion	" 7	16 46
6192	Alfred Dohlstrom	" 103	82 33
6198	Frank Grenier	" 130	91 46
6200	Martin Foldoe	" 233	115 74
6201	A E Anderson	" 180	102 20
6202	A J Hemstad	" 214	148 93
6203	Jacob Boutain	" 17	141 23
6204	Fred Anderson	" 148	146 59
6205	Lars P Brandrud	" 125	119 08
6206	W A Swanson	" 19	125 10
6209	Regis Gognon	" 27	212 32
6210	Ole Larson	" 166	70 89
6211	Geo Marchildon	" 216	100 07
6212	Joseph Brohman	" 151	24 45
6214	August Swenson	" 178	121 12
6216	A Thompson	" 16	68 62
6219	Emil E Zeh	" 18	5780 20
6228	J F Eatthews	" 48	149 56
6247	Bergt Swenson	" 194	106 06
6260	H H Finrow	" 115	22 82
6263	C F Elvidge	" 12	19 56
6277	Maximillien Perras	" 103	202 28
6280	Jacob Thill	" 1	84 76
6281	Haldor Erickson	" 2	60 31
6284	T H Crompe	" 15	904 95
6285	E M Huff	" 102	1157 89
6288	Michael Rees	" 167	195 08
6297	L C Cadieux	" 79	717 61
6299	Halvor O Wiken	" 221	90 06
6300	Sam Person	" 99	74 30
6301	C F Stenhammer	" 208	67 49
6302	Wm Tysseling	" 43	81 29
6304	Harold Bugge	" 228	73 87
6306	John Reinschmidt	" 80	96 03
6309	M P Bokken	" 165	136 42
6314	Annie Emard	" 112	170 65
6315	Joseph Laurent	" 81	106 60
6319	Magnus Winberg	" 147	163 93
6324	Amond K Vindlos	" 21	9 55
6325	Anton Peterson	" 6	154 68
6326	J S Koy	" 227	151 60
6327	Phillip Gibean	" 9	63 57
6328	Francis Lambert	" 76	170 67
6334	Ferd Gather	" 124	86 40
6337	Joseph Pigeon	" 141	166 09
6338	Sever Maaren	" 20	76 26
6339	Rasmus Aaseby	" 149	83 66
6341	Andrew Soderberg	" 54	152 74
6351	Edward Enright	" 108	97 82
6352	Eli Lasha	" 40	112 12
6361	Narcisse Robidoux	" 126	71 08
6362	Joseph Robidoux	" 14	77 80
6363	Amie Carriere	" 45	10 86
6366	Frank Hagl	" 49	103 31
6392	John Jacobson	" 24	66 95
9393	Chas Seeger	" 88	101 91
6394	John Kelberg	" 219	74 07
6400	Joseph Martell	" 36	86 10
6402	A S Anderson	" 133	109 96
6403	Andrew Bodin	" 5	70 09
6420	Ole J Haaven	" 11	132 25
6423	James Honce	" 32	121 74
6490	Paul Schoenauer	" 4	93 13
6492	Ole O Vattendahl	" 204	45 42
6497	Chas G Sall	" 10	237 78
6500	Regis Gagnon	" 27	87 35
6502	H H Finrow	" 115	117 39
6505	Maximillien Ferras	" 103	189 45
6506	Michael Kees	" 167	107 02
6508	Jacob Boutain	" 17	59 15
6509	Emil E Zeh	" 18	3713 35
6510	John A Reinschmidt	" 80	135 20
6511	Fred Anderson	" 148	115 56
6513	Thos A Crompe	" 15	2651 53
6514	A Welo	" 73	75 81
6515	Jacob Thill	" 1	128 74
6516	Geo Marchildon	" 216	185 87
6529	Benght Severson Jr	" 194	61 82
6530	Frank G eiver	" 130	116 02
6531	Haldor Erickson	" 2	82 94
6532	A E Anderson	" 100	167 30
6533	C F Stenhammer	" 208	60 16
6534	C F Elvidge	" 12	79 65
6536	Andrew Eklund	" 135	99 79
6539	Lars P Brandrud	" 125	273 27
6540	A Thompson	" 16	103 17
6541	G Swanson	" 210	178 19
6542	W A Swanson	" 19	75 87
6543	Ole Larson	" 166	191 29
6544	Joseph Brohmann	" 151	182 89
6548	Phillip Gibeau	" 9	132 17
6549	Sam Person	" 99	119 56
6551	M Winberg	" 147	294 54
6554	Paul Schoenouer	" 4	193 16
6558	Carl Gerlach	" 63	241 41
6559	August Swenson	" 178	132 79
6562	J F Mathews	" 48	33 41
6563	Joseph Robidoux	" 14	154 16
6564	Annie Emard	" 112	105 92
6566	James Hance	" 32	135 69
6567	Andrew Johnson	" 127	145 83
6568	Frank Hagl	" 29	53 22
6569	Narcisse Robidoux	" 126	66 73
6572	Sever Moaren	" 20	41 79
6577	Rasmus Aaseby	" 149	72 22
6578	Martin Foldoe	" 233	92 33
6580	Chas Seeger	" 88	142 68
6583	Octave Beauchene	" 153	204 06
6586	Joseph Laurent	" 81	153 68
6593	A S Anderson	" 133	109 32
6674	Aug Soderberg	" 54	50 52
6675	Mauruis Miller	" 94	206 48
6683	H Haupt	" 227	258 19
6674	L R Thyoen	" 3	181 38
6687	L C Cadieux	" 79	191 26
6690	Emery Dion	" 7	65 05
6694	Raphael Trudeau	" 191	86 18
6695	Swan Wolhoug	" 11	145 16
6696	Louis Folardeau	" 76	153 01
6697	Chas G Soll	" 10	74 88
6713	Wm Tysseling	" 43	47 39
9719	A J Hemstad	" 214	98 33
6721	Joseph Pigeon	" 141	60 41
6741	John S Hanson	" 8	176 82
6751	E M Hoff	" 102	674 81
6757	H O Wiken	" 221	26 87
6758	Carl Gerlach	" 63	154 82
6766	John Jacobson	" 24	98 15
6848	Rnud Finstad	" 154	235 15
6858	Ferd Gother	" 124	75 69
6866	Ole O Vattendahl	" 204	61 77
6867	Chas Seeger	" 80	52 58
6877	T A Crompe	" 15	1333 62
6881	C F Stenhammer	" 208	64 53
6913	Sever Mooran	" 20	62 14
6914	Jacob Thill	" 1	97 99
6915	Emil E Zeh	" 18	1701 68
6925	C F Elvidge	" 12	50 19
6926	Joseph Martell	" 36	126 99
6927	Joseph Brohmann	" 151	43 02
6943	Emery Dion	" 7	26 29
6947	August Swenson	" 178	54 97
6948	Maurius Miller	" 94	107 55
6949	Phillip Gibeau	" 9	88 43
6952	Martin E Foldoe	" 233	59 75
6954	Regis Gagnon	" 27	88 43
6755	Jacob Boutain	" 17	69 31
6957	Michael Kees	" 167	64 53
6968	Andrew Soderberg	" 54	76 48
6970	Alfred Dahlstrom	" 106	174 36
6971	Max Perras	" 103	59 75
6972	John Reinschmidt	" 80	38 24
6974	Halvor O Wiken	" 221	59 75
6975	H H Finrow	" 115	33 46
6976	Frank Hagl	" 49	7 17
6979	Anton Petterson	" 6	66 92
6986	J J Haeberle	" 23	57 36
6988	Eli Lasha	" 40	165 90
6990	A Welo	" 73	159 10
6993	G Swanson	" 210	62 14
6998	Leorril Gauthier	" 228	226 09
7006	Nels Lailand	" 13	249 28
7007	Fred Anderson	" 148	64 53
7032	Joseph Brohmann	" 151	76 66
7033	A E Anderson	" 180	57 30
7034	C F Stenhammer	" 208	121 02
7036	Ed Enright	" 108	53 81
7037	Halvor O Wiken	" 221	14 25
7038	John S Hanson	" 8	53 44
7039	Max Perras	" 103	89 20
7040	Lars P Brandrud	" 125	62 14
7041	Andrew Eklund	" 135	122 20
7042	Magnus Winberg	" 147	122 03
7043	Fred Anderson	" 148	32 78
7044	M P Bokken	" 165	84 35
7045	Ole Larson	" 166	93 64
7046	G Swanson	" 210	48 00
7047	John Kellberg	" 219	140 86
7050	Narcisse Robidoux	" 126	85 62
7064	Wm Tysseling	" 43	63 30
7065	Phillip Gibeau	" 9	59 96
7066	August Swenson	" 178	75 19
7072	A Thompson	" 16	82 51
7075	Nellie Walker	" 112	126 36
7077	Jacob Boutain	" 17	33 28
7094	Joseph Laurent	" 81	221 99
7096	H H Finrow	" 115	71 60
7097	Bengt Swenson	" 194	89 34
7098	Regis Gognon	" 27	113 25
7099	Haldor Erickson	" 2	79 99
7104	Ellef Grorlie	" 127	114 85
7109	J F Mathews	" 48 & 22	124 54
7112	Arnie Carriere	" 45	9 56
7114	Paul Schoenauor	" 4	55 99
7117	Martin E Foldoe	" 233	70 38
7118	J Thill	" 1	88 56
7120	John Reinschmidt	" 80	38 76
7121	Andrew Bodin	" 5	154 43
7122	Chas Perrault	" 32	158 15
7123	Louis Falardeau	" 76	232 42
7128	T A Crompe	" 15	1550 16
7130	Joseph Pigeon	" 141	112 72
7131	Chas G Soll	" 10	177 26
7132	A J Hemstad	" 214	122 38
7134	Eli Lasha	" 40	81 23
7135	Sam Person	" 99	128 97
7236	Celas Ragmour	" 130	114 09
7143	Swan Walhaug	" 11	22 53
7148	Joseph Robidoux	" 14	68 90
7150	C F Elvidge	" 12	53 94
7152	L C Cadieux	" 79	381 88
7153	Octave Beauchene	" 153	106 95
7155	Ferd Gother	" 124	87 72
7160	A S Anderson		87 56
7161	Anton Petterson		139 74
7163	Alfred Dahlstrom		51 60
7164	Geo Marchildon		175 61
7165	Raphael Trudeau		72 82
	Total		$48119 80

PAYMENTS TO STATE TREASURER ON ACCOUNT OF STATE LOANS

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6518	State of Minnesota	$2063 82
6555	" "	334 58
6582	" "	110 00
	Total	$2508 40

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE FUNDS.

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE.	Debit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Receipts from Tax Collections and Licenses	Total	Payments to Treasurers	Interest on Railway Bonds	Credit Balance Dec. 31 1904
Numedal		57 34	542 97	600 31	600 31		
Norden		44 09	469 85	513 94	513 94		
North		61 68	624 46	686 14	507 87		178 27
Bray		107 43	740 69	848 12	848 12		
Sanders			573 02	573 02	573 02		
Rocksbury			792 11	792 11	792 11		
Polk Center			806 17	806 17	678 89		127 28
Black River		103 74	368 20	471 94	471 94		
River Falls			838 71	838 71	838 71		
Wyandotte			470 47	470 47	470 47		
Louisville			689 86	689 86	689 86		
Red Lake Falls			689 10	689 10	533 28	30 00	125 82
Gervais		372 63	850 00	1222 63	591 63		631 00
Emardville		105 79	1101 06	1206 85	1206 85		
Garnes			413 07	413 07	413 07		
Equality		33 87	418 62	452 49	452 49		
Lake Pleasant			1019 61	1019 61	1019 61		
Terrebonne			1146 17	1146 17	1146 17		
Poplar River	02c		1258 02	1258 00	1258 00		
Lambert			705 94	705 94	705 94		
St. Hilaire village			2260 23	2260 23	2260 23		
Thief River Fulls, city			4879 07	4879 07	4879 07		
Red Lake Falls city		1559 28	4975 61	6534 89	4532 77	1980 00	22 12
Totals	02	$2445 85	$26633 01	$29078 84	$25984 35	$2010 00	$1084 49

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS.

No. of District	Debit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Receipts from State Apportionment and Tax Collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Payment to State Treasurer on Acc't of State School Fund	Debit Balance Dec. 31, 1904	Credit Balance Dec. 31, 1904
1			$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$		
2		$ 35 29	377 82	413 11	339 17	65 40		8 54
3		52 84	291 87	347 71	171 38	27 20		139 13
4			342 28	342 28	342 28			
5		19 70	224 52	244 22	244 22			
6			361 34	361 34	361 34			
7			138 50	138 50	107 80			30 70
8			230 26	230 26	230 26			
9			523 06	523 06	500 51	22 34		21
10			489 92	489 91	489 92			
11			299 94	299 94	299 94			
12		293 49	358 61	652 10	293 55	334 58		23 97
13		14 87	271 71	286 58	401 61		115 03	
14			300 86	300 86	300 86			
15		579 88	9806 86	10386 74	9361 75	525 00		499 99
16	12 17		308 82	296 65	264 79	26 00		5 86
17	55 70		400 54	344 84	302 97	64 00	22 13	
18			13590 50	13590 50	11195 23			2395 27
19			274 08	274 08	200 97			73 11
20			185 27	185 27	180 19	6 24	1 16	
21			58 69	58 69	9 55			49 14
22			90 82	90 82	90 48			34
23			57 36	57 36	57 36			
24			228 44	228 44	165 10			63 34
27		136 93	569 39	706 32	501 35	64 00		140 90
32			415 58	415 50	415 58			
36			244 39	244 39	213 09			31 30
40			369 48	369 40	360 30			9 18
43		30 94	191 89	222 83	222 83			
45			20 42	20 42	20 42			
48			123 94	123 94	217 03		93 09	
49		80 72	110 10	190 82	163 70			27 12
54			305 07	305 07	279 74			25 33
63		343 27	248 61	591 88	498 09			93 79
73		124 48	271 65	396 13	359 39			36 74
76		77 51	520 39	597 90	556 10	41 80		
79		367 97	1104 96	1472 93	1293 75	99 20		79 98
80			308 23	308 23	308 23			
81			532 57	532 57	532 57			
88			361 25	361 25	297 17			64 08
94		187 19	328 47	515 66	501 22			14 44
99	9 74		332 57	322 83	322 83			
102		621 91	2447 27	3069 18	2454 61			614 57
103			540 68	540 68	540 68			
106		6 01	322 27	328 28	308 28	20 00		
108		51 74	236 88	288 62	203 37			85 25
112		10 06	432 56	442 62	402 91	24 00		15 69
115		43 89	386 69	430 58	329 35	56 00		45 23
124			249 81	249 81	249 81			
125			454 49	454 49	444 49			
126			223 43	223 43	223 43			
127			345 61	345 61	345 61			
130		73 22	322 70	395 92	321 57	52 50		21 85
133		99 12	306 84	405 96	405 90			
135			281 07	291 07	291 07			
141		12 95	436 30	449 26	339 22	58 00		52 03
147	2 82		605 21	602 39	580 50	20 00		1 89
148	42 10		565 44	523 34	359 46	118 00		45 88
149			203 10	203 10	155 88			47 22
151		46 08	483 34	531 42	444 57	29 00		57 85
153		240 35	311 61	551 96	551 36			60
154		17 69	333 18	350 87	235 15			115 72
165		54 83	328 69	383 52	220 77	28 80		131 95
166		122 30	438 03	559 33	355 32	55 00		149 01
167		109 94	421 24	531 18	366 63	104 00		160 55
178		45 98	338 09	384 07	384 07			
180			326 88	326 88	326 88			
191		87 06	159 00	246 06	246 06			
194		26 64	320 66	347 30	257 22	58 00		32 08
204		21 37	135 64	157 01	128 56			28 45
208		25 62	531 18	556 80	313 20	243 60		
210		125 45	301 62	430 07	355 30	12 60		62 77
214		30 09	369 64	399 73	369 64			30 09
216		146 50	544 79	691 29	461 55	52 50		177 24
219		101 32	355 80	457 12	324 93	120 00		12 19
221		2 42	190 93	193 35	191 35			
227		213 00	311 96	524 96	409 79			115 17
228		145 80	375 62	521 42	393 63	17 24		110 55
233		10 76	361 85	372 61	338 20	54 00	19 59	
	$122 53	$4837 18	$51490 91	$56205 56	$48229 80	$2398 40	$251 00	$5828 36

Towns, Cities and Villages

WARRANTS PAID

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5945	John G Hagen, tr town of Emardville	$ 105 79
5962½	Ellef Grordie, tr town Norden	44 09
5963	Aug. Soderberg, tr town North	61 68
6082	Peter Lindblom, town tr Bray	107 43
6121	Thos. Glynn, tr town of Black River	103 74
6181	Cyrittle Cussier, tr town of Poplar River	170 93
6188	Joseph Marcott, tr town of Louisville	158 98
6190	John G Hogen, tr town of Emardville	131 35
6195	Ovide Emard, tr city of Red Lake Falls	1900 24
6196	Simon Sutter, tr town of Red Lake Falls	162 69
6213	August Swenson, tr town of River Falls	160 53
6215	O L Larson, tr town of Sanders	126 93
6217	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River Falls	2056 73
6249	Nils O Nora, tr town Norden	178 01
6278	Wm Schaper, tr town of Lake Pleasant	239 45
6279	Ed A Aubol, tr town Rocksbury	356 30
6282	Aug Soderberg, tr town North	209 01
6286	Leonard Holmes, tr vil St Hil.	1143 17
6293	Edward O Erickson, tr town Equality	266 10
6298	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terreoonne	334 01
6310	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	135 99
6322	Elias Jorindol, tr tn Numedal.	151 46
6323	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	98 77
6379	Ole Gjerberg, tr town Gervais.	181 74
6397	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lamb	232 47
6427	P E Smidesang, tr town Polk Center	442 63
6429	Albert Anderson, tr tn Black River	136 97
6504	Peter Lindblom, tr town Bray	674 72
6535	O L Larson, tr town Sanders	361 03
6537	J W Wallin, tr city Thief R F.	1685 07
6538	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	256 11
6546	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleas	557 14
6547	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Rocksbury.	240 75
6550	Ovide Emard, tr city R L F.	1618 06
6559	Edw O Ericson, tr tn Equality	118 00
6560	August Swenson, tr tn River F	480 37
6565	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	311 31
6571	L Holmes, tr vil St Hilaire.	1017 39
6574	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	667 45
6575	Ole Gjerberg, tr tn Gervais	409 89
6579	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	238 48
6581	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville.	378 26
6585	Elias P Joringrud, tr tn Numedal	375 55
6587	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert.	349 63
6594	Simon Sutter, tr tn Red Lake F.	228 60
6597	Nils O Nora, ts tn Norden	229 11
6604	Aug Soderberg, tr tn North	237 18
6688	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	540 65
6928	P E Smidesang, tr tn Polk Cent'r	236 26
6978	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville.	500 00
7029	Nils O Nora, tr tn Norden	62 73
7048	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Rocksbury	125 06
7049	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	78 37
7067	August Swenson tr tn River F	197 81
7068	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	419 62
7092	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River F	1137 25
7095	O L Larson, tr tn Sanders	85 00
7102	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville.	91 45
8103	Eli Ryland, tr gown Garnes	75 82
7111	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	219 57
7116	Peter Lindblom, tr tn Bray	65 97
7124	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert.	123 84
7138	Elias P Joringdol, tr tn Numedal	73 30
7142	Albert Anderson, tr tn Black Riv	231 23
7146	Simon Sutter, tr tu Red Lake F.	142 00
7147	Edw O Erickson, tr tn Equality.	68 39
7151	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	271 49
7159	L Holmes, tr vill St Hilaire	99 67
7162	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleasant	223 02
7166	Ovide Emard, tr city Red Lake F	1014 47
	Total	$25984 35

INTEREST ON RAILROAD BONDS

No. of warrant	To whom issued		Amount
6089	Merchant State Bank, Red Lake Falls,	city of R L F	$ 90 00
6487	do	do	1260 00
6488	do	do	540 00
6545	do	Twp of R L F	30 00
6573	do	City of R L F	90 00
	Total		$2010 00

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF RED LAKE COUNTY, DECEMBER 31, 1904.

ASSETS.

Taxes of 1903 and prior years, Co. funds	$ 8456 12
Taxes of 1904, county funds	24018 70
Cash in County Treasury, county funds	7055 66
Wolf bounty due from state	159 00
Total	$39609 48

LIABILITIES

Warrants outstanding	$ 1065 73
Excess of assets over liabilities	38623 75
Total	$39689 48

BONDED DEBT OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

6 per cent Funding Bonds	$10000 00
4 " " " "	20000 00
4½ " " " "	14000 00
4 " " Jail Bonds	3000 00
Portion of Polk county bonded debt	9339 13
Total	$56339 13

DRAINAGE BONDS OF RED LAKE COUNTY

4½ per cent drainage bonds	$ 8000 00
5 per cent drainage bonds	9000 00
5½ per cent drainage bonds	78000 00
5½ " " " "	6500 00
Total	$10150 00

INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY

County jail, lots 13 and 14, blk 1, Langeane's sub div of Church blk Red Lake Falls	$ 4000 00
Vault	500 00
Safes	1200 00
Furniture and fixtures	3300 00
Total	$9000 00

ASSESSED VALUATION OF RED LAKE COUNTY FOR 1904.

Real Estate	$ 2,359,688 00
Personal Property	818,047 00
Total	$3,177,735 00

The foregoing statement prepared by the County Auditor is approved by this Board, and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 4th day of January, A. D. 1900.

O. J. JOHNSON,
JAMES SUTOR,
LOUIS FALARDEAU,
DANIEL SHAW,
WM. C. L. DEMANN,
Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

TWO LONG-LIVED WAITERS.

Living Contradiction of a Theory That Is Entertained by Some People.

One of New York's oldest waiters does much to contradict the theory that waiters are short lived, says the Sun.

A recent change in the management of a Broadway hotel has brought him to the Tenderloin, where for the first time he serves the patrons of a cafe. He has passed the greater part of the 30 years that he has worked here in the hotels on upper Fifth avenue.

Twenty-five years ago he was in the old Windsor, and used to look after the Columbia college men who frequented the hotel then. He was known to many classes of students, and his acquaintance made in the other hotels to which he afterward wandered is comprehensive.

There is scarcely an uptown hotel in which he has not been employed, and he was just as gray 20 years ago as he is to-day. He is quite as active now, too, as he ever was, and few younger men are able to get about so spryly as he.

One of the most popular waiters in a cafe on Broadway is the oldest man in the place. He was for many years in Delmonico's, an establishment which parts with its men more rarely than any other. But for some reason he did not get along with Phillippe, and took a place in the new French restaurant when it was opened two years ago.

Many men have come and gone in that time, but Paul finds his services always in demand. His clients wait until one of his tables is vacant in order that they may have his attention and skill in mixing a salad.

Both of these men are long past the age at which they might be thought to be most efficient. But they are able to earn more than their youthful colleagues.

Old waiters are not as a rule so capable, however, as younger men, mainly because they are likely to be bad tempered.

Suggestive Names.

The Coxcomb mountains of British Honduras, to some extent an unknown part of the famous Mahogany coast, are undergoing a process of christening which will identify them for all times with the begining of the twentieth century. One range has just been named the Queen Alexandra mountains, another range takes the name of the Prince of Wales, and a 4,000 foot peak has been named Mount Joseph Chamberlain.

Gloria Lung Balsam

is a pleasant prepartion. Contains honey tar and other healing balms. It is unequalled for coughs colds, bronchitis and other forms of lung and throat trouble. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Two Through Tourist Cars to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway offers choice of two through tourist cars every week to California, one leaving Minneapolis and St. Paul Tuesdays via Omaha and the Rock Island Route, arriving San Francisco 5:20 p. m., Saturday, the other leaving on Thursdays via Kansas City and the Santa Fe route, arriving at Los Angeles 8:25 a. m. Monday. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

It makes no difference how many medicines have failed to cure you, if you are troubled with headaches, constipation, kidney or liver troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. A. L. Reichert.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway in connection with the C. R. I. & P. Railroad will run a through tourist sleeping car every week to San Francisco. Leaving Minneapolis at 8:00 p. m., St. Paul 8:30 p. m. Tuesday via Omaha, Colorado Springs and Ogden. Arrive San Francisco Saturday 5:20 p. m. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A. Chicago, Ill. f28

Beautiful eyes and handsome face are eloquent commendations. Bright eyes are windows to a woman's heart. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes bright eyes. 35cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichert.

Ayer's

For coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, weak throats, weak lungs, consumption, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Cherry Pectoral

Always keep a bottle of it in the house. We have been saying this for 60 years, and so have the doctors.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for 40 years. It is the best medicine in the world, I know, for all throat and lung troubles."
Mrs. J. K. Norcross, Waltham, Mass.

25c., 50c., $1.00. J. C. Ayer Co.,
All druggists. Lowell, Mass.

for The Lungs

Daily action of the bowels is necessary. Aid nature with Ayer's Pills.

AGAINST BEEF TRUST

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT DECIDES PACKERS GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY.

Opinion is Handed Down by Justice Holmes and Concurred in by All the Associate Justices—Injunction Issued Against the Packers Under the Sherman Anti-Trust Law in the Trial Court Continues in Force.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The supreme court of the United States has decided the case of the United States vs. Swift & Co., known as the beef trust case, charging conspiracy among the packers to fix prices on fresh meats, etc. The opinion was handed down by Justice Holmes and affirmed the decision of the court below, which was against the packers.

In his opinion Justice Holmes discussed at length the various contentions of the packers and disposed of them individually. He admitted that some of the charges were less specific than desirable, but said this was necessarily true on account of the vast extent of the field covered. He added that sufficient had been shown to prove continuous offenses and offenses of such a nature to justify the proceedings. The opinion continues the injunction granted against the packers under the Sherman anti-trust law by the lower courts. The opinion was concurred in by all the members of the court.

Summarizing the bills Judge Holmes said:

"It charges a combination of a dominant proportion of the dealers in fresh meat throughout the United States not to bid against each other in the live stock markets of the different states; to bid up prices for a few days in order to induce the cattlemen to send their stock to the stockyards; to fix prices at which they will sell and to that end to restrict shipments of meat when necessary to establish a uniform rule of credit to dealers and to keep a black list; to make uniform and improper charges for cartage and, finally, to get less than lawful rates from the railroads to the exclusion of competitors."

The opinion continues the injunction granted against the packers under the Sherman anti-trust law by the lower courts. The opinion was concurred in by all members of the court.

A COMBINATION BILL

THAT TO BE REPORTED TO LOWER HOUSE BY COMMERCE COMMITTEE.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce by a party vote Monday authorized a favorable report to the house on a bill extending authority to the interstate commerce commission to fix rates, increasing the size of the commission from five to seven members and creating a "court of transportation." The bill is a combination of the Esch-Townsend measure with amendments taken from the Hepburn bill.

LOWER COURT SUSTAINED.

Machen, Lorenz and the Groffs Must Go to Prison.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The supreme court of the United States has denied the application of Machen, Lorenz and the Groffs for a writ of certiorari in the case against them charging conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the postoffice department irregularities. The effect is to leave standing the decision of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia finding them guilty as charged.

Machen, Lorenz and the Groffs were sentenced to two years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $10,000 each.

There will be no further effort to delay the execution of the sentence of the District supreme court, from which the defendants appealed, successively to the District court of appeals and then to the supreme court of the United States.

GRANTS HARRIMAN PETITION.

Supreme Court to Hear Case Involving Control of Northern Pacific.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The supreme court of the United States has granted the petition for a writ of certiorari in the case of E. H. Harriman and others vs. the Northern Securities company, growing out of the former decision of the court relative to the distribution of the stock of the Securities company.

The effect of granting the writ is to bring the case to the supreme court for review. The argument is set for Feb. 20.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

President of Oberlin (O.) Bank Will Not Live to Stand Trial.

Oberlin, O., Jan. 28.—President C. T. Beckwith of the defunct Citizens' National bank is reported to be in a very serious condition. Beckwith has been ill with heart trouble ever since the close of the bank and has gradually grown weaker. It is believed by his physician that he will not live to be tried on the charges against him.

CAPTURED IN NEW YORK.

Police Arrest Johann Hoch, Badly Wanted in Chicago.

New York, Jan. 31.—Johann Hoch, who it is alleged married twenty women, was arrested at a boarding house in West Forty-seventh street Monday night by central office detectives. He admitted his identity, although when first arrested he gave the name of Henry Bartels.

At the Forty-seventh street station, where he was taken, he said:

"I'm Hoch and a much abused man."

"How abused?" he was asked.

He had nothing to say. He gave his name of John Joseph Adolph Hoch, said he was forty-five years old, a machinist living at 6430 Union avenue, Chicago. He is arrested on a charge of bigamy and upon abandonment. Hoch is known under the names of Alfred Hecht, Albert Busetberg, Joseph Hoch, Jacob Hoch and Adolph Brumm.

Hoch stated that he had not been married twenty times. He said that he had been married only twice and that his first wife is still alive.

Mrs. Katherine Kimmerl, the landlady, said Hoch engaged board on Saturday and had not been in the house twenty minutes when he asked to be allowed to peel potatoes for her. Monday he proposed marriage and then she told the police. She said the man talked a great deal to her Sunday and became much interested in her, she thought. She reported the matter to the police and Hoch's arrest followed.

LOSS OVER HALF MILLION.

Fire Occurs in Wholesale District at Omaha.

Omaha, Jan. 30.—The fire which started in the wholesale district of this city late Saturday night was the most destructive in the history of Omaha. The total loss will exceed $500,000 at the most conservative estimate.

A half block was burned over, but the immense buildings contained great jobbing stocks, which is responsible for the enormous loss. The buildings, valued at $200,000, were owned respectively by the Mercer and Millard estates. No definite figures have yet been obtained on insurance, but the stocks of goods were generally covered by insurance up to the 90 per cent limit.

A more disastrous conflagration was only prevented by the heroic efforts of the entire fire department of Omaha, which was reinforced by several engines, hose wagons and other equipment from South Omaha and Council Bluffs.

DR. KOCH OUT ON BAIL.

Second Trial of Murder Case to Be Held at Mankato, Minn.

New Ulm, Minn., Jan. 28.—Dr. George R. Koch, charged with the murder of Dr. L. A. Gebhardt, has been released on bail, Judge Webber fixing the amount of his bond at $20,000, which was furnished and approved by the court.

The state objected to the release of the prisoner, but Judge Webber decided that in view of the excellence of Koch's conduct while in jail and of the fact that he made no attempt to escape, while he might easily have done so, it was entirely proper to admit him to bail.

The matter of a change of venue and a second trial was also arranged. The new trial will be held in Mankato in February. The term of court opens Feb. 7 and the Koch case will come up as soon as the regular calendar is disposed of.

ALONZO WHITEMAN ARRESTED.

Captured at His Mother's Home at Danville, N. Y.

Buffalo, Jan. 28.—Alonzo J. Whiteman, who made a sensational escape from Detective Sergeant Albert Solomon and Detective Field by jumping through the window of a moving train at Dunkirk on Sept. 27 last, was recaptured at the home of his mother in Danville during the day. He was taken after an exciting chase and only submitted to arrest when covered by revolvers. He is locked up at police headquarters here on the charge of forgery and grand larceny.

VALUED AT OVER $3,500,000.

Largest Diamond Ever Discovered Found Near Pretoria.

Johannesburg, Transvaal, Jan. 27.—The largest diamond ever discovered has been found near Pretoria. The stone weighs 3,032 carats and is said to be a pure white diamond of good quality. It is locally valued at $3,500,000 to $4,000,000. The famous Kohinoor, which is valued at $600,000, weighs 123 carats, though it is said to have weighed 900 before it was cut. There is immense excitement here and at Pretoria as a result of the discovery.

MAY SETTLE COAL STRIKE.

German Operators Agree to Accept Verdict of Commission.

Essen, Prussia, Jan. 27.—The coal mine owners have reached a decision that probably will result in a settlement of the strike. They determined to inform the government that they would accept any judgment a parliamentary commission might render after an inquiry into the grievances of the miners and that the owners immediately remove the grievances.

Record for Hundred Miles.

Ormond, Fla., Jan. 30.—A world's record for motor cars has been made for 100 miles. H. W. Fletcher, driving an 80-horsepower car, covered the distance in 1 hour 26 minutes and 38 seconds, an average of 48 2-5 seconds a mile, and beating all other contests by about 3 minutes.

RUSSIAN MOVE FAILS

ATTEMPT TO BREAK THROUGH THE JAPANESE LEFT WING IS FRUSTRATED.

Kuropatkin Defeated in His Effort to Capture Sandepas and His Proposed Offensive Movement Is Abandoned. No Official Estimate of Losses Has Been Given Out, but Thousands on Both Sides Were Killed or Wounded.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.—General Kuropatkin's attempt to break through the Japanese left wing and outflank Field Marshal Oyama's position on the Shakhe river, seems to have failed entirely. Few details, however, are available beyond the information contained in the official dispatches. Field Marshal Oyama, as at the battle of the Shakhe river, appears to have answered the Russian advance with a counter offensive movement, but no great disposition was shown to carry the war far into the territory held by the Russians.

At the war office there is an inclination to lay the chief blame for the failure of the movement to a sudden change of the weather to intense cold, 20 degrees below zero with a high wind, which drifted the snow and rendered it hazardous to expose the troops to camping in the open plain and also impeded the transportation of guns, supplies and the wounded.

Too Hard a Nut to Crack.

The operation entrusted to the Second army under General Grippenberg was the capture of Sandepas, which once in Russian hands would serve as a pivot for a flanking movement against Field Marshal Oyama, but Sandepas proved too hard a nut to crack and the Japanese, taking advantage of the repulse of the Russians, hurried up their reinforcements and assumed the offensive on the Hun river as well as along the railway and the Great Mandarin road.

The Russians, however, appear to have been completely successful on the defensive, repulsing all the Japanese attacks. Under the circumstances General Grippenberg decided not to undertake to storm Sandepas, which is situated in a flat country, therefore more difficult to take than a position in a hilly country.

Owing to flat trajectory and the enormous penetration of modern projectiles the capture of the outer lines of trenches on Thursday entailed heavy casualties. There is no official estimate of the losses, but it is expected that some thousands on both sides were killed or wounded.

DRIVEN ACROSS HUN RIVER.

Two Divisions of Japanese Defeat Four Divisions of Russians.

General Oku's Headquarters, Jan. 29, via Fusan, Jan. 31.—Two divisions of Japanese troops attacked Pehowski and drove four divisions of the Russians across the Hun river. Six hundred Russians were captured.

One Russian division made several attacks on Santanpu to the east, but was driven back with a loss of over 4,000.

The Japanese bombarded the entire Russian line. The Russians replied feebly, showing little activity.

CASUALTIES ARE HEAVY.

Total Losses in Recent Fighting Fifteen Thousand.

Tokio, Jan. 31.—The casualties during the fighting at Chenchiehpao and Heikoutai are estimated at 5,000 on the side of the Japanese and 10,000 on the Russian side.

WORSE AT WARSAW

STRIKE CONDITIONS IN THAT CITY SAID TO BE GROWING MORE SERIOUS.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.—While there seems to have been a complete restoration of order in St. Petersburg and Moscow conditions at Warsaw continue to go from bad to worse. Estimates of the killed and wounded in consequence of collisions between mobs and soldiers place the number at 160. The bakers being on strike, bread is at famine prices in Warsaw and attempts to break into stores there have caused numerous collisions with the military. The finding of revolvers of uniform make on many of the rioters arrested affords confirmation of recent reports that revolutionary agitators hve been smuggling arms in anticipation of an outbreak. It is asserted that the official report of the dead through the recent conflict between the strikers and troops at Riga is far short of the actuality, many having perished in an attempt to cross the river on the ice when the soldiers opened fire, the ice breaking and the water engulfing the fugitives.

QUIET AT ST. PETERSBURG.

Interest Transferred From That City to Warsaw.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 31.—The day here was passed in perfect quiet. Interest has been transferred to Warsaw, Lodz and Libau, where a state of siege has been proclaimed.

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THIEF RIVER BOOMERANG IS SADLY PUNCTURED

Irresponsible Critics of County Officials Hoist by Their Own Petard—Red Lake County is Economically Managed.

The Thief River Falls newspapers last week were filled to overflowing with a tissue of lies on county matters, seldom equalled in newspaper annals. The News man, especially, had a horrible nightmare, and awaking with a bad headache, wrote out his dream and published it as an impartial view on county-seat matters.

His statements on taxation, for instance, are reckless, ridiculous and untrue, intended no doubt to mislead the tax-payers.

The News states that in 1903 the county of Red Lake paid the highest rate of taxation in the state—46 mills—and would have you believe that this was all levied by the county officers under orders from Red Lake Falls. As a matter of fact this 46 mills is obtained by lumping all of the state, the county, and each town, city, township, village or school district in the county together, and averaging it. The county officers have nothing to do with levying the state, city, township, village or school district taxes. They are levied by the local authorities and only placed on the tax list by the auditor. And they constitute by far the greater part of the 46 mills mentioned. In 1903 the county commissioners levied for all county purposes only eight and three-fourths mills, instead of 46, as stated in the News. In 1902 their levy was only eight and four-tenths mills, instead of 42.6, as the News man dreamt.

The rate of county taxes is growing less instead of greater. Last year—1904—the county board levied only eight and seven-tenths mills for county purposes. This the county board could neither raise nor lower.

The LARGEST PART of that 46 mills tax which so worries the Thief River newspaper men was levied RIGHT IN THEIR OWN TOWN, by THEIR OWN CITY COUNCIL and SCHOOL BOARD. Their city council in 1903 levied a tax of FOURTEEN mills, and their school board levied THIRTY mills!

And this is what they want to lay on the shoulders of the county officers, and, incidentally, Red Lake Falls.

Now, what d'ye think of that?

The rate of taxation depends, of course, upon the amount of money necessary to raise as compared with the valuation of property in the county.

If the valuation is low, the rate is necessarily high.

In 1903 fifty-two counties in the state of Minnesota raised more money by taxation than Red Lake county, and there are only eigh-y-four counties in the state.

In 1902 fifty-seven counties in Minnesota raised more money by taxation than Red Lake county. These figures include all taxes paid into the county treasury and are absolutely correct.

Any statement made in this article can easily be verified from the official records, and the up-river editors are invited to come down and "get wise" before they indulge in any more pipe dreams.

Nineteen Settlers Affected.

Nineteen Beltrami county residents have prepared and forwarded to Washington their affidavits setting forth cause why they should not be ousted from lands obtained from the government at private land sale held at the Cass Lake and Crookston land office. The affidavits set forth their time of residence upon the land, the number of improvements and their nature, and other facts about the land, and it is thought that few of the settlers will be forced to give up their lands. The decision reaches to every part of United States where goverment lands are located and affects every land office where private sales have been made.

Twine Orders Coming In.

Warden Wolfer of the Minnesota state prison says that orders for binder twine are piling up rapidly at the prison. It has been necessary to call a halt on carload orders and only such carload orders will be filled as have already been accepted. The usual amount of twine for small case orders will be kept on hand.

A Menace to Health.

Kidney trouble is an insidious danger, and many people are victims of a serious malady before the symptoms are recognized. Foley's Kidney Cure correct irregularities and strengthens and builds up the kidneys, and it should be taken at the first indication of kidney trouble, as it is impossible to have good health if the kidneys are deranged. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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THE CRADLE AND THE GRAVE.

Report of Births and Deaths in Red Lake County for 1904.

Clerk Perrault is in receipt of the list of births and deaths for the year 1904, issued from the office of H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health. The number by townships is as follows:

	Births	Deaths
Red Lake Falls city	41	8
Thief River Falls city	69	19
St. Hilaire village	19	13
Black River	5	0
Bray	4	2
Emardville	12	3
Equality	19	4
Garnes	3	1
Gervais	7	0
Lake Pleasant	7	4
Lambert	12	1
Louisville	11	3
Norden	11	6
North	10	3
Numedal	6	2
Polk Center	8	0
Poplar River	22	2
Red Lake Falls twp. (no report)		
River Falls	12	4
Rocksbury	9	5
Sanders	2	3
Terrebonne	27	9
Wyandotte	5	0
Total	321	92

STATE TAX TABLE.

Iverson Issues Comparative List by Counties.

An abstract of the tax lists of the eighty-four counties of the state for the year 1904, just compiled by State Auditor S. G. Iverson, shows an increase in the taxable property of the state of $59,027,301 over 1903.

The total property value is placed at $845,897,110, as against $786,869,809 in 1903, an increase of $59,027,301. The table shows that the value has increased from $36,753,403 in 1860, when the records first became available. Of the total value of all property but $144,688,062 is found in personal property, the remainder being real estate.

The total taxes levied are shown [illegible] 061.05 is in state, $3,910,901.30 in county, $6,170,028.09 is city and village taxes, $1,719,215.17 in township taxes and $6,340,897.03 in school taxes.

The average rate of taxation in the state is found to be 24.77 mills, as against 25.32 mills for 1903.

The total value of Ramsey county property is given at $99,240,136. Ramsey county levied in taxes $2,687,312.52, its rate was 26.76. Hennepin, on its valuation of $147,979,941, levied $4,628,954.61. The Hennepin county tax rate was 26.9.

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Middle Aged Men Not Wanted.

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AS TO THE REMOVAL OF THE COUNTY SEAT.

Thief River Falls asks that you as a voter and tax payer consent and aid in removing the county seat from Red Lake Falls to Thief River, and WHY? Simply to aid in building up its town at the expense of the tax payers of the county, that is all. What does she offer you in return for signing her petition and for your support? NOTHING BUT INCREASED TAXES to pay for the special election, the cost of moving the records, fixtures, safes, etc., and the giving up and abandoning of *$10,000 worth* of county property now owned at Red Lake Falls. WILL IT PAY?

CONSIDER BEFORE YOU SIGN THE PETITION of Thief River Falls, that by signing the petition you are asking for a special election that will cost the taxpayers of the county not less than $2,500.00 besides the time lost. And then you are only beginning to pay the increased burden that your signature to the petition will call for. A CHANGE OF COUNTY SEAT IS NOT WISE,

BECAUSE; The county has *$10,000* invested in court house, vault, county jail, etc., at Red Lake Falls, which would have to be abandoned or sold at great loss if a change is made.

BECAUSE: Thief River is practically on the north line of the county, and all court expenses in the matter of mileage to jurors, witnesses, officers fees, etc., would be greatly increased if a change is made.

BECAUSE: Red Lake Falls alone bore the burden of the expense and work necessary to fight Polk county for eight long years, through elections, the legislature and the courts, that RED LAKE COUNTY MIGHT EXIST. And all the time the citizens of Red Lake Falls were struggling to form a county—in order that the tax payers of what is now Red Lake County might save the long journey to Crookston to pay their taxes, etc.—what was Thief River Falls doing to help you? The citizens of Thief River Falls were in league with Crookston seeking by every means, fair or foul, to keep you in Polk county. Yet bear in mind that these parties who worked against your interests in those years are the very same ones who ask you now to turn to them, and who ask you to rob Red Lake Falls of the honor of the county seat which her long fight with Polk county, in your behalf, entitles her to.

VOTER, BEFORE you sign Thief River Falls petition and cast your lot with that town, consider that it will not pay you from a BUSINESS STAND POINT, and further that RED LAKE FALLS is entitled to your support for her work in ESTABLISHING RED LAKE COUNTY.

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In this the selected eggs, or larvæ, are lavishly supplied with "royal jelly," which is highly stimulative and in which the baby queen literally floats during her period of growth. The result is that certain organs and ovaries which remain dormant in a worker bee are perfected, and the new queen hatches out in about fifteen days, or six days sooner than the workers.—London Answers.

Headdresses In Africa.

The married women and the men of the upper Mobangi wear their hair long and in braids, which are profusely adorned with colored beads woven in and out among the locks. This coiffure excites the astonishment of all travelers who see it. Coquetry is the privilege of the sex under the tropics as well as in civilized lands, and the women are very proud of their headdresses. The arrangement of their hair requires a number of days, and while it is in progress or when they fear that it will be disarranged they cover the hair with a finely woven net of wood fiber. Ivory needles handsomely carved keep the arrangement in position and give it a truly artistic aspect.

Curious Legal Custom.

A curious custom is in vogue in many parts of India. If a dispute arises between two landowners two holes are dug close together, in each of which defendant's and plaintiff's lawyers have to place a leg. They have to remain thus until either one of them is exhausted or complains of being bitten by insects, when he is judged to be defeated and his employer loses his case.

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Dated Jan. 18th, 1905.

Northern Minnesota Milling Co.
Leo Steinert,
Theo. Majeres.

Stone Wanted.

The undersigned will contract for stone to be delivered during winter at mill. Red Lake Falls Milling Co. tf

School tablets of all kinds at the Courier stationery store.

Notice of Contest of County Seat Removal.

To whom it may concern:

Whereas, a notice signed by Chas. M. Evenson, Lars Backe, D. N. Winton and others, dated January 25th, 1905, has been posted, published and given in the county of Red Lake, stating that it is the intention of said signers and others to circulate a petition the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said county of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situate in Township 154, North, of Range 43 West in said county and state; and proceedings have been begun to effect such change;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, legal voters of said county, with other legal voters thereof, desire to, and will, contest such proposed removal of the county seat of said county from its present location to said City of Thief River Falls, and to that effect, will, with other legal voters of said county, on Saturday, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1905, begin the circulation of a Remonstrance among the legal voters of said county, addressed to the Board of County Commissioners thereof, remonstrating against, and objecting to, the removal of the county seat of said county from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls aforesaid, and to any further proceedings in said matter; and will take such further steps as may be necessary in the premises.

Dated January 26th, 1905.

J. A. DUFFY,
FRED BORCHERS
E. G. STORAASLI,
JOSEPH HELM,
WM. FINDEISEN,
A. J. POULIOT,
SIMON PAUL,
W. H. KRUEGER,
FRED ZAISER,
OTTO ZAISER,
CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
P. B. GAASS,
P. F. POULIOT,
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R. E. WYER,
THEO. GARCEAU,
CHAS. N. BOURDON,
ED. L. HEALY,
JOHN GRADY,
F. A. GRADY,
A. P. TOUPIN,
THEO. LABISSONIERE
W. A. McINTYRE,
J. H. PARADIS,
H. H. ZAISER,
J. M. BRAY,
J. H. BLAKE,
W. A. SCHREITER.

To Whom it May Concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON Saturday, the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905, the undersigned, along with other legal voters of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, will begin the circulation of a petition among the legal voters of said County of Red Lake, addressed to the county commissioners thereof, the object and prayer of which will be that the county seat of said County of Red Lake be changed from the City of Red Lake Falls to the City of Thief River Falls, which is situated in Township 154 North of Range 43 West, in said County and State.

Dated, January 25th, 1905.

CHAS. M. EVENSON,
LARS BACKE,
D. N. WINTON,
JOHN MORGAN,
C. J. KNOX,
MATT BARZEN,
W. J. LABREE,
ALEX A. SWEAAS.

Notice of Abatement.

WHEREAS, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a plat showing in green color the streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of said streets, alleys and public grounds upon the grounds that The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company is the owner of all the property abutting on the parts of said streets, alleys and public grounds to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said streets, alleys and public grounds proposed to be vacated for the construction of railway tracks thereover and thereon:

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at a regular meeting thereof to be held in the city hall of said City of Red Lake Falls, on the 16th day of February, 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appear and be heard.

The streets, alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five feet easterly from the easterly line of the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's addition to said Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) of said Champagne & Dow's addition easterly of the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne & Dow's addition.

All that part of Saint John Avenue extending from the southerly line of [illegible] street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of St. John Avenue to said Clearwater river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne & Dow's addition and block four (4) of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow Avenue.

All that part of Dow Avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city.

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow Avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All of the alley in block seven (7) in Champagne, Dow & Gieriet's addition.

All that part of Gieriet Avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of of Sibley avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk January 16th 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN
j19f9 City Clerk.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 12, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Delia C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage;

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902; $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale [illegible] date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d23-j9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 60 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
d29-f9 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 59 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgage and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
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901 Pioneer Press Bldg.,
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 61, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office, on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit:

The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. [illegible]

[illegible]

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee, [illegible]

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INDIA RUBBER.

The Second Voyage of Columbus Gave It Publicity.

The first notice of india rubber dates back 500 years, when Herrera, a Spanish historian, during the second voyage of Columbus, saw that "the natives of Haiti played with balls made of the gum of a tree, which were lighter and bounced better than the wind balls of Castile."

In a record published in Madrid, 1615, we are told: "There is a tree which the Indians call ulequahuitl, very high, with round, ashy gray leaves. It yields a milky substance, thick and gummy, in great abundance, which is collected and allowed to settle in calabashes and afterward softened in hot water or smeared over the body and rubbed off when sufficiently dry."

Even at that early date Spaniards used the juice of the ule tree to waterproof their cloaks.

The first accurate account of these gum elastic or caoutchong trees was furnished by La Condamine, who was sent in 1735 by the French government to measure an arc of the meridian near Quito.

It was introduced into Europe as a drug about 1730, and some fifty years later was used commercially as rubber for pencil marks and to waterproof clothing.

THE WATER LOTUS.

A Plant That Has the Power of Purifying Standing Water.

There is a plant growing in the southern waters of the United States which possesses the singular property of being able to render the most impure standing water perfectly healthy. The people of Louisiana and Mississippi call it the water lotus.

It consists of leaves about the size of the head of a pin and roots so fine as to escape notice save under a microscopic inspection. Where it grows at all, it covers the water and to the casual observer looks like a coating of green scum. The flowers and seeds are microscopic, so that its appearance in any given locality is not readily accounted for, but wherever it does appear the water beneath is always fit to drink.

So marked is this property that families using the water from bayous where the lotus is abundant are known to have better general health than those taking their drinking water from places where the lotus is not found. It is often transplanted into ponds, bayous and lakes, spreads with wonderful rapidity and never fails to do its work well.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HOMES OF HEALING.

The History of Hospitals Begins With the First Century.

The temple at Epidaurus was founded by Antoninus Pius at the end of the first century A. D. in honor of Æsculapius, Homer's blameless physician. Beyond the sacred inclosure was a building for the reception of the sick and dying, which Strabo describes as a place renowned for the cure of all diseases, always full of invalids and containing votive tablets descriptive of cures.

About 380 A. D. a hospital was founded by Valens and richly endowed by him at Cæsarea, and another at Rome by Fabiola, a wealthy Roman widow, for the reception of the sick poor.

Basil is said by Gregory, the presbyter, to have built a large hospital for lepers with money collected for the purpose. The Hotel Dieu in Paris, founded in the seventh century, and two founded in 1080 by Lanfranc, archbishop of Canterbury, were both connected with monastic establishments. Bartholomew's, 1547, and St. Thomas', 1553, are the oldest hospitals in London and were both originally religious foundations.

Omens In Tea.

When the tea is made and the lid of the teapot is forgotten for a minute or two it is a sure sign that some one will drop in for the meal. Two spoons put by chance into the saucer of a maid or a bachelor denote that he or she will be married within a year. Putting cream into your tea before you sweeten it will bring you love troubles. A tea stalk floating in a girl's teacup is a "beau." She should stir her tea briskly and then hold the spoon upright in the center. If the "beau" be attracted toward the spoon and cling to it a gentleman visitor may be expected some time that evening. If, however, the "beau" goes to the side of the cup the visitor will not come that day.

Messages of War.

Among the natives of Australia notched and carved sticks are used for messages. For instance, a piece of wood carried from one village to another with straight and curved lines cut upon it is a message of war and means: "There is a fight on hand. Fetch your spears and boomerangs."

The North American Indians utilized wampum belts from time immemorial for like purposes. The arrangement of the different colored beads conveyed the signification desired.

Playing Safe.

"Look here, sir! You have been calling on my daughter every night for the past six months!"

"But I can't afford to get married, sir, and if I call on any other girl I'm afraid I might fall in love with her."—Smart Set.

What Did She Mean?

Alice—Yes, I accepted George at once. I knew when he proposed to me he was wholly unselfish. Bertha—Oh, nobody could ever have any doubt about that!—Boston Transcript.

The easiest way to get along with some people is to let them think they are right.—Atchison Globe.

BOSTON GOT ITS BEANS.

Absence of Favorite Dish Once Threatened City, But Striking Bakers Took Pity.

It has never been successfully disputed, says the Boston Watchman, that Bostonians are extremely addicted to baked beans (with their orthodox and inseparable companion, brown bread) and to pie. But no one has hitherto settled which of the two held the higher place, or, in other words, which is more necessary to the maintenance of truly Boston life at the proper point of culture and coldness. The decision of this delicate and difficult yet delightfully interesting question, which has successfully defied in the past both the literary skill and intellectual powers of the city, has been left for solution to the exigencies of the modern industrial problem. In the recent strike of 1,400 bakers Boston was compelled to go pie hungry for days. But when Saturday night approached and the dreadful possibility appeared of Boston being compelled to face a Sunday morning without baked beans, the hearts and consciences of the bakers were stirred, and they made a special and extraordinary effort to supply the city with its habitual Sunday morning breakfast, while no such emotion was elicited by the sufferings incident to the lack of pie.

Electricity not a Success.

Mr. F. Faerber, of Concordia Publ. House. St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Rheumatism cannot be cured by electricty. I have tried it for years. I used Gloria Tonic and it completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Yet He Wasn't Tired of Her.

A certain English musician is a good story teller, according to a London journal, and has a fund of amusing personal experiences to draw upon. One of the great musician's best stories is about a provincial church organist who was once a pupil of his. The young man was appointed to an important church in the Midlands. In course of time he married. During his absence on his honeymoon his voluntaries were much missed by the congregation. They had always been appreciated and their renewal was looked forward to. "Imagine," says Sir Frederick Bridge, "the intense amusement of the people when the newly married organist gave as his first voluntary upon his return Handel's 'Waft Her, Angels, to the Skies.'"

Agonizing Burns

are instanly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores. 25c at All Druggists.

The Monocle Habit.

The single eyeglass, or monocle, never found many admirers in this country, and only a few transplanted Englishmen cling to it. An oculist, discussing the use of the monocle, said: "Dr. Kitchener back in 1824 thought it a good thing. He advised its alternate use, now in the right eye, now in the left one. He said in his book that he had cultivated the habit of picking up the glass each time he wanted to use it with a different hand. Of course picked up with the right hand it had to go into the right eye, and vice versa. As a matter of fact, the single eyeglass is injurious. It throws all the work on one eye. It destroys the harmony of the optic muscles and nerves. I know an Englishman who has worn for a myopic affection a monocle in his left eye for twelve years. The left eye is all right, but with the other the man can see practically nothing. The habit of the monocle continues to live among the English swells."

Failed.

All effort have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Sold by A. L. Reicnert.

A Marvelous Memory.

Cardinal Mezzofanti was possessed of a very wonderful memory, which he applied to the learning of a great number of languages. Lord Byron described him as "a walking polyglot, a monster of languages and a Briareus of parts of speech." He could learn a new language in the course of three weeks on occasion so as to be able to talk fluently with those whose tongue it was. At the age of fifty-four Mezzofanti knew fifty languages. Before his death he is said to have known seventy or eighty. More of these were European than most people would imagine to be the case. For instance, Wallachian, Illyrian, the Romani of the Alps, Lettish and Lappish figured among the twenties in his list, for the remainder of which he went to other continents. Mezzofanti's system of learning languages was simple enough where books were available. He read the grammar through, after which he was its master, for he never forgot what he had read. Many of his languages were learned from prisoners whom he visited in their affliction.

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German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land forces.

On the Russian side it is calculated that the active field army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns.

On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 men and 780 guns.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.

It need but little foresight to tell, that when your stomach and liver are badly affected, grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your disease, as Mrs. John A. Young, of Clay, N. Y., did. She said: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened, and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters, I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under gunrantee by All druggists, at 50c a bottle.

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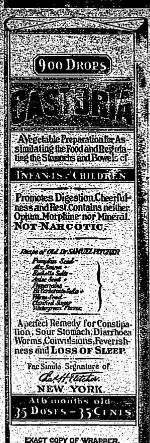

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A FEW people seem to think it is all right for a newspaper to lie outrageously during a campaign, but that it is a crime to tell the truth after election.

OUR good friend of the St. Peter Free Press seems to think that every editorial utterance in the COURIER is dictated by the state administration. Bro. Miller seems to know what it means to wear a collar.

AN exchange remarks that the different percentage of voters who vote in the different cities and states is remarkable, and cites that in a recent election in Philadelphia only 45 per cent of the voters cast their ballots while in Colorado 145 per cent of the voters voted.

IT is said that when Benjamin Franklin first thought of starting a newspaper in Philadelphia his friends advised against it because there was a paper published at Boston. Some of them doubted that the country would be able to support two newspapers.

JOHANN HOCH, the bigamist and murderer, told some of the widows whom he married that he was a Bavarian count. Well, maybe he was. Anyway, it didn't take him long after the ceremony to count their money. He walked away with a St. Paul widow's $3,000 in two weeks and he never came back.

THE Thief River Press man is busy these days concocting bear stories and other imaginative, tales. According to the last issue the village up the river is to have 'steen new four-story brick blocks, seven new railroads and a league ball club. Sometimes a newspaper gets altogether too imaginative.

MISS ROSE MARIE SCHALLER, daughter of Hon. Albert Schaller, Democratic leader of the state senate, has been appointed to christen the new battle-ship Minnesota. Miss Schaller is from Hastings, and is reputed to be handsome and popular. Her selection by Governor Johnson will be pleasing to the people of the state.

HON. JOHN F. MCGOVERN, editor of the Wabasha Herald, mayor of his city, and a leading lawyer of southern Minnesota, died Sunday morning after an extended illness. McGovern was one of Nature's noblemen, and a talented man in the varied walks of life where duty called him. He was a loyal friend, and the members of the newspaper fraternity especially will miss his cheery voice and friendly counsel.

WHEN Red Lake county was organized nine years ago Thief River Falls did not want the county-seat. It did not even want Red Lake county. The leading business men of that place worked hand in glove with Crookston to prevent county division, and only thirteen votes were cast in that city in favor of division. It was worth a good deal for every resident of Red Lake county to be set off from Polk county. Are we now going to turn the county-seat over to those who were unfriendly to county division?

IN order to make a point in their favor the Thief River Falls papers have seen fit to wantonly insult every officer of Red Lake county, by charging that the county's affairs have not been economically or honestly managed. If this charge were true, why has it not been made before? It is not true, and the voters will not be duped. The voters are intelligent. They can read annual statements and get the figures for themselves. No county in the state is managed with better business tact and judgment.

AFTER a somewhat tempestuous career of a year and a half the Thief River Falls Review has decided to suspend publication, and the outfit and good-will of the defunct newspaper has been sold to F. E. Packard, publisher of the Thief River Press. The last issue of the Review will be made this week. The field at Thief River has been crowded with three newspapers, and the Review has never been a paying institution. Newspapers are generally considered a good thing, but there is such a thing as getting too much.

IF the average voter has the least idea of the cost of moving the county seat he will hesitate a good while before signing the petition to be circulated by Thief River Falls. Not only will the county property in Red Lake Falls be practically valueless, but practically every legal blank and every record book owned by the county will be useless in future. This item will mean the expenditure of nearly $10,000 to secure new books and supplies. Does the voter want to put the county $25,000 further in debt and increase his taxes in order to satiate the ambition of Thief River Falls? Is it worth the tremendous cost?

Two bills aimed at the railroad and other mergers have been introduced in senate by Senator George P. Wilson of Minneapolis. Both are similar to bills attemped two years ago. One provides that foreign corporations owning stock in corporations organized under the laws of Minnesota must appoint resident agents upon whom service of summons and other process can be had in this State. The other bill prohibits Minnesota corporations from holding stockholders meetings from the election of directors outside of the state. The penalty for violation of the charter of the offending corporations and a fine of $5,000 to $10,000 for each offense.

WHERE THE MONEY WENT.

Talk about raising high taxes, spending public money illegally, what about that twenty nine thousand dollars that the officials of Thief River Falls spent last year illegally, in buying "Soo" right-of-way? It was public money, and the law gave them no right to spend a dollar of it in the way they did.

Who got it?

Henry W. Lee, the great and good attorney who is now engaged in patching up second hand injunctions from an old Wisconsin stock, and advertising himself at the expense of the newspapers, got $150 of it March 24, 1904, in city order No. 3292, though he was then city attorney and knew or ought to have known he had no right to accept a cent of fees from the city outside his salary. Apparently he did not have the interests of the tax-payers as much at heart then as now.

The Thief River Falls Lumber company, managed by D. N. Winton, one of the city council, got $750 of it for a sale of right-of-way, though the law expressly says in section 51 of the city charter of Thief River Falls that no member of the city council shall make, vote for, or assist in making any contract between himself or any firm or corporation or company in which he is interested or an officer, and the city, and any such contract shall be void and the councilman forfeit his office.

D. N. Winton himself received $14 40 March 3, 1904, by city order No. 3282, for a trip to St. Paul.

C. L. Dobner received $30 of it on the same date in city order No. 3281, for the same purpose.

The rest of the $28,982.29 was spent in buying something they had no legal right to buy.

No wonder taxes are high in Thief River Falls, where public officials spend the people's money as recklessly as that.

No wonder they want to move the county-seat to Thief River Falls so that they can get a chance to spend the county's money, their own being all gone.

BETTER TO FORGET.

Sometimes a newspaper man will wander a long way from the truth to sustain a position which facts and circumstantial details make untenable. For instance the following squib is found in the Bemidji Pioneer of recent date:

"Now that he is safely confirmed state librarian, Brother King of the Red Lake COURIER finds courage to flay those who held up his appointment. He hasn't found time yet, however, to acknowledge the magnanimity of Lieutenant Governor Jones in making his confirmation possible."

This sort of criticism is unfair because the editor of THE COURIER has not "flayed" the senators who held up his appointment. On the contrary the affair has been treated just as any other news item of similar import would have been treated, and whatever of disappointment may have been felt personally because of the unnecessary and unjustifiable course pursued by two or three partisans in the state senate, this has not been reflected in the editorial columns of this paper.

Perhaps the editor of the Pioneer may not know it, but the editor of this paper is not now and never has been of a revengeful disposition. In the course of his duty as an editor of a newspaper he has criticised men and measures—severely, when the occasion seemed to him to demand it. But the Pioneer nor any other paper can truthfully assert that this paper has been guilty of using its columns to gratify a personal spite or a private grievance.

Another thing. If by reason of his course as editor of a newspaper the writer is disqualified to hold a position under the state government, then every Democratic editor of the state, and fully one-half of the Republican editors, are under the ban. Does the Pioneer wish to infer that three-fourths of the editors of the state are unworthy of public trust?

Lieutenant Governor Jones is deserving of credit for refusing to make a personal issue of a matter involving the appointment of an official by a Democratic governor. If he has been libelled by this paper he can secure redress or apology easily. If Mr. Jones or any of his friends will state wherein he has been unjustly assailed or persecuted by this he will receive generous treatment and sutiable apology. We do not believe that it would be either dignified or appropriate to offer fulsome praise to an official who has performed a public duty. We don't want an office badly enough to be subservient to the whim of any man. Furthermore, we do not believe Mr. Jones would ask it. The incident has been magnified beyond its deserts, and if the alleged friends of the presiding officer of the senate would follow the cue of Mr. Jones and forget the personal feeling involved it would be just as well for all concerned.

THE MOUNTAIN LABORED.

The Thief River Falls newspapers are making considerable noise over the fact that Auditor Ford and Treasurer Hansen issued and paid the warrants for the purchase of the court house property, and intimate that insofar as Auditor Ford is concerned at least the action was taken to deprive the Thief River people of the right of appeal.

A recital of the facts in the case shows that the entire proceeding was entirely within the law and in accordance with the ordinary business rules which govern the conduct of the county offices. At the January meeting of the board—or to be exact on Jan. 5—a bill was allowed to Ernest Buse in the sum of $2,370 in payment for the court house property. At the expiration of fifteen days this bill was payable by warrant, as were all other bills allowed at the last session of the board. Owing to the fact that Chairman Johnson was unable to come to Red Lake Falls to sign the warrants, Auditor Ford drove to Plummer on January 24—four days after the warrants were payable—to get the signature of the chairman to all of the warrants issued for bills allowed at this meeting. It was necessary, in compliance with the rules governing the payment of bills allowed, to have these warrants issued, and it was wholly within the right of Mr. Buse to demand payment for the property the county had bought. The fact that Mr. Lee had gone to Crookston to secure an injunction could have cut no figure one way or the other, but as a matter of fact Mr. Ford did not know such an injunction was contemplated.

Had the people of Thief River Falls wished to stop payment on these particular orders they could easily have done so by making formal protest to the auditor before the expiration of the fifteen days. This they did not do.

The entire proceeding is an exhibition of child's play on the part of Thief River Falls. The county officials know their duty, and they do not feel it incumbent upon them to wait five or six days after the expiration of the required time to pay warrants in order to give a Thief River lawyer time to enjoin them. And then the Thief River injunctions do not enjoin, anyway. The one brought by Mr. Lee was thrown out of court by Judge Watts, and would have been no bar to the payments of the warrants. The Thief River papers are making a mountain out of a mole hill.

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LA GRIPPE is epidemic catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are alike subject to la grippe. None are exempt—all are liable.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? Grip is well named. The original French term, la grippe, has been shortened by the busy American to read "grip." Without intending to do so a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful GRIP had clutched us in its fatal clasp. Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

The following letters speak for themselves as to the efficacy of Peruna in cases of la grippe or its after effects.

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Mrs. Fred Weinberger, Westerlo, Albany County, N. Y., writes:

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Hon. James R. Guill of Omaha.

Hon. James R. Guill is one of the oldest and most esteemed men of Omaha, Neb. He has done much to make it what it is, serving on public boards a number of times. He endorses Peruna in the following words:

"I am 68 years old, am hale and hearty, and Peruna has helped me attain it. Two years ago I had la grippe—my life was despaired of. Peruna saved me."—J. R. Guill.

A Relative of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Silas S. Lincoln, who resides at 913 I. Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., has the honor of being third cousin to Abraham Lincoln. He writes:

"I had la grippe five times before using your medicine. Four years ago I began the use of Peruna, since which time I have not been troubled with that disease. I can now do as much work at my desk as I ever could in my life. I have gained more than ten pounds in weight."—S. S. Lincoln.

Pe-ru-na Not Only Cured La Grippe but Benefited the Whole System.

Miss Alice M. Dressler, 1313 N. Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured but the bad after effects remained through the summer and somehow I did not get strong as I was before. One of my college friends who was visiting me asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh but restored me to perfect health, built up the entire system and brought a happy feeling of buoyancy which I had not known for years."—Alice M. Dressler.

An Actress' Testimonial.

Miss Jean Cowgill, Griswold Opera House, Troy, N. Y., is the leading lady with the Aubrey Stock Co. She writes the following:

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"Some one suggested Peruna. As a last resort, after wasting much time and money on physicians, I tried the remedy faithfully, and in a few weeks was as well as ever."—Jean Cowgill.

A Southern Judge Cured.

Judge Horatio J. Goss, Hartwell, Ga., writes:

"Some five or six years ago I had a very severe spell of grippe, which left me with systemic catarrh. A friend advised me to try your Peruna which I did, and was immediately benefited and cured. The third bottle completed the cure."—H. J. Goss.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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WHO "RUNS" THE COUNTY?

Our friends up the river came out last week in articles with flaring headlines on the "Red Lake Falls grafters" who "run" the county.

Does it not occur to you that the board of county commissioners control all county business, and that Red Lake Falls has never had a resident member on the board? On the other hand, one member of the board has always come from Thief River Falls. First K. M. Hansen, now county treasurer, then Louis Hanson, now ex-mayor of Thief River Falls, and then Dan Shaw, all from Thief River Falls, were respectively members of the county board. All the other members are farmers, and not one lived in either Red Lake Falls city or township. It is an unmerited insult to all these gentlemen to charge them with grafting, or with being controlled by Red Lake Falls, as the Thief River newspapers do. Of the other county officers, three—treasurer, judge of probate, and court commissioner—are from Thief River Falls, and the auditor formerly lived there.

It is true the coroner lives at Red Lake Falls, but we want to keep him to sit on the remains of the Thief Riverites when the voters have risen in their might and smote them hip and thigh.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo. } ss.
Lucas County

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY.

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A woman is mighty patient the the way she can wait for her son to become a great man.

A wife has a great deal of faith in herself to think her husband can't be interested in any other woman.

A Minister Testifies.

Rev. C. Sund, of Harrisville, Wis., writes that Gloria Tonic, the new rheumatism cure, in tablet form, cured two members of his congregation; one had suffered 18; the other 25 years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Get your valentines at Reichert's drug store.

For dress making call upstairs in Rue's house on corner of Main St.

Ralph Green is in from Equality township on a business visit today.

Call at Reichert's drug store and see the fine line of valentines displayed.

For Rent, I have three improved farms, near market, for rent. —P, B. Gaass.

V. M. Higinbotham and S. L. Lewis were at St. Hilaire on business Monday and Tuesday.

Graceful in instep and appearance is the chic style of "Queen Quality" shoes for women. $3.00.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice: Odilon Boissoneau, C. L. Clark, Geo. Hanson and Torger Hagen.

The secret of the good-will of many: They're made to wear—Red School House and W. L. Douglas shoes. See Garceau & Zaiser.

Editor Packard of the Thief River Press and Editor Iyes of the St. Hilaire Spectator were business visitors to Red Lake Falls last Saturday.

County Commissioner Louis Falardeau was in the city a few hours Monday enroute to his home in Lambert from a business trip to St. Paul and Crookston.

A popularity of the pool room in the J. B. Cigar company's store is so great that one table does not supply the demand and another will be installed next week.

The Woodmen lodge gave a dance party at their hall Tuesday evening. A large number of the members of the order and their ladies were present and a most enjoyable time is reported.

Theo. LaBissoniere left Monday on a business trip to Bemidji, Cass Lake and other points east of here. He will interest the merchants of those towns in the product of some of the Red Lake county cheese factorie's.

Dr. N. M. Watson was called to his old home at Williamston, Ont., Monday evening by a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Robert. The Doctor expected to get there in time to attend the funeral, which will be held Thursday, and hope to return home within ten days. The deceased has been ill for some little time and his death was not unexpected.

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Fine line of fancy and cheap valentines at Reichert's drug store.

Treasurer Hansen visited with his family at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will meet at the home of Mrs. Theo. Garceau Thursday afternoon, February 16.

P. B. Gaass returned Tuesday from a business trip to Armstrong and Estherville, Iowa. He was called there as a witness in a case in district court.

At the last meeting of the city council THE COURIER was again designated as the official paper of the city. All official publications will, however, be made in both papers.

The "rag ball" social at the Presbyterian church Friday evening proved a popular and profitable entertainment. A large crowd was in attendance and about $26 was netted by the ladies of the aid society.

Joseph Belair, the auctioneer, tells us that public sales are not very numerous this year. He is still in the business, however, and if anyone is looking for a competent auctioneer they should look him up.

A genuine blizzard is raging today, and the thermometer is getting down to a low point. The customary February thaw has not come along as yet, and at this writing there are no signs of its approach.

Mrs. I. D. Converse will entertain the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church next Wednesday afternoon, February 15, from 4 to 6 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. M. A. Converse. Lunch will be served, and all are invited.

H. H. Tompkins, state agent of the Citizens' Fire Insurance company of Mankato, has been in Red Lake Falls during the past week. His company has a large number of risks here, and has a splendid reputation for paying losses promptly.

H. H. Zaiser was a business visitor to St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls Tuesday. At the latter place he endeavored to interest the young ladies in the county-seat question, and it is rumored that one of them was persuaded that Red Lake Falls would be an ideal place to live.

The Nauman brothers, proprietors of the "Glen Oak" farm, secured six of the first prizes at the poultry show in Crookston last week. The boys are going into the chicken business quite extensively and are preparing to go after trade during the coming year.

Mrs. Chas. Kint will hold a public sale of all her live stock, farm machinery and household goods on the Dan Gerlach farm two miles south of Wylie on Thursday, February 16. It will be remembered that Mr. Kint died some three weeks ago and Mrs. Kint desires to dispose of all the property and return to the home of her parents near Doroty.

St. Hilaire Spectator: A petition was circulated last week asking the trustees of School District No. 102, St. Hilaire, to organize it into an independent school district. The trustees have the matter under advisement and will probably call an election for the near future. The state superintendent has been written to in regard to whether the change will affect the special law which gives one-half of the liquor license of the village to the school district. If this is not changed it is very probable the village will change to an independent district.

The Rebeckahs surprised their lords and masters of the I. O. O. F. lodge Saturday evening by marching in on them unawares with well-filled lunch baskets. Cards were played for several hours, after which luncheon was served and everybody went home satisfied that they had had a royal good time.

Teachers' examination was held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week at Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls. Over a hundred persons wrote the examinations in the several places. At Red Lake Falls the examinations were in charge of County Superintendent McAnulty, at St. Hilaire Prof. J. B. O'Brien was in charge, and at Thief River Falls Prof. J. B. McGinnis.

The pile driver will have at least another month's work at the Great Northern fill in this city. Last week only 54 piles were driven, and the foreman says in good weather this many can be put in in a single day. The ground is frozen very hard, and it is necessary to use dynamite to get the piles started. The prospect of the train running by way of Dugdale by March 1 is not very promising.

A petition is being circulated among the business men at St Hilaire to raise money to hire a leader for the boys' band. J. G. Winkjer has had charge of the boys for the past six months and they will be without an instructor when leaves. It is understood that they will secure Prof. Onstad, of Red Lake Falls, one day a week. Prof. Onstad is a capable instructor and he would be a great help to them

E. M. Hoff, the well-known St. Hilaire merchant, was a business visitor to the county-seat Tuesday. In conversation with a COURIER representative Mr. Hoff says Red Lake Falls will get hearty support in his town on the county-seat proposition. He argues that the business men would pursue a very foolish business policy by enhancing the prospects of Thief River Falls, since that town is their nearest rival.

Julius Pleth, the Plummer land magnate, was in town on a business mission Monday. Mr. Pleth is greatly interested in the county-seat fight, and is championing the cause of Red Lake Falls industriously. Mr. Pleth figures that the removal of the county-seat to Thief River Falls would depreciate land values in his vicinity and in other ways be inadvisable. He says that everybody out that way is fighting for Red Lake Falls.

William Schwalen left yesterday for Stephen, Minn., where he will commence work for the Robertson Lumber company. Mr. Schwalen will be assistant at that place for a couple of months, but expects to be given a yard about April 1. He is well-posted on lumber grades and values and will make a valuable man for the company. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Schwalen will be sorry to learn of their prospective removal from Red Lake Falls.

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A. Goodrow is advertising a dance at Terrebonne next Saturday evening, February 11. The dance and supper will be free, but each participant is expected to take a chance on a raffle of Japanese fancy goods, and a charge of 50 cents will be made for the ticket. Some fancy dancing by a ten-year-old boy will be one of the features of the evening. A cordial invitation to attend is given to all.

Sometimes a man discontinues his local paper on the plea that he is not able to take it. When you come to consider it, the paper is about the cheapest thing you buy. It comes every week, rain or shine, and in the winter time one egg pays for it for a week. It costs less then a letter and if it is an honest paper it is your friend and help. It keeps you posted on many subjects of value to you and your friends.

Rev. Father Lacasse of Winnipeg is billed to deliver a lecture at St. Anthony's church in Terrebonne on Sunday evening, February 19. Father Lacasse is a humorous and interesting speaker, and his audience is sure to be pleased with the address. Tickets will be sold at 25 cents, and it is hoped that a large number of the Red Lake Falls people will take advantage of the opportunity to hear him. A feature of the evening will be the singing of a number of "Botell" songs.

It takes a hard blow at the pocketbook, such as a crop failure, to show some people the advantages of diversified farming. Every poor wheat year has been followed by greater attention to other crops in the localities where the failure was most felt. These experiences have taught the farmers that wheat land will do splendidly for other things besides wheat, and that some of the other crops bring more reliable returns.

Washington School Notes.

(Our reporters failed us this week.)

Edmund Porter has left school for a month.

The fifth grade has finished the study of the Plateau states.

Mr. Aiton, the state school inspector, made a visit to our building last week.

A large number of our pupils were absent a part of Thursday morning for church.

As long as there is snow on the hill nothing stops the small boy from sliding.

The school missed Laura Porier three days last week. She is very seldom absent.

The sixth grade geography class begin the study of the distribution plants this week.

Last Friday morning both the fifth and sixth grades were surprised with an arithmetic test.

The boy's week of recesses is now over and the foot ball is again being kicked about the grounds.

Fifth grade language papers have been received and some of us found out what we didn't know.

Our pupils are beginning preparations for a program to be given the day before Washington's birthday.

The fourth grade have been studying our country, taking up the locations of the new towns and railroads.

The fifth grade has dropped its history for the time being and spend that period of the afternoon with arithmetic.

Tuesday was so windy that it was hard to keep the building warm. It blew so strongly that the building fairly swayed.

This is the week of report cards and the faces of the pupils are smiling or scowling according as the marks are high or low.

Our second grade has become canoe builders and as a result of their handy work many very nice birch bark boats have been built.

The primary room which as a rule is filled to overflowing has dropped down to a very small number, during the cold months of the winter.

Our reporters failed to be wide awake enough this week to gather any news and the principal declares if it happens again the names of the lazy ones will be published.

Last Friday night was library night and many of the pupils stayed for books, more than there was books to supply. It is too bad our library for the Washington school is not larger.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, all others are mere imitations, H. E. BUCKLEN & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

Cures Sore Throat.

Sulphur and molasses are unpalatable remedies. [illegible] Balsam [illegible] preparation of honey, wild cherry, tar, [illegible] Best for children. Sold by [illegible]

A Valuable Reference List of Important Events for the Year.

The period of sackcloth and ashes begins unusually late this year, as Ash Wednesday comes on March 8. Easter Sunday which makes the close of lent will therefore fall on April 3

Following is the list of the fixed and moveable feasts and anniversaries of the year:

Septuagesima Sunday—Feb. 19.
Quinquagesima—March 5.
Ash Wednesday—March 8.
First Sunday in Lent—March 12.
St. Patrick—March 17.
Annunciation (Lady day)—March 5.
Palm Sunday—April 16.
Good Friday—April 21.
Easter Sunday—April 23.
St. George—April 23.
Low Sunday—April 30.
Regation Sunday—May 28.
Ascension day—June I.
Pentecost (White Sunday)—June 11.
Trinity Sunday—June 18.
Corpus Christi—June 22.
St. John Baptist—June 24.
St. Andrew—Nov. 30.
First Sunday in Advent—Dec. 3.
St. Nicholas—Dec. 6.
St. Thomas—Dec. 21.
Christmas day—Dec. 25.
St. John, Evangelist—Dec. 27.

The first day of January, 1905, was the 2,416,847th since the commencement of the Julian period.

Following are the days of the week on which the holidays of 1905 occur:

Washington's birthday, Wednesday, Feb. 22.

St. Valentine's day, Tuesday, Feb. 14.

Decoration day, May 30.

Arbor day, Saturday, April 29.

Independence day, Tuesday, July 4th.

Hallowe'en day, Thursday, October 31.

Labor day Monday, September 4.

Thanksgiving day, Thursday, November 30.

Christmas, Monday, December 25.

McKinley's birthday is celebrated on January 29th and Lincoln's birthday anniversary on February 12.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all outstanding warrants drawn against Ditch No. 21, Red Lake county, Minnesota, are now payable and interest will cease upon said warrants from date hereof.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 31st day of January, A. D. 1905.

KARL M. HANSEN, County Treasurer.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

—OF—

RED LAKE COUNTY. MINNESOTA.

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1904

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, RED LAKE COUNTY,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, January 6, 1605.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

GENTLEMEN: I submit to you herewith a statement of the financial condition of Red Lake County, Minnesota at the close of the fiscal year. December 31, 1904, showing the receipts and expenditures for the year, the cash balances in the different funds and the total amount to the County Treasury, together with a statement of the finances of the County at the end of the year, including all debts and liabilities, and the assets and other means of discharging the same.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

RECEIPTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1904.

Balance January 2, 1904	$48253 43	
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1904	4636 58	
Current tax collections	91950 29	
Delinquent tax collections	9707 29	
Interest, penalty and costs	3481 13	
Ditch liens paid in full	1581 41	
Private redemptions	1800 37	
State land collections	4938 68	
Warrants No. 2124 and 2125 surrendered and cancelled	225 00	
A. P. Toupin, fines Justice Court	25 00	
B. H Costello, " " "	4 85	
S. L. Lewis, " " "	5 00	
J. M. Bishop, " " "	7 50	
State school apportionment	12080 75	
Kankel & Zeigler, donation to Road and Bridge Fund	100 00	
Dupont & Sons, " " " " "	50 00	
Twp. of Terrebonne " " " " "	100 00	
Joseph Perrault, jury fees district court	72 00	
Johnson & Son, liquor license	500 00	
Z. Bray, " "	500 00	
W. G. Brown, " "	500 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	500 00	
Remie Lefaive " "	500 00	
Erick Iverson, deposit with application for liquor license forfeitd	10 00	
A. P. Toupin, costs in Justice Court case	9 55	
Mchts State Bk., Red Lake Falls, proceeds sale of ditch bonds	6519 86	
State of Minnesota, wolf bounty refunded	418 50	
Marshall Co., state loan for school district No. 219	60 00	
First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, interest on deposits	283 53	
Merchants State Bk, Red Lake Falls " " "	220 97	
Bank of Red Lake Falls " " "	112 35	
First State Bank Thief River Falls " " "	132 24	
First National Bank Thief River Falls " " "	180 38	
Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls " " "	181 70	
First State Bank of St. Hilaire " " "	111 98	
Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire " " "	73 77	
O. G. Harris, auctioneer's license	10 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	10 00	
Thos. Morean, " "	10 00	
D. Patterson, " "	10 00	
R. J. McKircher " "	10 00	
S. G. Iverson, State Auditor, nomination fees	21 65	
J. E. Ford, County Auditor, " "	465 02	
Total		$190430 78

DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE YEAR 1904.

Warrants outstanding January 2, 1904	$25993 92	
County Revenue Fund	16371 51	
County Poor Fund	73 00	
County Road and Bridge Fund	6434 14	
County Bond and Interest Fund	2178 41	
County Jail Fund	11 90	
County Special Bond and Interest Fund	6985 92	
Private Redemption Fund	1809 95	
General Ditch Fund	16373 51	
Incidental Expense Fund	239 18	
School Districts Fund	50628 20	
Town, City and Village Fund	27994 35	
Collections for Hunters' Licenses	2 70	
State Taxes	6012 20	
Collections on account State Lands	4820 41	
Refunding Orders	109 99	
Error making entries	20 94	
Balance cash on hand December 31, 1904	24370 55	
Total		$190430 78

TRIAL BALANCE.

Books of Red Lake County at close of business December 31, 1904.

County Treasurer	$24370 55	
Warrant account		$4636 58
Taxes and Penalties		9024 88
Current School Fund		617 88
County Revenue Fund		1729 24
County Poor Fund	703 57	
County Road and Bridge Fund	384 57	
County Bond and Interest Fund		2078 06
General Ditch Fund	1102 05	
Redemption Fund		118 71
School District Funds		5577 36
Town, City and Village Funds		1084 49
Incidental Fund		65 23
State Land Fund		250 15
Court House and Jail Fund		1378 16
Totals	$26560 74	$26560 74

County Revenue Fund.

RECEIPTS

Tax collections	$ 13491 19
Interest on deposits, county funds	1296 92
Auctioneers' licenses	50 00
Wolf bounty refunded by state	418 50
Candidates' filing fees	486 47
Jury fees	72 00
Deposit with application for liquor license	10 00
Justice court costs refunded	9 55
By error	06
Transferred from General Ditch Fund	14000 00
Total	$29834 89

DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft, January 2, 1904	$ 11432 72
Transferred to Incidental Fund	300 00
Warrants paid	16371 51
To error	1 42
Balance cash in fund, December 31, 1904	1729 24
Total	$29834 89

WARRANTS ISSUED

COUNTY OFFICERS' SALARIES

COUNTY AUDITOR

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
5972	James E Ford	$ 100 00
6103	do	100 00
6251	do	100 00
6369	do	100 00
6411	do	100 00
6519	do	100 00
6605	do	100 00
6699	do	100 00
6728	do	100 00
6958	do	100 00
7082	do	100 00
7169	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

COUNTY TREASURER

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5973	O T Tandberg	$ 100 00
6104	do	100 00
6252	do	100 00
6370	do	100 00
6412	do	100 00
6520	do	100 00
6606	do	100 00
6700	do	100 00
6729	do	100 00
6959	do	100 00
7083	do	100 00
7170	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5974	Frank Jeffers	$ 87 50
6105	do	87 50
6253	do	87 50
6371	do	87 50
6413	do	87 50
6521	do	87 50
6607	do	87 50
6701	do	87 50
6730	do	87 50
6960	do	87 50
7084	do	87 50
7171	do	87 50
Total		$1050 00

COUNTY ATTORNEY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5925	F A Grady	$ 100 00
5975	do	100 00
6106	do	100 00
6254	do	100 00
6372	do	100 00
6414	do	100 00
6522	do	100 00
6608	do	100 00
6702	do	100 00
6731	do	100 00
6961	do	100 00
7085	do	100 00
Total		$1200 00

PROBATE JUDGE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5976	N W Tarrant	$68 75
6107	do	68 75
6250	do	68 75
6368	do	68 75
6415	do	68 75
6523	do	68 75
6609	do	68 75
6703	do	68 75
6732	do	68 75
6962	do	68 75
7086	do	68 75
7172	do	68 75
Total		$825 00

CLERKS IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5978	I D Converse	$ 50 00
6109	do	50 00
6256	do	45 19
6374	do	50 00
6528	do	30 85
6611	do	50 00
6705	do	50 00
6734	do	50 00
6964	do	50 00
7088	do	44 23
7144	de	50 00
Total		$520 27

JANITOR

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5977	J O Gjerberg	$ 40 00
6108	do	40 00
6255	do	40 00
6373	do	40 00
6416	do	40 00
6524	do	40 00
6610	do	40 00
6704	do	40 00
6733	do	40 00
6963	do	40 00
7087	do	40 00
7173	do	40 00
Total		$480 00

COURT REPORTERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5979	Chas M Lohn	$ 12 50
5980	W O Braggans	12 50
6110	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6111	W O Braggans	12 50
6257	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6258	W O Braggans	12 50
6375	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6376	W O Braggans	23 59
6417	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6418	W O Braggans	23 59
6525	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6526	W O Braggans	23 59
6612	Chas M Lohn	[illegible]
[illegible]	W O Braggans	[illegible]
6706	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6707	W O Braggans	23 59
6735	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6736	W O Braggans	23 59
6965	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6966	W O Braggans	23 59
7089	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7090	W O Braggans	23 59
7175	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7176	W O Braggans	23 59
Total		$499 62

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PER DIEM AND MILEAGE

FIRST DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6029	James Sutor	$ 16 80
6133	do	23 00
6268	do	14 40
2479	do	33 20
6649	do	11 00
6660	do	5 90
6847	do	7 00
Total		$111 30

SECOND DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6026	Wm C L Demann	$ 13 40
6134	do	17 80
6267	do	14 40
6478	do	26 10
6650	do	10 40
6662	do	5 90
6849	do	5 50
Total		$92 50

THIRD DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6027	O J Johnson	$ 16 00
6135	do	23 00
6266	do	14 80
6476	do	20 00
6653	do	15 40
6664	do	3 50
6846	do	7 00
Total		$99 70

FOURTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6030	Louis Hanson	$16 00
6136	do	23 00
6475	do	20 00
6654	do	15 40
Total		$74 40

FIFTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6028	Louis Falardeau	$ 16 80
6137	do	24 60
6265	do	17 80
6480	do	21 60
6651	do	13 80
6652	do	2 50
Total		$97 10

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6655	James Sutor	$19 00
6656	Wm C L Demann	16 40
6657	O J Johnson	19 00
6658	Louis Hanson	16 00
6659	Louis Falardeau	19 80
Total		$90 20

DISTRICT COURT EXPENSES

GRAND JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6889	Joseph Dupont	$ 10 20
6890	John R Gotia	9 20
6891	Bruman Derosier	9 60
6892	Edmond Cadieux	20 20
6893	Leo Schultz	10 00
6894	Matt Skala	8 20
6895	W G Brown	10 80
4896	Chas Lundquist	10 80
6897	August Maxin	9 60
6898	Chas Mothson	11 90
6899	Hans Frederickson	11 40
6900	Nils O Nora	13 40
6901	Jacob Amundson	11 60
6902	James Brady	8 20
6904	Moses Guerard	11 60
6905	Joseph Robidoux	12 00
6906	Henry Cyr	11 80
6931	Henry Kaufer	8 20
7003	Simon Paul	8 20
Total		$196 00

PETIT JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6169	Joseph Pigeon	$ 3 20
6199	Damien Charboneau	6 40
6207	Gustav Johnson	7 60
6218	Peter Kilburg	2 20
6220	Ovide Emard	2 20
6221	Henry McAnulty	2 20
6222	C. Guerin	2 20
6223	Joseph Gray	2 20
6224	Simon Paul	2 20
6225	L A Dautremont	2 20
6226	E A Moran	2 20
6227	C P Swanson	2 20
6229	J O Valdal	11 20
6239	Regis Huot	10 60
6231	Aug Larson	10 40
6232	Fred Anderson	11 00
4233	Nels Knutson	12 20
6234	Anton Sundael	11 20
6235	Peter Engelstad	11 40
6236	Jacob Boutain	10 60
6237	Paul Schoenauer	9 60
6238	Omer Delorme	10 00
6239	R H Green	14 00
6240	Wm M Erb	8 20
6241	Joseph Morissette	12 80
6242	John B Hebert	12 40
6243	W Schanno	13 20
6244	Rock Lefebvre	11 60
6245	H C Clement	9 80
6248	Chris Paulson	12 00
6907	H E Ives	8 40
6908	Emil Just	10 00
6909	Dan Latandresse	8 20
6910	Mat Erickson	12 00
6911	Chas Hallas	12 60
6912	Carl Johnson	10 40
6916	J E Bray	6 00
6917	M Boyce	6 00
6918	J B Demarias	6 00
6919	H B LaPlante	11 60
6920	Napoleon Delorme	6 00
6921	John Drier	6 00
6922	Nick Majeres	6 00
6924	Ed Enright	6 00
6932	Albert St Mars	6 00
6933	J J Donahue	17 00
6934	Marcel Patnode	12 60
6935	Wm Tyselling	12 60
6936	Emil Larson	15 20
6937	Oliver Paradis	13 60
6938	Allier Pouliot	11 20
6939	Olaf Larson	18 80
6940	J W Lynch	18 00
6941	M A Hatten	11 20
6942	And Johnson	13 60
6944	Iver Rustad	15 00
6946	Chas [illegible]	12 00
7005	Jas [illegible]	3 40
7011	Napoleon [illegible]arleau	5 00
7012	Emil Just	8 00
7018	Iver Rustad	10 00
7014	Ted O'Neill	6 00
7015	John Rison	8 00
7017	Geo Fink	4 00
7018	Chas Hallas	8 60
7019	M A Hatten	6 12
7020	Joseph Landa	5 60
7021	William Gallagher	4 80
7022	Emil Larson	9 20
7023	Dolphis Patnode	5 00
7024	H E Ives	8 40
7023	Chas McAnulty	4 12
7027	Lewis Weiss	6 00
7028	L A Dautremont	4 20
7030	Frank Glass	7 40
7035	Chas Perrault	3 00
7052	Oliver Paradis	14 60
7053	Chas Eklund	15 20
7031	Allier Pouliot	12 20
7055	And Johnson	11 60
7056	Olaf Larson	18 80
7057	Marcel Patnode	13 60
7058	Mat Erickson	10 00
7059	J W Lynch	18 00
7060	Wm Tysselling	13 60
7061	Chas Ford	13 00
7062	J J Donahue	18 00
7063	Dan Latandresse	12 20
7070	Carl Johnson	8 40
7071	A M Anderson	4 12
Total		$818 36

CLERKS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5939	Joseph Perrault, clerk	$ 12 50
6056	do	7 90
6287	do	12 00
6169	do	3 75
6780	do	[illegible]
6857	do	[illegible]
7110	do	[illegible]
[illegible]	Adam Zeh, deputy clerk	[illegible]
6958	do	[illegible]
[illegible]	do	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SHERIFFS AND DEPUTIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5984	D Linnihan, sheriff	$107 79
6466	do	116 15
6619	do	169 57
5938	Geo Jarman, deputy sheriff	12 00
6262	Fred Zaiser, do	16 50
6779	E J Sullivan, sheriff Polk county	2 40
6903	A Robillard, deputy sheriff	12 00
6930	John Marleau, do	3 00
6945	John Kivel, do	21 00
6951	E A Moran, do	3 00
6956	Fred Zaiser do	19 50
7073	do do	19 50
7078	John Kivel, do	31 50
Total		$527 91

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6869	Geo Jarman	$ 3 40
6870	Anton Langseth	3 40
6871	E O Erickson	3 40
6872	Anton Gulseth	3 40
6873	E W Brouillet	3 40
6874	Jacob Pahlen	1 12
6875	John Gjerberg	1 12
6878	Adam Zeh	1 12
6879	Frank Doyea	1 12
6880	Mrs Beausoliel	1 12
6882	Frank Cernousek	1 12
6883	W E Baker	3 40
6884	A C Douglas	3 40
6886	Chris Hall	3 40
6887	Minnie Clyton	2 44
6888	T J Britt	2 44
7008	Dr I Lemieux	40 24
7009	Dr G A Morley	6 12
7010	T J Britt	10 00
		42 24
Total		$134 80

JAILOR'S SALARY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6739	D Linnihan	$ 65 00
7093	do	56 00
7168	do	31 00
Total		$152 00

BOARDING PRISONERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6774	D Linnihan	$66 12

JUSTICE COURT EXPENSES

JUSTICE FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5985	A P Toupin	$ 31 60
6159	S A Swanson	5 40
6471	O N Skomedal	4 45
6472	S A Swanson	16 75
6618	A P Toupin	15 40
6771	O H Peters	3 60
6774	A P Toupin	18 90
Total		$96 10

JURORS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5992	Joseph Sally	$ 2 00
5993	Aug Krueger	2 00
5994	Wm M Erb	2 00
5995	O A Henderson	2 00
5996	Otto Zaiser	2 00
5997	J R Pouliot	2 00
5990	J R Fortier	2 00
5999	Wm Krueger	2 00
6000	Wm Zaiser	2 00
6001	J B Demarais	2 00
6152	H J Kaufer	2 00
6453	Wm Schwaien	2 00
6454	Ed Bray	2 00
6455	H J Kaufer	2 00
6456	J F Mathews	2 00
6457	Joseph Sally	2 00
6458	Otto Zaiser	2 00
6459	J B Demarais	2 00
6460	Nap Pouliot	2 00
6461	F C Burgdorf	2 00
6462	Adam Schmitz	2 00
6463	Peter K Olson	2 00
6464	Fred Burgdorf	1 00
6624	Simon Paul	2 00
Total		$47 00

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5986	Samuel Cunningham	$ 3 12
5987	Alf Walswick	1 24
5988	H Williams	1 24
5989	Ernest Walswick	1 24
5990	Adam Zeh	1 12
5991	Clara Ramsdell	1 12
6153	Mrs Elesta Allison	1 36
6154	Andrew Anderson	1 12
6625	Fred Lehrer	5 52
6626	Clem P Mercier	1 48
6627	Henry Busse	5 52
6620	Helen Mostrom	4 40
6782	E W Brouillet	1 12
6783	Albert Mostrom	4 40
Total		$34 00

CONSTABLE AND SHERIFF FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6465	Geo Jarman	$ 17 30
6620	do	2 40
6621	Arthur Roy	3 25
6622	E A Moran	6 05
6772	Chris Hall	12 94
6777	D Linnihan	153 66
6778	Geo Jarman	31 17
Total		$226 78

MUNICIPAL COURT COSTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6042	J M Bishop	$ 6 30
6316	do	12 30
6499	do	4 30
6615	do	10 45
6691	do	20 70
6698	do	2 20
Total		$59 25

PROBATE COURT EXPENSES

MEDICAL EXAMINERS' FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6115	Dr J C Wilkinson	$ 7 65
6119	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6303	Dr J Gendron	7 65
6305	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6320	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6321	do	7 65
6335	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6350	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6982	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6983	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
6984	do	15 30
6985	Dr N M Watson	15 30
6999	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
7076	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
7139	do	5 20
7140	Dr I Lemieux	5 20
7141	Dr H Grundy	11 00
Total		$143 80

WITNESS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6364	R H Duntley	$ 2 44
6861	George Olson	2 80
6862	Gust Swandby	9 60
6863	Ingeborg Helland	2 80
6864	Nels Helland	2 80
6992	A E Sorenson	2 26
7002	J C Mathews	2 40
Total		$25 18

MISCELLANEOUS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6117	D Linnihan, bringing patient before the court	$ 9 85
6295	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	38 02
6296	Edward Peterson, asst. conveying patient to hospital	27 88
6317	L T Bergh, conveying patient to hospital	36 13
6318	Mrs Chas Fellman, asst. conveying patient to hospital	28 87
6330	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	41 03
6331	Edward Enright, asst. conveying patient to hospital	30 97
6991	Adam Zeh, asst. conveying patient to hospital	23 42
6997	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	39 92
7009	D Linnihan, bringing patient into court and subpoenaing witnesses	12 10
7001	do do	8 40
7137	Geo Jarman, bringing patient into court	10 40
Total		$307 02

[illegible] OF COURT HOUSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
[illegible]	[illegible] State Bank, Red Lake Falls	[illegible]
6112	do	40 00
6059	do	40 00
6377	do	40 00
6419	do	40 00
6447	First State Bank, Red Lake Falls	10 67
6527	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake Falls	40 00
6614	do	40 00
6708	do	40 00
6737	do	40 00
6967	do	40 00
7091	do	40 00
7177	do	40 00
Total		$490 67

FIRE WARDENS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6003	David Haugen	$ 2 00
6150	Andrew Johnson	2 50
6451	John S Smith	8 50
6452	X Sauve	2 00
6642	Louis Parenteau	4 75
6645	Samuel Sabourin	6 75
6646	Alcide Perusse	75
Total		$27 25

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6002	Dr H Grundy, quarantining	$ 5 00
6061	Town of Poplar River, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
4276	Town of Lambert, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
6474	Town of Wyandotte, one-half expenses refended	2 50
Total		$27 50

BOARD OF AUDIT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6010	James Sutor	$ 3 00
6011	James E Ford	3 00
6155	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6467	James E Ford	3 00
6468	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6477	Wm C L Demann	3 00
Total		$18 00

CORONER'S INQUESTS

CORONER'S FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6009	Dr H Grundy	$17 00
6629	do	30 10
6840	do	34 60
Total		$81 70

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6680	Swan Olson	$ 1 12
6740	John Dalson	1 12
6742	John Aas	1 12
6743	Mikkel Bakken	1 24
4744	Seigart Bakken	1 24
6745	August Anderson	2 12
4744	Dr Geo Tupper	5 12
Total		$13 08

JURY FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
4747	Ole Jacobsen	$ 1 12
6748	Swan Severson	1 12
6748	S T Johnson	1 12
6750	Aug Stenseth	1 12
Total		$4 48

TELEPHONE SERVICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6004	W A Schreitrr	$30 00
5032	J E Ford, long distance calls	2 80
6163	O T Taudberg	2 30
6448	W A Schreiter	20 00
6631	do	10 00
6798	do	15 00
6838	D Linnihan	8 80
6839	J E Ford	1 55
Total		$90 45

LIGHTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6005	Red Lake Falls El. Light Co.	$10 35
6151	do	16 50
6271	do	8 00
6449	do	16 00
6630	do	16 00
6037	do	16 00
Total		$82 85

FUEL

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6008	Adam Zeh	$168 00

ELECTION EXPENSES

CARRYING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6769	Hans J Pederson	$3 40
6770	Samuel Sabourin	3 20
6810	H L Dudley	1 20
6811	Chas Gustafson	1 60
6812	C Retallick	1 20
6813	John Fuller	1 20
6814	Herman Ortloff	4 00
6815	A S Wilson	3 40
6816	O J Tweet	2 70
6817	A L Reichert	1 20
6818	John C Mathews	1 20
6819	N A Nelson	3 80
6820	Thas Daugherty	2 40
6821	Geo Walker	1 80
6822	Albert Dreger	2 80
6823	H E Gusa	1 60
6824	Michael Kees	1 20
6825	E K Gjernes	1 64
6826	Antoine Lambert	1 00
6827	Joseph Pigeon	1 50
6828	A D Berry	2 60
6829	Martin T Smerud	1 20
6830	C P Swanson	1 54
Total		$47 38

MISCELLANEOUS ELECTION EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6834	John E King, printing ballots	$144 40
6638	Miller-Davis Printing Co., blanks and supplies	62 66
Total		$207 06

CANVASSING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6786	A P Toupin	$ 6 20
6787	K O Gigstad	8 40
6788	F J Cernousek	10 00
6789	S L Lewis	6 20
6790	Joseph Perrault	6 20
Total		$37 00

PRUCURING PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6791	H E Gusa	$ 1 30
6792	Lewis Sall	2 00
6793	A J Hemstad	3 20
6794	A S Anderson	3 80
6795	P A Eckstrom	4 00
6796	A D Berry	2 60
6797	O T Romsos	2 60
6799	K O Gigstad	3 40
6800	Lars Backe	1 10
6801	P Enbelstad	2 00
6802	T H Carver	1 80
6803	Arthur Laniel	1 00
6804	Ernest J Akerlund	1 10
6805	Nels K Anderson	3 00
6806	O J Johnson	8 00
6807	G J Nordhagen	2 40
6800	Olaf Tande	1 40
6809	J L Cossette	3 20
Total		$42 90

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6025	St Hilaire Spectator	[illegible] 74
6149	Red Lake Courier	[illegible]
6150	St Hilaire Spectator	[illegible]
6130	Sam S Haislet	[illegible]
6131	Red Lake Falls Gazette	[illegible]
[illegible]	do	[illegible]
[illegible]	do	[illegible]
[illegible]	John E King	[illegible]
[illegible]	Review Ptg Co	[illegible]

BLANK BOOKS, BLANKS, STATIONERY AND SUPPLIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6014	Free Press Ptg Co	19 80
6015	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 35
6016	Pioneer Press Co	24 00
6017	Red Lake Courier	33 60
6018	Geo D Barnard & Co	43 00
6019	Red Lake Falls Gazette	14 00
6020	McGill-Warner Co	12 15
6021	A L Reichert	6 95
6022	Mpls Stamp & Stencil Co	1 91
6023	W E McKenzie	5 45
6140	Free Press Ptg Co	18 00
6141	Pioneer Press Co	75 00
6142	do	6 20
6143	W E McKenzie	70 40
6144	Geo D Barnard & Co	26 50
6145	McGill-Warner Co	8 55
6146	W M Welch & Co	25 25
6147	John C Mathews	2 75
6148	Red Lake Courier	22 25
6269	Pioneer Press Co	4 75
6270	Free Press Ptg Co	20 35
6434	Pioneer Press Co	17 45
6435	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 02
6436	C F Greenwood	3 00
6437	W E McKenzie	11 75
6438	A L Reichert	20 15
6439	Sam S Haislet	35 50
6440	Blymyer Bros	1 50
6441	John E King	37 00
6442	Free Press Ptg Co	27 80
6632	W E McKenzie	10 00
6633	Red Lake Falls Gazette	21 25
6634	Anderson & Healy	40 00
6635	W A Schreiter	1 65
6636	W M Welch & Co	11 00
6637	Pioneer Press Co	44 20
6639	Free Press Ptg Co	23 38
6831	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	22 50
6831	Pioneer Press Co	14 60
6833	Free Press Ptg Co	55 00
Total		$860 68

WOLF BOUNTY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5927	Julius Mossestad	$ 7 50
5930	Victor F Sandstrom	7 50
5935	Henry Cyr	7 50
5941	Vital Desrosier	7 50
5944	Gudor Hagen	7 50
5946	Louis Plante	7 50
5947	Henry Lemieux	7 50
5952	Wm Vague	7 50
5953	Ole Pederson	30 00
5956	O W Brink	7 50
5957	Berlet Haga	7 50
5966	Charley Nelson	7 50
5967	Wm Rose	7 50
5969	John G Hagen	7 50
5970	Richard Larson	7 50
5971	Richard Dubuque	15 00
6038	Louis Halvorsen	7 50
6040	Julien Guerrard	7 50
6041	George Boutain	7 50
6048	John Torske	7 50
6049	Willie Dempsey	7 50
6079	Gilbert Skjervas	7 50
6081	Eli Boutain	7 50
6092	Peder Johnson	7 50
6101	Mike Madden	15 00
6102	Ole J Pleton	7 50
6165	Oluf O Juberg	7 50
6166	Chas G Leader	7 50
6167	Frank C Busch	7 50
6174	Gust Konikson	22 50
6306	Ole Peterson	15 00
6353	Peter Roerig	7 50
6354	Victor Brink	7 50
6367	Mike Madden	15 00
6378	Gilbert Skjerva	7 50
6331	Knut Olson	7 50
6383	Mike Madden	7 50
6395	Aug E Amundson	11 50
6396	Carl Nelson	9 00
6409	Ole Norreson	4 00
6424	Albert Sevra	7 00
4679	Wm Rose	7 50
6759	do	7 50
6953	Mike Ault	7 50
6977	John G Hagen	7 50
6994	do	7 50
7014	Mikkel L Kjos	7 50
7051	C A Parnell	7 50
7074	Albert Nettleland	7 50
7079	P B Gaass	7 50
7113	Joachim Rose	7 50
Total		$451 50

REPORTING BIRTHS AND DEATHS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6034	A D Berry	$ 7 50
6051	N M Watson	14 50
6052	A F Blomburgh	9 75
6053	Lars Backe	16 75
6054	P A Eckstrom	1 25
6055	E J Akerlund	2 00
6056	A J Hemstad	4 25
6057	Lewis Sall	3 50
6058	O Tande	4 50
6059	A Patnode	25
6060	T H Carver	50
6061	T Grandbois	25
6062	Moses Ducharme	1 00
6063	Louis Doucet	3 50
6044	J L Finke	6 50
6065	G J Nordhagen	25
6066	H E Gusa	1 50
6067	O Larson	50
6068	O T Romsos	3 25
6069	J B Hebert	2 50
6070	Arthur Laniel	2 00
6071	Ildaige Baril	5 50
6072	A S Anderson	2 50
6073	F T Satre	2 75
6074	P Engelstad	1 00
6075	N K Anderson	3 25
6076	O Tessier	3 75
6077	O J Johnson	50
6157	Joseph Perrault	1 25
6342	N M Watson	71 30
6343	A D Berry	1 00
6344	Moses Ducharme	1 50
6345	Lewis Sall	25
6346	Olaf Tande	75
6347	Arthur Laniel	1 00
6348	P Engelstad	75
6349	Lars Backe	25
6390	Olaf Larson	1 50
6406	A F Blomburgh	25
6470	Joseph Perrault	1 25
		7 10
Total		$187 65

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5954	J W Wallin, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	$438 28
5955	Ovide Emard, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	738 30
6006	Thief River Falls Lumber Co., lumber for repairing vault	3 50
6007	Frank E Hunt, stoves and hardware	17 40
6012	Joseph Sally, moving safe in Taesuree's office	1 00
6013	Diebold Safe & Lock Co., expert opening Treasurer's safe	52 00
6014	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	28 98
6158	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 00
6160	J B McGinnis, asst. Co. Supt 3 days	9 00
6272	F A Grady, insurance prem	44 00
6273	Adam Zeh do	39 00
6174	Theo LaBissoniere, kerosene	60
6275	F A Grady, transcrip evidence in criminal case	4 50
6398	Imperial Drug Co., refundm't special dog tax	68
6443	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	77 42
6444	B Puschinsky, rep. chair Reg. of Deeds' office	75
6445	Agnes Sampson, cleaning jail	15 00
6446	F A Grady, expenses of Co. Att'y case of State vs P & J Meehan	11 30
6473	Samuel Gibeau, list of real estate mortgages for assessment; report of forec. decrees and foreclosures; rec. town treasurers' bonds	36 40
6603	Red Lake Co. Ag. Ass'n, appropriation	250 00
6623	Wm Krueger, meals for jurors	5 00
6640	E E Havick, assess. Ass't Dis. No. 2	1 00
6641	Ole A Aubol, assess. Ass't Dis No. 1	10 00
6647	Fritz Gerke, material and labor repairing vault	10 25
6648	Eli Lasha, mat. and labor repairing jail	10 00
6693	Oliver Paradis, ref. spec. dog tax	2 98
6754	Jas J Dow, Supt. clothing etc. for A Hendrickson at School for Blind	34 03
6754	A C Rogers, Supt., clothing etc. for Ralph Swenson and Josephine Morovek at School for Feeble Minded	30 52
6775	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 [illegible]
6781	F A Grady, exp. Co. Att'y case State vs. McMann	18 15
6784	Samuel Gibeau, rec. town treas. bonds	[illegible]
6785	Lydia E Fletcher, asst. Co. Supt. 3 days	[illegible]
6841	Torrison Bros., undertaking fees, supposed murder of Hilding Olson	[illegible]
[illegible]	Frank Tilton, digging grave, etc. remains Hilding Olson	[illegible]
6843	John C Mathews, cleaning jail	[illegible]
[illegible]	Jas Brady, repairing jail	[illegible]
[illegible]	W A Reichert, [illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Jas [illegible]	[illegible]

County Poor Fund

RECEIPTS

Taxes collected	$1456 20
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	703 57
Total	$2159 77

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6162	Hans Frederickson, boarding P Freeman and caring for stock	53 00
6486	F D Patterson, med attend. on paupers	20 00
	Overdraft, Jan. 2, 1904	2066 79
	Error	19 98
	Total	$2159 77

Bond and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$1216 67
Taxes collected	3376 41
Total	$4593 08

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$2178 41
Transferred to Special Bond and Interest Fund	336 61
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	2078 06
Total	$4593 08

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5949	Joseph Perrault	$ 56
5951	A P Toupin	37
5959	H B Kaufer	1 84
5960	First Nat Bk, T. R. Falls	25
5964	W E McKenzie	2 01
5968	N M Watson	2 10
5983	John Power	10
6036	A Paquin	06
6039	B Christianson	3 48
6043	Mer. State B'k, Red Lake F	138 03
6044	O T Tandberg	7 78
6046	First State Bank, Red Lake F	91 57
6050	Thore Nelson	16 50
6083	Chas E Boughton	22
6086	A C Rogers, Supt	1 65
6087	H D Boardson	13
6094	N M Watson	32
6096	J Gendron	12
6120	W M Welch & Co	90
6124	Red Lake Falls Elec L'ht Co.	2 10
6130	Octave Lafaive	54
6131	L K Moen	10
6138	O T Romsos	08
6168	John Naplin	40
6170	W P Johnston	1 12
6171	McGill-Warner Co	56
6172	Jas J Dow, Supt	87
6248	First State Bank, St. Hilaire	1 55
6292	Gunder Gunstenson	14
6311	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	3 21
6313	W A Sorsoleil	15
6332	Mchts Nat. Bank, Crookston	1 00
6333	do	8 80
6355	Geo E Harris	31
6380	Chase Nat. Bank	1 50
6385	Pioneer Press Co	2 30
6386	Scandia Am. Bank, Crookston	85
6387	Mankato State Bank	2 25
6391	First State Bank, Red Lake F	630 00
6399	Mchts " "	17 20
6404	A S Anderson	49
6426	J W Wheeler, cashier	39
6503	First State Bank, Red Lake F	38
6507	Mchts " "	400 00
6517	State of Minn	120 00
6570	First State Bank, Red Lake F	560 00
6584	J N Tate, Supt	69
6598	Frank E Hunt	18
6616	First State Bank, Red Lake F	2 79
6675	Cit. State Bank, T. R. F.	1 65
6681	K O Gigstad, cashier	57
6682	Paul Mathews	95
6685	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake F	240 00
6859	A D Berry	17
7005	First State Bank, St Hilaire	7 13
	Total	$2178 41

Road and Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1903	$2580 93
Tax collections	1968 59
Donations	250 00
Liquor licenses	1250 00
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	385 57
Total	$6434 14

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per following itemized schedule	$6434 14

WARRANTS PAID

APPROPRIATIONS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what Town	Amount
6080	Louis Falardeau, Lambert	$150 00
6676	Leonard Holmes, St. Hilaire	300 00
6678	Simon Sutter, Red Lake Falls Tp	85 00
6923	George Orr, Gervais	50 00
6987	Wm Schaper, Lake Pleasant	175 00
6989	Simon Sutter, Red Lake Falls Tp	75 00
7069	Cyrille Lussier, Aoplar River	100 00
7105	H R Kolseth, Wyandotte	75 00
7106	do do	75 00
	Total	$1085 00

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6084	Geo Walker	$40 00
6085	Pierre Emard Jr	14 00
6088	Eli Emard	55 20
6090	Eli Emard, trustee	30 00
6091	Ovide Emard	30 00
6093	Andrew Bisson	20 00
6098	Alex Emard	20 00
6100	E E & Millie Fletcher	34 80
	Total	$244 00

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6129	James Brady, piers at Terrebonne bridge	$ 600 00
6197	do do	380 00
6340	Northw Bridge Co., rep. Thief River Falls Bridge	1325 00
6845	James Brady, extra work Terrebonne piers	91 94
6602	James Brady, bridge across Black River, in Polk Center	350 00
6753	Kankel & Zeigler, rep. Terrebonne bridge	305 00
6980	D. Linnidan, Red Lake Falls steel bridge, part payment	2000 00
	Total	$5051 94

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6264	Joseph Rose, inspecting plans for bridge	$25 00
6484	James E Ford, rec. county road proceedings	23 70
6643	Samuel Miller, assisting in survey	2 25
6644	Levi Miller do	2 25
	Total	$53 20

Incidental Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 4 41
Transferred from County Revenue Fd.	300 00
Total	$304 41

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized schedule following	$239 18
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	65 23
Total	$304 41

WARRANTS PAID

POSTAGE AND EXPRESS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5923	N W Tarrant	$ 2 00
5924	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
5931	G N Exp Co	[illegible] 40
5933	do	1 00
5937	James E Ford	8 00
[illegible]	Joseph Perrault	6 [illegible]
5962	O T Tandberg	10 04
5965	Ed Bray	1 16
6033	N W Tarrant	2 00
6037	Frank Jeffers	6 47
6095	James E Ford	1 75
6099	O T Tandberg	5 00
6116	N W Tarrant	2 00
6118	G N Exp Co	45
6122	Frank Jeffers	2 50
6127	James E Ford	5 00
6132	G N Exp Co	60
6289	Samuel Gibeau	8 25
6290	G N Exp Co	[illegible]
6291	Frank Jeffers	5 00
6294	Joseph Sally	3 50
6308	N W Taerant	2 00
6312	J L Tracy, agent	1 25
6320	do	40
6165	do	70
6389	Samnel Gibeau	40
6401	N W Tarrant	2 00
6410	Joseph Sally	3 30
6421	J L Tracy, agent	1 10
6428	Joseph Perrault	7 91
6481	Samuel Gibeau	22 75
6482	O T Tandbarg	23 27
6483	James E Ford	7 35
6405	N W Tarrant	2 00
6512	Frank Jeffers	7 17
6557	James E Ford	10 77
6595	O T Tandberg	1 30
6596	do	12 37
6617	Joseph Sally	1 10
6663	Frank Jeffers	2 70
6689	do	5 00
6692	J L Tracy, agent	2 25
6711	N W Tarrant	5 00
6712	Samuel Gibeau	9 00
6716	Joseph Perrault	5 33
6767	Joseph Sally	3 00
6768	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
6867	do	4 85
6868	Frank Jeffers	5 25
6981	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
7126	do	75
7149	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
7115	Joseph Sally	2 25
7167	Frank Jeffers	2 24
	Total	$239 18

Redemption Fund

RECEITTS

Balance Jan. 1, 1904	$ 128 26
Redemptions	1800 37
Total	$1928 66

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$1800 95
Cr. balance December 31, 1904	118 71
Total	$1928 66

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5926	W W Prichard	11 03
5940	Wm M Erb	19 97
6186	Samuel Gibeau	5 60
6283	W G Bosworth	11 54
6336	E M Perrault	68 98
6356	Joseph Gray	3 50
6384	J W Wheeler	10 88
6388	Minnie K Norton	39 39
6405	W W Prichard	3 57
6407	Wm Higinbotham	21 05
6408	G Vandertunk	30 16
6422	John A Dnpy	24 97
6489	J A Duffy	18 78
6491	G Vandertunk	17 66
6493	Andrew Stenseth	33 27
6494	J A Duffy	98 54
6501	Leo Sieinert	17 28
6561	W S Short	26 25
6576	N E Gaass	30 70
6686	J W Wheeler	13 77
6714	do	35 26
6715	J K O Sherwood	49 78
6717	J A Duffy	44 70
6718	Wm M Erb	19 91
6756	M W Evenson	367 38
6762	J A Duffy	43 58
6763	Wm M Erb	15 99
6764	A D Stophens, agt	38 81
6765	do	40 35
6773	Chas D Mattson	46 20
6850	J W Wheeler	22 81
6865	J A Duffy	20 89
6929	Wm M Erb	26 04
6969	Mary S Hodgson	43 39
6973	N E Gaass	31 79
6995	Wm M Erb	29 12
6996	G Vandertunk	29 88
7026	W S Short	26 84
7031	J A Duffy	22 67
7100	W W Prichard	86 79
7101	A D Stephens	113 24
7119	J W Wheeler	17 72
7127	J A Duffy	10 10
7129	do	26 90
7144	do	18 19
7125	W W Prichard	12 69
7154	Martina Lee	3 68
7156	G Vandertunk	52 35
	Total	$1809 95

General Ditch Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 2, 1904	$ 9501 19
Collections, ditch taxes	13024 92
Proceeds bond issue	6519 86
Warrants surrendered and cancelled	225 00
Error	50
Overdraft Dec. 31, 1904	1102 05
Total	$30373 51

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued, per following itemized schedule	$16373 51
Transferred to County Revenue Fund	14000 00
Total	$30373 51

WARRANTS PAID

EXCAVATING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6588	John Freeman	$ 473 00
6589	Wm Eickhoff	1500 00
6590	Gjernes & Hokenson	400 00
6591	do	250 00
6592	A F Anderson	200 00
6720	John Carlson	453 00
6122	A F Anderson	500 00
6723	Theodore Halvorsen	2500 00
6724	Gjernes & Hokenson	159 00
6725	do	1350 00
6726	K M Hansen	140 00
6727	Sauve, Parenteau & Perusse	202 00
6738	J W Lynch	100 00
6752	E A Moran	175 00
6760	LaBissoniere & Findeisen, bondsmen	963 07
6761	X Sauve	104 47
6125	E Perusse	77 03
	Total	$9537 57

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6360	Red Lake Falls Gazette	$21 60
6425	do	24 65
	Total	$46 26

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6599	Carrie J Kordale	$39 04
6600	Anton A Aubol	65 07
6601	P O Hagglund	13 02
	Total	$117 13

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No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6661	James Sutor	$12 70
6665	O J Johnson	14 70
6666	Wm C L Demann	11 70
6667	Louis Falardeau	12 70
6850	Wm C L Demann	36 20
6851	O J Johnson	36 20
6852	James Sutor	36 20
6853	Louis Falarneau	10 80
	Total	$171 20

ENGINEERS FEES AND EXPENSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6164	Geo A Ralph	$ 5 00
6669	[illegible]	34 52
6854	[illegible]	74 25
	Total	$113 77

VIEWERS FEES AND EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6357	Joseph Pigeon	[illegible]
6358	Olaf Tandee	40 00
6359	Ed L Stowe	40 00
	Total	[illegible]

INTEREST ON BONDS AND WARRANTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5929	First State Bank Red Lake Falls	$ 206 15
5932	" " " " "	3 50
5913	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	14 40
6045	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	108 65
6114	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	2145 03
6176	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	29 47
6191	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	141 45
6208	" " " " "	49 90
6382	First " " " "	450 03
6496	Merchants " " " "	178 75
6709	First " " " "	360 08
6710	Merchants " " " "	2145 00
7157	" " " " "	178 75
	Total	$6100 56

MISC. EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6668	James Suter, team hire	$ 8 00
6670	E K Gjernes, timber for bridge across Garne & Emardville ditch	36100
6671	T C Smiley, witness fees ditch 21	22 00
6672	J E Ford, Auditor's fees ditch No. 21	23 33
6855	J E Carroll, witness fees ditch 21	24 32
6885	J K Hanney, Atty. for Pltfs., costs appeal case ditch No. 21	31 90
	Total	$145 55

Special Bond and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$5991 27
Tax collections	658 04
Transferred from Bond and Int. Fund	336 61
Total	$6985 92

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
7133	Treas. of Polk Co., principal and interest on bonds	$6985 92

Court House and Jail Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$390 73
Tax collections	999 43
Total	$1390 16

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6031	Aug Morin, calcimining jail	$ 11 90
	Error in Warrant No. 1484	10
	Cr. balance	$1378 16
	Total	$1390 16

Current School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 600 73
State apportionment	12080 75
Interest, penalty and costs on real estate taxes	1197 08
Fines Justice court	42 35
Total	$13920 91

DISBURSEMENTS.

Distributed to school	$13303 03
Credit balance	617 88
Total	$13920 91

Taxes & Penalties Account

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 8049 70
Collections	105198 71
Error	9 62
Total	$113258 03

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
5982	Sam Lambert, refundment	3 78
6498	L B Arnold	99 36
6677	Paul Ostby	4 50
7108	Gerome Longtin	2 35
	Taxes and penalties distributed	104113 54
	Balance undistributed Dec 31, 1904	9024 88
	Error	9 62
	Total	$113258 03

Warrants Account

RECEIPTS

Warrants outstanding Jan. 2, 1904	$ 25993 92
By error	20 94
Warrants issued	140045 37
Total	$166060 23

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants redeemed by Co. Treasurer	$ 161423 65
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1905	4646 58
Total	$166060 23

State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance January 2, 1904	$ 2 40
Taxes collected	6012 20
Total	$6014 90

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
5958	State of Minn., hunters' licenses	$ 2 70
6193	do taxes collected	2160 21
6552	do do	3639 76
7080	do do	212 23
	Total	$6014 90

State Lands Fund

RECEIPTS

Collections of principal and interest due on State lands	$4938 68
Balance Jan. 2, 1904	131 80
Total	$5070 56

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued For what purpose	Amount
6194	State of Minnesota, collections	$ 590 10
6553	do do	3392 96
7001	do do	837 35
	Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	250 15
	Total	$5070 56

School District Fund

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Dist No.	Amount
5928	H Bragge Jr	228	$ 93 67
5934	Raphael Trudeau	191	87 00
5950	Ole O Vattendahl	204	21 37
5948	Felix Anderson	94	187 19
5960	Wm Tysseling	43	30 94
5961	H O Wiken	221	2 42
6035	A S Anderson	133	99 12
6047	Ed Enright	108	51 74
6070	A Wels	73	124 48
6097	E M Hoff	102	621 91
6113	G Swanson	210	66 97
6123	Andrew Bodin	5	19 70
6125	Joseph Laurent	81	50 00
6126	Thos Crompe	15	3500 00
6128	A Thompson	16	10 50
6139	Carl Gerlach	63	101 86
6173	Octave Beauchene	153	240 35
6175	Jacob Thill	1	202 73
6177	Haldor Erickson	2	115 93
6178	Phillip Gibeau	9	156 38
6179	Andrew Ekland	135	69 08
6180	Joseph Brokmann	151	117 55
6182	C F Elridge	12	92 21
6183	Andrew Johnson	127	81 93
6184	T A Crompe	15	1441 79
6185	Nels Lolland	13	[illegible]
6187	H H Finrow	115	[illegible]
6189	Emery Dion	7	[illegible]
6192	Alfred Dohlstrom	[illegible]	[illegible]
6198	Frank Grenier	[illegible]	[illegible]
6200	Martin Foldoe	[illegible]	[illegible]
6201	A E Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
6202	A J Hemstad	[illegible]	[illegible]
6203	Jacob Boutain	[illegible]	[illegible]
6204	Fred Anderson	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
6206	W A Swanson	19	125 10
6209	Regis Gagnon	27	212 32
6210	Ole Larson	166	70 89
6211	Geo Marchildon	216	100 07
6212	Joseph Brohmann	151	74 45
6214	August Swenson	178	121 12
6216	A Thompson	16	68 62
6219	Emil E Zeh	18	5780 20
6228	J F Matthews	48	149 56
6247	Bergt Swenson	194	106 06
6260	H H Finrow	115	22 82
6263	C F Elvidge	12	19 56
6277	Maximillien Perras	103	202 28
6280	Jacob Thill	1	84 76
6281	Haldor Erickson	2	60 31
6284	T H Crompe	15	904 05
6285	E M Huff	102	1157 89
6288	Michael Rees	167	195 08
6297	L C Cadieux	79	717 61
6299	Halvor O Wiken	221	90 06
6300	Sam Person	99	74 30
6301	C F Stenhammer	208	67 49
6302	Wm Tysseling	43	81 25
6304	Harold Bugge	228	73 87
6306	John Reinschmidt	80	96 03
6309	M P Bokken	165	136 42
6314	Annie Emard	112	170 65
6315	Joseph Laurent	81	106 60
6319	Magnus Winberg	147	163 93
6324	Amond K Vindlos	21	9 55
6325	Anton Peterson	6	154 68
6326	J S Koy	227	151 60
6327	Phillip Gibean	9	63 57
6328	Francis Lambert	70	170 67
6334	Ferd Gather	124	86 40
6337	Joseph Pigeon	141	166 09
6338	Sever Maaren	20	76 26
6339	Rasmus Aaseby	149	83 66
6341	Andrew Soderberg	54	152 74
6351	Edward Enright	108	97 82
6352	Eli Lasha	40	112 12
6361	Narcisse Robidoux	126	71 08
6362	Joseph Robidoux	14	77 80
6363	Amie Carriere	45	10 86
6366	Frank Hagl	49	103 31
6392	John Jacobson	24	66 95
9393	Chas Seeger	88	101 91
6394	John Kelberg	219	74 07
6400	Joseph Martell	36	86 10
6402	A S Anderson	133	109 96
6403	Andrew Bodin	5	70 09
6420	Ole J Haaven	11	132 25
6423	James Honce	32	121 74
6490	Paul Schoenauer	4	93 13
6492	Ole O Vattendahl	204	45 42
6497	Chas G Sall	10	237 78
6500	Regis Gagnon	27	87 35
6502	H H Finrow	115	117 39
6505	Maximillien Perras	103	189 45
6506	Michael Kees	167	107 02
6508	Jacob Boutain	17	59 15
6509	Emil E Zeh	18	3713 35
6510	John A Reinschmidt	80	135 20
6511	Fred Anderson	148	115 56
6513	Thos A Crompe	15	2651 53
6514	A Welo	73	75 81
6515	Jacob Thill	1	128 74
6516	Geo Marchildon	216	185 87
6529	Benght Severson Jr	194	61 82
6530	Frank G eiver	130	116 02
6531	Haldor Erickson	2	82 94
6532	A E Anderson	100	167 30
6533	C F Stenhammer	208	60 16
6534	C F Elvidge	12	79 65
6536	Andrew Eklund	135	99 79
6539	Lars P Brandrud	125	273 27
6540	A Thompson	16	103 17
6541	G Swanson	210	178 19
6542	W A Swanson	19	75 87
6543	Ole Larson	166	191 29
6544	Joseph Brohmann	151	182 89
6548	Phillip Gibeau	9	132 17
6549	Sam Person	99	119 56
6551	M Winberg	147	294 54
6554	Paul Schoenouer	4	193 16
6558	Carl Gerlach	63	241 41
6559	August Swenson	178	132 79
6562	J R Mathews	48	33 41
6563	Joseph Robidoux	14	[illegible]
6564	Annie Emard	112	[illegible]
6566	James Hance	32	[illegible]
6567	Andrew Johnson	127	145 83
6568	Frank Hagl	49	[illegible]
6569	Narcisse Robidoux	126	66 73
6572	Sever Moaren	20	41 79
6577	Rasmus Aaseby	149	72 22
6578	Martin Foldoe	233	[illegible]
6580	Chas Seeger	88	112 68
6583	Octave Beauchene	153	204 06
6586	Joseph Laurent	81	153 68
6593	A S Anderson	133	109 32
6674	Aug Soderberg	54	50 52
6675	Maurius Miller	94	206 48
6683	H Haupt	227	258 19
6674	L R Thyoen	3	181 38
6682	L C Cadieux	79	191 26
6690	Emery Dion	7	65 05
6694	Raphael Trudeau	191	86 18
6695	Swan Wolhoug	11	145 16
6696	Louis Folardeau	76	153 01
6697	Chas G Soll	10	74 88
6713	Wm Tysseling	43	47 39
9719	A J Hemstad	214	96 33
6721	Joseph Pigeon	141	60 41
6741	John S Hanson	8	176 82
6751	E M Hoff	102	674 81
6757	H O Wiken	221	26 87
6758	Carl Gerlach	63	154 82
6766	John Jacobson	24	98 15
6848	Knud Finstad	154	235 15
6858	Ferd Gother	124	75 69
6866	Ole O Vattendahl	204	61 77
6867	Chas Seeger	80	52 58
6877	T A Crompe	15	1333 62
6881	C F Stenhammer	208	64 53
6913	Sever Mooran	20	62 14
6914	Jacob Thill	1	97 99
6915	Emil E Zeh	18	1701 68
6925	C F Elvidge	12	59 19
6926	Joseph Martell	36	126 99
6927	Joseph Brohmann	151	43 02
6943	Emery Dion	7	26 29
6947	August Swenson	178	54 97
6948	Maurius Miller	94	107 55
6949	Phillip Gibeau	9	88 43
6952	Martin E Foldee	233	59 75
6954	Regis Gagnon	27	88 43
6755	Jacob Boutain	17	69 31
6957	Michael Kees	167	64 53
6968	Andrew Soderberg	54	70 48
6970	Alfred Dahlstrom	106	174 36
6971	Max Perras	103	59 75
6972	John Reinschmidt	80	38 24
6974	Halvor O Wiken	221	59 75
6975	H H Finrow	115	33 46
6976	Frank Hagl	49	7 17
6979	Anton Petterson	6	66 92
6986	J J Haeberle	23	57 36
6988	Eli Lasha	40	165 90
6990	A Welo	73	159 10
6993	G Swanson	210	62 14
6998	Leorril Gauthier	228	226 09
7006	Nels Lalland	13	249 28
7007	Fred Anderson	148	64 53
7032	Joseph Brohmann	151	76 66
7033	A E Anderson	180	57 30
7034	C F Stenhammer	208	121 02
7036	Ed Enright	108	53 81
7037	Halvor O Wiken	221	14 25
7038	John S Hanson	8	53 44
7039	Max Perras	103	89 20
7040	Lars P Brandrud	125	62 14
7041	Andrew Eklund	135	122 20
7042	Magnus Winberg	147	122 03
7043	Fred Anderson	148	32 78
7044	M P Bokken	165	84 35
7045	Ole Larson	166	93 64
7046	G Swanson	210	48 00
7047	John Kellberg	219	140 86
7050	Narcisse Robidoux	120	85 62
7064	Wm Tysseling	43	63 30
7065	Phillip Gibeau	9	59 96
7066	August Swenson	178	73 19
7072	A Thompson	16	782 51
7075	Nellie Walker	112	136 [illegible]
7077	Jacob Boutain	17	33 [illegible]
7094	Joseph Laurent	81	221 09
7096	H H Finrow	115	71 65
7097	Bengt Swenson	194	89 34
7098	Regis Gogcon	27	113 25
7099	Haldor Erickson	2	79 99
7104	Ellef Grorlie	127	114 85
7109	J F Mathews	48 & 22	124 54
7112	Arnie Carriere	45	9 56
7114	Paul Schoenauor	4	55 99
7117	Martin E Foldoe	233	70 38
7118	J Thill	1	88 56
7120	John Reinschmidt	80	38 76
7121	Andrew Bodin	5	154 43
7122	Chas Perrault	32	158 15
7123	Louis Falardeau	76	232 42
7128	T A Crompe	15	1550 16
7130	Joseph Pigeon	141	112 72
7131	Chas G Soll	10	177 26
7132	A J Hemstad	214	122 38
7134	Eli Lasha	40	82 23
7135	Sam Person	99	118 97
7236	Celas Ragmour	130	114 09
7143	Swan Walhaug	11	22 53
7148	Joseph Robidoux	14	68 90
7150	C F Elvidge	12	53 94
7152	L C Cadieux	79	384 88
7153	Octave Beauchene	153	106 95
7155	Ferd Gother	124	87 72
7160	A S Anderson		87 56
7161	Anton Petterson		139 74
7163	Alfred Dahlstrom		51 60
7164	Geo Marchildon		175 61
7165	Raphael Trudeau		72 82
	Total		$48119 80

PAYMENTS TO STATE TREASURER ON ACCOUNT OF STATE LOANS

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6518	State of Minnesota	$2063 82
6555	" "	334 58
6582	" "	110 00
	Total	$2508 40

Towns, Cities and Villages.

WARRANTS PAID

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5945	John G Hagen, tr town of Emardville	$ 105 79
5962½	Ellef Grordie, tr town Norden	44 00
5963	Aug. Soderberg, tr town North	61 68
6082	Peter Lindblom, town tr Bray	107 43
6121	Thos. Glynn, tr town of Black River	103 74
6181	Cyrittle Cussier, tr town of Poplar River	170 9[illegible]
6188	Joseph Marcott, tr town of Louisville	158 [illegible]
6190	John G Hogen, tr town of Emardville	131 35
6195	Ovide Emard, tr. city of Red Lake Falls	[illegible]
6196	Simon Sutter, tr town of Red Lake Falls	[illegible]
6213	August Swenson, tr town of River Falls	[illegible]
6215	O L Larson, tr town of Sanders	[illegible]
6217	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River Falls	[illegible]
6249	Nils O Nora, tr town Norden	[illegible]
6278	Wm Schaper, tr town of Lake Pleasant	[illegible]
6279	Ed A Aubol, tr town Rocksbury	[illegible]
6282	Aug Soderberg, tr town North	[illegible]
6286	Leonard Holmes, tr vil St Hilaire	[illegible]
6293	Edward O Erickson, tr town Equality	206 10
6298	L C Cadieux, tr town Terrebonne	[illegible]
6310	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	[illegible]
6322	Elias Jorindol, tr tn Numedal	[illegible]
6323	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	[illegible]
6379	Ole Gjerberg, tr town Gervais	181 74
6397	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lamb	232 47
6427	P E Smidesang, tr town Polk Center	442 63
6429	Albert Anderson, tr tn Black River	136 97
6504	Peter Lindblom, tr town Bray	674 72
6535	O L Larson, tr town Sanders	301 03
6537	J W Wallin, tr city Thief R F	1685 07
6538	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	256 11
6546	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleas	557 14
6547	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Rocksbury	240 75
6550	Ovide Emard, tr city R L F	1618 06
6559	Edw O Ericson, tr tn Equality	118 00
6563	August Swenson, tr tn River F	480 37
6565	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	311 31
6571	L Holmes, tr vil St Hilaire	1017 39
6574	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	667 45
6575	Ole Gjerberg, tr tn Gervais	[illegible]
6579	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	[illegible]
6581	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville	[illegible]
6585	Elias P Joringrud, tr tn Numedal	[illegible] 55
6587	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert	[illegible] 63
6594	Simon Sutter, tr tn Red Lake [illegible]	[illegible] 60
6597	Nils O Nora, ts tn Norden	229 11
6604	Aug Soderberg, tr tn North	437 18
6688	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebo[illegible]	540 65
6928	P E Smidesang, tr tn Polk [illegible]	236 26
6978	John G Hagen, tr tn Ema[illegible]	500 00
7029	Nils O Nora, tr tn Nord[illegible]	62 73
7048	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Ro[illegible]	125 06
7049	H R Kolseth, tr tn [illegible]	78 37
7057	August Swenson, tr [illegible]	197 81
7068	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	419 62
7092	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River F	1137 25
7095	O L Larson, tr tn Sanders	85 00
7102	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville	91 45
8103	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	75 82
7111	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	219 57
7116	Peter Lindblom, tr tn Bray	65 97
7121	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert	123 84
7138	Elias P Joringdol, tr tn Numedal	73 30
7142	Albert Anderson, tr tn Black Riv	231 23
7146	Simon Sutter, tr tu Red Lake F	142 00
7147	Edw O Erickson, tr tn Equality	68 39
7151	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	271 49
7159	L Holmes, tr vill St Hilaire	99 07
7162	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleasant	223 02
7166	Ovide Emard, tr city Red Lake F	1014 47
	Total	$25984 35

INTEREST ON RAILROAD BONDS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6089	Merchant State Bank, Red Lake Falls, city of R L F	$ 90 00
6487	do do	1200 00
6488	do do	540 00
6545	do Twp of R L F	30 00
6573	do City of R L F	90 00
	Total	$2010 00

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE FUNDS.

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE.	Debit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Receipts from Tax Collections and Licenses	Total	Payments to Treasurers	Interest on Railway Bonds	Credit Balance Dec. 31 1904
Numedal		57 34	542 97	600 31	600 31		
Norden		44 00	469 85	513 94	513 94		
North		61 68	624 46	686 14	507 87		178 27
Bray		107 43	740 69	848 12	848 12		
Sanders			573 02	573 02	573 02		
Rocksbury			792 11	792 11	792 11		
Polk Center			806 17	806 17	678 89		127 28
Black River		103 74	368 20	471 94	471 94		
River Falls			838 71	838 71	838 71		
Wyandotte			470 47	470 47	470 47		
Louisville			689 86	689 86	689 86		
Red Lake Falls			689 10	689 10	533 28	30 00	125 82
Gervais		372 63	850 00	1222 63	591 63		631 00
Emardville		105 79	1101 06	1206 85	1206 85		
Garnes			413 07	413 07	413 07		
Equality		33 87	418 62	452 49	452 49		
Lake Pleasant			1019 61	1019 61	1019 61		
Terrebonne			1146 17	1146 17	1146 17		
Poplar River	02c		1258 02	1258 00	1258 00		
Lambert			705 94	705 94	705 94		
St. Hilaire village			2260 23	2260 23	2260 23		
Thief River Falls, city			4879 07	4879 07	4879 07		
Red Lake Falls city		1559 28	4975 61	6534 89	4532 77	1980 00	22 12
Totals	02	$2445 85	$26633 01	$29078 84	$25984 35	$2010 00	$1084 49

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS.

No. of District	Debit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Receipts from State, Apportionment and Tax Collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Payment to State Treasurer on Acc't of State School Fund	Debit Balance Dec. 31, 1904	Credit Balance Dec. 31, 1904
1			$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$		
2		$ 35 29	377 82	413 11	339 17	65 40		8 54
3		52 84	291 87	347 71	171 38	27 20		139 13
4			342 28	342 28	342 28			
5		19 70	224 52	244 22	244 22			
6			361 34	361 34	361 34			
7			138 50	138 50	107 80			30 70
8			230 26	230 26	230 26			
9			523 06	523 06	500 51	22 34		21
10			489 92	489 91	489 92			
11			299 94	299 94	299 94			
12		293 49	358 61	652 10	293 55	334 58		23 97
13		14 87	271 71	286 58	401 61		115 03	
14			300 86	300 86	300 86			
15		579 88	9806 86	10386 74	9361 75	525 00		499 99
16	12 17		308 82	296 65	264 79	26 00		5 86
17	55 70		400 54	344 84	302 97	64 00	22 13	
18			13590 50	13590 50	11195 23			2395 27
19			274 08	274 08	200 97			73 11
20			185 27	185 27	180 19	6 24	1 16	
21			58 69	58 69	9 55			49 14
22			90 82	90 82	90 48			34
23			57 36	57 36	57 36			
24			228 44	228 44	165 10			63 34
27		136 93	569 39	706 32	501 35	64 00		140 90
32			415 58	415 50	415 58			
36			244 39	244 39	213 09			31 80
40			369 48	369 40	360 30			9 18
43		30 94	191 89	222 83	222 83			
45			20 42	20 42	20 42			
48			123 94	123 94	217 03		93 09	
49		80 72	110 10	190 82	163 70			27 12
54			305 07	305 07	279 74			25 33
63		343 27	248 61	591 88	498 09			93 79
73		124 48	271 65	396 13	359 39			36 74
76		77 51	520 39	597 90	556 10	41 80		
79		367 97	1104 96	1472 93	1293 75	99 20		79 98
80			308 23	308 23	308 23			
81			532 57	532 57	532 57			
88			361 25	361 25	297 17			64 08
94		187 19	328 47	515 66	501 22			14 44
99	9 74		332 57	322 83	322 83			
102		621 91	2447 27	3069 18	2454 61			614 57
103			540 68	540 68	540 68			
106		6 01	322 27	328 28	308 28	20 00		
108		51 74	236 88	288 62	203 37			85 25
112		10 06	432 56	442 62	402 91	24 00		15 69
115		43 89	386 69	430 58	329 35	56 00		45 23
124			249 81	249 81	249 81			
125			454 49	454 49	444 49			
126			223 43	223 43	223 43			
127			345 61	345 61	345 61			
130		73 22	322 70	395 92	[illegible]	52 50		21 85
133		99 12	306 84	405 96	[illegible]			
135			281 07	281 07	[illegible]			
141		12 95	436 30	449 25	[illegible]	58 00		52 03
147	2 82		605 21	602 39	[illegible]	20 00		[illegible]
148	42 10		565 44	523 34	359 46	118 00		45 88
149			203 10	203 10	155 88			47 22
151		46 08	483 34	531 42	444 57	20 00		67 85
153		240 35	311 61	551 96	551 36			60
154		17 69	333 18	350 87	235 15			115 72
165		54 83	328 69	383 52	220 77	28 80		131 95
166		122 30	438 03	559 33	355 32	55 00		149 01
167		109 94	421 24	531 18	366 63	104 00		160 55
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF RED LAKE COUNTY, DECEMBER 31, 1904.

ASSETS.

Taxes of 1903 and prior years, Co. funds	$ 8456 12
Taxes of 1904, county funds	24018 70
Cash in County Treasury, county funds	7055 66
Wolf bounty due from state	159 00
Total	$39689 48

LIABILITIES

Warrants outstanding	$ 1065 73
Excess of assets over liabilities	38623 75
Total	$39689 48

BONDED DEBT OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

6 per cent Funding Bonds	$10000 00
4 " " " "	20000 00
4½ " " " "	14000 00
4 " " Jail Bonds	3000 00
Portion of Polk county bonded debt	9339 13
Total	$56339 13

DRAINAGE BONDS OF RED LAKE COUNTY

4½ per cent drainage bonds	$ 8000 00
5 per cent drainage bonds	9200 00
5½ per cent drainage bonds	78000 00
5½ " " " "	6500 00
Total	$10150 00

INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY

County jail, lots 13 and 14, blk 1, Langeane's sub div of Church blk Red Lake Falls	$ 4000 00
Vault	500 00
Safes	1200 00
Furniture and fixtures	3300 00
Total	$9000 00

ASSESSED VALUATION OF RED LAKE COUNTY FOR 1904.

Real Estate	$ 2,359,688 00
Personal Property	818,047 00
Total	$3,177,735 00

The foregoing statement prepared by the County Auditor is approved by this Board, and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 4th day of January, A. D. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
JAMES SUTOR,
LOUIS FALARDEAU,
DANIEL SHAW,
WM. C. L. DEMANN,
Board of County Commissioners
of Red Lake County, Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Water is a scarce article at Middle River.

An effort is being made to organize a brass band at Bemidji.

Wm. J. Bryan will lecture at Alexandria February 15th.

Typhoid fever recently wiped out a family of five living near Perham.

It is claimed a citizen of Fertile has discovered gold near that place.

Revival meetings just closed at Detroit were the means of adding fifty new members to the churches of the city.

The Warren fire company is making preparations to attend the fireman's tournament at Blackduck next summer.

A Polk county farmer recently killed seven wolves in one day and received $52.50 for his trouble. A good day's work.

Rev. Fulton, of Warren, and Rev. Nichol, of Thief River Falls, expect to go to India next summer to take up missionary work.

Crookston is now a recruiting station for Uncle Sam and those who desire to enter the service can be accommodated at that place.

Crookston business men have organized the American Biscuit company, with a $50,000 capital. A forty-barrel plant will be erected the coming spring.

February 27th the citizens of Thief River Falls will vote upon the proposition of the city issuing $28,000 worth of bonds for water works and sewerage system.

Fifty farmers living in the vicinity of Crookston have decided to open a co-operative meat market in that city so as to provide a market for their own produce.

A Bemidji lady recently took what she thought was cough medicine. It proved to be a remedy for neuralgia and contained poison. The prompt arrival of a physician saved her life.

County Surveyor Wood and Deputy Marshall E. Hays of St. Paul recently tramped around the state timber land near Middle River. It is thought they were on the track of parties appropriating state timber.

A seventeen-year-old boy living near Northland P. O., Polk county, recently purchased a money order at East Grand Forks for 33 cents. He raised the order to $85.33 and is now lodged in jail awaiting trial.

The famous Bessie Street artesian well at Crookston, recently completed, was dynamited one night last week and it is feared was completely wrecked. The outrage caused tremendous excitement and all the civil machinery has been started to land the miscreant.

The first annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association was held at Crookston last week. The meeting was largely attended and was a big success. The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, T. A. Holestad, Crookston; Vice President, Geo. Gulmon, Thief River Falls; secretary and treasurer, Jas. W. Wilson, Thief River Falls.

A special to the twin city dailies dated Feb. 2 says that Albert Hyers, a farmer living near Carmel, was found dead in his yard last night, by Louis Kittleson, a neighbor. According to the story told by Kittleson he had been visiting with Hyers and had left for his home about 9 o'clock in the evening. Shortly after reaching home, he heard rifle shots in the direction of Hyers' place. Returning there he found Hyers' house in flames and the body of Hyers on the ground near a window of the house. The face was cut and blood was spattered on the snow near by. It is not thought that there was any foul play, the generally accepted theory being that after Kittleson left, Hyers filled up his stove and went to bed. The stove became overheated and set fire to the house. Hyers waking up, dazed and blinded by the flames and smoke threw himself through the window, and received the injuries which caused his death. He had a gun and cartridges in the house which were probably exploded by the heat. Hyers was a single man and quite well to do. His relatives reside in New York.

New line of correct fall stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

Ayer's

Doctors first prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral over 60 years ago. They use it today more than ever. They

Cherry Pectoral

rely upon it for colds, coughs, bronchitis, consumption. They will tell you how it heals inflamed lungs.

"I had a very bad cough for three years. Then I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. My sore lungs were soon healed and my cough dropped away."

MRS. PEARL HYDE, Guthrie Centre, Ia.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Old Coughs

One Ayer's Pill at bedtime insures a natural action next morning.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

Windom Reporter: When a man steals a kiss from a pretty girl he considers it justifiable larceny. A newspaper that hasn't a "liar" on its staff is called a dull article, by the most scrupulous.

Lakefield Standard: That some people will not hesitate to get up in prayer meeting and tell what awful sinners they are, but if anybody else should tell them the same thing they would get terribly mad about it.

Crookston Times: According to a contemporary, an epidemic of old age is raging in the United States. Doctors disagree as to the species of the germ to which it is due; but even when that point is determined it is doubtful if there will be any prizes offered for an anti-toxin.

St. Peter Herald: If one did not know that Eb C. Huntington had gone to Arizona and Mexico on a trip to last some weeks, he would never suspect that a temporary change had been made in the editorial management of the Windom Reporter. The Misses Huntington take up the work without a tremor, but then they come naturally by their talents.

Slayton Gazette: Having suffered two defeats in one year, Jim Martin comes out victorious in his third attempt. As manager of Judge Collins' campaign he went down to defeat before the forces of Bob Dunn in the Judge's effort to capture the nomination for governor. Later he managed Bob Dunn's campaign for the governorship but again went down to defeat before John A. Johnson. All this time he was working for others. Recently he became a candidate for postmaster of St. Cloud, his home city, and has won out.

Adrian Democrat: The Pittsburg Gazette is hot against the paper trust, which has jerked up the price of white newsprint about 25 per cent in the last few years. The Gazette is hot because of the imposition upon the dear people, of course, and benevolently remarks "Every newspaper reader in the country is interested." Verily. But this same Gazette is a republican paper, and advocates the very thing which gives the paper trust its power—the tariff. It would revise the tariff in just the one point in which it hurts itself, but as to the others, why, let every fellow look out for himself.

St. Peter Herald: Labor Commissioner Williams finds that there is a deplorable lack of system in his department. Factory inspectors and other employes are not required to go to their chief for their salaries but draw their own warrants and have them cashed by the state auditor. In one instance, which is cited, an inspector has done nothing since election but draw his salary and it will be necessary to pay another man to do his work. The democratic appointee will ask for legislation that will give him the power to regulate the movements and salaries of his subordinates.

Albert Lea Standard: Representative Elmer E. Adams of Fergus Falls, has introduced a bill in the house making it unlawful to sell lumber which is not of the size and dimension which it purports to be. The bill is aimed to stop the present practice of sawing lumber from a quarter to a half an inch less than the size which it is sold and billed for. He contends that it is the regular practice to do this in this state and that inspectors call down a mill when it saws too thick. Mr. Adams takes the position that there is no more reason for allowing lumbermen to give short measure than there is for the milkman or grocer. The retail lumber dealers who meet the people that use the lumber would be glad to sell honest measure lumber if the mills would only saw it.

A Mean Man.

Sometimes we wonder what a mean man thinks when he goes to bed says an exchange. When he turns out the light and lays down. When the darkness closes in about him and he is alone, and compelled to be honest with himself. And not a bright thought, not a generous impulse, not a manly act, not a word of blessing, not a greateful look comes to bless him again. Not a penny dropped upon the outstretched hands of poverty, nor the balm of a loving word dropping into an aching heart; no sunbeam of encouragement cast upon a struggling life; the strong right hand of fellowship reaches out to help some fallen man to his feet—when none of these things come to him as the "God bless you" of the departed day, how he must hate himself. How he must try to roll away from himself and sleep on the other side of the bed. When the only victory he can think of is some mean victory, in which he wronged a neighbor. No wonder he always sneers when he tries to smile. How pure and fair and good all the rest of the world must look to him, and how cheerless and dusty must his own path appear. Why, even one isolated act of meanness is enough to scatter cracker crumbs in the bed of the average man, and what must be the feeling of a man whose whole life is given up to meanness.

There's pretty girl in an Alpine hat,
A sweeter girl with a sailor brim,
But the handsomest girl you'll ever see
Is the sensible [illegible] who uses Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

KNOCK OUT CATALOGUES.

Home Merchants can do so by Publishing Price Lists.

This is the season of the year when the catalogue houses are getting in their work. Catalogues and price lists are sent broadcast over the country. They bring about a conditon that the local merchant must meet. On a page of articles enumerated in one of the catalogues, together with the price, we saw a comparison made upon the same artical in a home store. Upon the whole list the home merchants beat the catalogue price about a half a dollar. These figures were the retail prices of the home men. Upon some goods the catalogues was the cheapest but on the entire page list the home merchants were the cheaper.

We don't believe that any considerable number of people prefer to trade away from home unless they believe they can make money by doing it. It is of no use to roast the house that sends out the catalogues, nor the man who orders goods from it. What then can be done? Simply meet the condition The merchants must publish in the newspapers price list of their own. The catalogue prices can be met at home. If it is profitable for a foreign concern to advertise prices why should it not be profitable for the local merchant to do the same thing? Use the same weapon that is being used against you. It is, we believe, the solution of the problem. These people see these prices grouped in a way to make them look attractive. They don't know the home merchant's prices. They go to the store and perchance ask for an article that happens to be above the catalogue price and from that conclude that all things are dearer. Give the people the price of the article—not one but many—all if possible, and the catalogue business is killed.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held February, 2, 1905.

Regular meeting of the City council held at the city hall, Feb'y 2nd 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present except Crompe.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

I Lemieux, street work	$ 1 00
Joseph Salley, coal	14 30
Red Lake Courier, city printing	41 53
Sam Allard, tending to fire engine	3 00
James Brady, street committee work	25 00
Dr I Lemieux, ass't health officer	10 00
Nick Drees, cleaning city well	44 00
John Deforge, street and bridge work	8 25
Piere Cartier, street and bridge work	2 40

The joint bid of the Courier and Gazette for city printing for the year 1905 was on motion duly accepted.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hatten and seconded by Alderman Hennemuth:

Resolved that a reward of 510.00 be and the same is hereby offered and agreed to be paid to any person who shall furnish information resulting in the conviction of any person or persons for stealing lumber or timber from the saw mill in the city.

Upon roll call, the following aldermen voted aye:

Hatten, Hennemuth, Brady and Borchers.

Nays: None.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion duly carried, Joseph Helm was allowed to set up a gasoline engine to pump water from the city well for one day on trial for the sum of $7 50.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS,
President.

Approved this 8th day of February, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

Wood For Sale.

I have for sale, cheap, a quantity of green poplar poles close to town. The poles are cut and piled up, a good load to a pile, and handy to get at. Do you want some? P. O. Floan at Bank of Red Lake Falls. 1

Fast Tourist Car Service to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway in connection with the C. R. I. & P. Railroad will run a through tourist sleeping car every week to San Francisco. Leaving Minneapolis at 8:00 p. m., St. Paul 8:30 p. m., Tuesday via Omaha, Colorado Springs and Ogdon. Arrive San Francisco Saturday 5:20 p. m. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A. Chicago, Ill. f28

Good Roads.

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BADGER.

Telesphore Ducharme drove to Red Lake Falls Monday.

Mr. Ovila Robillard drove to the Falls Monday on business.

Mrs. Ephraim Morinville is reported quite sick this week.

Mr. Delore Champeau drove to the Falls Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Damasse LaChance were callers at the Falls Monday.

Mrs. Elie Perrault of Terrebonne was a guest of Mrs. A. Laurent Monday.

The farmers around here are now busy hauling wood while the roads are good.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Laurent spent Monday evening with M. Quesnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ducharme entertained a few of their friends Friday evening.

Miss Angeline Ducharme entertained quite a number of her friends Sunday afternoon.

Albert Ducharme, of Perrault Station, was a business caller here Monday morning.

Charlie Charebois one of E. Quesnell's carpenters visited at his home in McIntosh over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Robillard were guest at the home of Dolphis Champeau Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Laurent and daughter Cora, were guest at the home of Xavier Sauve Sunday.

Mr. Willie St Yves of Crookston called on friends and relatives here on his way home from Terrebonne.

Miss Lena Tschirhart is teaching Miss Katie McAnulty's school here this week during Miss McAnulty's absence.

A number of young folks gathered at the home of M. Quesnell Sunday evening and spent it in singing and music playing.

The Messrs Medore Robillard, Louis Quesnell and Miss Angeline Ducharme spent Friday evening at Mr. E. Morinville's.

Some of our young people attended a dance at J. B. Supernault's in Terrebonne Monday evening. A jolly good time was had by all who attended.

Mr. Joseph Lachance and Mr. August Morin left Saturday evening for their home at Red Lake Falls and returned to their working place at E. Quesnell Sunday evening.

The Messrs Mitchel and Evangelist Quesnell and Thomas LaBissisionere and wives drove to Red Lake Falls to attend an elaborate supper which was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissionere.

Miss Annie Ducharme who has been gone for the last two months arrived home Friday morning, her many friends were glad to see her back again. Miss Annie was all smiles when she arrived for she knew that good times were always had in "beautiful Badger".

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, February 8, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre, the administrator of the estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Thursday, the 9th day of March, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
f9 23 Judge of Probate.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, February 8, 1904.

In the Matter of the Estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceasek, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Ernest J. Akerlund,

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of August, 1905, at ten o'clock A. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 8th day of February A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
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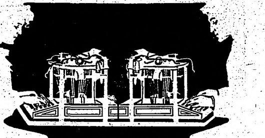

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THIEF RIVER'S FAKE OFFER.

What it Really Means—A Court House Offer that will not Stand Investigation.

Thief River Falls people are spreading circulars throughout the county showing that their city council has offered to give the city hall to the county for ten years free, or for the nominal rent of one dollar per year.

This is an insult to the intelligence of Red Lake county voters. Do the Thief River Falls people believe that the voting class of our county are such an ignorant, gullible lot that they will swallow a fake of this kind as the truth and vote blindly for the crooked city up river?

Anybody knows, who is in the least acquainted with the law, that the city council could not give away public property of its tax-payers to the county if one single tax-payer or kicker should object—and Thief River Falls is full of kickers. Suppose the voters should believe in this fake, and on a vote the county seat should be changed to Thief River Falls. Then, when everything is going lovely, some one of the already overburdened tax-payers of Thief River Falls, or one of the cute ones who would like to see a fine new court house there, gets an injunction from the court preventing the city council making the gift to the county. At once the county is without a home. With a good enough court house at Red Lake Falls it has none at the new county seat! What happens? Why, the result will be Thief River Falls will induce the county to spend fifty thousand dollars of your money in building a new court house in that cute and crooked city.

Voters, can't you see the "nigger in the wood pile?"

Read their offer over. What does it amount to anyway? "Resolved that * * the city hall building, new jail building and offices WILL BE furnished to the county of Red Lake."

"Will be"---is there anything binding about it? Any lease, any bond, cash or security to the voters that this generous city council so willing to give away what does not belong to them, will not change its mind, or be compelled to by a court? What would they lose, if after you had voted the county seat to Thief River, they changed their minds and refused to make the gift? Nothing but a little sleep. Is there any way you could force them to make good? They could put on a sober face and tell you "We meant well, but we've just found out its illegal and can't be done."

Then you would have to build a court house.

Interests Lumbermen.

Senator Stephens of Crookston, has introduced a bill of importance to the lumbermen on the Red Lake river. The bill provides that logging and boom companies may acquire booms and dams in streams, shore rights, and right-of-way, and may improve streams for general logging, provided navigation is not interfered with.

It makes no difference how many medicines have failed to cure you, if you are troubled with headaches, constipation, kidney or liver troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. A. L. Reichert.

A NEW HOME.

Bank of Red Lake Falls moves into New Building.

The Bank of Red Lake Ralls moved from the old building they have been occupying near the court house into their new brick building on Main street Tuesday. The new home of the firm is a very complete one and has all the modern conveniences. The building is of brick and stone, is well located and will make a cheerful and commodious place of business. The first floor will be occupied by the bank and the Sortedahl Land & Loan Co. while the second floor will be used for offices, etc. The basement also contains two very comfortable rooms which will be leased. A hot water plant furnishes abundant heat for the occupants of the building, which, with the other pleasant features, makes the structure a most desirable office building.

A Pleasant Surprise.

A number of friends surprised H. J. Kaufer at his home Monday evening, the occasion being his fifty-first birthday. A most enjoyable evening was spent at cards, W. T. Spillane and Miss Tillie Kaufer winning the first prizes and Mrs. Wm. Findeisen the booby prize. A dainty luncheon was served, and before the party departed Mr. Kaufer was presented with a handsome cup and saucer of fine Japaneseware a reminder of the occasion. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs Wm. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Findeisen, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kaufer, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Spillane and Miss Tillie Kaufer.

A Menace to Health.

Kidney trouble is an insidious danger, and many people are victims of a serious malady before the symptoms are recognized. Foley's Kidney Cures correct irregularities and strengthen and builds up the kidneys, and it should be taken at the first indication of kidney trouble, as it is impossible to have good health if the kidneys are deranged. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

A NEW LODGE.

Red Lake Falls to Add Another Lodge to its List.

Arthur A. Fider, an organizer for the Modern Samaritans, has been in the city the past ten days and has succeeded in interesting a large number of our citizens in the order. It is said a local lodge will be organized this week or next, and that there will be between forty and fifty charter members. The order is comparatively new but has made wonderful progress and is daily adding new members. It is a Minnesota organization, originating at Duluth where the head officers reside.

New Law Firm.

Attorneys Thos. Germo and Fred L. Farley have joined forces and will hereafter do business under the firm name of Germo & Farley. The new firm has offices in the new building of the Bank of Red Lake Falls, where they will be glad to see their many friends and clients. Mr. Germo is county attorney and has made many friends since he cast his lot in Red Lake county five years ago. He has a large acquaintance, has the reputation of being thoroughly reliable, and enjoys a lucrative practice. Mr. Farley has been a citizen of Red Lake Falls since last July and has made many friends since his arrival. He has been practicing law the past twelve years in Minnesota, and his long experience and knowledge of law will add strength to the new firm.

Special Meetings.

Rev. Knox of the Presbyterian church announces that Miss Anna E. Smith and Miss Nellie Read, evangelists employed by the Minnesota Synod of the Presbyterian church, will hold revival services at his church beginning March 19. These young ladies have been very successful in their work, and have had a following wherever they have been. Miss Smith conducted very successful meetings at Thief River Falls last year and also at Crookston two years ago. She begins another union evangelistic campaign at Crookston next Sunday. The local church is very fortunate in securing these two talented evangelists, and their visit will no doubt be the means of doing much good for the church and the people generally. It is expected these special meetings will continue two weeks, and an early announcement is made that all may arrange to be present.

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending Feb. 11, 1905.

Eugene Dempsey to Katherine Pleth, e½ nw and lots 3, 4, Sec. 14-151-41	$1800 00
Erick Hanson to J. K. Harney, lots 3, 4, blk 25, Thief River Falls	350 00
Anders O. Lee to Emma C. Ostby, e½ se¼ Sec. 29, n½ ne¼ Sec. 32-151-42	2800 00
Wm. Sauter to Erick Severson, e½ sw¼ 7-154-43	3200 00
H. Olson to R. O. Braaten, lots 15, 16, blk 11, Thief River Falls	575 00
Ole Pederson to Ole O. Engan, lots 1, 2, 3 Sec. 30-154-44	2100 00
Denis Conely to Chas. Stang, lots 6, blk 3, Conely's 2d add. Red Lake Rapids	115 00
Robert Ford to C. F. Case, e½ sw¼ and se¼ nw¼ nw¼ se¼ Sec. 7-153-44, s½ nw¼ 10-152-45	3600 00
Andrew Stenseth to Ezra C. Eshelby, undivided ½ interest in lots 7 to 12, blk 18, Thief River Falls	800 00
Halvor O. Rallag to Ezra C. Eshelby, Q. C. D., und ½ int. in lots 7 to 12, blk 18, Thief River Falls	700 00
Peter P. Odigaard to Mrs. Emma Langseth, lots 1, 2, blk 6, P. Meehan's Add. Thief River Falls	700 00
A. D. Stephens to A. B. Funk, sw¼ Sec. 32-154-45	640 00
M. O. Sortedahl to Carl A. Landsverk, et. al., se¼ Sec. 26 151-42	2500 00
Emma F. Marshall to L. O. Thorpe, sw¼ Sec. 10-151-44	1000 00
Sivert Siverton to L. O. Thorpe, w½ sw¼ 10-151-42	800 00
Alice B. Kratka to Chas. Wilcox, lot 5, blk 5, Thief River Falls	200 00

New line of correct fall stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

WANT A BRIDGE.

Red Lake and Polk Co. Farmers Want a Bridge at Huot.

Red Lake and Polk county farmers residing in the neighborhood of Huot are preparing petitions to the legislature asking that the state law makers appropriate a sum of money for the erection of a bridge at Huot to replace the ferry which is now employed in crossing the Red Lake river at that place. The farmers are enthusiastic over the matter and are signing petitions liberally and intend to push the matter through at the present session if possible. It was learned yesterday from farmers in the city from Huot that the support of Senator A. D. Stephens and representative L. C. Simons had been pledged to the proposition and that an appropriation was fully expected.

Should the deal go through it is quite likely that the old Jeromes addition structure now being stored in Crookston will be erected upon the sight of the present ferry.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Barnesville was nineteen years old last week.

Crookston sets out to make it 20,000 by 1920.

The Fosston creamery is being advertised for sale.

Wadena is having a lively fight over the saloon question.

Morrison county has outstanding orders to the amount of $42,000.

Several cases of smallpox are reported in a lumber camp near Blackduck.

Fertile people are all worked up over getting the Great Northern to build into their town.

Arrangements are being made to hold a farmers' institute at Fertile sometime next spring.

Middle River has gone dry but there is no cause for alarm as the river is referred to—not the town.

A number of Wadena people are contemplating moving to Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Texas next spring.

Henry Brown, a resident of Todd county for the past thirty-five years, died at his home in Long Prairie last week.

Mrs. Haugesland, an old lady seventy-five years old, living in eastern Marshall county, killed a large wild cat one night last week with a stick.

The Clearwater county commissioners at their last meeting decided to submit a proposition to the voters at the spring election to bond the county for $15,000.

A prominent lady of Crookston was caught shoplifting in the New York store the other day but owing to the prominence of her family no arrests will be made.

The historic "Irish farm" up in Marshall county, consisting of some 3,500 acres, has been sold to Illinois parties. It is rumored that the tract will be colonized by Dunkards.

The general store of L. Johnson & Co., at Tabor, Polk Co., was destroyed by fire Wednesday night of last week. The post office was located in the building and considerable mail matter was destroyed.

The clerk of courts down at Fergus Falls forgot and locked his vault door last Saturday night and as the directions for opening it were on the inside, business of the office was suspended the following Monday.

The Bemidji council has decided that public money cannot be used to reimburse citizens of that town who guaranteed $10,000 for terminals for the Red Lake and Manitoba railway which is going to build into Bemidji.

Dr. Oppliger, of Warroad, believes this section is admirably adapted for raising sugar beets. He says the summers are similiar to those of northern Germany, the birthplace of the beet sugar industry, and that the soil is of the same character. Farmers near Warroad will try the experiment in a small way the coming season.

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IS TEACHER AND FARMER.

Supt. of Red Lake Indian School a Busy Man.

Superintendent Norman of the Red Lake agency Indian school is a man of many responsibilities. He is not only the head of the school, but manages a farm of sixty acres which is worked by the children of the school, sees to the care of a dozen head of stock, manages a commisary department that is as large as a good sized general store, runs a laundry, keeps a wood yard and is captain of a steam boat.

Some ninety pupils are now enrolled at the school and there would be more were it not for the grandfathers who are the greatest obstacle in Indian education.

Each day in the school room is alternated with a day devoted to industrial work and results show that the children are making good progress in each line.

Washington School Notes.

Lemora Garceau and Henry Lundquist reporter.

Gisela Helm is absent on account of sickness.

Edward Hunt and Donald Marshall were sick the first of the week.

Walter Garceau visited the Washington school Monday morning.

Laura Poirier was absent last Tuesday on account of sickness.

The fifth grade will begin studing the United States dependencies this week.

Tuesday was valentine day and all the rooms had post offices. Many nice valentine were sent.

Lucy Mathias and Robert Poirier were absent a half a day last week, for the first time this year.

The A class of the second grade have begun to read the last story in "Martha's Corner Cupboard."

The second grade made Chinamen and some of them were kept for visiting day at the high school.

Last Wednesday the outside door blew shut and locked and a few of the boys were late at recess.

Inez Hansen could not see the valentine box in the second grade, We are sorry to hear that Inez is sick.

Last Friday was Library night, and Mr. Chamberlain sent us over some new books and so we had plenty to supply.

Freda Shultz has been absent for a few days on account of sickness. This is the first time she has been absent or tardy this year.

The fourth and fifth grades of the Washington school are going to work hard this month and try to get the banners away from the fourth and fifth grades of the LaFayette school.

Last Thursday Prof. Chamberlain visited our school and he and Mr. Healy {tried a new experiment in reading. The fifth and sixth grades all read at the same time the pupils were paired, or in twos, and they read aloud to one another. In this way every one had a chance to read about a half an hour where they usually have two minutes, It was a little like a chinese school but it worked well.

A Giant Cattle Buyer.

Iver Davidson of Zembrota, probably the biggest man in Minnesota, is purchasing cattle in this part of the state. Davidson stands six feet ten inches in his stocking feet and is proportionately large. He attracts considerable attention wherever he goes and traveled with Barnum's circus for a number of years.

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The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcupine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence it is in business, where cold calculation so largely takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in everyday dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

A WHISTLER PICTURE.

The Dramatic Manner of Its Finish and an Anticlimax.

Whistler was one day visited by a foreign artist, an old acquaintance, with whom Whistler had not as yet quarreled. He was received with genuine cordiality, and, artist-like, he ran round the studio looking at everything. One small picture seemed to charm him especially, and he said, "Now that is one of your good ones." "Don't look at it, dear boy," said Whistler airily, "it's not finished." "Finished!" said the visitor. "Why, it is the most carefully finished picture of yours that I have ever seen." "Don't look at it!" persisted Whistler. "You are doing injustice to yourself, you are doing injustice to my picture, and you are doing injustice to me!" The visitor looked bewildered, when Whistler, in a theatrical tone, cried out: "Stop! I'll finish it now!" Then he procured a very small camel's hair brush, fixed it on a long and slender handle, mixed a little speck of paint on his palette, dipped the tip of his brush into it, and then, standing off from his picture and with the action of a fencer with his rapier, he lunged forward and touched the picture in one spot with his pigment. "Now it's finished," said he. "Now you may look at it." This was all highly dramatic, and indeed very well acted, but, as in the case of some stage plays, the final act of Whistler's performance proved to be an anticlimax. The foreign artist took his leave, but, finding that he had left his umbrella behind him, called for it next day. The servant, recognizing him, told him that Mr. Whistler had gone out for the day, but invited him to go to the studio and seek his umbrella. He went there and found it, but also took the opportunity of having one more look at the picture which had been "finished" for his special benefit the day before, and then he saw that the little dab of wet paint which Whistler had so dramatically put on he had afterward scrupulously wiped off again!—Frederick Keppel in The Reader.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and a loving favor rather than silver or gold.—Solomon.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

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THE BOBSLED.

The old fashioned sleigh, with the box full of hay,
For runners a pair of rough, unpainted bobs;
A steady old team, with just enough steam
To jog down the highway and jolt over knobs,
And huddled together in crisp winter weather
A party of young folks warm, happy and bright—
Oh, that was a pleasure forever to treasure,
To talk about still on a cold winter night!

With blankets and wraps of buffalo perhaps
And plenty of comforts to keep out the frost
You sped down the road a live, joyous load,
Your laughter and shouts in the distant hills lost,
And then when the moon made midnight as noon
The horses turned homeward, the wind might be raw,
But who would complain when each country swain
Was nestled down close to a girl in the straw?

The bright modern sleigh is chipper and gay;
Its outline is graceful, its regular curve
Is pleasant to spy, and as it sweeps by
Behind a swift roadster you pause and observe.
A flash! It is gone, and then you jog on,
And as in the distance its form fades away,
Wherever you are your mind wanders far
To the old fashioned sled with the box full of hay.

Had the Evidence.

"Did you know that the Ables were among the first families in New York?"

"That is news to me. I never see their name in the society columns."

"No; but if you will look in the directory you will find them on the first page."

Knocks the Romance.

To take a trip aboard a ship
Across the broad Atlantic
And sail and sail through calm and gale
Is said to be romantic.
But when in pain with might and main
Seasickness you are fighting
And long for land on which to stand
The romance goes a-kiting.

Thinking of the Present.

"Johnny, what becomes of little boys who tell lies when they grow up?"

"I don't know, but when they are small they escape half of the lickings."

Its One Advantage.

Oh, love within a cottage
Is certainly all right,
But love within a humble flat
By some is rated to beat that;
There isn't room to fight.

Traded Laps.

She was raised in the lap of luxury
On a strictly modern plan,
But when she grew up she preferred to sit
In the lap of a nice young man.

He Had a Guess.

"Did he marry her for her money?"

"Well, I like to be charitable, and still I would hate to think that the young man was not bright."

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ITCHING ECZEMA

In July, 1883, I began to break out with Eczema on my head, legs and arms, and began treatment with local doctors, but did not get much relief. They said the disease had become chronic. I then quit them and tried various ointments and soaps for another two years, but as soon as cold weather came I was as bad off as ever, so I finally decided to let medicine alone, and for twelve or thirteen years did nothing towards curing the Eczema, except bathing. This seemed to do about as much good as anything I had tried.

During the time I lost about one-half of my hair. I began S. S. S. doubtful of a cure, because the disease had run so long, but soon discovered your medicine was doing me good, and continued to take it. I used seven bottles, when I was completely cured, not having a single spot on my body, which before was almost completely covered. F. C. NORFOLK.

1017 Hackberry St., Ottumwa, Ia.

The head, feet and hands are usually the parts affected, though the disease appears on other parts of the body. While external applications allay the itching and burning temporarily, it is the acids thrown off by the blood that cause the irritation and eruptions upon the skin. The acids must be neutralized and the system cleansed of all humors and poisons before the cure is permanent.

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Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Leo Steinert, Theo. Majeres, and C. F. Johnson, under the name of the Northern Minnesota Milling Company, at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, has been dissolved, all property of the company including the name, good will, and accounts due them having been sold and disposed of to H. H. Zaiser, who will con the business. All liabilities of the firm will be paid by the aforesaid former members.

Dated Jan. 18th, 1905.

Northern Minnesota Milling Co,
Leo Steinert,
Theo. Majeres.

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The undersigned will contract for stone to be delivered during winter at mill. Red Lake Falls Milling Co. tf

School tablets of all kinds at the Courier stationery store.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated Dec. 22, 1903, executed and delivered by Ben Gullick and Della C. Gullick, his wife, as mortgagors, to Earle F. Andrus, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on January 4, 1904, in Book 14 of Mortgages, on pages 173 and 174, and

Whereas, the note described in said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $88.60 and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: $4.60 on May 1, 1904; $12.00 on May 1, 1905, and a like amount annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $4.60 payable on May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default said total amount of $88.60, with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $98.00 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The West half of the Southeast quarter of Section thirteen and the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty four, in Township one hundred and fifty North, Range forty-three West of 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated April 3, 1902, executed and delivered by H. H. Tompkins and Mary A. Tompkins, his wife, as mortgagors, to R. J. Malone, as mortgagee, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minn., on July 19, 1902, in Book 19 of Mortgages, on page 507, and

Whereas, the note described in and secured by said mortgage bore even date therewith, was made by said mortgagors, was for $108.93, and was payable to the order of said mortgagee in installments as follows, to-wit: 93 cents on May 1, 1902: $12.00 on May 1, 1903, and a like amout annually thereafter until the whole sum was fully paid, without interest if each installment was paid when due, but if any of said installments should not be paid when due then all unpaid sums therein agreed to be paid should become due and payable at once and bear interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date of said note and mortgage until paid. That the installment of $12.00 payable May 1, 1904, has not been paid, and by reason of said default the total balance on said mortgage of $96.00 together with interest as aforesaid, is due and payable, and that the amount claimed to be due and which is due on said mortgage at the date hereof is $122.40 and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and

Whereas, said mortgage contained among other things an agreement on the part of said mortgagors that in the event of the foreclosure of said mortgage, they would pay a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of an attorney in the foreclosure of said mortgage, and that $25.00 is a reasonable attorney's fee for the services of the attorney for the mortgagee in this foreclosure of said mortgage.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises hereinafter described, being the same premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary, will be sold by the sheriff of said County of Red Lake, in his main office in the Court House, at Red Lake Falls, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, for the purpose of paying the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, the costs of foreclosure, and an attorney's fee as aforesaid of $25.00.

The premises hereinbefore referred to are situate in the County of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of Section seven, in Township one hundred and fifty, North, Range forty-four West of the 5th P. M.

Dated January 3, 1905.

J. M. HAWTHORNE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
409 & 410 Court Block,
j5-f16 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 58, which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages, page 78.

And Whereas, the said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (sw¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 17th day of February 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Building,
d29-f9 St. Paul Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 22 of Mortgages, on page 60 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19, 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (nw¼) of Section Ten (10) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February, 1905, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Grant Van Sant,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Press Bldg.
d29-f9 St. Paul, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by William H. Reker and Emma M. Reker, his wife, and Hugh R. Spurr, single, Mortgagors, to Grant Van Sant Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of April 1902, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May 1902, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., in book 22 of Mortgages, on Page 59 which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said Grant Van Sant, by written assignment dated November 19th 1903, and recorded in the said Register's office on the 20th day of November, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. in Book 15 of Mortgages page 78.

And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (se¼) of Section Twenty (20) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45) in Red Lake County and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-one and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

MILES J. SCANDRETT,
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And Whereas, The said assignee of Mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has elected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of said notice, under the terms and conditions of this mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Fourteen Hundred Sixty-One and 71-100 ($1461.71) Dollars; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings, at law or otherwise, has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northeast quarter (ne¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-Five (45) in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State, on the 17th day of February 1905 at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fourteen Hundred Sixty One and 71-100 Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd A. D. 1904.

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May Be Weak. One Person in Four Has a Weak Heart.

One of the surest signs of a weak heart is shortness of breath after exercise.

Your heart is not able to pump the blood fast enough to your lungs.

Some of the other symptoms of Heart Trouble are: Pains in the Side, Back and Shoulder; Fainting or Weak Spells; Dry Cough; Swelling of Feet and Ankles; Cold Feet or Hands.

No one can afford to allow a weak heart to go without medicine, because weak heart means poor circulation, and poor circulation means weak lungs, stomach, liver, kidneys, etc.

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Finally, remember, Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold under a guarantee that the first bottle will do you good.

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"I was afflicted with heart trouble for three years. I would be apparently all right, and without a moment's warning would fall as though shot. The attacks were frequent, and a terrible dread possessed me, as I never knew when or where, nor under what conditions I would be attacked, and whether I would survive them. I consulted and was treated by some of the most eminent physicians of the state. Not finding relief from this source, I began taking Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and began to improve at once. I used ten bottles, which entirely cured me, as I have not had an attack for five years."—MRS. JOHN DRESBACK, Leipsic, O.

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GLASS VESSELS DISSOLVE.

They Are Materially Affected by Water and Other Liquids.

It is well known that glass has now almost completely replaced metal, horn and leather for the bottle or drinking cup, although it is not so very long ago that the leather bottle and horn drinking cup were extant. Whether this change could possibly have introduced any prejudice to the common health is an interesting matter for speculation. It is not true, though it is commonly supposed to be so, that glass is unattacked or completely undissolved by water and many other fluids in household use. On the contrary, the indelible marks which often appear on a water bottle arise from the action of the water upon the glass. Pure distilled water, showing neither an acid nor an alkaline reaction, which has been allowed to remain in a closed glass bottle for some time will gradually develop an alkaline reaction owing to the base of the mixed silicate of the glass dissolving in the water. At the same time a deposit of silica will generally be found at the bottom. This obviously shows a dissociation of constituents and the glass yields up its silica and its alkali to water.

With acid fluids the same action may be observed, and it is conceivable that with acid wines kept long in bottles some considerable action upon the glass may occur. Weak acid solutions cease to be acid after being kept in glass bottles for some time owing to the neutralization of the acids by the alkali of the glass, and at the same time a flocculent and generally iridescent deposit is found in the bottle consisting of silica. This deposit is a constant source of trouble to druggists. Though the glass dissolving power of most fluids in domestic use must be very small, yet, considering that these fluids are continually in contact with glass, either in the bottle or the tumbler, there can be little doubt that traces of the constituents of glass are ingested. It has even been suggested that the practically universal use of glass in this way in the place of the old drinking vessels of wood or horn or of the glass bottle for the leather or skin vessel has contributed a means of rendering the vermiform appendix easily liable to an inflammatory process by the irritation set up by siliceous particles. This ingenious theory of the increased prevalence of appendicitis being due to the universal use of glass for drinking vessels can hardly be seriously regarded when it is considered that silica is a frequent constituent of a number of foods. As is well known, silica is the support of the wheat stalk, as lime associated with phosphates is of the human frame.—Scientific American.

A Handy Question.

Joseph Chamberlain was delivering a political speech in Birmingham, England. The hall was so packed that not another human being could have crowded in. The enthusiasm was tremendous, but suddenly a scowling man arose in the middle of the crowd.

"What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?" he howled.

"Shame!" "Put him out!" yelled the crowd.

Three sturdy men hurled the interrupter a few yards, and others helped hustle him to the street.

As he was picking himself up and brushing off the dust he grinned pleasantly at a man who had followed him from the hall and who asked, "What did Mr. Gladstone say in 1872?"

"I don't know," he replied, "and I don't care. I had a terrible toothache, and I couldn't butt my way through that crowd, and the only thing to do was to get thrown out."

In Case of Poison.

When any one is accidentally poisoned and you are not sure of the antidote give an emetic of some kind immediately. Mustard and salt are two things found in every household, but a bottle of ipecac costs little and is better than either and should always be kept in the house. If mustard is to be used put a dessertspoonful in a glass of lukewarm water and make the patient take two or three glasses. Then by tickling the throat with the finger vomiting is certain. The dose should be repeated in about ten minutes so that the stomach may be thoroughly emptied. No matter what the poison, remember, the thing you should do is to give an emetic.

Why He Paid.

Lord Alvanley in the first part of the last century had a duel with a political opponent, but nobody was hurt. His lordship was so pleased at returning without injury that he paid his hackney coachman with a liberality that surprised the latter, and on the man remarking that it was more than his due for driving him that distance Lord Alvanley replied, "It is not for carrying me there, but for bringing me back."

Never Occurred to Him.

"I don't know why it is," said Mr. Glossup as he came downstairs red eyed and sleepy and greeted his guest, "but I never can get used to the striking of that clock in our room.

"It has such a loud, insistent 'bang' when it strikes the hours that it wakes me up nearly every time. We've had it in the house two or three years, but I can't become accustomed to it. We would have put it in the attic long ago only it's a present from my wife's mother, and that would never do. Good clock, too, aside from that, but it worries me nearly to death. I wish I knew what to do with it."

"Why don't you wind merely the timekeeping part of it," said his guest, "and let the striking part go unwound?"

"Johnson, you have saved my life!" exclaimed Mr. Glossup joyfully. "I never thought of that."

Electricity not a Success.

Mr. F. Faerber, of Concordia Publ. House, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Rheumatism cannot be cured by electricty. I have tried it for years. I used Gloria Tonic and it completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Yet He Wasn't Tired of Her.

A certain English musician is a good story teller, according to a London journal, and has a fund of amusing personal experiences to draw upon. One of the great musician's best stories is about a provincial church organist who was once a pupil of his. The young man was appointed to an important church in the Midlands. In course of time he married. During his absence on his honeymoon his voluntaries were much missed by the congregation. They had always been appreciated and their renewal was looked forward to. "Imagine," says Sir Frederick Bridge, "the intense amusement of the people when the newly married organist gave as his first voluntary upon his return Handel's 'Waft Her, Angels, to the Skies.'"

Agonizing Burns

are instanly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds, and sores. 25c at All Druggists.

Headdresses In Africa.

The married women and the men of the upper Mobangi wear their hair long and in braids, which are profusely adorned with colored beads woven in and out among the locks. This coiffure excites the astonishment of all travelers who see it. Coquetry is the privilege of the sex under the tropics as well as in civilized lands, and the women are very proud of their headdresses. The arrangement of their hair requires a number of days, and while it is in progress or when they fear that it will be disarranged they cover the hair with a finely woven net of wood fiber. Ivory needles handsomely carved keep the arrangement in position and give it a truly artistic aspect.

Curious Legal Custom.

A curious custom is in vogue in many parts of India. If a dispute arises between two landowners two holes are dug close together, in each of which defendant's and plaintiff's lawyers have to place a leg. They have to remain thus until either one of them is exhausted or complains of being bitten by insects, when he is judged to be defeated and his employer loses his case.

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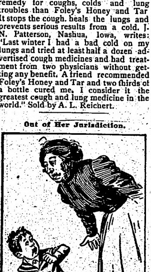
All effort have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Out of Her Jurisdiction.



Little Paul — For heaven's sake, auntie, stop jawing at me. I'm not your husband.

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German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land [illegible] is calculated [illegible] active [illegible] army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns. On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 men and 780 guns.

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THE Fairmont Sentinel heads an article "Frank Day Does Duluth." It is evident Duluth didn't see Frank first.

THE story that the populist party has practially disappeared from Kansas seems to be confirmed. Three car loads of barber chairs were shipped into that state in one day recently.

THE Duluth Herald observes that "the man with a piece of good land in Minnesota within reasonable distance of the markets, is in much better position to face the future than any other man who is compelled to earn his living by manual toil. The acquirement of a farm is the safest provision against old age and want. It is better than any life insurance policy ever devised."

THE St Peter Free Press does not exhibit broadgauged statemanship by refusing to endorse the proposition to lengthen the governor's term because the idea originated from a Democratic source. The Republican leaders ought to be convinced that they cannot forever ram down the throats of the voters measures or men bearing no other recommendation than the Republican label.

MARY MCFADDEN thinks the editors of northwest Minnesota have minds of their own, remarking casually that "the newspapors over in the Ninth are talking prettily about Congressman Steenerson just now, but that gentleman wil do well not to allow that fact to turn his head. Newspapers over in the Ninth have a way of being very outspoken even against their favorites, if their prejudices or ideas are jarred over the discharge of public duty."

F. D. COMERFORD has been expelled from the Illinois general assembly for making charges of corruption in the Illinois legislature. Mr. Comerford may be all wrong and he may be all right. It is a well known fact, however, that in some legislatures the corruptionists organize at the opening of the session with a view to expelling any member who makes charges against them, and they are able usually to carry out their plan and send a member home expelled, ridiculed and in disgrace, with his political career completely at an end. It looks as if Mr. Comerford may possibly have gotten againat a combination of that kind.

THE Minneapolis Journal calls attention to the fact that S. T. Johnson late public examiner, has been the means of collecting taxes from railroads to the amount of $190,039.62 during the past two years. The Journal adds that some other man might have been found who would have discovered that the railroad and sleeping-car and express and telephone companies were failing to report all their earnings to the state for taxation purpose, but we know that no other examiner did before Mr. Johnson came into that office. As a result of his inspection of the books of these companies and his refusal to accept their reports as they turned them in without checking up, as had been the rule heretofore, he found $6,504,586,30 in earnings which they had forgot to mention.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND, in his toast at the Johnson banquet in St. Paul Saturday evening, gave expression to the following sentiment—a sentiment that ought to be a guiding string to every citizen, be he in public or private life: "The American, be he Democrat or Republican, knows that the will of the majority of the people is the supreme arbiter in political affairs. Whom the majority has honored, him every American honors; whom the majority has trusted, him every American trusts. Parties there are, and parties there will be in the politics of the country; it is well that it be so—well for the country, and well for each of the contending parties. But no party imagines that intelligence and moral dignity, patriotism and civic virtue thrive only within its borders, or that the commonwealth is in peril when the valaint knights of the opposing legion wear on their foreheads the laurels of triumph and of power."

THE DIVORCE EVIL.

The number of American divorces is now unofficially estimated at 50,000 annually, an increase of 100 per cent in the last 19 years, while populations has increased only about 50 per cent. Incomplete state reports prepare us for what to expect. Indiana, for example, in 1867, granted 1,096 divorces, 1,655 in 1886 and 4,609, or one to every 5.7 marriages, in 1900. Michigan's divorces increased from 449 in 1867 to 1,329 in 1886, and 2,418 in 1,900. Ohio granted 901 in 1867 and 3,217 in 1,900.

Taking the country as a whole, in 1900 it is estimated that there was one divorce to every 15 marriages.

Such figures as these, if officially shown to be true, cannot fail to arouse a public feeling that will result in radical efforts for a remedy.

The 1886 report did great good, marking practically the beginning of the anti-divorce agitation. Some reforms have been instituted in many states as a result. But there is still a woeful lack of harmony between the various states and statistics covering the whole ground are necessary for concerted action.

DOES IT PAY?

On the morning of the funeral of John F. McGovern, mayor of Wabasha, says the Duluth Herald, every business house in the city closed its doors, every school was closed, and every pastor in the city attended the funeral services. Several supreme court and other judges of other parts of the state were in attendance.

It is sometimes asked what benefit it is to a man to live an upright life, when the unscrupulous so often receive greater earthly rewards? It is safe to say that no man with a single taint to his name or his personal conduct would have been accorded such evidences of respect from the people of the state and his home city, as did John F. McGovern. In a beautiful tribute to the deceased appearing in the Wabasha Herald, written by Mr. McGovern's partner in that enterprise, it was stated that while the dead man was an able lawyer, he never used his talents to make money out of his clients, and he often refused to accept cases of doubtful character. The cause had to be a strong one indeed before he would consent to take it into court, and that he settled more outside of court than in.

It was because of this trait of honesty in his character that he was honored by his neighbors while living as well as after death, and there is no reward that can come to any man greater than this.

Of course, all men are not as gifted as he, and for that reason can not hope to reach the place of prominence in the public mind that he occupied; but in the end it is just as important to be remembered by the few as by the many, and no matter how lowly a man's position, he may count his life a failure unless he goes to his grave with a name untarnished and a conscience unafraid.

Had he succeeded in gaining all the wealth of the world, John F. McGovern could not have bequeathed his family and his friends a greater heritage.

What Outsiders Think.

Thief River Falls seems to be ready to profit by the labor done by Red Lake Falls, to get the county of Red Lake established, although they were knifing the proposition to set off Red Lake county, from Polk in 1893. At the time the bill was passed by the legislature in 1893 for the division of counties, we put in the best part of the winter, in company with J. T. Knight, of Red Lake Falls, lobbying for the passage of the bill. At that time, when the citizens of the present county seat were putting up their good hard cash to pay for the expenses of making the fight for county division, the citizens of Thief River Falls were sulking in their tents and doing what they could to assist Crookston to defeat the measure. Now after Red Lake Falls won the fight they are ready to step in and receive the benfits of another's labors. The voters of Red Lake county had ought to consider the justice of the claim of the two rivals for the county seat of that county, and give credit for the establishment of the county to Red Lake Falls and allow them to keep the county seat thereof.—Gully Sunbeam.

Found—A door key. Owner can have the same by calling at the COURIER OFFICE.

Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

How Can the Educational Column in the Local Paper Help the Rural Schools?

The above question was given to ten leading teachers in the rural schools of the county and they were asked to tell in about three hundred words how in their judgment this column could aid the rural schools. Eight of them promised to send in an article. Four responded, two with articles and two with an excuse.

The two articles sent show that the writers have studied their work found their difficuties, and reduced them to a basis sufficiently clear for expression.

I trust there are many others who have done the same thing and will in time respond to the question. If I may be allowed to remark these two are very suggestion but not quite defined enough.

From the first paper we find that the writer suggests that we might aid in interesting in the school work generally, but does not mention any special thing Now what is every body business is in body business, and what is asked for in general is not asked for at all. Tell us in just what you want the parents interested. If interest in reading or in providing reading matter or what difficulty do you meet with? Tell us then and we will try and find some one to answer your questions.

It is to be hoped that all who read the papers in this column will feel like responding to the query. Send us questions and we will answer at any time. We will not overlook them.

A problem which has long puzzled the teachers is how to interest the parents and secure their co-operation in school work. All parents are interested in school work to a certain extent but a great many send their children to school and there the matter ends. They do not even know what test books their children are using. If by means of this column in the local papers, we could get the parents more interested in school, we would have accomplished a great deal and the rural districts would be greatly helped.

Politicians believe that one sure way of reaching all the people is thru the newspaper. Why not then use the same means along educational lines. There is scarely a home in this vicinity or in the country that does not have at least one local paper and so we can in this way bring before notice new ideas and school necessities more emphaticly than in any other way.

Many of the rural teachers have not had Normal training and even the best of teachers meet with difficulties in their school work. If all the teachers would take part in writing for this column, and tell of their success, the teachers directly would be helped and the pupils indirectly. Some of the teachers are teaching in remote places where only the local paper reaches them and any new ideas or old ideas that have met with success will greatly help those teachers as well as the district.

Thru this column the rural teachers can better keep in touch with the work done by the city grades and so better prepare their pupils for high school when thru with the eighth grade in the country school.

No person can meet and converse with educated people without being helped, and so no school patron, teacher or student can read the good articles that have been and will be in the future published in this educational column, without being greatly helped.

In any profession each individual connected with it has his own ideas, his own thoughts, his own methods of securing certain results. Now he may have the best ones or someone else have better ones. In either case it is very essential to the progress of his profession that he should have an opportunity to exchange his views with others. In no other line of work perhaps is this of so much importance as in that of teaching. The successful teacher must keep up with the times. She must keep herself in close touch with the work and methods of other teachers in order to accomplish the best results. And here is where the city teacher has the advantage over most of the teachers in the rural schools. She can attend the teachers' meetings nearly every week and discuss questions and topics that may have presented themselves. Of course this affords the best opportunity for development. Next comes that derived from presenting her views or becoming acquainted with those of others thru the local paper. Now we do not mean that the country school teacher need to limit herself to the last method. Most counties, like ours, have teachers' organizations. So she can avail herself of both. For several reasons the meetings of these each year must be very limited. She could then in the meantime with great profit talk over topics of interest with others thru the local paper. Perhaps, if she has been afraid to give her opinion before, she would in this way discover that her ideas do not look bad in print, and gain enough confidence in herself to present her ideas at the next meeting. There are some who can express themself far better in this way than in appearing before and talking to an assembly. There are others who either thru modesty or fear [illegible] thoughts without revealing their identity These have a splendid chance offered them.

Not only should teachers, but trustees of schools, parents, and in fact everyon, having the subject of schools at heart, lend a hand by contributing something to this column. There should be a common understanding between teacher and parent. We should appreciate very much any help which anyone would give in carrying this column. If carried on in connection with the teachers' association it is certain to be of benefit.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

Albert Lea Enterprise: Gov. Van Sant has organized a land company, and with his experience in steering the ship of state should be able to direct many home seekers to the haven of happy homes on the broad acres and rich soil of the new northwest, and no doubt many will be glad to avail themselves of his reliable service.

Owatonna Chronicle: The more one learns of the work of the little legislature, as the statute revision commission evidently constituted itself, the more apparent it is that the code of laws which it has presented for the legislature's approval should be examined with a microscope before being put into effect. It is becoming evident that the enactment of this code into law at this session of the legislature is an impossibility unless the members of the legislature are willing to take grave chances.

Northfield Independent: Someone is going to try and increase respect for law by requiring the justices of the supreme court to wear gowns, by legislative enactment. If gowns increase respect for the law, why not have everybody were them. The author of such a bill ought to be given thirty days.

Northfield News: Every business enterprise in a community is dependent upon every other business enterprise of that community and upon the inhabitants of that community. And the degree of prosperity which obtains in any community is dependent upon the support which every citizen gives to the business of his neighbor. It is simply but a small edition of the protective tariff which has made the prosperity of our country the greatest the world ever knew.

Austin Transcript: The supreme court has decided that the packing house combine is an illegal combination against the public. The most important and practical thing now remains to be done, the enforcement of the laws so that cattle raisers and consumers will get proper and just relief in the way of prices.

Fairmont Sentinel: It would not be at all strange if President Roosevelt's position on the railways, trusts and tariff resulted in a split in both political parties—the "safe and sane" Democrats lining up with the standpat Republicans and the progressive reform elements in both parties rallying around president. This might be the best thing for the country that could happen, as neither party seems capable of bringing about needed reforms as they are now divided on live issues.

St. Peter Herald: It is said that President Roosevelt will appeal to the people in the interests of railway rate regulation, hoping thereby to force favorable action from congress. His intentions are doubtless of the best, but he is attempting to frighten a body that is notorious for its disregard of the wishes of the people.

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A Minister Testifies.

Rev. C. Sund, of Harrisville, Wis., writes that Gloria Tonic, the new rheumatic cure, in tablet form, cured two members of his congregation. one had suffered 18; the other 25 years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

HAPPY AND HEALTHY.

A Beautiful Canadian Girl Saved From Catarrh of the Lungs by Pe-ru-na.

MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 434 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes:

"A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently.

"I was advised to try Peruna, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since.

"I now have the greatest faith in Peruna." F. E. KENAH.

WOMEN should beware of contracting catarrh. The cold wind and rain, slush and mud of winter are especially conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few women escape.

Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peruna should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

The following letter gives one young woman's experience with Peruna:

Miss Rose Gerbing is a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., and she writes the following:

"Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being too thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peruna for colds and catarrh and I bought a bottle to try. I am pleased that I did, for it brought speedy relief. It only took about two bottles, and I considered this money well spent.

"You have a firm friend in me, and I not only advise its use to my friends, but have purchased several bottles to give to those without the means to buy, and have noticed without exception that it has brought about a speedy cure wherever it has been used."—Miss Rose Gerbing.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

"I couldn't keep House without it"
The "UNIVERSAL" FOOD CHOPPER
Does Away with the Chopping Knife and Bowl Altogether.
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MASCOT FLOUR.

PLUMMER, MINN.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Forbidden fruit ripens early.

The hottest arguments are over things that neither side gives a rap about.

A girl has plenty of hair when she is willing to have a man pull it down fighting to kiss her.

A woman think it's awful funny to say she dosen't mind her husband being interested in other women till it happens.

Gloria Lung Balsam

its a pleasant prepartion. Contains honey ar and other healing balms. It is unequalled for coughs, colds, bronchitis and other forms of lung and throat trouble. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Satisfied Old Girl.

An old maid was once asked why she didn't marry: "It isn't necessary," she replied. "I've a parrot that swears; a cat that stops out all night, and a monkey that chews tobacco and spits all over the floor. I'm satisfied."

TRY THE COURIER a year.

Delinquent Tax List...

for Red Lake County, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

The State of Minnesota, to all persons, companies or corporations who have or claim any estate, right, title or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several pieces or parcels of land in the list hereto attached described:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Red Lake remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January 1905, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Red Lake of which that hereto attached is a copy. Therefore you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any piece or parcel of land described in said list, in, to, or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim or lien, and in default thereof judgment will be entered against such piece or parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest and costs.

JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk of the District Court
of the County of Red Lake.

A List of Real Property, for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on which Taxes remained Delinquent on the First Monday in January, A. D., 1905:

ASSESSMENT DIST. NO. 2

Township 152, Range 39.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ed B Johnson	lot 4	31	$1 53
Torger T Elton	lot 5	32	60

TOWN OF EQUALITY

Township 151, Range 40.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ida Swanson	s½ se¼ and lots 1 and 2	1	$14 49
Olaf G Jore	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	3	15 23
Thomas Veitch	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	5	24 60
John E Bush	se¼ nw¼ and lots 2, 3, 4, 5	6	14 07
F E Sullivan	ne¼	8	29 04
Halvor A Viigerud	ne¼ ne¼	9	5 41
John Christie	nw¼	9	28 47
Gust Reindal	s½ sw¼ and s½ se¼	10	22 50
Ole S Brekeland	w½ se¼	14	22 24
do	w½ ne¼	23	
Jens L Bolstad	ne¼	21	22 88
Lars Senum	sw¼	21	21 36
K K Sannes	ne¼	22	19 37
Sever and Bertha Mooren	nw¼	22	22 83
Henry F Compton	s½ sw¼	29	
do	se¼ se¼	30	26 03
do	ne¼ ne¼	31	
Nels Johnson	lots 11 and 12	31	11 64
Frank L Compton	se¼ ne¼	31	12 77
do	lots 1 and 2	32	
Asbjor Aastad	se¼	33	21 91
John H Aakre Jr	sw¼	34	17 74
Knud O Krossen	nw¼	35	14 01
Gunder Knutson	se¼	35	10 01
Ole Torkjelson	sw¼	35	18 84
Unknown	se¼ sw¼ and lot 4	18	9 50
do	s½ se¼	18	5 70
do	ne¼	19	5 70
do	e½ nw¼ and lts 1, 2	19	9 50

Township 152, Range 40.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Aslak Thompson	w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	26	11 60
Martin Gilbertson	se¼ sw¼ and lots 4 and 5	27	15 71
Martin Gilbertson	ne¼ nw¼	34	
Ralph H Green	sw¼ sw¼ and lots 6, 7, 8	32	25 37
O G Lundan	sw¼	35	21 32

TOWN OF LAMBERT

Township 150, Range 41.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
E D Salverson	e½ sw¼, se¼ nw¼ and lot 3	1	$22 05
Annie O'Neil	ne¼ sw¼, s½ nw¼ and lot 3	2	22 57
Marceline Lajambe	w½ se¼, sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	5	31 00
Eugene Beaucharal	e½ se¼ se ¼ ne¼ and lot 1	6	25 37
Simon Bernier	w½ e½ sw¼ and w½ se¼ nw¼	8	11 33
Simon Bernier	w½ sw¼ and sw¼ nw¼	8	19 70
Unknown	s½ nw¼	9	14 64
K L White	nw¼	10	23 83
C H Halvorson	ne¼	11	19 37
Unknown	se¼	11	24 20
Omund T Vigen	sw¼ ne¼	12	6 43
George Charest	n½ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼	13	39 60
George Charest	e½ sw¼	13	20 98
Joseph Fortier	n½ ne¼ and se ¼ ne¼	14	35 70
Treffle Daoust	63x78 ft of ne¼ nw¼	15	1 54
Eug Lambert	52x208 ft in nw¼ ne¼	15	40
Simon Bernier	nw¼ nw¼ and w½ ne¼ nw¼	17	8 92
Fortuna Bourque	sw¼ sw¼	17	31 16
do	e½ se¼ and sw¼ se¼	18	
Peter Burk	se¼ sw¼ and lot 4	18	13 07
Ferdinand Tuogeon	se¼	20	25 92
Augusta E Lockwood	se¼	22	21 45
Rudolph Warburg	ne¼	28	24 89
Nicholas Holzmer	ne¼	29	22 57
W E McKenlie	se¼	36	23 66
Gottieb Hofer	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	29 49
O L Bolstad	se¼	31	30 32
do	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	31	33 53
John Plante	ne¼	32	24 76
Joseph Morisette	sw¼	32	32 85
Hugues Dery	sw¼	35	21 36
John Evenson	se¼ sw¼ and sw¼ se¼	36	11 24

TOWN OF GARNES

Township 151, Range 41.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of Section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Charles Germo	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	2	$9 02
John Larson	se¼	3	19 89
Ole H Haaven	w½ sw¼, se¼ sw¼ and lots 2 and 3	4	15 57
Unknown	s½ sw¼	5	6 86
Torger O Lofthus	e½ se¼ and e½ ne¼	7	31 26
Unknown	ne¼ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	17 22
do	e½ ne¼	7	5 15
do	n½ nw¼	7	6 86
Haaken H Haaven	sw¼	8	28 27
Elsie Haaven	s½ se¼ and s½ sw¼	9	13 72
Unknown	lots 1 and 5	14	4 70
Carl F Haakenson	ne¼	14	27 07
Unknown	n½ nw¼	15	6 86
do	s½ nw¼	15	10 29
do	sw¼	15	27 45
do	nw¼	16	17 14
do	ne¼	16	17 14
do	se¼	16	27 45
do	s½ sw¼	16	13 72
do	n½ sw¼	16	13 72
do	ne¼ ne¼	18	6 86
do	ne¼ se¼	20	6 86
do	sw¼ sw¼	22	5 14
do	se¼ se¼	22	6 25
do	ne¼ nw¼	24	3 49
Espeseth & Rorang	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼ (exc 1 acre)	26	23 95
Walter P Stone	w½ se¼	26	12 72
Unknown	e½ ne¼	27	8 56
Ewing & Murphy	ne¼ ne¼	29	7 80
Unknown	ne¼ sw¼	29	1 71
do	nw¼ se¼	29	1 72
P E Strandy	lot 4	30	3 42
Unknown	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	30	25 82
Ole and John Olson	se¼	31	16 73
do	s½ ne¼, se¼ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	31	17 77
Ole and John Olson	lots 1, 2, 3 & 4	31	15 47
Unknown	ne¼ ne¼	33	2 28
do	e½ ne¼	34	9 12
M McKinnon	ne¼	36	12 75
[illegible]		36	12 75
O N Skomedal	s½ sw¼	36	6 60
Amund T Vigen	nw¼	36	15 04
John Wedner	lot 5	36	15 03
do	lots 6 and 9	[illegible]	[illegible]
Palmer Erickson	e½ sw¼ and lots 7 and 8	30	8 09

TOWN OF POPLAR RIVER

Township 150, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
J N Miller	se¼	3	$11 19
E H Bjoin	sw¼ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	4	18 74
Narcisse H Martineau	sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	5	18 75
Narcisse Martineau	w½ se¼	7	8 65
Marceline Lussier	w½ se¼	10	8 [illegible]
do	w½ ne¼	15	
John B Cyr	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼	11	13 72
Oliver Parrides	n½ se¼, ne¼ sw¼ and lot 3	18	18 32
Louis Boire	se¼ ne¼ & ne¼ se¼	20	12 95
do	sw¼ nw¼ & nw¼ sw¼	21	
H B Wells	ne¼	25	16 53
Christian Hallas	nw¼	25	16 70
H B Wells	se¼	25	16 53
Christian Hallas	sw¼	25	16 53
J W McGinty	se¼	26	20 32
Charles E Long	ne¼	32	50 90
Rock Fortier	nw¼	34	12 28
Frank Bissoneau	sw¼	34	10 41
J W McGinty	ne¼	35	18 16

TOWN OF EMARDVILLE

Township 151, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due. 1903

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Engebert Pederson	lots 3 and 4	1	$7 08
J C Wilkinson	lots 1 and 2	2	3 61
M O Sortedahl	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	2	14 37
Emma F Marshall	s½ sw¼	5	30 63
do	n½ nw¼	8	
Little Falls & Dak Ry	lot 4	7	9 35
Andrew O Helland	e½ se¼	10	6 95
Nels S Helland	w½ se¼	10	7 75
Unknown	nw¼ ne¼	11	1 71
L P Hunt	ne¼	15	7 92
Ed L Healy	nw¼	17	9 48
Amel H Reker	ne¼	18	25 37
Unknown	lot 2	19	3 22
Hans T Gulbrason	s½ sw¼	20	5 74
Tom Pederson	ne¼	21	14 49
Hilmer F Larson	ne¼	22	46 08
Adolph Carpent r	se¼	25	16 32
Paul G Ostby	sw¼	27	8 78
Hans T Gulbranson	n½ nw¼	29	4 22
Carl E Asp	w½ nw¼	33	8 38
Getrude Zeh	e½ sw¼ and n½ se¼	30	19 25
L P Hunt	s½ se¼	30	9 25
do	n½ ne¼	31	
Schoenauer & Luxemburger	ne¼ nw¼ and lot 2	31	8 97
J K O Sherwood	se¼ nw¼	31	4 63
A O Lee	e½ se¼	29	8 78
do	n½ ne¼	32	
Charles Olson	s½ ne¼	35	8 78

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Township 152, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Wm H Mathews	lot 2	3	$4 81
Gabriel Wilson et al	ne¼	8	15 01
Aasine Olson	nw¼	9	37 91
Lars P Brandrud	sw¼	9	32 31
Healy & Brown	lot 1	13	31 07
do	lots 1, 2 and 3	24	
Mary Weiss	sw¼	17	29 15
Ole T Omoth	lot 3	18	5 27
Mary E Hitchcock	nw¼	23	43 00
Hanna Erickson	e½ se¼	30	10 97
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	30	5 86
do	ne¼ se¼	31	5 86
do	nw¼ sw¼	32	5 86
Guttorm G Otterness	nw¼	36	12 51

ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 1

Township 153, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due. 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	lots 1 and 3	18	$21 89
Wm H Mathews	lot 1	20	1 71

TOWN OF TERREBONNE

Township 150, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ester Archchambeault	53⅓ A s of n 53⅓ A of se¼	7	$9 03
John Clement	n½ ne¼ and n½ sw¼	8	28 14
Arize St Yves	se¼ nw¼ and 20 A of n½ sw¼	8	8 92
Hosanna Prenevost	se¼	10	40 34
Amedee Wolfe	1 A of nw¼ nw¼	11	2 57
Warner & Andrus	se¼	12	20 62
Merchants State Bank, R L F	ne¼ nw¼ and nw¼ ne¼	16	23 49
Merchants State Bank, R L F	se¼ ne¼	16	11 13
Albert Smith	w½ se¼	19	6 03
W E Brown	ne¼ se¼	19	4 55
Little Falls & Dak Ry Co	sw¼ sw¼	20	6 51
Unknown	se¼ ne¼	21	13 40
Laurent Gagner	n½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	23	44 70
Laurent Gagner	ne¼ nw¼	26	
Warner & Andrus	n½ ne¼	24	16 63
Charles Germo	ne¼	29	32 23
Alfred Helling	nw¼	29	56 69
Ahle Baker	e½ nw¼ and lot 2	30	13 57
Warner & Andrus	e ½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	18 05
Marcus Maurin	lots 3 and 4	31	9 04
W E Brown	nw¼	32	26 97
Disk DeGraf	ne¼	33	82 99

TOWNSITE OF TERREBONNE

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Block	Total Tax and Penalty
Nap Rapin	19	20	$ 07
do	17	2	08
do	18	2	08
Isadore Fortier	13	5	08
do	14	5	08

TOWN OF GERVAIS

Township 151, Range 43.
Yeras for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Rose	lots 11 and 14	8	$6 82
F X Caillier	lot 10	8	2 03
Delphine Rose	w½ sw¼ and lots 1, 2 and 3	9	18 17
Unknown	s½ sw¼	11	6 44
do	nw¼ sw¼	13	6 44
Little Falls & Dak Ry Co	se¼ se¼	13	12 76
Henry M Martinson	nw¼	14	38 11
do	sw¼	14	38 11
Unknown	s½ ne¼ and nw¼ ne¼	14	19 32
do	ne¼	15	6 44
D E and Ella Cheadle	w½ nw¼	16	9 94
Ed L Healy	lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10	18	9 07
Henry Tillman	se¼ se¼	21	5 17
Unknown	ne¼ ne¼	22	1 61
Henry Tillman	se¼ nw¼	22	6 61
do	sw¼	22	28 22
Louis Martell	n½ sw¼ and nw¼ se¼	27	21 05
Louis Martell	ne¼ se¼	28	5 10
L P Hunt	s½ se¼, nw¼ se¼ and se¼ sw¼	29	12 46
J K Sherwood	e½ nw¼ and e½ sw¼	30	26 37
do	w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	30	18 67
Onezime Lacoursiere	sw¼ ne¼	31	4 89
H J Kaufer	n½ ne¼ and n½ se¼	34	23 73
Louis Myren	s½ se¼	34	11 76
do	s½ sw¼	35	13 20
Samuel D Godbout	n½ sw¼	35	13 20

TOWN OF RIVER FALLS

Township 152, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
S G Brooks	nw¼	9	$32 04
do	w½ ne¼	9	13 25
Unknown	e½ nw¼	11	12 28
Andrew Bjolnquist	se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	16	7 19
Henry Reese	s½ ne¼	18	17 81
do	e½ se¼	18	21 35
Magnilda Brevig	sw¼	22	36 62
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	25	4 88
P O Nelson	sw¼ ne¼	27	8 85
Olaus E Ubol	w½ sw¼ and lot 7	29	20 39
do	se¼ se¼	30	
Rebecca S Brown	ne¼ se¼	30	5 23
Valentyne & Healy	ne¼ ne¼	31	2 62
C G Edwards	se¼ ne¼	31	5 23
Edwin M English	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	9 81
Edwin M English	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	31	10 16
Jacob H Housman	e½ ne¼, nw¼ ne¼ and lots 1 and 4	32	21 44
Valentyne & Healy	w½ nw¼ and lots 2 and 3	33	8 62
Unknown	w½ ne¼	33	5 87
do	[illegible]	36	31 20

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township 153, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	sw¼ nw¼	2	$14 95
do	se¼ sw¼ and sw¼ se¼	2	35 88
Halvor E Olson	w½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4 (exc R of W)	9	29 04
Unknown	sw¼ ne¼	9	15 87
Unknown	sw¼ nw¼	12	14 59
do	nw¼ sw¼	12	14 95
do	s½ sw¼	12	34 39
do	sw¼ se¼	12	17 04
do	lot 1	13	19 44

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township 153, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of Section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ronag Torgerson	s½ nw¼ and w½ sw¼	15	18 40
O A Aubol	lot 5	16	6 39
Mary J Calloway	n½ ne¼, sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	17	18 56
Carrie J Kordal	ne¼ se¼, se¼ ne¼ and lots 1 and 2	32	30 07
do	nw¼ nw¼ & n½ sw¼	33	

Crocker, Cundy and Nelson's 1st Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Hilaire Lbr Co lots 47 to 58 inclusive		1	$ 69
E E Brown		2	06
Charley Thompson	3	6	1 29
Andrew Norander lots 20 to 22 inclusive		7	1 56
Andrew Norander	24	7	16
Denis Short	21	39	08

TOWN OF ORTH

Township 154, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
John Smith	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	18	$17 54
Knud Knudson	lots 1 and 2	19	23 65
Flora A Daniels	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	19	61 02
Ezra C Eshelby	se¼ sw¼	21	10 65
Jens Bartelson	sw¼ sw¼	21	10 65
Gust L Fevig	w½ nw¼	28	32 52

P. Meehan's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
P Meehan	3	3	$2 82
do	4	3	2 82
do	5	3	2 82
do	6	3	2 82
do	7	3	2 82
do	8	3	2 82
do	12	3	3 54
M V Evenson	1	5	3 54
P Meehan	2	5	4 21
First State Bank of T R F	4	5	8 55
F Meehan	5	5	3 54

TOWN OF LAKE PLEASANT

Township 150, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Desire Lacoursiere	sw¼	3	$44 96
K L White	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	16 73
H H Tompkins	se¼	7	28 87
Bernhard Lindersdorf	sw¼	11	39 63
Evangelist Quesnell	s½ ne¼ and s½ nw¼	12	39 95
Felicite Ducharmes	½ se¼	12	14 26
Caleb K Colby (adm)	nw¼	13	19 58
Jane B Eddy	ne¼ (ex Ry r of w)	15	23 28
Mrs J M Smart	nw¼	17	30 31
Warner & Andrus	se¼	18	29 44
George Luxemburger	nw¼	24	17 35
M T O'Brien	se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	28	21 09
John H Hunter	sw¼	29	13 94
Thomas S Lowry	se¼	31	21 68
Warner & Andrus	ne¼	32	21 69
John V Hartman	ne¼	35	22 07

TOWN OF RED LAKE FALLS

Township 151, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Tatol Tax and Penalty
Johan J Busse	e½ se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	12	$33 79
do	e½ ne¼	13	
Wm Marleau	s½ ne¼ and lots 1 & 2	3	28 85
August C Spilker	sw¼ se¼	3	31 55
do	w½ ne¼ and ne¼ ne¼	10	
Morris Healy	se¼	4	15 87
H M Kars	ne¼	7	21 35
L C Simons	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	17 66
Ed L Healy	ne¼	8	18 44
Mary Rose	e½ ne¼ (ex 1 acre)	12	17 18
Ernest Buse	lot 5	17	2 03
Pierre Emard Jr	w½ sw¼ (ex 11 acres) and 5 acres in e½ sw¼	24	13 37
Eli Emard trustee	e½ se¼	24	13 03
E E and Millie Fletcher	lot 6 and a strip 3x20 ch wide of lot 7	24	9 39
J B Armstrong	part of lots 4 & 5	24	6 43
Paul Cyr	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4 (ex 6 acres)	30	12 11
Nels Bjergo	se¼ and e½ sw¼	35	33 92
Pierre Sancarter	se¼ ne¼	36	5 13
Amedee Jolly	e½ se¼	36	10 94

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township 152, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
G H Sandum	s½ nw¼ & lots 3 & 4	3	$43 92
Peter A Eckstrom	ne¼	7	12 33
P A Sharp	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	10 63
August D Schulze	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	16 60
W E Brown	ne¼	10	33 82
Didlew M Frederickson	sw¼	10	32 30
W E Brown	ne¼	11	30 71
J K O'Sherwood	w½ nw¼ and w½ sw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	13	32 74
J A Duffy	sw¼ sw¼	16	3 91
Claus Adolphson	sw¼	17	12 62
Michael Draeger	se¼	18	5 72
Andrew Dreelan	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4 (ex Ry r of w)	19	25 88
S A Swanson	s½ sw¼	20	8 95
Michael Draeger	nw¼ and n½ sw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	20	10 45
Ida Swanson	nw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	21	22 40
W G Vandenburgh	sw¼	23	10 79
S W Lee	ne¼ (ex Ry r of w)	25	28 82
do	ne¼	26	31 14
Ingri Swanson	nw¼	26	13 79
Peter Swanson	se¼	26	14 49
do	ne¼	27	14 87
S A Swanson	nw¼	27	16 73
Peter A Nelson	sw¼	27	21 32
L S Wagoner	se¼	28	17 01
Valerie G Prior	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	31	30 27
Simons & Duffy	nw¼ (ex 1 acre)	33	16 76
Robert Ford	sw¼	33	15 14
Emilie Richard	nw¼	34	24 48
H M Martinson	se¼	34	27 28
Conrad Nauman	sw¼	35	13 75
Edward Enright	sw¼	36	13 39

TOWN OF SANDERS

Township 153, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Wilhelmina Just	se¼	2	$27 28
Unknown	sw¼ nw¼	2	5 21
A F George	sw¼ nw¼ and lot 4	3	19 53

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1899.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
L K Scroggin	s½ ne¼, nw¼ ne¼ and ne¼ nw¼	7	12 42

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Warren C Spurgeon	ne¼	9	45 34
Unknown	e½ nw¼	9	10 40
A D Stephens	sw¼	11	20 35
W E C Ross	se¼	11	20 35
J O Thorstad	se¼	12	31 59
Erick Hard	ne¼	15	28 02
J M Olson	sw¼ sw¼	16	10 91
C C Way	e½ se¼, nw¼ se¼ and se¼ ne¼	18	17 64
Farm Land Co	sw¼ se¼ and se¼ sw¼	20	14 12
Healy & Brown	sw¼	22	55 02
N G Stark	se¼	22	31 78
A N Lehman	n½ nw¼, sw¼ nw¼ and nw¼ sw¼	24	12 41
J K O Sherwood	se¼	26	37 63
John Brandvold	s½ sw¼	27	26 84
do	ne¼ nw¼	34	
Halvor Olson	ne¼ sw¼	27	4 71
K O Sandrum	s½ ne¼	28	19 86
Fred E Rux	e½ ne¼	29	12 92
J A Anderson	sw¼	32	17 67
Elias Swanson	nw¼ nw¼	34	8 96

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	35	16 00

TOWN OF NORDEN

Township 154, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due. 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
John Brateng	n½ sw¼	7	$12 90
Ole Olson	sw¼	9	21 79
John Blom	n½ se¼, se¼ se¼ and ne¼ sw¼	10	21 61
Lewis Lee	n½ se¼	11	7 62
Hans O Knudtson	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼	14	11 16
Peter Anderson	e½ sw¼	14	7 99
Ole O Nesja	e½ nw¼	16	9 77
John Blom	nw¼ nw¼	16	4 66
John F Carlson	sw¼ nw¼	16	4 88
Halvor Erickson	e½ ne¼ and n½ se¼	23	19 19
Thos A King	sw¼ ne¼, se¼ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	23	5 72
Knud Knudson	e½ ne¼	24	19 81
Ole A Aubol	w½ ne¼ and s½ nw¼	24	16 51
Johan Johanneson	e½ nw¼, nw¼ and nw¼ sw¼	26	11 11
August Soderburg	s½ sw¼	28	6 71
John A Wig	ne¼ and e½ nw¼	31	16 08

Town of Norden
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Olaf A Wig	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	31	29 76

Town of Norden
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ole Simonson	se¼ ne¼	33	6 63
Unknown	s½ sw¼	33	10 04
L E Jones	s½ sw¼	35	14 70

TOWN OF LOUISVILLE

Township 151, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
L P Hunt	se¼	2	$7 62
Edwin Neil	lot 3	3	4 21
do	ne¼ sw¼	3	4 21
Davie Neil	se¼ ne¼ and lot 1	4	10 65
James Cassavant	se¼	4	13 90
John Grove	e½ se¼ (ex 20 acres Ry r of w and gravel pit)	5	9 48
Philomena Boivin	w½ se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	6	8 04
St P M & M Ry Co	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	20 65
St P M & M Ry Co	se¼	7	21 80
John Grove	ne¼	9	19 38
St P M & M Ry Co	sw¼	9	19 38
Joseph Marcotte	e½ ne¼ and n½ se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	10	16 24
Clorintha Berry	s½ sw¼ and s½ e½	10	16 44
Peter Raymond Jr	nw¼	12	18 17
Celas Raymond	sw¼ (ez Ry r of w)	12	16 38
Wm Findeisen	se¼	14	13 73
St P M & M Co	ne¼	15	23 63
do	nw¼	15	23 63
do	se¼	15	23 63
do	ne¼	19	16 07
Denis Lizotte	n½ ne¼ and sw¼ ne¼	20	13 23
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	21	21 88
do	nw¼ nw¼	21	6 87
do	nw¼	21	23 27
do	se¼	21	20 53
Minn & St Cloud Ry Co	e½ nw¼ and sw¼ nw¼	21	16 41
W E Kelsey	lot 3	25	4 59
Ed L Healy	lot 11	26	4 00
F T Day	lots 7, 9 and 10	26	18 58
Benj Dolbeck	sw¼	28	17 44
Edward Lacoursiere	se¼ se¼	29	5 24
Julia Lizotte	n½ ne¼ and n½ nw¼	32	17 57
Alphonse Darwin	se¼	33	29 58
Ramie Darwin	e½ sw¼ and lots 4, 5 and 6	33	28 85
Alphonse Darwin	lots 7 and 8	33	6 56
Chas F Elvidge	nw¼	34	26 43
do	sw¼	34	26 43
St P M & M Ry Co	nw¼ sw¼	35	6 12
Emilie Lemieux	e½ sw¼ and sw¼ sw¼	35	19 66

TOWN OF POLK CENTER

Township 152, Range 45
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	3	$16 18
do	se¼	3	16 72
do	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	5	16 49
John Grove	ne¼ se¼	5	4 19
Minn & St Cloud Ry Co	lot 2	7	4 46
do	se¼ sw¼	8	4 19
John Grove	ne¼ ne¼	9	3 53
Johnson & Ecklund	und ½ of sw¼ ne¼	9	2 10
Carl A Melin	sw¼ and e½ se¼ nw¼	9	21 36
Hanna Nelson	sw¼	10	15 33
N C Campbell	w½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	15	12 55
N C Campbell	n½ se¼	15	8 37
do	s½ se¼	15	10 92
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	17	16 92
do	nw¼	17	16 92
do	sw¼	17	16 92
do	se¼	17	16 92
S A Swanson	ne¼	18	15 69
F T Bernent	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	19	22 73
do	se¼	19	22 04
Israel Rabie	e½ ne¼ and sw¼ ne¼	20	9 30
John Grove	w½ nw¼ and nw¼ sw¼	23	17 42
W E Brown	se¼	28	24 80
L J Duffy & N E Ganss	e½ ne¼	29	11 90
John Grove	sw¼ and w½ se¼ (ex 1 acre)	29	33 05
Mpls & St Cloud Ry Co	sw¼ ne¼	29	5 51
Joe Laurent	n½ se¼	30	9 88
J W Wheeler	s½ se¼	30	9 69
Wm Muschick	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	31	22 88
Wm Muschick	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	31	22 88
Wm Muschick	se¼	31	22 04
do	ne¼	31	22 04
Ida Coe	se¼ (ex 4 acres)	32	18 81
City of Grand Forks	4 acres of se¼ se¼	32	92

TOWN OF BRAY

Township 153, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Isaac H Elliott	sw¼	2	$16 75
Reker & Spurr	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	4	16 75
St P M & M Ry Co	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	14 07
Reker & Spurr	sw¼	8	13 98
do	nw¼	10	16 84
John Grove	w½ sw¼	15	8 38
Julius Pleth	sw¼ nw¼	15	4 19
A P Miller	sw¼	16	13 95
G N Ry Co	w½ ne¼	17	6 98
St P M & M Ry Co	e½ ne¼	17	6 98
do	[illegible]	17	7 01
do	[illegible]	17	7 01
do	[illegible] lots 3 & 4	19	13 86
Reker & Spurr	se¼	20	14 18

Town of Bray
Years for which taxes are due 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Caroline Halvorson	e½ sw¼	20	14 02

Town of Bray
Years for which taxes are due. 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
F M Meister	nw¼	25	12 83
Amel H Reker	sw¼	26	15 07
do	se¼	26	17 58
John Grove	w½ sw¼	27	7 18
St P M & M Ry Co	n½ nw¼	27	7 18
do	sw¼ ne¼	27	4 30
Carrie Crown	sw¼	28	11 27
St P M & M Ry Co	se¼	29	13 98
Chas E Misner	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	30	14 90
Axel F Kron	e½ nw¼ and e½ sw¼	32	13 01
Chas C Eklund	ne¼ ne¼	35	3 40
Anna Eklund	se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	35	7 52
Henry C Sattle	nw¼	35	17 67
C C Ecklund	n½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	36	12 29

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Township 154, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdisision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
W C Spurgin	nw¼	13	$15 16
John W Bugge	ne¼	14	12 40
Peter J Bugge	nw¼	14	13 72
John Stone	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	18	13 72
Nels G Otterness	ne¼ se¼	18	3 88
Matie Weeks	ne¼	22	18 06
C L & H G Dobner	ne¼	24	7 02
Erick Albue	commencing 110 rods s of ne cor of the nw¼ sec 25-154-45, thence s 50 rods, w 160 rods, n 110 rods, southeasterly to place of beginning	25	6 25
Peter H Swandsen	ne¼	26	13 54
Ole E Remmigen	nw¼	26	13 22
John Olson	se¼	26	13 22
Nils Berggren	sw¼	26	13 06
Ole Simonson	se¼	30	8 22

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Town	Rg	Total Tax and Penalty
Martin McAndress vacated blk 8	6	152	43	$ 53
Ed Flamme part of gov lot 7 (blk 4 and ⅔ of blk 11)	6	152	43	9 57

ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF ST. HILAIRE

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Hilaire Townsite Co	1	24	$5 27
do	2	24	57
do	10	24	5 27
Mary Swanson	8	25	4 95
W A Sorsoleil	11	25	1 43
do	12	25	15 53
Alfred Dainard	13	26	73
do	14	26	3 07
do	15	26	72
P G Paradis	23	27	1 43
do	24	27	10 84
St Hilaire Lbr Co	8	33	5 57
J B & S Aug	23	35	5 27
do	24	35	57
St Hilaire Townsite Co	9	36	86
do	10	36	86
J K Hanney lots 20 21 and	22	39	117 56
Rebecca S Brown	5	40	17 22
Hagbarth Sarvold	9	40	17 22
St Hilaire Townsite Co	2	47	10 63
do	3	47	10 64
do	4	47	10 64
do	5	47	10 61
do	6	47	10 64
do	7	47	10 64
Mrs Theresa Whaley	12	47	14 55
St Hilaire Creamery Assn lots 13, 14, 15 and	16	48	13 61
C M Larson	13	50	14 82
St Hilaire Townsite Co	13	51	1 43
do	14	51	1 43
C A Skeie	16	51	16 19
J E and B E Burkee	1	52	72 54
do	2	52	11 48
L K Kolstad	4	52	18 55
J J Johnson	9	52	8 10
Laura Eickhoff	1	53	34 01
do	2	53	30
do	3	53	30

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Original Townsite of St. Hilaire
Years for which taxes are due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Laura Eickhoff	4	53	[illegible]
do	5	53	[illegible]
do	6	53	[illegible]
do	7	53	[illegible]
St Hilaire Townsite Co	10	55	[illegible]
do	11	55	[illegible]
do	all	90	77
do	all	91	[illegible]
do	all	92	[illegible]

St. Hilaire Townsite Co's First Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Hilaire Townsite Co 24 lots	all	79	2 7

St. Hilaire Townsite Co's Second Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1901 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Vernes & Strand	5	17	2 10
do	6	17	4 06

Village of St. Hilaire
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Herman C Adams	6	30	5 55
do	7	30	86
Arne J Loe	21	30	2 64
Ole J Loe	22	30	30
do	23	30	30
do	24	30	30

Ives' Addition to St Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Nwner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
P H Anderson	6	2	7 45
Katie Collins	2	3	26 26
Rasmus H Foss	8	3	3 78
D Patterson	19	3	1 43
do	20	3	1 43

Kolstad's Subdivision of Lot 11, Sec 6-Township 152-Rge 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
John L Hagseth	6		5 00
do	7		30

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Township 154, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Bertha Crawford 90-100 acres of lot 4	33	$ 34
Albert Johnson 1 acre of lot 4	33	34
Unknown Beg 3330 ft e of nw cor of sw¼ sec 34 thence south about 80 rods, west about 40 rods north about 80 rods and east about 40 rods, being a part of ne¼ sw¼ 24-154-43—29.9c acres	34	8 58

ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Kettel Knudson	11	2	$1 11
do	12	2	1 11
do	13	2	1 37
Joseph Westerlien	7	3	2 23
do	8	3	2 23
do	9	3	18 79
M V Evenson	5	4	2 23
do	6	4	2 23
John Soderburg	7	4	2 23
do	8	4	18 79
do	9	4	2 23
Alice B Kratka	5	5	2 23
Jessie W LaBree	9	11	1 96
do	10	11	1 96
do	11	11	1 96
do	12	11	2 23
A C Gifford	17	11	1 37
Carrie Sorenson	19	12	1 66
do	20	12	1 96
do	21	12	1 96
do	22	12	1 96
do	23	12	17 17
do	24	12	2 23
Martha Rogers	13	13	2 81
do	14	13	20 80
do	15	13	2 81
C J Knox	11	14	1 65
do	12	14	1 65
do	1	15	1 11
do	2	15	1 11
do	16	15	1 65
Anton Skog	17	15	1 65
do	18	15	1 65
C J Knox	4	17	6 89
R J McDonald	6	18	1 37
C M Wejmar	22	18	2 23
do	23	18	18 79
do	24	18	2 81
Anna Heasly	7	19	2 23
do	8	19	9 11
do	9	19	2 23
R J McDonald	12	19	2 81
K M Hansen	16	19	1 39
do	17	19	1 41
do	18	19	12 46
C J Knox	15	21	8 49
Stella Olson	16	21	7 48
R J McDonald	5	26	1 37
do	6	26	1 37
N K Olson	8	27	6 06
C M Evenson	9	27	1 96
do	10	27	1 96
do	11	27	24 06
do	12	27	2 81
Anna C Cheely	9	28	8 34
Daisy L Kratka	11	29	8 34
do	12	29	9 63
T G Thompson	20	29	4 89
do 28 ft w of e 24 ft of lots 21, 22, 23 and	24	29	11 67
Olaf Olson	10	30	2 81
do	11	30	2 81
do	12	30	3 33
Alice B Kratka	13	30	14 75
do	14	30	13 39
J M Bishop	16	30	8 34
C F Wisner	27	31	3 75
Daisy L Kratka	3	34	3 23
do	4	34	3 23
Peter Eberhardt	8	34	11 84
W A Kratka	7	35	5 55
do	8	35	5 55
do	9	35	5 55
do	10	35	5 55
do	11	35	5 55
do	12	35	6 89
Evenson Bros	11	37	23 46
do	12	37	23 46
Johan Sunderborg	20	39	1 11
do	21	39	1 11
do	22	39	5 55
John Soderberg	23	39	1 11
do	24	39	2 99
Elizabeth Wood	15	41	60
do	16	41	60
J M Sponsel	18	43	46
Chas Thompson	3	54	8 26
do	4	54	1 37
Dobner, Dobner & Staples	22	57	3 44
do	23	57	3 44
do	24	57	4 14
Alice B Kratka	1	58	4 44
do	2	58	4 10
do	3	58	4 10
do	9	58	4 10
Daisy L Kratka	10	58	4 10
Peter Eberhardt	18	58	19 30
Alice B Kratka	10	59	4 44
do	11	59	4 10
do	12	59	28 93
do	13	59	4 10
do	14	59	4 10
do lots 15 and	16	59	21 20
do	17	59	3 33
do	18	59	2 81
P Meehan	4	60	86
Chas F Misner	3	61	7 04
do	4	61	2 23
W A Kratka	4	63	6 89
do	5	63	6 89
Bertha Adolph	7	63	3 44
Chas F Wisner	8	63	4 08
C J Knox	13	63	4 13
D B Bakke	15	64	5 55
do	16	64	12 36
George Parenteau	26	64	7 17
Anna Kretzschmar	30	64	83
C L and H G Dobner	1	67	1 11
do	2	67	6 06
S M Archibald	1	68	86
do	2	68	86
do	3	68	86
do	4	68	86
Thos Milsom	18	68	86
S M Archibald	23	68	86
do	24	68	86
do	25	68	86
do	26	68	86
do	27	68	86

Hemmingson's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for whic6 taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
John Soderberg	1	1	1 37
do	2	1	1 11
do	6	1	1 11
do	10	1	4 83
do	11	1	1 11
do	12	1	1 37
C M Peterson	3	2	3 43
do	4	2	3 43
do	5	2	11 69
do	6	2	3 43

Years for which taxes are due, 1900 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Hans L Hanson	10	2	3 43

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Hemmingson's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Hans L Hanson	11	2	10 32
do	12	2	3 43
Hans Peterson	11	3	86
do	12	3	86
John Hemmingson	9	6	86
Alex Thoreson	16	6	3 18
Hemming Hemmingson	19	6	3 18
do	20	6	8 70
do	21	6	3 18
do	22	6	3 18
Sven Gunderson	7	7	1 11
do	8	7	1 11
Nils A Bergene	11	7	1 11
Marit Hanson	20	7	6 38
do	21	7	86
John Soderberg	9	8	1 11

Porter's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	8	2	4 36
do	9	2	16 21
Walburga Zeh	7	4	2 39
Christina Bondovik	15	4	86
A A McDugal	4	5	86
do	5	5	86
Kasemir Panek	15	5	86
do	16	5	86
do	17	5	86
Hanson & Barzgen	18	5	43
Wiley Tindolph	8	8	86
Alphonse Fontaine	8	9	4 52
Walburga Zeh	15	9	43
Hanson & Barzgen	2	12	2 26
Wm G Porter	3	12	2 26
do	4	12	2 29
Matt Barzen	8	12	4 52
G S Spokley	17	12	86
Paul Kesth	20	12	86
do	21	12	86
do	22	12	1 11
Walburga Zeh	20	13	33
do	21	13	34
do	22	13	33
do	4	16	86
Iver O Sukke	11	18	1 37
do	12	18	12 42
do	13	18	1 37
do	14	18	1 37
Chas E Tedford	14	19	40
do	15	19	40
do	16	19	40
do	17	19	40
do	18	19	34
do	19	19	34
do	20	19	34
do	21	19	34
do	22	19	34
do	23	19	34
do	24	19	34
do	25	19	34
Walburga Zeh	7	20	49
do	8	20	30
do	9	20	30
do	10	20	23
do	11	20	18
Chas E Tedford	12	20	34
do	13	20	34
do	14	20	34
do	15	20	34
do	16	20	34
Alfred Swanson	10	21	60
Walburga Zeh	13	21	31
do	14	21	29
do	15	21	60
Lars Backe	2	23	60
do	3	23	60
Pedorson & Anderson	9	23	60
Henry Olson	6	24	60
do	7	24	60
do	8	24	60
do	9	24	60
Chas E Tedford	1	25	34
do	2	25	34
do	3	25	34
do	4	25	34
do	5	25	34
do	6	25	34
Nor Real Est & Mtg Co	13	25	34
Security Trust Co	14	25	34
do	15	25	34
do	16	25	34
do	17	25	34
do	18	25	34
do	19	25	34
do	20	25	34
do	21	25	34
do	22	25	34
do	23	25	34
do	24	25	34
do	25	25	34
do	26	25	34

Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, City of Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
L H Cornell	12	2	34
do	13	2	34
Henry B Tweed	39	6	86
do	40	6	86
do	41	6	86
F E Nelson	11	7	46
do	12	7	46
Julia P Martin	1	10	34
Wiley Tindolph	2	10	34
do	3	10	34
do	4	10	34
F E Nelson	1	19	86
do	2	19	60
do	3	19	60
Joseph Haclan	4	19	60
do	5	19	60
C J Knox	25	19	9 63
do	26	19	86
Annie Moravek	45	19	60
do	46	19	60
do	47	19	1 70
do	48	19	86
Thomas Milsom	20	20	4 18
do	21	20	86
Anna Cernousek	34	20	1 11
do	35	20	1 11
do	36	20	12 16
do	37	20	1 11
do	38	20	1 11
do	39	20	1 11
Thos J Carr	6	21	1 11

Knox' Re-arrangement of Blocks 23 and 24 of Red Lake Rapids.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Casper Weimer	B	23	2 99
do	C	23	11 25
do	D	23	1 65
do	E	23	2 23
Thief River Falls Lbr Co	O	23	1 65
C J Knox	35	23	1 65
do	36	23	1 65
do	37	23	1 65
do	38	23	1 65

City of Thief River Falls—Red Lake Rapids
Years for which taxes are due. 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Kinsela	5	26	3 59
do	6	26	1 37
Staal S Nordgaard	7	26	1 37
Nels J Berglund	22	26	5 47
A A McDougal	15	27	1 37
do	16	27	1 11
A W Hanson	46	27	1 37
do	47	27	1 37
do	48	27	1 37
Lea Tindolph	5	28	60
do	6	28	69
John Stanek	45	28	86
do	46	28	5 80
J W Wheeler	19	29	46
Geo Holst	20	29	46
Veronika Korejsi	31	29	46
do	32	29	46
Sam Cheeley	33	29	46
do	34	29	60
J W Wheeler	8	30	40
do	31	30	46
do	32	30	46
Wiley Tindolph	1	33	34
do	2	33	34
do	3	33	34
do	4	33	34
do	5	33	34
do	6	33	34
do	7	33	34
do	8	33	34
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do	41	33	34
do	43	33	34
do	44	33	34
do	45	33	34
do	46	33	34
do	47	33	34
do	48	33	34
do	1	34	34
do	2	34	34

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Knox re-arrangement of Blocks 23 and 24 of Red Lake Rapids.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
do	3	34	34
do	4	34	34
do	5	34	34
do	6	34	34
do	7	34	34
do	8	34	34
do	9	34	34
do	10	34	34
do	11	34	34
do	12	34	34
do	13	34	34
do	14	34	34
do	19	34	34
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do	36	34	34
do	37	34	34
do	38	34	34
do	39	34	34
do	40	34	34
do	41	34	34
do	42	34	34
do	43	34	34
do	44	34	34
do	45	34	34
do	46	34	34
do	47	34	34
do	48	34	34
Anna Keetzschmar	1	35	34
do	2	35	34
do	3	35	34
do	4	35	34
do	5	35	34
do	6	35	34
do	7	35	34
do	8	35	34
do	9	35	34
do	10	35	34
do	11	35	34
do	12	35	34

Connelly's First Addition to Thief River Falls.
Year for which tax is due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Helen Peterson	6	1	7 75

Connelly's Second Addition Thief River Falls.
Year for which tax is due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Denis Conely	5	2	1 96
do	7	2	1 96
do	8	2	1 96
do	9	2	1 96
do	6	3	1 37
do	1	4	1 37
do	2	4	1 18
do	3	4	1 18
do	4	4	1 23
do	5	4	1 23
do	6	4	1 23
do	9	4	1 45
do	10	4	1 38
do	11	4	1 38
do	12	4	1 38
do	7	5	1 38
Catherine Miller	12	5	1 38

Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.
Year for which tax is due 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Milsom	37	4	60
do	38	4	60

Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.
Year for which tax is dne 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Matie L Weeks	14	6	66
do	16	6	66
do	16	6	66
do	17	6	66
do	18	6	66
Henry Olson	19	6	66
do	20	6	86
John Holst, n½ of lot 25, all lots 26 and	27	6	13 53
P O Olson	32	6	1 11
Per O Olson	1	7	15 74
do	2	7	[illegible] 64
Hanson & Barzen	16	8	1 11
do	17	8	6 06
Geo M Knox	32	8	2 99
Wm J Kelly	36	8	2 48
Geo W Veasey	5	9	1 37
do	6	9	1 37
do	7	9	1 37
Fred La Count	8	9	8 26
do	9	9	1 37
do	10	9	1 37
John LeSage	14	9	6 89
do	15	9	1 37
do	16	9	1 37
Gust and Ole Fevig	1	11	1 11
do	2	11	86
do	3	11	86
do	4	11	86
do	5	11	86
Alice L LaBree	6	11	86
do	7	11	3 07
John J Vorochek	21	11	1 11
do	22	11	3 33
Annie B Rowen	1	12	1 18
do	2	12	91
K J McGinty	24	23	73
Harriet Culver	8	24	73
do	9	24	73
John Morgan	1	26	8 96
do	2	26	86
Martha Smith	18	27	2 40
do	19	27	3 79
do	20	27	68

Meehan's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	13	1	5 35
Ole H Renvold	14	1	2 74
Maurius Olson	15	1	2 74
A B Helgeson..Part of lot	29	1	2 74
do	30	1	2 74
Ann T Olson	1	3	1 37
James Meehan Jr	2	3	1 37
Paul L Hagen	5	3	1 71
do	6	3	1 37
do	7	3	1 37
do	8	3	1 37
Jas Meehan Jr	1	5	2 10
do	2	5	2 10
do	3	5	2 10
do	4	5	2 10
C M Peterson	3	8	2 64
do North 50 ft of lot	4	8	1 41
J.s McGinty...ex N 50 ft	4	8	1 77
do e ½ of lots 5 &	6	8	6 31
Gilbert Olson	1	9	3 45
do	2	9	3 07
do	3	9	3 07
Ole Nesja	4	9	3 07
do	5	9	3 07
do	9	9	3 45
E G Natvick	1	10	3 45
Karen Wold	2	10	3 07
J Faiman	3	10	3 07
Leon Demers	4	10	5 67
George Jarman	5	10	3 45
Wm H Maloy	6	10	4 10
Peter and Emil Eberhardt	1	11	6 38
do	2	11	3 45
do	3	11	2 74
do	4	11	3 45
Jas H Pratt	1	12	3 45
do n ½ of	2	12	1 37
G A Helgeson s ½ of	2	12	1 37
do	3	12	2 10
Jas Meehan Jr outlot	a	12	1 37

Riverside Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	1	4	1 31
do	2	4	1 31
do	3	4	1 65
do	1	5	1 96
do	2	5	1 65
do	3	5	1 65
do	4	5	1 65
do	5	5	1 65
do	6	5	1 96
do	1	12	1 96
do	2	12	1 96

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Township 151, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Total Tax and Pen'ty
Jennie Healy, 5 a in nw¼ne¼	14	$ 1 23
L C Simons, Lot 2	16	5 39
J H Carleton, n½se¼, ne¼sw¼, lots 1 and 2	16	37 06
Ed L Healy, lots 4 and 5	16	3 82
N M Watson, et al. nw¼nw¼ and e½nw¼, ex platted portion and 19.54 acres	22	13 73
Jas McPeak, 2 a in n. end ne¼nw¼	22	1 56
Geo H Knowles, lot 1	23	76
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 58x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 105 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 58x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 105 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 60x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 104 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Theo Garceau, a strip of land 60x140 ft. in ne¼ s. of blk 104 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69

Original Townsite of Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total
Mertie S Hunt, e 25 ft of	17	1	8 23
Joseph P Ralph, all ex. e 25 ft of	17	1	1 03
Marcelleon Jeffers	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	11	2	7 47
M & M Ry Co, ex. ry r of w	D	3	2 59

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Original Townsite of Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Mrs E L Healy	4	4	20 40
do	5	4	4 25
do	6	4	3 34
do	7	4	1 89
Fred Zalser, Reserve "S" ex. land of Westphal, LaBissoniere and Anderson			28 54

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Carl Pfinowe	2	4	16
W Shebat	3	12	22
A M Miller	21	13	35
Valentine Shebat	23	13	05
do	24	14	05
Matthias Skala	4	21	42
do	5	21	42
John A Duffy	19	22	4 46
Joseph Helm	19	23	42
do	20	23	42
Kari Sletten	1	24	42
do	2	24	42
do	20	25	42
do	21	25	42
Margaret Iland et al	13	31	89
do	14	31	89
do	15	31	89
Arthur O Slade	9	33	89
do	10	33	89
Maggie L Pirath	16	33	89
do	17	33	89
do	18	33	89
do	19	33	89
Mary Riechel et al	11	42	89
do	12	42	8 96

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1901, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Nels Holberg	23	42	2 11
do	24	42	2 11

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Helm, n 40 ft of Lots 2,3,4 &	5	43	6 82
C F and Maria Stenhammer	6	43	1 30
Michael Biever	8	43	1 30
John Elstad, s½ of	14	43	11 13
Frank E Hunt	3	46	1 70
do	4	46	1 70
do	5	46	1 70
do	6	46	1 70
do	7	46	1 70
do	8	46	1 70
do	9	46	1 70
do	10	46	1 70
do	11	46	29 96
do	12	46	1 70
Skala and Shebat	16	53	89
Ernest Boldt	4	62	42
Augusta Detling	4	64	11 38
" "	5	64	1 30

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Anna Schusser, years for which taxes are due, 1901, 1902, 1903	10	64	3 76
Anna Schusser	11	64	13 09
" "	12	64	25 47

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Maggie L Pirath	17	64	89
do	19	64	89
do	20	64	89
F Stobeck	1	65	24 70
do	2	65	1 70
Jos Schusser, south 65 ft of	14	65	5 60
First Pres Church	17	66	89
do	18	66	89
Amelia Riechel	21	66	7 38
do	22	66	89
A M Miller	20	71	89
do	21	71	89
do	22	71	89
Attilie Brasius	13	72	42
do	14	72	42
do	15	72	42
A J Hayes	8	81	77
Ovide Emard	19	83	4 12
E V Lawton	20	83	1 70
do	21	83	1 70
E E Fletcher	22	83	1 70
do	23	83	1 70
do	24	83	9 77
Otto J Zehrendt	8	84	89
do n½ of	9	84	89
Anna Bechner	6	85	89
do	7	85	89
do	8	85	89
do	9	85	89
do	10	85	89
do	13	85	89
do	14	85	89
do	15	85	89
do	16	85	89
do	17	85	89
O R Boyer	4	89	89
do	9	89	89
do	10	89	89
Leonard Hudtner	11	92	42
do	12	92	42
Neil Crawford	23	104	89
do	24	104	89
Peter Benoit	8	106	45
do	9	106	45
do	10	106	44
do	11	106	44
do	12	106	44

Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Year for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
S A Swanson	3	2	35 34
F M M DeLegasse	7	6	4 26
Louis Lefaive	8	6	4 26
do	9	6	4 26
do	10	6	4 26
do	11	6	4 26
do	12	6	24 45
Peter Stuhr	2	9	22 57
Sophia Busch	9	9	13 20
Wm M Erb	10	10	6 41
Alderic Laiiberte	2	12	3 39
do	4	12	3 39
do	6	12	3 39

Champagne & Dow's Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Edward Langevin	1	13	5 05

Champagne & Dow's Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Arthur Lizee, lots 7 and	8	19	26 65
Melina Demarais	23	21	5 81
do	24	21	2 68
Moses Belair	5	25	1 70
do	6	25	1 70
Joseph Morinville	17	25	2 17
do	18	25	2 17
Delia Allard, lots 16 and	17	26	13 46

Miles' Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
J P Harren	4	9	22

Park Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are dne, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Chas Oehler	12	3	22
do	13	3	22

E & O Buse Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Margaretta Walter	1	2	29
do	2	2	29
do	5	2	29
do	6	2	29
do	7	2	29
do	8	2	29
do	9	2	29
do	10	2	22
do	11	2	22
do cx ry r of w	14	2	22
do	15	2	22
do	16	2	22
do	17	2	29
do	18	2	29
do	19	2	29
do	20	2	29
do	21	2	29
do	22	2	29
do	4	3	22
do	5	3	22
do	6	3	89
do	7	3	89
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do	9	3	89
do	10	3	89
do	11	3	89
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do	19	4	42
do	20	4	42
do	21	4	42
do	22	4	42
do	23	4	42
do	24	4	42
do	1	5	42
do	2	5	42
do	3	5	42
do	4	5	42
do	21	5	42
do	22	5	42
do	23	5	42
do	24	5	[illegible]

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Holmes' Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Ellen Fahey	18	4	22
Warren E Vrooman	8	8	22
do	9	8	22
do	10	8	22
do	11	8	22
do	12	8	22
Louis Kindling	1	13	22
do	2	13	22
do	3	13	22

Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Hayton	6	5	89
do	7	5	89
Marie Benoit, w 80 ft of lots 9, 10 &	11	5	42
do	16	5	7 64
do	17	5	89
do	18	5	89
J A Duffy	5	9	3 38
do	6	9	3 38
Caroline Bourdon	7	9	3 38
August Riechel	15	9	2 17
Samuel Gibeau	16	9	2 17
do	17	9	2 17
Isaie Marchildon	22	9	2 17

Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Lillie Belair	20	10	22 76
do	21	10	6 72

Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Belair	22	10	11 46
do	23	10	3 38
do	24	10	3 38
Rose L Boughton	13	10	3 38
do	14	10	3 38
Otto Kankel	12	13	1 70

Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Security Trust Co	23	2	55
do	24	2	55

Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Frank Pribyl	9	6	42
do	10	6	6 07
O R Boyer	19	13	29
do	20	13	29
do	21	13	29
do	22	13	29
do	23	13	29
do	24	13	29
Meril Roue	18	15	15
do	19	15	1 35
do	20	15	15
do	21	15	15
Alex Wolfe	1	16	29
do	2	16	29
do	3	16	29
do	4	16	29
Florence Jolicoeur	10	18	29
do	11	18	29
do	12	18	29

Champagne, Dow & Geriet's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Edward Langevin	19	8	89

Kretzschmar's 2d Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Leona Brecht	2	2	22
do	3	2	22
V Shebat	7	9	22
do	8	9	22
do	9	9	22
do	10	9	22
do	11	9	22
do	12	9	22
do	13	9	22
do	14	9	22
do	15	9	22
do	16	9	22
do	17	9	22
do	18	9	22
B Helland	1	20	22

Champagne, Dow & Geriet Add Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
F J Altnow	1	21	42
do	2	21	42
do	3	21	42
do	4	21	42
do	5	21	42
do	6	21	42
do	7	21	42
do	8	21	42
do	9	21	42
do	10	21	42
do	11	21	42
do	12	21	42
do	13	21	42
do	14	21	42
do	15	21	42
do	16	21	42
do 32 lots	all	22	12 73
do 32 lots	all	23	12 73
do 30 lots	all	24	11 16

Champagne, Dow & Geriet Add Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
F J Altnow, a strip of land 1299 ft long and 33 ft wide s of and adjoining Kretzschmar's 2d add. to Red Lake Falls			3 05

Rail Road Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Antoine Lawrence	1	1	4 53
do	2	1	1 30
Albany Deforge, e 33 ft lots 6, 7, 8 &	9	2	77
Theo Deforge, 33 ft w of e 33 ft of lots 6, 7, 8 and	9	2	77
Agnes Deforge, e 33 ft of w 74 ft of lots 6, 7, 8 and	9	2	77
Eliza Deforge, w 41 ft lots 6, 7, 8 &	9	2	2 92
Mary Moreau	3	2	4 93
do	4	2	89
do	5	2	77
Adelaide Benoit	13	7	42
do	14	7	42
Frank St Martin	9	8	44
do	10	8	4 49
F M Anderson	11	8	89
Amelia Riechel	1	9	77
do	2	9	77
do	3	9	77
do	4	9	77
do	5	9	77
do	6	9	77
Aug and Amelia Riechel	5	10	50
do	6	10	50
do	7	10	50
do	8	10	50
do	9	10	50
do	10	10	50
do	11	10	50
do	12	10	50
Francis Latandresse	8	44	42
L C Simons, 24 lots	all	46	1 36
do do	all	47	1 36
do do	all	48	1 36
do do	all	49	1 36
do do	all	50	1 36
do do	all	51	1 35
do do	all	52	1 35
do 21 lots, all ex 10,11,12		53	1 14
do 13 lots	all	54	68
Chas N Bourdon, 8 lots	all	69	1 35
do	1	70	22
do	1	71	22
do 24 lots	all	72	4 12
do do	all	101	4 12
do 10 lots	all	102	1 70
do 22 lots	all	103	488 16
do 24 lots	all	104	4 12

Detling's Subd. of Market Sq., City of Red Lake Falls
Years for which texes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Theodore Schmitz	1		9 77
do	2		1 70

Buse & Canty's Add. to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
J A Duffy, 10 lots	all	1	68
do	1	2	08
do	2	2	08
E M Evenson	3	2	22
do	4	2	22
do	5	2	22
do	6	2	22
do	7	2	22
do	8	2	22
do	9	2	22
do	10	2	22
J A Duffy, lots 1 to 10 inc		11	68
David Gagne	13	11	08
Vital Gagne	17	11	09
do	18	11	09
do	19	11	09
Wm M Erb	20	11	22
do	21	11	22
J A Duffy, 12 lots	all	12	68
do do	all	13	68
do 24 lots	all	14	1 35
do 12 lots	all	17	68
do do	all	18	68
do 24 lots	all	19	1 35
do 12 lots	all	22	68
do lots 1 to 7 inc		15	41
do lots 13 to 24 inc		15	76

Mill Reserve Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas I Wyer & Co	3	8	1 70

Central Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
N M Watson et al	1	2	89
Wm Patnode	6	4	89

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }

James E. Ford, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the County Auditor of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota; that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a correct list of taxes delinquent for the years therein appearing upon real estate in said county.

JAMES E. FORD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, A. D. 1905.

[NOTARIAL SEAL] T. L. MELGAARD,
Notary Public, Red Lake County, Minn.

District Court, Red Lake County, Minn.
Filed this 1st day of February, 1905.
JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk District Court.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }

I, James E. Ford, County Auditor in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of real estate taxes remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1905, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said county of Red Lake.

Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of February, A. D. 1905.

[SEAL] JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn

THE PORCUPINE.

Only Known Creature That Eats the Foliage of the Hemlock.

"You don't have to skirmish around much to get feed to fatten one of these hemlock porcupines on," says an old woodsman. "Just sprinkle some salt over a stick of cordwood or saw log for that matter, and he'll eat the whole business and enjoy it as you would mince pie." The customary diet of these animals is hemlock browse. They make themselves a home in a hollow log or under the roots of some old tree, but always within reach of a big hemlock.

The hemlock is their pasture, and they make beaten paths going to and fro between the tree and their home. Once up in a tree the porcupine goes out on the big limbs and, pulling the small branches in with one paw, browses on the pungent leaves. In going through the woods you will find little piles of these fine leaves on the ground under hemlock trees. That means that a porcupine is feeding in the tree, the leaves on the ground being dropped from his feast.

Sometimes a porcupine will remain in a hemlock tree for a week at a time, hugging close to the trunk at night and feeding during the day. This curious little beast is the only known living thing that eats the foliage of the hemlock.

DANGER SPOTS IN A STORM.

Places to Avoid When the Lightning Is Flashing.

Out of doors trees should be avoided in a thunderstorm, and if from the rapidity with which the explosion follows the flash it is evident that electric clouds are near at hand a recumbent posture is the safest. It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts or low buildings or under the arch of a bridge, and a distance of twenty or thirty feet from tall trees or houses is an eligible situation, for should a discharge take place these elevated bodies are most likely to receive it.

It is well also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream may determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room or when standing on a thick hearth rug. The chimney should be avoided on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it, and gilt moldings or bell wires are sources of risk. In bed we are tolerably safe, since blankets and feathers are bad conductors.

It is injudicious to take refuge in a cellar, because the discharge is often from the earth to a cloud, and buildings frequently sustain the greatest injury in their basements.

THE FIRE CROWD.

As a Rule It Likes a Big Blaze and Crashing Walls.

"There is one curious thing connected with fires," said a thoughtful man, "and that is the fact that while the fireman is always a hero in the public estimate and while men and women have all kinds of admiration for these brave fellows they yet want to see them get the worst of it in the fight against the flames. It is an interesting fact that the average man and woman are not at all anxious to see the firemen get the fire under control. They would much rather see the flames spread until the affair developed into an immense conflagration. Mind you, the trait is not at all vicious. There is no malice in it. It is simply the love of excitement and adventure, things that are so deep rooted in human nature that we may not control them at will. Besides, we want to develop our heroes to the limit. We want our firemen to fight a good fight against long odds and under great difficulties. We cannot quarrel with this feeling in the human makeup. After all, it is what one may call the poetry of human nature, and without it this old system of ours would be dull and prosaic indeed. Of course, you will always find a few persons around a fire who are directly concerned in the fight the firemen are making. They want to see the flames put out. In the case of some of the spectators it means bread and meat. It means the loss of a position or maybe the loss of home. But I was speaking of the vast majority of men and women who gather to witness a fire. The fire is the thing with them. They want to see a big blaze and hear the crash of the walls and all that sort of thing. Did you ever take the trouble to analyze a fire crowd? In the first place an alarm of fire will draw a crowd quicker than anything in the world. Whenever the bells begin to clang and the engines go rushing down the street you will see men, women and children rushing this way and that in order to see as much as may be seen of the fire and fire fighters. The hour of day or night does not make so much difference. The crowd will get there in some way and for some reason, though the great majority of the persons have no sort of interest other than idle curiosity. Once on hand, they want to see a good fire, and that's why I say they want to see the flames get the best of the firemen. They will go away and talk about what a game fight the fire laddies made. Human nature is a curious thing, is it not?—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A LITTLE DECEPTION

IT WAS only after the death of her mother that Hermance Desriguy thought it well to consider in earnest the possibility of marriage and vowed not to die a spinster. She was now 29, possessed in her own right of a modest competence, and had a heart full of warm and generous impulses, but she was deformed—in short, a humpback.

Seated alone in her quiet home at Chatillon with pleasant surroundings about her, she considered her lonely future with a shudder. But where to seek for a husband? Whom might she address?

She knew she did not possess the physical attractions of a young and more perfect beauty; she must confess that one shoulder was higher than the other, and from some words she overheard, she knew herself considered a little angular. But what of this in so loyal a heart?

One evening in her daily paper she found this advertisement, which immediately engrossed her attention.

The Matrimonial Institute of France, founded by Madame de Saint Elme. This institute has for its object the promotion of honorable marriages, between members of families best fitted both in a physiological and social point of view.

Dowries from 2,000 to 2000,000 fraces. Office hours, one to five p. m. Correspondence solicited.

And the address followed.

Hermance considered this matter that day and again the following day. Finally she said to herself:

"I will write to that woman."

And she wrote at once.

By return post she received a magnificently printed prospectus, beautifully lithographed on rose colored paper, which in a great many words explained, magnified and praised "the moral purpose of the Matrimonial Institute of France."

In conclusion Mme. de St. Elme invited her correspondent to send her the modest sum of two dollars as subscription to the Nuptial Veil, in which would be found a large list of candidates for matrimony, all guaranteed of good social rank, regularly registered and submitted to the choice of readers of both sexes. To be thus registered or to make choice of any name in these lists the further sum of five dollars must be remitted in advance.

Hermance sent, in conformity with the above conditions, the double fee, adding also, as advised in the prospectus, one of her photographs, a little portrait taken the year before, in which there appeared her fine head and neck, full of expression and grace, but showing her only as far as the shoulders.

As she glanced at the long list of possible husbands named in the Nuptial Veil she was embarrassed, there were so many. Marking out 20, these she reduced to 15, and then to 10, and 8. She paused, and then tired of the attempt, she finished by placing her pencil where it would fall, which happened to be No. 12,818, reading thus:

Employment, public; salary 3,500 fracs, with advancement assured; aged 38 years, good health; simple tastes; desires to marry young lady of age and fortune, excellent habits and character.

"Simple tastes," of course it was impossible to tell what these words might mean, but trusting to the maternal character of the lady at the head of the institute, and, forwarding a new check for the additional $10 required, she received a photograph of No. 12,818, with a note giving the name, residence, etc., of the candidate.

His name was Adrien Bastide, and he was a public officer in the little town of Kernoveu, in Brittany. In the picture, which represented him at full length, he appeared a man full of good humor and good will, with a full, open countenance, and a long beard, flowing down his breast. But how tall he was! You might have taken him for a drum major. What a contrast to poor little humpback Hermance!

"Ah, but he is a very good man for me," whispered she to herself.

At the same time that the photograph was sent to Hermance, Mme. de Saint Elme, always attentive to the interests of her clients, advised No. 12,818 of the distinction which had befallen him, and for a consideration, forwarded the note and portrait of Mlle. Desriguy, who straightway received the following letter:

Mademoiselle: While not having the honor of being personally known to you, yet I cannot resist the deep emotion which only one look at your photograph has aroused in me, and to tell you by what all powerful, almost providential, sympathy I am turned to you.

Yes, it seems as if I hear a voice from heaven guiding and leading me to you. It is impossible to look upon a countenance so pure, so open, so frank, on eyes so full of spirit and impossible to deceit, and not to know you have a generous, loving heart.

And the writer of the letters prayed for the opening of a correspondence between them preparatory, if mutually agreeable, to a meeting at some future time.

An exchange of letters now ensued. Each day becoming more and more intimate, they confided to one another the stories of their youth, their hopes for the future and how and why they had had recourse to Mme. de Saint Elme.

The interview between the two could no longer be delayed. Adrien Bastide announced his intention to visit Chatillon in a fortnight, and the affair was readily and easily arranged.

Mlle. Desriguy would advise with some old friends of the family who would be glad to assist her. There would be nothing [illegible] in acquainting them how matters were a few days in advance of the coming of her fiance. "Her fiance!" Ah, how sweet that word was to pronounce, how deliciously it made her heart throb

Finally the great day came and Hermance was notified that M. Bastide would present himself at her house at two o'clock.

Everything in and around the house had been put in perfect order, and all was ready. Hermance kept repeating to her servant:

"I hear some one coming, Ionette."

"Mademoiselle has said that very often."

"Well, don't go to sleep in the porch, and be sure to bring him in—that person—to the parlor."

"Surely, mademoiselle. Don't you fear. I will hide myself in the corridor and run at the first sound of the bell."

The bell rang. The visitor, the tall drum major with the long beard, appeared, but limping with one foot, and walking with a cane.

"Mademoiselle Desriguy?" said he.

"It is I, Monsieur Bastide," tremblingly answered the little humpback, dropping the book in which she seemed to have been reading.

"You! But! Mademoiselle Hermance Desriguy who wrote to me?"

"Yes."

And both stood thunderstruck, facing each other, stupidly gazing without a word.

"But, mademoiselle, you have never—you ought to have told me." And Hermance replied, her cheeks now grown scarlet:

"Yes I know, I ought to perhaps, but you, you also, monsieur. I was born so—me—no—oh, no. Adieu, monsieur."

And our poor little heroine, wholly confused, her eyes filled with tears, fled away, leaving the room to her visitor, her exfiance.

The great giant stood still some minutes. What was there to do? Finally he opened a door into the hall and shuffled back to his hotel. There he seated himself on one of the soft banks of grass, and with eyes mechanically fixed upon the windings of the valley, tried to meditate over the occurrences of the afternoon, and gave himself up to the strange thoughts to which they gave rise.

Humpbacked! She was a humpback, and she had said nothing about it. This was the game, a shallow trick, and that maternal directress of the Matrimonial Institute of France, whose only object was to enable her children to make a better acquaintance and to shield them in marriage—charlatan, cheat.

But how about himself? What had he said about his infirmity?

He had been very careful in not speaking of that. He he tried to trick her? No, truly, that was not his object. He had not wished to hurry.

And she—oh, without doubt, it was her timidity; perhaps in her case also she felt ashamed. He had no reason to be proud.

Adrien Bastide had been tenderly brought up by a mother who idolized him. Jealous of every woman who approached him, yet she had had an intention certainly of seeing him married, and she truly meant not to disappoint him. But years passed on and she discovered no one worthy of him, and finally she died without placing her hand upon the fine pearl sought for.

Adrien at the age of 22, on account of a fall from a horse, had lost the free use of his right leg. After his mother's death he said to himself that now was the time to replace her. But how?

Providentially, as he then thought, he saw the advertisement of the marriage institute and paying his subscription and enrollment fee he received a photograph and communication in which Hermance, No. 19724, was described:

Orphan, 29 years, musician, dowry 40,000 francs, living in a neat cottage with garden and running stream of water, would espouse man of honor, in preference official.

This exactly suited him; perhaps even the 40,000 francs no less than the garden and stream full of fish attracted him.

Alas, some points had been omitted in the advertisement in the Nuptial Veil and also in the letters from Mme. de St. Elme—yet how full of sweetness and spirituality her letters had been.

Well, he was not coming 200 miles for nothing; he would go and explain himself at least.

Hermance during this time was reflecting on the situation. It was not so easy to find a husband at 29, she well knew.

He was a cripple, yet, but she was—well a little peaked.

"Nothing," she thought, "will make M. Bastide return to the house. There are three trains to Paris, two in the morning and one in the afternoon at 4:30.

"He will do nothing until train time. I might at least try to meet him, as it were by accident, at the station."

So with hat and mantle she quickly set out. But two steps from her house she ran into the good giant.

"Monsieur Adrien, must you leave town at once?" she asked.

And she had a look so contrite, and eyes so ready to fill with tears that the giant bent over her and took her hand respectfully.

"I ask your pardon," he said, "for all I did. You were much excited; so was I. But I do not wish to return without seeing you again. Permit me to enter with you. Now we know each other, and we can speak more quietly."

There were two happy persons in that little house and they are now happy, those two who had not told the truth.—From the French in N. Y. Sun.

Character and Laws.

How ridiculous it would seem, writes Annie Payson Call in Leslie's Monthly Magazine, if a man tried to make water run up hill without providing that it should do so by reaching its own level, and then got indignant because he did not succeed, and wondered if there was not some "cure" by means of which his object might be accomplished. And yet it is no more [illegible]

A Matter of Health

There is a quality in Royal Baking Powder which makes the food more digestible and wholesome. This peculiarity of Royal has been noted by physicians, and they accordingly endorse and recommend it.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Samuol Allard was a business visitor at Crookston Monday.

S. L. Lewis was at Crookston several days this week on business.

City Clerk Toupin was at Crookston on business the first of the week.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson was at Thief River Falls on business over Monday night.

A woman can't made a monkey of every man she meets; sometimes she is too late.

Theo. LaBissoniere has been confined to his home with an attack of grippe this week.

Remi Lafaivre, one of Brooks business men, was a county seat business caller yesterday.

Miss Grace Iddings went to Grand Forks last Friday and visited over Sunday with friends there.

Hon. L. C. Simons came up from St. Paul Sunday to look after business matters for a few days.

P. K. Olson, of Plummer, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Monday. He reports Mrs. Olson as being quite sick.

Mrs. N. J. St. Aubin was taken suddenly sick on Saturdav but is recovering from the attack verv nicely.

Graceful in instep and appearance is the chic style of "Queen Quality" shoes for women. $3.00.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice: Mrs. Joseph Gagnon, Jno Allo and Wm. Schumacher 2.

Miss Mollie Allard returned last evening from Grand Forks where she visited a week with her sister, Mrs. Dan Paul.

Jacob Thill and E. W. Brouillet came in from Wylle Saturday evening and remained over Sunday with relatives and old friends.

Viegel & Tillman wish to announce that those desiring a nice drink of "Tom and Jerry" can be accommodated at their place of business next Saturday.

Paul Berthon is expected home from Pass Christian, Miss., about March 1. Mr. Berthon is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Dr. Pinault, who has a winter home at that place, and from letters received we judge he is having a good time in the land of sunshine and flowers.

Ayer's

Take cold easily? Throat tender? Lungs weak? Any relatives have consumption? Then a cough means a great deal to you. Follow your doctor's advice and take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It heals, strengthens, prevents.

Cherry Pectoral

"For 40 years I have depended on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. I know it greatly strengthens weak lungs." MRS. F. A. ROBINSON, Saline, Mich.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Weak Lungs

Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

Adam Zah was a Thief River Falls visitor the first of the week.

A dancing party was held at the K. of P. hall Friday evening.

Geo. Brown, of Plummer, called on friends at this plaee Wednesday.

Dr, J. C. Wilkinson was called to Brooks Sunday on professional business.

Hon. William J. Bryan will deliver a lecture at Grand Forks this evening.

Joseph Fortier went over to Crookston last evening on a business mission.

The "Merry Crew" club was entertained Friday afternoon bv Miss Dollie Matthies.

It is good to marry and settle down but it is better to remain single and settle up.

Mrs. R. Peble returned Saturday evening from an extended visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Mrs. Samuel Nauman arrived home yesterday after a two months visit with relatives in Illinois.

Station Agent Tracy of the Great Northern was laid up a couple of days last week with the grippe.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mose Ducharma, who live at Perrault station, on Friday, Feb. 10th.

Mrs. H. M. Knox suffered a slight attack of appendicitis the first part of the week, but is recovering very rapidly.

Conductor Steve Withey is once more on this run. He has been laid up with the grippe for a couple of weeks.

About 200 bushels of good succotash for sale, also some wood to trade for milk cows. Call on Swan Aakenson.

Probate Judge Tarrant reports business as being quiet these days and is yearning for a wedding to brighten up the office.

Clerk of Courts Perrault issued a license to wed last Saturday to Victor St. Martin and Miss Exclia Payment, both of St. Hilaire.

St. Valantine's day was celebrated by onr young people in the usual way, and the youngsteres were very busy receiving and mailing the messages of cupid.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will meet with Mrs. Wm. O'Brien Thursday, Feb. 23. A ten cent lunch will be served and all are invited to attend.

H. W. Anderson, our popular jeweler, is at work making a small steam engine. It is being made of brass and "Andy" is certainly doing a nice job.

Holidays are numerous at present. Monday was Lincoln's birthday, Tuesday was St. Valentine's day, and Washington's birthday comes next Wednesday.

The Shakespeare club held their regular weekly meeting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Knox Tuesday evening. The study of King Lear was taken up at this meeting.

The young folks weekly dancing party was held on Friday evening last week instead of Saturday as usual. A large attendance is reported and a good time enjoyed by all.

County Treasurer Hanson will have a more commodious office when the repairs now being made are completed. A partition is being removed, and with the other improvements contemplated it will make a more comfortable place in which to transact business.

The next band concert will be given Friday evening, Feb. 24th. A fine program is being prepared and will be one of the best entertainments given by the band the past year.

John E. King is at St. Paul this week attending the annual meeting of the state editorial association and looking after affairs preliminary to assuming his position as state librarian.

Prof. A. Onstad now has charge of the St. Hilaire band and was at that place Monday evening. He will make weekly visits to the town, and St. Hilaire will find him a competent instructor.

The cold weather has delayed work on the Great Northern bridge the past week, there being several days the men were unable to work. It is expected the structure will be completed next week.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall will entertain the ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church next Wednesday, Feb. 22. A 10 cent lunch will be served from 4 to 6 o'clock p. m. All are invited to attend.

The Red Lake County Teachers' Assn. will hold its next meeting at St. Hilaire, May 5 and 6. Preparations are being made for a great meeting, particulars of which will be given in next week's Courier.

We are glad to announce to the ladies of this community that we have received our new line of St. Cecilia shoes. All styles, all widths. Come and look at them even if you don't want to buy.—The Big Store.

S. M. Severtson left last evening for Neillsville to look after an elevator the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. recently purchased. From that place he goes to Greenbush on business connected with his firm.

For those who do not care to pay $3.50 for a shoe we have recommended our Nanaimo ($3.00) and our Saranad ($2.50) These shoes will show as much style and quality as many so called $3.50 shoes show.—The Big Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salley were called to Thief River Falls the first of the week. Mrs. Salley's brother-in-law, Joseph Holzknecht, of that place. was operated upon for appendicitis and is said to be in a dangerous condition.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Ed. H. Chase has leased a half interest in the Red Lake Falls Courier and will have charge during Editor King's absence at St. Paul as state librarian. Mr. Chase is recognized as a newspaper man of ability.

Messrs. Leo Steinert and Theo. Majeres desire to annonnce to their friends and patrons that they have purchased the stock and outfit formerly owned by the Northern Minnesota Milling Company, and will continue the business under that name. All accounts due the company should be paid to them.

You will never Taste Better Bread than that which any woman can make with Yeast Foam

The Wonderful Yeast that took the First Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition.

Yeast Foam is sold by all grocers at 5c a package—enough for 40 loaves. Send a postal card for our new illustrated book "Good Bread: How to Make It."

NORTHWESTERN YEAST CO. CHICAGO, ILL.

Louis Parenteau has moved his cheese factory which was located about three miles north of Mentor onto his farm in the town of Terrebonne and intends to open up for business as soon as spring sets in.

Representive Simons has introduced a bill in the legislature appropriating $500 for a bridge across the Clearwater near Plummer, and another bill appropriating $400 for a bridge across Hill river near Brooks.

The pile driver at work on the Great Northern cut-off has been idle most of the past week, owing to the cold weather and the breakdown of their engine. New flues have been ordered for the engine and work will be resumed in a few days.

There will be a dance at the Metropolitan opera house next Tuesday evening which promises to be the biggest affair of the kind of the season. The orchestra will furnish the music and a large crowd is expected to be present.

Thief River News: Robert McGinn last Saturday sold his saloon business in this city to Joe Halda. Mr, McGinn in the future will devote his time in the hardware business with the firm of Jackson & Co., of which he is a member, and to the looking after his other property interests in town which are quite extensive.

The preachers will have to work over time in 1905. The reason for this is that there is an extra Sunday in the year, fifty-three Sabbath's instead of the usual-fifty two. The year begins and ends on Sunday. The pulpit pounders should not complain however, for they will not have to preach an extra Sunday again until 2015.

Aime Latandresse is to be deputy County Auditor after March 1st. Mr. Latandresse has been at Cass Lake the past two years, but is an old resident of this place and has many friends here who will be glad to welcome his return, He is a first class accountant, a stanuch democrat, and has all the qualifications to make him a popular official.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Co. recently added another elevator to their already large list. The new possession is located at Neillsville. It had been run by a farmers co-operative company but owing to mismanagement it proved a losing venture and was recently sold at Sheriff's sale. S. M. Sivertson attended the sale and was the successful bidder.

There i$ a little matter to which The Courier begs to call the attention to $ome of it$ ubcriber$. We really hate to $peak of it, but $ome have $eemingly allowed it to $lip their mind$. To u$ thi$ i$ a very important i$$ue; in fact it i$ nece$$ary in our bu$ine$$. We won't $peak further on the $ubject; perhap$ you have already gue$$ed the drift of our remark$. We hope $o at lea$t.

A cold wave swept over the entire country last week and intense suffering and loss of life is reported from all quarters. While it has been cold in this section we have been more fortunate than the people to the south of us. Iowa reports an immense amount of snow and extreme cold weather. Train service has been badly crippled and stock has suffered greatly.

THE COURIER is starting a new department this week for the benefit of our farmer readers under the head of "Our Rural Friends." We have a large number of rural readers and think it no more than right that they shonld have all the benefits possible of their favorite home paper. The column will appear weekly and will be found to contain original and interesting reading.

George L. Austin, formerly manager of the Red Lake Falls creamery, has succeeded Joel G. Winbjer as manager of the St. Hilaire creamery. Mr. Austin has the reputation of being a first-class creamery man, and is one of the best fellows on earth. His Red Lake Falls friends will hope that his new work will prove satisfactory to the patrons of the creamery.

The K. of P. friends of Mr. and Mrs. John E. King gave a card party in their honor Tuesday evening at the lodge rooms. Thirty-two friends gathered for the occasion, and a most delightful time was had by all. Mrs. King won first honor at the game and was awared a beautiful prize. Refreshments were served and the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. King good luck in their new home at St. Paul.

A man in a neighboring town who secured his wife through a matrimonial agency is trying to secure a divorce. Just another instance of finding that mail order bargains are not just as represented and that a much better grade of the same article could have been obtained at home. Good enough for him; he ought to patronize home industry. The home grown article is usually the best.

In Sunday's Minneapolis Tribune is a double column picture of the seven children of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Bray of Blackduck, formerly of Red Lake Falls. It seems that some time ago Mr. Bray sent the picture to President Roosevelt and that he has received in return a photograph of the president together with a letter of congratulation and best wishes for the health and happiness of the family. The picture printed in the Tribune is a good one and the children are a bright intelligent looking seven.

An Iowa judge recently related an amusing incident that occurred in his court when a colored man was brought up for some petty offense. The charge was read and as the statement, "The State of Iowa against John Jones," was read in a loud voice the colored man's eyes bulged nearly out of their sockets, and he seemed overcome with terror and astonishment. When he was asked if he had anything to say or pleaded guilty or not guilty he gasped out: "Well yo' honah, if de whole State o' Iowa is ag'in dis one pore niggah I'ze wine to give up right now!"

Plummer Pioneer: Post master Finrow has received advices from the post office department to the effect that on March 6th the Soo line will commence carrying mail on this line between Detroit and the boundary line. On that date our old tri-weekly mail service from Red Lake Falls will be discontinued and we will have a daily railroad mail service instead. It is expected that the mail for the conntry postoffices east of here will shortly be distributed from here which, in addition to the daily mail service, will mean much to the busiuess interests of Plummer.

About thirty members of the Woodman camp went to Plummer Saturday evening to initiate a class of thirteen candidates in the lodge at that place. The camp at Garnes has been transferred to Plummer, and all of the paraphernalia and equipment moved to the latter place. The degree work was performed by the team from this city, and about thirty members from Thief River Falls and a few from St. Hilaire were down to assist in the exercises. About midnight a banquet was spread at the Iverson hotel, and the Plummer boys did everything possible to make the occasion enjoyable for their visitors. Ralph Green was at the head of the entertainment committee, which in itself is evidence that everything went smoothly. The Plummer lodge starts out under favorable auspices, and it is confidently claimed that fifty new members will be secured this winter.

J. B. Labree, an old settler of this section, died at his home in Crookston on Tuesday. Mr. Labree was one of the early settlers of Polk county, having taken a homestead in 1881 where Thief River Falls is now located. Many citizens of Red Lake county will mourn his death.

The champion man hated lives in Dearborn county, Indiana. Miss Sarah Jackson is said to have been crossed in love more then forty years ago, and she has never spoken to a man since that time. Living on a little farm she has transacted all her business through a female friend. She had lived a hermite life for many years. Recently she made a will, and a peculiar document it is. She provided that there shall be no man employed in any capacity at her funeral. The driver of the hearse, the pall bearers, even those who fill up the grave after the coffin in lowered into it are to be women.

Plummer is Incorporated.

Plummer Pioneer: On last Tuesday Plummer's incorporation election was held in the Adolph Nelson building. The weather was decidedly stormy but a fair sized vote was polled. The result was that incorporation carried by a vote of 27 to 3.

The date of the election of officers will be fixed by commissioner O. J. Johnson, who will designate Tuesday March 14th the date for regular town and village election. The officers to be elected will be: A president, three trustees, recorder, treasure, all for one year terms, two justices and two constable each for two years terms. All other officers will be appointed by the council when organized.

Cures Sore Throat.

Sulphur and molasses are unpalatable remedies. Gloria Lung Balsam, a preparation of honey, wild cherry, tar, etc., is far ahead. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

This weather is calculated to make one sigh for the merry springtide.

THE GUARANTEED APPLE

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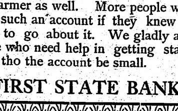

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

—OF—

RED LAKE COUNTY. MINNESOTA.

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1904

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, RED LAKE COUNTY,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, January 6, 1605.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota:

GENTLEMEN: I submit to you herewith a statement of the financial condition of Red Lake County, Minnesota at the close of the fiscal year. December 31, 1904, showing the receipts and expenditures for the year, the cash balances in the different funds and the total amount to the County Treasury, together with a statement of the finances of the County at the end of the year, including all debts and liabilities, and the assets and other means of discharging the same.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

RECEIPTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1904.

Balance January 2, 1904	$48253 43	
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1904	4636 58	
Current tax collections	91950 29	
Delinquent tax collections	9767 29	
Interest, penalty and costs	3481 13	
Ditch liens paid in full	1581 41	
Private redemptions	1800 37	
State land collections	4938 68	
Warrants No. 2124 and 2125 surrendered and cancelled	225 00	
A. P. Toupin, fines Justice Court	25 00	
B. H Costello, " " "	4 85	
S. L. Lewis, " " "	5 00	
J. M. Bishop, " " "	7 50	
State school apportionment	12080 75	
Kankel & Zeigler, donation to Road and Bridge Fund	100 00	
Dupont & Sons, " " " " "	50 00	
Twp. of Terrebonne " " " " "	100 00	
Joseph Perrault, jury fees district court	72 00	
Johnson & Son, liquor license	500 00	
Z. Bray, " "	500 00	
W. G. Brown, " "	500 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	500 00	
Remie Lefaive " "	500 00	
Erick Iverson, deposit with application for liquor license forfeitd	10 00	
A. P. Toupin, costs in Justice Court case	9 55	
Mchts State Bk., Red Lake Falls, proceeds sale of ditch bonds	6519 86	
State of Minnesota, wolf bounty refunded	418 50	
Marshall Co., state loan for school district No. 219	60 00	
First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, interest on deposits	283 53	
Merchants State Bk. Red Lake Falls " " "	220 97	
Bank of Red Lake Falls " " "	112 35	
First State Bank Thief River Falls " " "	132 24	
First National Bank Thief River Falls " " "	180 38	
Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls " " "	181 70	
First State Bank of St. Hilaire " " "	111 98	
Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire " " "	73 77	
O. G. Harlis, auctioneer's license	10 00	
P. K. Olson, " "	10 00	
Thos. Morean, " "	10 00	
D. Patterson, " "	10 00	
R. J. McKircher " "	10 00	
S. G. Iverson, State Auditor, nomination fees	21 65	
J. E. Ford. County Auditor, " "	465 02	
Total		$190430 78

DISBURSEMENTS DURING THE YEAR 1904.

Warrants outstanding January 2, 1904	$25993 92	
County Revenue Fund	16371 51	
County Poor Fund	73 00	
County Road and Bridge Fund	6434 14	
County Bond and Interest Fund	2178 41	
County Jail Fund	11 90	
County Special Bond and Interest Fund	6985 92	
Private Redemption Fund	1809 95	
General Ditch Fund	16373 51	
Incidental Expense Fund	239 18	
School Districts Fund	50628 20	
Town, City and Village Fund	27994 35	
Collections for Hunters' Licenses	2 70	
State Taxes	6012 20	
Collections on account State Lands	4820 41	
Refunding Orders	109 99	
Error making entries	20 94	
Balance cash on hand December 31, 1904	24370 55	
Total		$190430 78

TRIAL BALANCE.

Books of Red Lake County at close of business December 31, 1904.

County Treasurer	$24370 55	
Warrant account		$4636 58
Taxes and Penalties		9024 88
Current School Fund		617 88
County Revenue Fund		1729 24
Cuonty Poor Fund	703 57	
County Road and Bridge Fund	384 57	
County Bond and Interest Fund		2078 06
General Ditch Fund	1102 05	
Redemption Fund		118 71
School District Funds		5577 36
Town, City and Village Funds		1084 49
Incidental Fund		65 23
State Land Fund		250 15
Conrt House and Jail Fund		1378 16
Totals	$26560 74	$26560 74

County Revenue Fund.

RECEIPTS

Tax collections	$ 13491 19
Interest on deposits, county funds	1296 92
Auctioneers' licenses	50 00
Wolf bounty refunded by state	418 50
Candidates' filing fees	486 47
Jury fees	72 00
Deposit with application for liquor license	10 00
Justice court costs refunded	9 55
By error	06
Trnsferred from General Ditch Fund	14000 00
Total	$29834 89

DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft, January 2, 1904	$ 11432 72
Transferred to Incidental Fund	300 00
Warrants paid	16371 51
To error	1 42
Balance cash in fund, December 31, 1904	1729 24
Total	$29834 89

WARRANTS ISSUED

COUNTY OFFICERS' SALARIES

COUNTY AUDITOR

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
5972	James E Ford	$ 100 00
6103	do	100 00
6251	do	100 00
6369	do	100 00
6411	do	100 00
6519	do	100 00
6605	do	100 00
6699	do	100 00
6728	do	100 00
6958	do	100 00
7082	do	100 00
7169	do	100 00
	Total	$1200 00

COUNTY TREASURER

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5973	O T Tandberg	$ 100 00
6104	do	100 00
6252	do	100 00
6370	do	100 00
6412	do	100 00
6520	do	100 00
6606	do	100 00
6700	do	100 00
6729	do	100 00
6959	do	100 00
7083	do	100 00
7170	do	100 00
	Total	$1200 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5974	Frank Jeffers	$ 87 50
6105	do	87 50
6253	do	87 50
6371	do	87 50
6413	do	87 50
6521	do	87 50
6607	do	87 50
6701	do	87 50
6730	do	87 50
6960	do	87 50
7084	do	87 50
7171	do	87 50
	Total	$1050 00

COUNTY ATTORNEY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5925	F A Grady	$ 100 00
5975	do	100 00
6106	do	100 00
6254	do	100 00
6372	do	100 00
6414	do	100 00
6522	do	100 00
6608	do	100 00
6702	do	100 00
6731	do	100 00
6961	do	100 00
7085	do	100 00
	Total	$1200 00

PROBATE JUDGE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5976	N W Tarrant	$68 75
6107	do	68 75
6250	do	68 75
6368	do	68 75
6415	do	68 75
6523	do	68 75
6609	do	68 75
6703	do	68 75
6732	do	68 75
6962	do	68 75
7086	do	68 75
7172	do	68 75
	Tetal	$825 00

CLERKS IN AUDITOR'S OFFICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5978	I D Converse	$ 50 00
6109	do	50 00
6256	do	45 19
6374	do	50 00
6528	do	30 85
6611	do	50 00
6705	do	50 00
6734	do	50 00
6964	do	50 00
7088	do	44 23
7144	de	50 00
	Total	$520 27

JANITOR

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5977	J O Gjerberg	$ 40 00
6108	do	40 00
6255	do	40 00
6373	do	40 00
6416	do	40 00
6524	do	40 00
6610	do	40 00
6704	do	40 00
6733	do	40 00
6963	do	40 00
7087	do	40 00
7173	do	40 00
	Total	$480 00

COURT REPORTERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5979	Chas M Lohn	$ 12 50
5980	W O Braggans	12 50
6110	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6111	W O Braggans	12 50
6257	Chas M Lohn	12 50
6258	W O Braggans	12 50
6375	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6376	W O Braggans	23 59
6417	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6418	W O Braggans	23 59
6525	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6526	W O Braggans	23 59
6612	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6613	W O Braggans	23 59
6706	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6707	W O Braggans	23 59
6735	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6736	W O Braggans	23 59
6965	Chas M Lohn	23 59
6966	W O Braggans	23 59
7089	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7090	W O Braggans	23 59
7175	Chas M Lohn	23 59
7176	W O Braggans	23 59
	To,al	$499 62

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' PER DIEM AND MILEAGE

FIRST DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6029	James Sutor	$ 16 80
6133	do	23 00
6268	do	14 40
4479	do	33 20
6649	do	11 00
6660	do	5 90
6847	do	7 00
	Total	$111 30

SECOND DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6026	Wm C L Demann	$ 13 40
6134	do	17 80
6267	do	14 40
6478	do	20 10
6650	do	10 40
6662	do	5 90
6849	do	5 50
	Total	$92 50

THIRD DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6027	O J Johnson	$ 16 00
6135	do	23 00
6266	do	14 80
6476	do	20 00
6653	do	15 40
6664	do	3 50
6846	do	7 00
	Total	$99 70

FOURTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6030	Louis Hanson	$16 00
6136	do	23 00
6475	do	20 00
6654	do	15 40
	Total	$74 40

FIFTH DISTRICT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6028	Louis Falardeau	$ 16 80
6137	do	24 60
6265	do	17 80
6480	do	21 60
6651	do	13 80
6652	do	2 50
	Total	$97 10

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6655	James Sutor	$19 00
6656	Wm C L Demann	16 40
6657	O J Johnson	19 00
6658	Louis Hanson	16 00
6659	Louis Falardeau	19 80
	Total	$90 20

DISTRICT COURT EXPENSES

GRAND JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6889	Joseph Dupont	$ 10 20
6890	John R Gotia	9 20
6891	Bruman Derosier	9 60
6892	Edmond Cadieux	20 20
6893	Leo Schultz	10 00
6894	Matt Skala	8 20
6895	W G Brown	10 80
4896	Chas Lundquist	10 80
6897	August Maxin	9 60
6898	Chas Mothson	11 90
6899	Hans Frederickson	11 40
6900	Nils O Nora	13 40
6901	Jacob Amundson	11 60
6902	James Brady	8 20
6904	Moses Guerard	11 60
6905	Joseph Robidoux	12 00
6906	Henry Cyr	11 80
6931	Henry Kaufer	8 20
7003	Simon Paul	8 20
	Total	$196 00

PETIT JURORS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6169	Joseph Pigeon	$ 3 20
6199	Damien Charboneau	6 40
6207	Gustav Johnson	7 60
6218	Peter Kilburg	2 20
6220	Ovide Emard	2 20
6221	Henry McAnulty	2 20
6222	C. Guerin	2 20
6223	Joseph Gray	2 20
6224	Simon Paul	2 20
6225	L A Dautremont	2 20
6226	E A Moran	2 20
6227	C P Swanson	11 20
6229	J O Valdal	10 20
6239	Regis Huot	10 60
6231	Aug Larson	10 40
6232	Fred Anderson	11 00
4233	Nels Knutson	12 20
6234	Anton Sundael	11 20
6235	Peter Engelstad	11 40
6236	Jacob Boutain	10 60
6237	Paul Schoenauer	9 60
6238	Omer Delorme	10 00
6239	R H Green	14 00
6240	Wm M Erb	8 20
6241	Joseph Morissette	12 80
6242	John B Hebert	12 40
6243	W Schanno	13 20
6244	Rock Lefebvre	11 60
6245	H C Clement	9 80
6248	Chris Paulson	12 00
6907	H E Ives	8 40
6908	Emil Just	10 00
6909	Dan Latandresse	8 20
6910	Mat Erickson	12 00
6911	Chas Hallas	12 60
6912	Carl Johnson	10 40
6916	J E Bray	6 00
6917	M Boyce	6 00
6918	J B Demarias	6 00
6919	H B LaPlante	11 60
6920	Napoleon Delorme	6 00
6921	John Drier	6 00
6922	Nick Majeres	6 00
6924	Ed Enright	6 00
6932	Albert St Mars	6 00
6933	J J Donahue	17 00
6934	Marcel Patnode	12 60
6935	Wm Tyselling	12 60
6936	Emil Larson	15 20
6937	Oliver Paradis	13 60
6938	Allier Pouliot	11 20
6939	Olaf Larson	18 80
6940	J W Lynch	18 00
6941	M A Hatten	11 20
6942	And Johnson	13 60
6944	Iver Rustad	15 00
6946	Chas Ford	12 00
7005	Jas [illegible]	3 40
7011	Napo[illegible]arleau	5 00
7012	Emil Ju[illegible]	8 00
7018	Iver Rustad	10 00
7014	Ted O'Neill	6 00
7015	John Rison	8 00
7017	Geo Fink	4 00
7018	Chas Hallas	8 60
7019	M A Hatten	6 12
7020	Joseph Landa	5 60
7021	William Gallagher	4 80
7022	Emil Larson	9 20
7023	Dolphis Patnode	5 00
7024	H E Ives	8 40
7023	Chas McAnulty	4 12
7027	Lewis Weiss	6 00
7028	L A Dautremont	4 20
7030	Frank Glass	7 40
7035	Chas Perrault	3 00
7052	Oliver Paradis	14 60
7053	Chas Eklund	15 20
7034	Allier Pouliot	12 20
7055	And Johnson	14 60
7056	Olaf Larson	18 80
7057	Marcel Patnode	13 60
7058	Mat Erickson	16 00
7059	J W Lynch	18 00
7060	Wm Tysseling	13 60
7061	Chas Ford	13 00
7062	J J Donahue	18 00
7063	Dan Latandresse	12 20
7070	Carl Johnson	8 40
7071	A M Anderson	4 12
	Total	$848 36

CLERKS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5939	Joseph Perrault, clerk	$ 12 50
6056	do	7 90
6287	do	12 00
6469	do	252 75
6780	do	18 65
6857	do	3 00
7110	do	45 00
6261	Adam Zeh, deputy clerk	12 00
6959	do	22 30
7197	do	33 00
7148	do	18 00
	Total	[illegible]

SHERIFFS AND DEPUTIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5984	D Linnihan, sheriff	$107 79
6466	do	116 15
6610	do	169 57
5938	Geo Jarman, deputy sheriff	12 00
6262	Fred Zaiser, do	10 50
6779	E J Sullivan, sheriff Polk county	2 40
6903	A Robillard, deputy sheriff	12 00
6930	John Marleau, do	3 00
6945	John Kivel, do	21 00
6951	E A Moran, do	3 00
6956	Fred Zaiser do	19 50
7073	do do	19 50
7078	John Kivel, do	31 50
	Total	$527 91

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6869	Geo Jarman	$ 3 40
6870	Anton Langseth	3 40
6871	E O Erickson	3 40
6872	Anton Gulseth	3 40
6873	E W Brouillet	1 12
6874	Jacob Pahlen	1 12
6875	John Gjerberg	1 12
6878	Adam Zeh	1 12
6879	Frank Doyea	1 12
6880	Mrs Beausoliel	1 12
6882	Frank Cernousek	3 40
6883	W E Baker	3 40
6884	A C Douglas	3 40
6886	Chris Hall	2 44
6887	Minnie Clyton	2 44
6888	T J Britt	40 24
7008	Dr I Lemieux	6 12
7009	Dr G A Morley	10 00
7010	T J Britt	42 24
	Total	$134 80

JAILOR'S SALARY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6739	D Linnihan	$ 65 00
7093	do	56 00
7168	do	31 00
	Total	$152 00

BOARDING PRISONERS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6774	D Linnihan	$66 12

JUSTICE COURT EXPENSES

JUSTICE FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5985	A P Toupin	$ 31 60
6159	S A Swanson	5 40
6471	O N Skomedal	4 45
6472	S A Swanson	16 75
6618	A P Toupin	15 40
6771	O H Peters	3 60
6774	A P Toupin	18 90
	Total	$96 10

JURORS' FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5992	Joseph Sally	$ 2 00
5993	Aug Krueger	2 00
5994	Wm M Erb	2 00
5995	O A Henderson	2 00
5996	Otto Zaiser	2 00
5997	J R Pouliot	2 00
5990	J R Fortier	2 00
5999	Wm Krueger	2 00
6000	Wm Zaiser	2 00
6001	J B Demarais	2 00
6152	H J Kaufer	2 00
6453	Wm Schwaien	2 00
6454	Ed Bray	2 00
6455	H J Kaufer	2 00
6456	J F Mathews	2 00
6457	Joseph Sally	2 00
6458	Otto Zaiser	2 00
6459	J B Demarais	2 00
6460	Nap Pouliot	2 00
6461	F C Burgdorf	2 00
6462	Adam Schmitz	2 00
6463	Peter K Olson	2 00
6464	Fred Burgdorf	1 00
6624	Simon Paul	2 00
	Total	$47 00

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5986	Samuel Cunningham	$ 3 12
5987	Alf Walswick	1 24
5988	H Williams	1 24
5989	Ernest Walswick	1 24
5990	Adam Zeh	1 12
5991	Clara Ramsdell	1 12
6153	Mrs Elesta Allison	1 36
6154	Andrew Anderson	1 12
6625	Fred Lehrer	5 52
6626	Clem P Mercier	1 48
6627	Henry Busse	5 52
6620	Helen Mostrom	4 40
6782	E W Brouillet	1 12
6783	Albert Mostrom	4 40
	Total	$34 00

CONSTABLE AND SHERIFF FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6465	Geo Jarman	$ 17 30
6620	do	2 40
6621	Arthur Roy	3 25
6622	E A Moran	6 05
6772	Chris Hall	12 94
6777	D Linnihan	153 66
6778	Geo Jarman	31 17
	Total	$226 78

MUNICIPAL COURT COSTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6042	J M Bishop	$ 6 30
6316	do	12 30
6499	do	4 30
6615	do	10 45
6691	do	20 70
6698	do	2 20
	Total	$59 25

PROBATE COURT EXPENSES

MEDICAL EXAMINERS' FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6115	Dr J C Wilkinson	$ 7 65
6119	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6303	Dr J Gendron	7 65
6305	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6320	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6321	do	7 65
6335	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6350	Dr N M Watson	7 65
6982	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
6983	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
6984	do	15 30
6985	Dr N M Watson	15 30
6999	Dr I Lemieux	7 65
7076	Dr J C Wilkinson	7 65
7139	do	5 20
7140	Dr I Lemieux	5 20
7141	Dr H Grundy	11 00
	Total	$143 80

WITNESS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6364	R H Duntley	$ 2 44
6861	George Olson	2 80
6862	Gust Swandby	9 60
6863	Ingeborg Helland	2 80
6864	Nels Helland	2 80
6992	A E Sorenson	2 26
7002	J C Mathews	2 40
	Total	$25 18

MISCELLANEOUS FEES—INSANITY CASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6117	D Linnihan, bringing patient before the court	$ 9 85
6295	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	38 02
6296	Edward Peterson, asst. conveying patient to hospital	27 88
6317	L T Bergh, conveying patient to hospital	36 13
6318	Mrs Chas Fellman, asst. conveying patient to hospitel	28 87
6330	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	41 03
6331	Edward Enright, asst. conveying patient to hospital	30 97
6991	Adam Zeh, asst. conveying patient to hospital	23 42
6997	D Linnihan, conveying patient to hospital	39 92
7000	D Linnihan, bringing patient into court and subpœnaing witnesses	12 10
7001	do do	8 40
7137	Geo Jarman, bringing patient into court	10 40
	Total	$307 02

RENT OF COURT HOUSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5981	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake Falls	$ 40 00
6112	do	40 00
6259	do	40 00
6377	do	40 00
6419	do	40 00
6447	First State Bank, Red Lake Falls	10 67
6527	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake Falls	40 00
6614	do	40 00
6708	do	40 00
6737	do	40 00
6967	do	40 00
7091	do	40 00
7177	do	40 00
	Total	$490 67

FIRE WARDENS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6003	David Haugen	$ 2 00
6450	Andrew Johnson	2 50
6451	John S Smith	8 50
6452	X Sauve	2 00
6642	Louis Parenteau	4 75
6645	Samuel Sabourin	6 75
6646	Alcide Perrasse	75
	Total	$27 25

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

No. of warrant	To whom issued / For what purpose	Amount
6002	Dr H Grundy, quarantining	$ 5 00
6061	Town of Poplar River, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
4276	Town of Lambert, one-half expenses refunded	10 00
6474	Town of Wyandotte, one-half expenses refended	2 50
	Total	$27 50

BOARD OF AUDIT

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6010	James Sutrr	$ 3 00
6011	James E Ford	3 00
6155	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6467	James E Ford	3 00
6468	Joseph Perrault	3 00
6477	Wm C L Demann	3 00
	Total	$18 00

CORONER'S INQUESTS

CORONER'S FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6009	Dr H Grundy	$17 00
6629	do	30 10
6840	do	34 60
	Total	$81 70

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6680	Swan Olson	$ 1 12
6740	John Dalson	1 12
6742	John Aas	1 12
6743	Mikkel Bakken	1 24
4744	Seigart Bakken	1 24
6745	August Anderson	2 12
4744	Dr Geo Tupper	5 12
	Total	$13 08

JURY FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
4747	Ole Jacobsen	$ 1 12
6748	Swan Severson	1 12
6748	S T Johnson	1 12
6750	Aug Stenseth	1 12
	Total	$4 48

TELEPHONE SERVICE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6004	W A Schreitrr	$30 00
5032	J E Ford, long distance calls	2 80
6163	O T Taudberg	2 30
6448	W A Schreiter	20 00
6631	do	10 00
6798	do	15 00
6838	D Linnihan	8 80
6839	J E Ford	1 55
	Total	$90 45

LIGHTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6005	Red Lake Falls El. Light Co.	$10 35
6151	do	16 50
6271	do	8 00
6449	do	16 00
6630	do	16 00
6037	do	16 00
	Total	$82 85

FUEL

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6008	Adam Zeh	$168 00

ELECTION EXPENSES

CARRYING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6769	Hans J Pederson	$3 40
6770	Samuel Sabourin	3 20
6810	H L Dudley	1 20
6811	Chas Gustafson	1 60
6812	C Retallick	1 20
6813	John Fuller	1 20
6814	Herman Ortloff	4 00
6815	A S Wilson	3 40
6816	O J Tweet	2 70
6817	A L Reichert	1 20
6818	John C Mathews	1 20
6819	N A Nelson	3 80
6820	Thas Daugherty	2 40
6821	Geo Walker	1 80
6822	Albert Dreger	2 80
6823	H E Gusa	1 60
6824	Michael Kees	1 20
6825	E K Gjernes	1 64
6826	Antoine Lambert	1 00
6827	Joseph Pigeon	1 50
6828	A D Berry	2 60
6829	Martin T Smerud	1 20
6830	C P Swanson	1 54
	Total	$47 38

MISCELLANEOUS ELECTION EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6834	John E King, printing ballots	$144 40
6638	Miller-Davis Printing Co., blanks and supplies	62 66
	Total	$207 06

CANVASSING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6786	A P Toupin	$ 6 20
6787	K O Gigstad	8 40
6788	F J Cernousek	10 00
6789	S L Lewis	6 20
6790	Joseph Perrault	6 20
	Total	$37 00

PRUCURING PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6791	H E Gusa	$ 1 30
6792	Lewis Sail	2 00
6793	A J Hemstad	3 20
6794	A S Anderson	3 80
6795	P A Eckstrom	4 00
6796	A D Berry	2 60
6797	O T Romsos	2 60
6799	K O Gigstad	3 40
6800	Lars Backe	1 10
6801	P Enbelstad	2 00
6802	T H Carver	1 80
6803	Arthur Laniel	1 00
6804	Ernest J Akerlund	1 10
6805	Nels K Anderson	3 00
6806	O J Johnson	3 00
6807	G J Nordhagen	2 40
6800	Olaf Tande	1 40
6809	J L Cossette	3 20
	Total	$42 90

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6025	St Hilaire Spectator	$ 31 74
6149	Red Lake Courier	5 40
6150	St Hilaire Spectator	9 09
6430	Sam S Haislet	3 60
6431	Red Lake Falls Gazette	13 50
6432	do	60 60
6433	do	568 06
6835	John E King	[illegible]
6836	Review Ptg Co	[illegible]
	Total	[illegible]

BLANK BOOKS, BLANKS, STATIONERY AND SUPPLIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6014	Free Press Ptg Co	19 50
6015	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 25
6016	Pioneer Press Co	24 00
6017	Red Lake Courier	33 00
6018	Geo D Barnard & Co	43 00
6019	Red Lake Falls Gazette	14 00
6020	McGill-Warner Co	12 25
6021	A L Reichert	6 25
6022	Mpls Stamp & Stencil Co	1 50
6023	W E McKenzie	5 45
6140	Free Press Ptg Co	18 00
6141	Pioneer Press Co	75 00
6142	do	6 20
6143	W E McKenzie	70 40
6144	Geo D Barnard & Co	26 50
6145	McGill-Warner Co	18 55
6146	W M Welch & Co	25 25
6147	John C Mathews	2 25
6148	Red Lake Courier	22 25
6269	Pioneer Press Co	4 25
6270	Free Press Ptg Co	20 25
6434	Pioneer Press Co	17 45
6435	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	11 82
6436	C F Greenwood	2 00
6437	W E McKenzie	11 25
6438	A L Reichert	36 85
6439	Sam S Haislet	35 50
6440	Blymyer Bros	1 50
6441	John E King	37 00
6442	Free Press Ptg Co	27 80
6632	W E McKenzie	30 00
6633	Red Lake Falls Gazette	21 25
6634	Anderson & Healy	40 00
6635	W A Schreiter	1 65
6636	W M Welch & Co	11 00
6637	Pioneer Press Co	44 20
6639	Free Press Ptg Co	23 30
6831	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	22 50
6831	Pioneer Press Co	14 60
6833	Free Press Ptg Co	55 00
	Total	$860 68

WOLF BOUNTY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5927	Julius Mossestad	$ 7 50
5930	Victor F Sandstrom	7 50
5935	Henry Cyr	7 50
5941	Vital Desrosier	7 50
5944	Gudor Hagen	7 50
5946	Louis Plante	7 50
5947	Henry Lemieux	7 50
5952	Wm Vague	7 50
5953	Ole Pederson	30 00
5956	O W Brink	7 50
5957	Berlet Haga	7 50
5966	Charley Nelson	7 50
5967	Wm Rose	7 50
5969	John G Hagen	7 50
5970	Richard Larson	7 50
5971	Richard Dubuque	15 00
6038	Louis Halvorsen	7 50
6040	Julien Guerrard	7 50
6041	George Boutain	7 50
6048	John Forske	7 50
6049	Willie Dempsey	7 50
6079	Gilbert Skjervas	7 50
6081	Eli Boutain	7 50
6092	Pedei Johnson	7 50
6101	Mike Madden	15 00
6102	Ole J Pleton	7 50
6165	Oluf O Juberg	7 50
6166	Chas G Leader	7 50
6167	Frank C Busch	7 50
6174	Gust Konikson	22 50
6306	Ole Peterson	15 00
6353	Peter Roerig	7 50
6354	Victor Brink	7 50
6367	Mike Madden	15 00
6378	Gilbert Skjerva	7 50
6331	Knut Olson	7 50
6383	Mike Madden	7 50
6395	Aug E Amundson	11 50
6396	Carl Nelson	9 00
6409	Ole Norveson	4 00
6424	Albert Sevra	7 00
4679	Wm Rose	7 50
6759	do	7 50
6953	Mike Ault	7 50
6977	John G Hagen	7 50
6994	do	7 50
7014	Mikkel L Kjos	7 50
7051	C A Parnell	7 50
7074	Albert Nettleland	7 50
7079	P B Gaass	7 50
7113	Joachim Rose	7 50
	Total	$451 50

REPORTING BIRTHS AND DEATHS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6034	A D Berry	$ 7 50
6051	N M Watson	14 50
6052	A F Blomburgh	9 25
6053	Lars Backe	16 75
6054	P A Eckstrom	1 25
6055	E J Akerlund	2 00
6056	A J Hemstad	1 25
6057	Lewis Sall	3 50
6058	O Tande	4 50
6059	A Patnode	25
6060	T H Carver	50
6061	T Grandbois	1 00
6062	Moses Ducharme	3 50
6063	Louis Doucet	6 50
6064	J L Finke	25
6065	G J Nordhagen	1 50
6066	H E Gusa	50
6067	O Larson	3 25
6068	O T Romsos	2 50
6069	J B Hebert	2 00
6070	Arthur Laniel	5 50
6071	Ildaige Baril	2 50
6072	A S Anderson	2 75
6073	F T Satre	1 00
6074	P Engelstad	3 25
6075	N K Anderson	3 75
6076	O Tessier	50
6077	O J Johnson	1 25
6157	Joseph Perrault	30
6342	N M Watson	1 00
6343	A D Berry	1 50
6344	Moses Ducharme	25
6345	Lewis Sall	75
6346	Olaf Tande	1 00
6347	Arthur Laniel	75
6348	P Engelstad	25
6349	Lars Backe	1 50
6390	Olaf Larson	25
6406	A F Blomburgh	1 25
6470	Joseph Perrault	7 10
	Total	$187 65

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5954	J W Wallin, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	$438 28
5955	Ovide Emard, city treasurer, refundment acct contagious disease expenses	738 30
6006	Thief River Falls Lumber Co., lumber for repairing vault	3 50
6007	Frank E Hunt, stoves and hardware	17 40
6012	Joseph Sally, moving safe in Taeasuree's office	1 00
6013	Diebold Safe & Lock Co., expert opening Treasurer's safe	52 00
6014	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	28 98
6158	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 00
6160	J B McGinnis, asst. Co Supt 3 days	9 00
6272	F A Grady, insurance prem	44 00
6273	Adam Zeh do	39 00
6174	Theo LaBissoniere, kerosene	60
6275	F A Grady, transcrip evidence in criminal case	4 50
6398	Imperial Drug Co., refundm't special dog tax	68
6443	N W Tarrant, rec. neglected records in Probate office	77 42
6444	B Puschinsky, rep. chair Reg. of Deeds' office	75
6445	Agnes Sampson, cleaning jail	15 00
6446	F A Grady, expenses of Co. Att'y case of State vs P & J Meehan	11 30
6473	Samuel Gibeau, list of real estate mortgages for assessment; report of forec. decrees and foreclosures; rec. town treasurers' bonds	36 40
6603	Red Lake Co. Ag. Ass'n, appropriation	250 00
6623	Wm Krueger, meals for jurors	3 00
6640	E E Havick, assess. Ass't Dis. No. 2	1 00
6641	Ole A Aubol, assess. Ass't Dis No. 1	10 00
6647	Fritz Gerke, material and labor repairing vault	19 25
6648	Eli Lasha, mat. and labor repairing jail	19 00
6693	Oliver Paradis, ref. spec. dog tax	48
6754	Jas J Dow, Supt., clothing, etc. for A Hendrickson at School for Blind	34 03
6754	A C Rogers, Supt., clothing, etc., for Ralph Swenson and Josephine Morovek at School for Feeble Minded	36 52
6775	A P Toupin, drawing jurors	3 20
6781	F A Grady, exp. Co. Att'y case State vs. McMann	8 15
6784	Samuel Gibeau, rec. town treas. bonds	1 85
6785	Lydia E Fletcher, asst. Co. Supt. 3 days	9 00
6841	Torrison Bros., undertaking fees, supposed murder of Hilding Olson	25 00
6842	Frank Tilton, digging grave, etc., remains Hilding Olson	7 00
6843	John C Mathews, cleaning jail	3 00
6844	Jas Brady, repairing jail	2 00
6845	W A Reichel, photos of prisoners	6 50
6856	Jas E Ford, Government envelopes, postage and express	34 46
	Total	[illegible]

County Poor Fund

RECEIPTS

Taxes collected	$1456 20
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	703 57
Total	$2159 77

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6162	Hans Frederickson,	boarding P Freeman and caring for stock	53 00
6486	F D Patterson,	med attend. on paupers	20 00
	Overdraft, Jan. 2, 1904		2066 79
	Error		19 98
	Total		$2159 77

Bond and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$1216 67
Taxes collected	3376 41
Total	$4593 08

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$2178 41
Transferred to Special Bond and Interest Fund	336 61
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	2078 06
Total	$4593 08

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5949	Joseph Perrault	$ 56
5951	A P Toupin	37
5959	H B Kaufer	1 84
5960	First Nat Bk, T. R. Falls	25
5964	W E McKenzie	2 01
5968	N M Watson	2 10
5983	John Power	10
6036	A Paquin	06
6039	B Christianson	3 48
6043	Mer. State B'k, Red Lake F	138 03
6044	O T Tandberg	7 78
6046	First State Bank, Red Lake F	91 57
6050	Thore Nelson	16 50
6083	Chas E Boughton	22
6086	A C Rogers, Supt	1 65
6087	H D Boardson	13
6094	N M Watson	32
6096	J Gendron	12
6120	W M Welch & Co	90
6124	Red Lake Falls Elec L'ht Co	2 10
6130	Octave Lafaive	54
6131	L K Moen	10
6138	O T Romsos	08
6168	John Naplin	40
6170	W P Johnston	1 12
6171	McGill-Warner Co	56
6172	Jas J Dow, Supt	87
6248	First State Bank, St. Hilaire	1 55
6292	Gunder Gunstenson	14
6311	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	3 21
6313	W A Sorsoleil	15
6332	Mchts Nat. Bank, Crookston	1 00
6333	do	8 80
6355	Geo E Harris	31
6380	Chase Nat. Bank	1 50
6385	Pioneer Press Co	2 30
6386	Scandia Am. Bank, Crookston	85
6387	Mankato State Bank	2 25
6391	First State Bank, Red Lake F	630 00
6399	Mchts " "	17 20
6404	A S Anderson	49
6426	J W Wheeler, cashier	39
6503	First State Bank, Red Lake F	38
6507	Mchts " "	400 00
6517	State of Minn	120 00
6570	First State Bank, Red Lake F	560 00
6584	J N Tate, Supt	69
6598	Frank E Hunt	18
6616	First State Bank, Red Lake F	2 79
6673	Cit. State Bank, T. R. F	1 65
6681	K O Gigstad, cashier	57
6682	Paul Mathews	95
6685	Mer. State Bank, Red Lake F	240 00
6859	A D Berry	17
7004	First State Bank, St Hilaire	7 13
	Total	$2178 41

Road and Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1903	$2580 98
Tax collections	1968 59
Donations	250 00
Liquor licenses	1250 00
Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1904	385 57
Total	$6434 14

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per following itemized schedule	$6434 14

WARRANTS PAID

APPROPRIATIONS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what Town	Amount
6080	Louis Falardeau,	Lambert	$150 00
6676	Leonard Holmes,	St. Hilaire	300 00
6678	Simon Sutter,	Red Lake Falls Tp	85 00
6925	George Orr,	Gervais	50 00
6987	Wm Schaper,	Lake Pleasant	175 00
6989	Simon Sutter,	Red Lake Falls Tp	75 00
7069	Cyrille Lussier,	Aoplar River	100 00
7105	H R Kolseth,	Wyandotte	75 00
7106	do	do	75 00
	Total		$1085 00

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6084	Geo Walker	$40 00
6085	Pierre Emard Jr	14 00
6088	Eli Emard	55 20
6090	Eli Emard, trustee	30 00
6091	Ovide Emard	30 00
6093	Andrew Bisson	20 00
6098	Alex Emard	20 09
6100	E E & Millie Fletcher	34 80
	Total	$244 09

BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6129	James Brady,	piers at Terrebonne bridge	$ 600 00
6197	do	do	380 00
6340	Northw Bridge Co.,	rep. Thief River Falls Bridge	1325 00
6845	James Brady,	extra work Terrebonne piers	91 94
6602	James Brady,	bridge across Black River, in Polk Center	350 00
6753	Kankel & Zeigler,	rep. Terrebonne bridge	305 00
6980	D Linnidan,	Red Lake Falls steel bridge, part payment	2000 00
	Total		$5051 94

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6264	Joseph Rose,	inspecting plans for bridge	$25 00
6484	James E Ford,	rec. county road proceedings	23 70
6643	Samuel Miller,	assisting in survey	2 25
6644	Levi Miller	do	2 25
	Total		$53 20

Incidental Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 4 41
Transferred from County Revenue Fd	300 00
Total	$304 41

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized schedule following	$239 18
Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904	65 23
Total	$304 41

WARRANTS PAID

POSTAGE AND EXPRESS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5923	N W Tarrant	$ 2 00
5924	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
5931	G N Exp Co	40
5933	do	1 00
5937	James E Ford	8 00
5942	Joseph Perrault	6 65
5962	O T Tandberg	10 04
5965	Ed Bray	1 16
6023	N W Tarrant	2 00
6037	Frank Jeffers	6 47
6095	James E Ford	1 75
6099	O T Tandberg	5 00
6116	N W Tarrant	2 00
6118	G N Exp Co	45
6122	Frank Jeffers	2 50
6127	James E Ford	5 00
6132	G N Exp Co	60
6289	Samuel Gibeau	8 25
6290	G N Exp Co	40
6291	Frank Jeffers	5 00
6294	Joseph Sally	3 50
6308	N W Taerant	2 00
6312	J L Tracy, agent	1 25
6320	do	40
6165	do	70
6389	Samuel Gibeau	40
6401	N W Tarrant	2 00
6410	Joseph Sally	3 30
6421	J L Tracy, agent	1 10
6428	Joseph Perrault	7 91
6481	Samuel Gibeau	22 75
6482	O T Tandberg	23 27
6483	James E Ford	7 35
6405	N W Tarrant	2 00
6512	Frank Jeffers	7 17
6557	James E Ford	10 77
6595	O T Tandberg	1 30
6596	do	12 37
6617	Joseph Sally	1 10
6663	Frank Jeffers	2 70
6689	do	5 00
6692	J L Tracy, agent	2 25
6711	N W Tarrant	5 00
6712	Samuel Gibeau	9 00
6716	Joseph Perrault	5 33
6767	Joseph Sally	3 00
6768	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
6867	do	4 85
6868	Frank Jeffers	5 25
6981	J L Tracy, agent	2 15
7126	do	75
7149	Samuel Gibeau	4 00
7115	Joseph Sally	2 25
7167	Frank Jeffers	2 24
	Total	$239 18

Redemption Fund

RECEITTS

Balance Jan. 1, 1904	$ 128 26
Redemptions	1800 37
Total	$1928 66

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants paid per itemized statement following	$1800 95
Cr. balance December 31, 1904	118 71
Total	$1928 66

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5926	W W Prichard	11 03
5940	Wm M Erb	19 97
6186	Samuel Gibeau	5 60
6283	W G Bosworth	11 54
6336	E M Perrault	68 98
6356	Joseph Gray	3 50
6384	J W Wheeler	10 88
6388	Minnie K Norton	39 39
6405	W W Prichard	3 57
6407	Wm Higinbotham	21 05
6408	G Vandertunk	30 16
6422	John A Dapy	24 97
6489	J A Duffy	18 78
6491	G Vandertunk	17 66
6493	Andrew Stenseth	33 27
6494	J A Duffy	98 54
6501	Leo Steinert	17 28
6561	W S Short	26 25
6576	N E Gaass	30 70
6686	J W Wheeler	13 77
6714	do	35 26
6715	J K O Sherwood	49 78
6717	J A Duffy	44 70
6718	Wm M Erb	19 91
6756	M V Evenson	367 38
6762	J A Duffy	43 58
6763	Wm M Erb	15 99
6764	A D Stephens, agt	38 81
6765	do	40 35
6773	Chas D Mattson	46 20
6860	J W Wheeler	22 81
6865	J A Duffy	20 89
6929	Wm M Erb	26 04
6969	Mary S Hodgson	43 39
6973	N E Gaass	31 79
6995	Wm M Erb	29 12
6996	G Vandertunk	29 88
7026	W S Short	26 84
7031	J A Duffy	22 67
7100	W W Prichard	86 79
7101	A D Stephens	113 24
7119	J W Wheeler	17 72
7127	J A Duffy	10 10
7129	do	26 90
7144	do	18 19
7125	W W Prichard	12 69
7154	Martina Lee	3 68
7156	G Vandertunk	52 35
	Total	$1809 95

General Ditch Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 2, 1904	$ 9501 19
Collections, ditch taxes	13024 92
Proceeds bond issue	6519 86
Warrants surrendered and cancelled	225 00
Error	50
Overdraft Dec. 31, 1904	1102 05
Total	$30373 51

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued, per following itemized schedule	$16373 51
Transferred to County Revenue Fund	14000 00
Total	$30373 51

WARRANTS PAID

EXCAVATING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6588	John Freeman	$ 473 00
6589	Wm Eickhoff	1500 00
6590	Gjernes & Hokenson	400 00
6591	do	250 00
6592	A F Anderson	200 00
6720	John Carlson	453 00
6122	A F Anderson	500 00
6723	Theodore Halvorsen	2500 00
6724	Gjernes & Hokenson	159 00
6725	do	1350 00
6726	K M Hansen	140 00
6727	Sauve, Parenteau & Perusse	202 00
6738	J W Lynch	100 00
6752	E A Moran	175 00
6760	LaBissoniere & Findeisen, bondsmen	963 07
6761	X Sauve	104 47
6125	E Perusse	77 03
	Total	$9537 57

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6360	Red Lake Falls Gazette	$21 60
6425	do	24 66
	Total	$46 26

RIGHT OF WAY

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6599	Carrie J Kordale	$39 84
6600	Anton A Aubol	65 07
6601	P O Hagglund	13 92
	Total	$117 13

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No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6661	James Sutor	$12 70
6665	O J Johnson	14 70
6666	Wm C L Demann	18 70
6667	Louis Falardeau	12 80
6850	Wm C L Demann	36 30
6851	O J Johnson	36 30
6852	James Sutor	30 30
6853	Louis Falarneau	10 80
	Total	$171 [illegible]

ENGINEERS FEES AND EXPENSE

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6184	Geo A Ralph	$ 5 60
6669		34 52
6854		73 65
	Total	$113 77

VIEWERS FEES AND EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6357	Joseph Pigeon	$59 66
6358	Olaf Tande	40 90
6359	Ed L Stowe	40 90
	Total	$141 46

INTEREST ON BONDS AND WARRANTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5929	First State Bank Red Lake Falls	$ 296 15
5932		3 50
5943	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	14 40
6045	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	108 65
6114	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	2145 03
6176	First State Bk Red Lake Falls	29 47
6191	Merchants State Bk Red Lake Falls	141 45
6208		49 90
6382	First " " " "	450 03
6496	Merchants " " " "	178 75
6709	First " " " "	360 08
6710	Merchants " " " "	2145 00
7157		178 75
	Total	$6100 56

MISC EXPENSES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6668	James Suter, team hire	$ 8 00
6670	E K Giernes, timber for bridge across Garne & Emardville ditch	36100
6671	T O Smiley, witness fees ditch 21	22 00
6672	J E Ford, Auditor's fees ditch No. 21	23 33
6855	J E Carroll, witness fees ditch 21	24 32
6885	J K Hanney, Atty. for Pltfs., costs appeal case ditch No. 21	31 90
	Total	$145 55

Special Bond and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Jan. 2, 3904	$5991 27
Tax collections	658 94
Transferred from Bond and Int. Fund	336 61
Total	$6985 92

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
7133	Treas. of Polk Co., principal and interest on bonds	$6985 92

Court House and Jail Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$390 73
Tax collections	999 43
Total	$1390 16

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6031	Aug Morin,	calcimining jail	$ 11 90
	Error in Warrant No. 1484		10
	Cr. balance		$1378 16
	Total		$1390 16

Current School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 600 73
State apportionment	12080 75
Interest, penalty and costs on real estate taxes	1197 08
Fines Justice court	42 35
Total	$13920 91

DISBURSEMENTS.

Distributed to school	$13303 03
Credit balance	617 88
Total	$13920 91

Taxes & Penalties Account

RECEIPTS

Balance Jan. 2, 1904	$ 8049 70
Collections	105198 71
Error	9 62
Total	$113258 03

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5982	Sam Lambert, refundment	3 78
6498	L B Arnold, "	99 36
6677	Paul Ostby, "	4 50
7108	Gerome Longtin, "	2 35
	Taxes and penalties distributed	104113 54
	Balance undistributed Dec 31, 1904	9024 88
	Error	9 62
	Total	$113258 03

Warrants Account

RECEIPTS

Warrants outstanding Jan. 2, 1904	$ 25993 92
By error	20 94
Warrants issued	140045 37
Total	$166060 23

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants redeemed by Co. Treasurer	$ 161423 65
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1905	4646 58
Total	$166060 23

State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS

Balance January 2, 1904	$ 2 40
Taxes collected	6012 20
Total	$6014 90

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
5958	State of Minn.,	hunters' licenses	$ 2 70
6193	do	taxes collected	2160 21
6552	do	do	2639 76
7080	do	do	1212 23
	Total		$6014 90

State Lands Fund

RECEIPTS

Collections of principal and interest due on State lands	$4938 68
Balance Jan. 2, 1904	131 80
Total	$5070 56

DISBURSEMENTS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
6194	State of Minnesota,	collections	$ 590 10
6553	do	do	3392 96
7001	do	do	837 35
	Cr. balance Dec. 31, 1904		250 15
	Total		$5070 56

School District Fund

WARRANTS PAID

No. of warrant	To whom issued		Dist No.	Amount
5928	H Bragge Jr		228	$103 67
5934	Raphael Trudeau		191	87 06
5936	Ole O Vattendahl		204	21 37
5948	Felix Anderson		94	187 19
5950	Wm Tysseling		43	30 94
5961	H O Wiken		221	2 42
6035	A S Anderson		133	99 12
6047	Ed Enright		108	51 74
6070	A Wels		73	124 48
6097	E M Hoff		102	621 91
6113	G Swanson		210	66 97
6123	Andrew Bodin		5	19 70
6125	Joseph Laurent		81	50 00
6126	Thos Crompe		15	1500 00
6128	A Thompson		16	10 50
6139	Carl Gerlach		63	101 86
6173	Octave Beauchene		153	240 35
6175	Jacob Thill		1	202 73
6177	Haldor Erickson		2	115 93
6178	Phillip Gibeau		9	156 38
6179	Andrew Ekland		135	89 08
6180	Joseph Brokmann		151	117 55
6182	C F Elvidge		12	100 21
6183	Andrew Johnson		127	181 93
6184	T A Crompe		15	1421 79
6185	Nels Lolland		13	152 33
6187	H H Finrow		115	83 88
6189	Emery Dion		7	16 46
6192	Alfred Dohlstrom		106	82 33
6198	Frank Grenier		103	91 46
6200	Martin Foldoe		233	115 74
6201	A E Anderson		180	102 20
6202	A J Hemstad		214	148 93
6203	Jacob Boutain		17	141 23
6204	Fred Anderson		148	146 50
6205	Lars P Brandrud		125	119 08
6206	W A Swanson	"	19	185 10
6209	Regis Gognon	"	27	212 32
6210	Ole Larson	"	166	70 89
6211	Geo Marchildon	"	216	100 07
6212	Joseph Brohmann	"	151	24 45
6214	August Swenson	"	178	121 12
6216	A Thompson	"	16	68 62
6219	Emil E Zeb	"	18	5780 20
6228	J F Matthews	"	48	149 56
6247	Bergt Swenson	"	194	106 06
6260	H H Finrow	"	115	22 82
6263	C F Elvidge	"	12	19 56
6277	Maximillien Perras	"	103	202 28
6280	Jacob Thill	"	1	84 76
6281	Haldor Erickson	"	2	60 31
6284	T H Crompe	"	15	904 95
6285	E M Huff	"	102	1157 89
6288	Michael Rees	"	167	195 08
6297	L C Cadieux	"	79	717 61
6299	Halvor O Wiken	"	221	90 06
6300	Sam Person	"	99	74 30
6301	C F Stenhammer	"	208	67 49
6302	Wm Tysseling	"	43	81 20
6304	Harold Bugge	"	228	73 87
6306	John Reinschmidt	"	80	96 03
6309	M P Bokken	"	165	136 42
6314	Annie Emard	"	112	170 65
6315	Joseph Laurent	"	81	106 60
6319	Magnus Winberg	"	147	163 93
6324	Amond K Vindlos	"	21	9 55
6325	Anton Peterson	"	6	154 68
6326	J S Koy	"	227	151 60
6327	Phillip Gibeau	"	9	63 57
6328	Francis Lambert	"	76	170 67
6334	Ferd Gather	"	124	86 40
6337	Joseph Pigeon	"	141	166 09
6338	Sever Maaren	"	20	76 26
6339	Rasmus Aaseby	"	149	83 66
6341	Andrew Soderberg	"	54	152 74
6351	Edward Enright	"	108	97 82
6352	Eli Lasha	"	40	112 12
6361	Narcisse Robidoux	"	126	71 08
6362	Joseph Robidoux	"	14	77 80
6363	Amie Carriere	"	45	10 86
6366	Frank Hagl	"	49	103 31
6392	John Jacobson	"	24	66 95
9393	Chas Seeger	"	88	101 91
6394	John Kelberg	"	219	74 07
6400	Joseph Martell	"	36	86 10
6402	A S Anderson	"	133	109 96
6403	Andrew Bodin	"	5	70 09
6420	Ole J Haaven	"	11	132 25
6423	James Honce	"	32	121 74
6490	Paul Schoenauer	"	4	93 13
6492	Ole O Vattendahl	"	204	45 42
6497	Chas G Sall	"	10	237 78
6500	Regis Gagnon	"	27	87 35
6502	H H Finrow	"	115	117 39
6505	Maximillien Perras	"	103	189 45
6506	Michael Kees	"	167	107 02
6508	Jacob Boutain	"	17	59 15
6509	Emil E Zeh	"	18	3713 35
6510	John A Reinschmidt	"	80	135 20
6511	Fred Anderson	"	148	115 56
6513	Thos A Crompe	"	15	2651 53
6514	A Welo	"	73	75 81
6515	Jacob Thill	"	1	128 74
6516	Geo Marchildon	"	216	185 87
6529	Benght Severson Jr	"	194	61 82
6530	Frank G elver	"	130	116 02
6531	Haldor Erickson	"	2	82 94
6532	A E Anderson	"	100	167 30
6533	C F Stenhammer	"	208	60 16
6534	C F Elvidge	"	12	79 65
6536	Andrew Eklund	"	135	99 79
6539	Lars P Brandrud	"	125	273 27
6540	A Thompson	"	16	103 17
6541	G Swanson	"	210	178 19
6542	W A Swanson	"	19	75 87
6543	Ole Larson	"	166	191 29
6544	Joseph Brohmann	"	151	182 89
6548	Phillip Gibeau	"	9	132 17
6549	Sam Person	"	99	119 56
6551	M Winberg	"	147	290 54
6554	Paul Schoenouer	"	4	193 16
6558	Carl Gerlach	"	63	241 41
6559	August Swenson	"	178	132 79
6662	J F Mathews	"	48	33 41
6663	Joseph Robidoux	"	14	154 16
6664	Annie Emard	"	112	105 92
6666	James Hance	"	32	135 69
6667	Andrew Johnson	"	127	145 83
6668	Frank Hagl	"	49	53 22
6669	Narcisse Robidoux	"	126	66 73
6672	Sever Moaren	"	20	41 79
6677	Rasmus Aaseby	"	149	72 22
6678	Martin Foldoe	"	233	92 33
6680	Chas Seeger	"	88	142 68
6683	Octave Beauchene	"	153	204 06
6686	Joseph Laurent	"	81	153 68
6693	A S Anderson	"	133	109 32
6674	Aug Soderberg	"	54	50 52
6675	Mauruis Miller	"	94	206 48
6683	H Haupt	"	227	258 19
6674	L R Thyoen	"	3	181 38
6687	L C Cadieux	"	79	191 26
6690	Emery Dion	"	7	65 05
6694	Raphael Trudeau	"	191	86 18
6695	Swan Wolhoug	"	11	145 16
6696	Louis Folardeau	"	76	153 01
6697	Chas G Soll	"	10	74 88
6713	Wm Tysseling	"	43	47 39
9719	A J Hemstad	"	214	98 33
6721	Joseph Pigeon	"	141	60 41
6741	John S Hanson	"	8	176 82
6751	E M Hoff	"	102	674 81
6757	H O Wiken	"	221	26 87
6758	Carl Gerlach	"	63	154 82
6766	John Jacobson	"	24	98 15
6848	Rnud Finstad	"	154	235 15
6858	Ferd Gother	"	124	75 69
6866	Ole O Vattendahl	"	204	61 77
6867	Chas Seeger	"	80	52 58
6877	T A Crompe	"	15	1333 62
6881	C F Stenhammer	"	208	64 53
6913	Sever Mooran	"	20	62 14
6914	Jacob Thill	"	1	97 99
6915	Emil E Zeh	"	18	1701 68
6925	C F Elvidge	"	12	50 19
6926	Joseph Martell	"	36	126 99
6927	Joseph Brohmann	"	151	43 02
6943	Emery Dion	"	7	20 29
6947	August Swenson	"	178	54 97
6948	Maurius Miller	"	94	107 55
6949	Phillip Gibeau	"	9	88 43
6952	Martin E Foldee	"	233	59 75
6954	Regis Gagnon	"	27	88 43
6755	Jacob Boutain	"	17	69 31
6957	Michael Kees	"	167	64 53
6968	Andrew Soderberg	"	54	76 48
6970	Alfred Dahlstrom	"	106	174 36
6971	Max Perras	"	103	59 75
6972	John Reinschmidt	"	80	38 24
6974	Halvor O Wiken	"	221	59 75
6975	H H Finrow	"	115	33 46
6976	Frank Hagl	"	49	7 17
6979	Anton Petterson	"	6	66 92
6986	I J Haeberle	"	23	57 36
6988	Eli Lasha	"	40	165 90
6990	A Welo	"	73	159 10
6993	G Swanson	"	210	62 14
6998	Leorril Gauthier	"	228	226 09
7006	Nels Lailand	"	13	249 28
7007	Fred Anderson	"	148	64 53
7032	Joseph Brohmann	"	151	70 66
7033	A E Anderson	"	180	57 30
7034	C F Stenhammer	"	208	121 02
7036	Ed Enright	"	108	63 81
7037	Halvor O Wiken	"	221	14 25
7038	John S Hanson	"	8	53 44
7039	Max Perras	"	103	89 20
7040	Lars P Brandrud	"	125	62 14
7041	Andrew Eklund	"	135	122 20
7042	Magnus Winberg	"	147	122 03
7043	Fred Anderson	"	148	32 78
7044	M P Bokken	"	165	84 35
7045	Ole Larson	"	166	93 64
7046	G Swanson	"	210	48 00
7047	John Kellberg	"	219	140 86
7050	Narcisse Robidoux	"	126	85 62
7064	Wm Tysseling	"	43	63 30
7065	Phillip Gibeau	"	9	59 96
7066	August Swenson	"	178	75 19
7072	A Thompson	"	16	82 51
7075	Nellie Walker	"	112	126 36
7077	Jacob Boutain	"	17	33 38
7094	Joseph Laurent	"	81	221 99
7096	H H Finrow	"	115	71 60
7097	Bengt Swenson	"	194	89 34
7098	Regis Gognon	"	27	113 25
7099	Haldor Erickson	"	2	79 09
7104	Ellef Grorlie	"	127	114 85
7109	J F Mathews	"	48 & 22	124 56
7112	Arnie Carriere	"	45	9 56
7114	Paul Schoenauor	"	4	55 98
7117	Martin E Foldoe	"	233	70 58
7118	J Thill	"	1	88 56
7120	John Reinschmidt	"	80	38 76
7121	Andrew Bodin	"	5	154 43
7122	Chas Perrault	"	32	158 15
7123	Louis Falardeau	"	76	232 42
7128	T A Crompe	"	15	1550 16
7130	Joseph Pigeon	"	141	112 72
7131	Chas G Soll	"	10	177 26
7132	A J Hemstad	"	214	122 38
7134	Eli Lasha	"	40	82 23
7135	Sam Person	"	99	128 97
7236	Celas Ragmour	"	130	114 09
7143	Swan Walhaug	"	11	22 53
7148	Joseph Robidoux	"	14	68 90
7150	C F Elvidge	"	12	53 94
7152	L C Cadieux	"	79	384 88
7153	Octave Beauchene	"	153	106 95
7155	Ferd Gother	"	124	87 72
7160	A S Anderson			87 56
7161	Anton Petterson			139 74
7163	Alfred Dahlstrom			51 60
7164	Geo Marchildon			175 61
7165	Raphael Trudeau			72 82
	Total			$48119 80

PAYMENTS TO STATE TREASURER ON ACCOUNT OF STATE LOANS

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
6518	State of Minnesota	$2063 82
6555	" "	334 58
6582	" "	110 00
	Total	$2508 40

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE FUNDS.

CITY, TOWN OR VILLAGE.	Debit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2 1904	Receipts from Tax Collections and Licenses	Total	Payments to Treasurers	Interest on Railway Bonds	Credit Balance Dec. 31 1904
Numedal		57 34	542 97	600 31	600 31		
Norden		44 09	469 85	513 94	513 94		
North		61 68	624 46	686 14	507 87		178 27
Bray		107 43	740 69	848 12	848 12		
Sanders			573 02	573 02	573 02		
Rocksbury			792 11	792 11	792 11		
Polk Center			806 17	806 17	678 89		127 28
Black River		103 74	368 20	471 94	471 94		
River Falls			838 71	838 71	838 71		
Wyandotte			470 47	470 47	470 47		
Louisville			689 86	689 86	689 86		
Red Lake Falls			689 10	689 10	533 28	30 00	125 82
Gervais		372 63	850 00	1222 63	591 63		631 00
Emardville		105 79	1101 06	1206 85	1206 85		
Garnes			413 07	413 07	413 07		
Equality		33 87	418 62	452 49	452 49		
Lake Pleasant			1019 61	1019 61	1019 61		
Terrebonne			1146 17	1146 17	1146 17		
Poplar River	02c		1258 02	1258 90	1258 00		
Lambert			705 94	705 94	705 94		
St. Hilaire village			2260 23	2260 23	2260 23		
Thief River Falls, city			4879 07	4879 07	4879 07		
Red Lake Falls city		1559 28	4975 61	6534 89	4532 77	1980 00	22 12
Totals	02	$2445 85	$26633 01	$29078 84	$25984 35	$2010 00	$1084 49

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS.

No. of District	Debit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Credit Balance Jan. 2, 1904	Receipts from State Apportionment and Tax Collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Payment to State Treasurer on Acc't of State School Fund	Debit Balance Dec. 31, 1904	Credit Balance Dec. 31, 1904
1			$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$ 602 78	$		
2		$ 35 29	377 82	413 11	339 17	65 40		8 54
3		52 84	291 87	347 71	171 38	27 20		139 13
4			342 28	342 28	342 28			
5		19 70	224 52	244 22	244 22			
6			361 34	361 34	361 34			
7			138 50	138 50	107 80			30 70
8			230 26	230 26	230 26			
9			523 06	523 06	500 51	22 34		21
10			489 92	489 91	489 92			
11			299 94	299 94	299 94			
12		293 49	358 61	652 10	293 55	334 58		23 97
13		14 87	271 71	286 58	401 61		115 03	
14			300 86	300 86	300 86			
15		579 88	9806 86	10386 74	9361 75	525 00		499 99
16	12 17		308 82	296 65	264 79	26 00		5 86
17	55 70		400 54	344 84	302 97	64 00	22 13	
18			13590 50	13590 50	11195 23			2395 27
19			274 08	274 08	200 97			73 11
20			185 27	185 27	180 19	6 24	1 16	
21			58 69	58 69	9 55			49 14
22			90 82	90 82	90 48			34
23			57 36	57 36	57 36			
24			228 44	228 44	165 10			63 34
27		136 93	569 39	706 32	501 35	64 00		140 90
32			415 58	415 50	415 58			
36			244 39	244 39	213 09			31 80
40			369 48	369 40	360 30			9 18
43		30 94	191 89	222 83	222 83			
45			20 42	20 42	20 42			
48			123 94	123 94	217 03		93 09	
49		80 72	110 10	190 82	163 70			27 12
54			305 07	305 07	279 74			25 33
63		343 27	248 61	591 88	498 09			93 79
73		124 48	271 65	396 13	359 39			30 74
76		77 51	520 39	597 90	556 10	41 80		
79		367 97	1104 96	1472 93	1293 75	99 20		79 98
80			308 23	308 23	308 23			
81			532 57	532 57	532 57			
88			301 25	301 25	297 17			64 08
94		187 19	328 47	515 66	501 22			14 44
99	9 74		332 57	322 83	322 83			
102		621 91	2447 27	3069 18	2454 61			614 57
103			540 68	540 68	540 68			
106		6 01	322 27	328 28	308 28	20 00		
108		51 74	236 88	288 62	203 37			85 25
112		10 06	432 56	442 62	402 91	24 00		15 69
115		43 89	386 69	430 58	329 35	56 00		45 23
124			249 81	249 81	249 81			
125			454 49	454 49	444 49			
126			223 43	223 43	223 43			
127			345 61	345 61	345 61			
130		73 22	322 70	395 92	321 57	52 50		21 85
133		99 12	306 84	405 96	405 96			
135			281 07	291 07	291 07			
141		12 95	436 30	449 20	339 22	58 00		52 03
147	2 82		605 21	602 39	580 50	20 00		1 89
148	42 10		565 44	523 34	359 46	118 00		45 88
149			203 10	203 10	155 88			47 22
151		46 08	483 34	531 42	444 57	29 00		57 85
153		240 35	311 61	551 96	551 38			60
154		17 69	333 18	350 87	235 15			115 72
165		54 83	328 69	383 52	220 77	28 80		131 95
166		122 30	438 03	559 33	355 32	55 00		149 01
167		109 94	421 24	531 18	300 03	104 00		160 55
178		45 98	338 09	384 07	384 07			
180			326 88	326 88	326 88			
191		87 06	159 00	246 06	246 06			
194		26 64	320 66	347 30	257 22	58 00		32 08
204		21 37	135 64	157 01	128 56			28 45
208		25 62	531 18	556 80	313 20	243 60		
210		125 45	304 62	430 07	355 30	12 60		62 77
214		30 09	369 64	399 73	309 64			30 09
216		146 50	544 79	691 29	461 54	52 50		177 24
219		101 32	355 80	457 12	324 93	120 00		12 19
221		2 42	190 93	193 35	191 35			
227		213 00	311 90	524 90	409 79			115 17
228		145 80	375 62	521 42	393 03	17 21		110 55
233		10 76	361 85	372 61	338 20	54 00	19 59	
	$122 53	$4837 18	$51490 91	$56205 56	$48220 80	$1298 40	$251 00	$5828 36

Towns, Cities and Villages.

WARRANTS PAID

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
5945	John G Hagen, tr town of Emardville	$ 105 79
5962½	Ellef Grordie, tr town Norden	44 09
5963	Aug. Soderberg, tr town North	61 68
6082	Peter Lindblom, town tr Bray	107 43
6121	Thos. Glynn, tr town of Black River	103 74
6181	Cyrittle Cussier, tr town of Poplar River	170 93
6188	Joseph Marcott, tr town of Louisville	158 98
6190	John G Hogen, tr town of Emardville	131 35
6195	Ovide Emard, tr city of Red Lake Falls	1900 24
6196	Simon Sutter, tr town of Red Lake Falls	162 69
6213	August Swenson, tr town of River Falls	160 53
6215	O L Larson, tr town of Sanders	126 93
6217	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River Falls	2056 73
6249	Nils O Nora, tr town Norden	178 01
6278	Wm Schaper, tr town of Lake Pleasant	239 45
6279	Ed A Aubol, tr town Rocksbury	356 30
6282	Aug Soderberg, tr town North	209 01
6286	Leonard Holmes, tr vil St Hil.	1143 17
6293	Edward O Erickson, tr town Equality	266 10
6298	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	334 01
6310	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	135 99
6322	Elias Joriondol, tr tn Numedal	151 46
6323	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	98 77
6379	Ole Gjerberg, tr town Gervais	181 74
6397	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lamb	232 47
6427	P E Smidesang, tr town Polk Center	442 63
6429	Albert Anderson, tr tn Black River	136 97
6504	Peter Lindblom, tr town Bray	674 72
6535	O L Larson, tr town Sanders	361 03
6537	J W Wallin, tr city Thief R F	1685 07
6538	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	256 11
6546	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleas	557 14
6547	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Rocksbury	240 95
6550	Ovide Emard, tr city R L F	1618 06
6559	Edw O Ericson, tr tn Equality	118 00
6560	August Swenson, tr tn River F	480 37
6565	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	311 31
6571	L Holmes, tr vil St Hilaire	1017 39
6574	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	667 45
6575	Ole Gjerberg, tr tn Gervais	409 89
6579	Eli Ryland, tr town Garnes	238 48
6581	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville	378 26
6585	Elias P Joringrud, tr tn Numedal	375 55
6587	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert	349 63
6594	Simon Sutter, tr tn Red Lake F	228 60
6597	Nils O Nora, ts tn Norden	229 11
6604	Aug Soderberg, tr tn North	237 18
6688	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	540 65
6928	P E Smidesang, tr tn Polk Cent'r	236 20
6978	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville	500 00
7029	Nils O Nora, tr tn Norden	62 73
7048	Ed A Aubol, tr tn Rocksbury	125 06
7049	H R Kolseth, tr tn Wyandotte	78 37
7067	August Swenson tr tn River F	197 81
7068	Cyrille Lussier, tr tn Poplar Riv.	419 62
7092	J W Wallin, tr city Thief River F	1137 25
7095	O L Larson, tr tn Sanders	85 00
7102	John G Hagen, tr tn Emardville	91 45
6103	Eli Ryland, tr 9own Garnes	75 82
7111	Jos Marcott, tr tn Louisville	219 57
7116	Peter Lindblom, tr tn Bray	65 97
7124	Louis Falardeau, tr tn Lambert	123 84
7138	Elias P Joringdol, tr tn Numedal	73 30
7142	Aloert Anderson, tr tn Black Riv	231 23
7146	Simon Sutter, tr tu Red Lake F	142 00
7147	Edw O Erickson, tr tn Equality	68 39
7151	L C Cadieux, tr tn Terrebonne	271 49
7159	L Holmes, tr vill St Hilaire	99 67
7162	Wm Schaper, tr tn Lake Pleasant	223 02
7166	Ovide Emard, tr city Red Lake F	1014 47
	Total	$25984 35

INTEREST ON RAILROAD BONDS

No. of warrant	To whom issued		Amount
6089	Merchant State Bank, Red Lake Falls,	city of R L F	$ 90 00
6487	do	do	1260 00
6488	do	do	540 00
6545	do	Twp of R L F	30 00
6573	do	City of R L F	90 00
	Total		$2010 00

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF RED LAKE COUNTY, DECEMBER 31, 1904.

ASSETS.

Taxes of 1903 and prior years, Co. funds	$ 8456 12
Taxes of 1904, county funds	24018 70
Cash in County Treasury, county funds	7055 66
Wolf bounty due from state	159 00
Total	$39609 48

LIABILITIES

Warrants outstanding	$ 1065 73
Excess of assets over liabilities	38623 75
Total	$39689 48

BONDED DEBT OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

6 per cent Funding Bonds	$10000 00
4 " " " "	20000 00
4½ " " " "	14000 00
4 " " Jail Bonds	3000 00
Portion of Polk county bonded debt	9339 13
Total	$56339 13

DRAINAGE BONDS OF RED LAKE COUNTY

4½ per cent drainage bonds	$ 8000 00
5 per cent drainage bonds	9000 00
5½ per cent drainage bonds	78000 00
5⅝ " " "	6500 00
Total	$10150 00

INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY

County jail, lots 13 and 14, blk 1, Langeane's sub div of Church blk Red Lake Falls	$ 4000 00
Vault	500 00
Safes	1200 00
Furniture and fixtures	3300 00
Total	$9000 00

ASSESSED VALUATION OF RED LAKE COUNTY FOR 1904.

Real Estate	$ 2,359,688 00
Personal Property	818,047 00
Total	$3,177,735 00

The foregoing statement prepared by the County Auditor is approved by this Board, and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 4th day of January, A. D. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
JAMES SUTOR,
LOUIS FALARDEAU,
DANIEL SHAW,
WM. C. L. DEMANN,
Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

It won't do to keep animals that don't pay their board.

The richest part of manure is the part which rain will wash out.

Twelve Angora goats can be kept upon the food consumed by one cow.

The best breed of hogs is the one that will weigh 200 pounds the quickest.

The underbush on a farm is "done for" when a flock of Angora goats is turned into it.

Chinese farmers are beginning to demand modern tools, especially such as are useful for intensive farming.

The boards of trade acknowledge that it is harder this year for them to manage products then ever before in history.

Isn't it queer how abundant everything is when the farmers own it, and how scarce it gets as soon as the farmers have sold it?

In Webster county, Mo., there is an apple orchard of 86,000 trees. This is probably the largest orchard of the kind in the world.

A Kansas farmer, being asked what he did to get rid of the weeds on his farm, said that he sold most of them as mutton, at three and one-half to four cents a pound.

Why not make every station worker or agricultural scientist show the test of success before he is given a position at puplic pay? Make him prove that he has run a farm or garden at a fair profit.

The children of the future will wonder how the farmers make a living without being allowed to put a value on their products, just as we now wonder how they made a living with the reap hook and the flail.

And now the farmer is having an electric bell placed in connection with the rural mail box where the box is located some distance from the house, the mail carrier rings the bell when he delivers the mail. What next?

The area of the United States, exclusive of Alaska and insular possessions, is 3,000,000 square miles. Census returns gives 650,000 square miles of this as "improved farm" land. An interesting illustration lies in assuming a segragation of the principal farm products within specific areas of familiar boundary.

The feeding of 100,000,000 people will be the biggest problem in this country inside of twenty-five years. A standard of living has been developed under American condition which demands much to eat and a very great variety. The teeming millions of the old world are content to live on the plainest and coarsest of food.

According to an article in the book-lover's Magazine, there is no farmer in the world like the Japanese farmer. Progressive experts now admit that there is nothing in all the annals of agriculture that every approached the sciectific skill of Japanese husbandry. If all the tillable acres of Japan were merged into one field, a man in an automobile, traveling at the rate of fifty miles an hour, could circle arable Japan in eleven hours.

A curious fact in regard to the drug trade is that we are today importing in considerable quantites ordinary medical plants which may be found growing wild in America on farms and are destroyed by farmers who condemn them as nuisances and an eye-sore that destroy the beauty of a well-kept farm. Among this class of despised drug plants are a common may weed, danderlion, burdock, couchgrass and curlydock, and these might all be a source of income with a small effort to members of the farmer's family.

Pawnee Bill, the showman, has a buffalo ranch south of Pawnee, Oklahoma, and has at the present time a bunch of fat young buffalo, which he will kill and ship to the East for the trade. He expects to realize close to $30,000 from his sale this season, and the average price will be $1.25 per pound. The hide will bring him $75 to $150, according to size. His ranch lies in the heart of buffalo range of the 70s, where the growth of the buffalo grass is the heaviest. He proposes to try the experiment of crossing the buffalo with Galloway cattle. If successful he expects to have an animal of a much more kindly disposition then the buffalo.

An enormous cattle range, said to be the largest in the world, is that of Don Luis Terrazas, in the state of Chihuahua, Mexico. It comprises eight million acres and upon its vast prairies, mesas and mountains, there roam one million cattle, seven hundred sheep and one hundred thousand horses. The "farmhouse" is undoudtedly the finest in the world, for upon it were spent $2,000,000 in Mexican money, and it is one of the richly finished and furnished castles in the republic. The marble with which it is embelished was brought from Italy and European workmen and artists were brought over to exert all their skill on this princely mansion.

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Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

Roasts Drawback Plan.

The millers are to have their own way. Every demand of theirs is either granted or in process of concession by the authorities at Washington. Already they are empowered to sell the by-products of imported wheat without payment of duty. Now it is announced that they are also to be permitted to mix imported wheat with the domestic product and export the flour this made without any duty charge. This covers the whole ground. Practically, the miller has absolutely free wheat. We should have no quarrel with this did it not run on all fours with the rankest hypocricy and injust. If the farmer wants wheat for seed, he must pay duty on it. The miller is the only favored party. If the farmer wants lumber or hardware or any other article at a lower price through a lowered duty. he is told that he ought to pay cheerfully the added cost because he shares in the advantage of to tariff system by reason of the duty on wheat. Yet that duty is utterly abolished where it is supposed to favor him by Republican rulings. If it ever had any practical effect, if even the poor protense that it protects the farmer were honest, still it would be completely negatived and nullified by the action of the government. Free wheat for the goose is not free wheat for the gander. Will the farmers of the northwest be made sport of indefinitely in this fashion without remonstrance?—Kittson County Enterprise.

To Save the Western Forests.

Wireless telegraphy is to be employed to aid in saving the forests of the west. At regular intervals throughout the Rocky mountains in the forest regions where fires frequently occor, stations are to be established where observers will give notice of any fire and call help to assist in extinguishing it. If we could pay a man in every home in America is an expert observer we wager that every home would be found to need a case of golden grain belt beer. This tonic is so necessary to our lives as we live them today, in a hurry, that is the poorest economy to get along without it. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

Brain Leaks.

There is no honor among thieves.

Honor is easier retained than found after once being lost.

The longest way round the bar room is the shorest way home.

We would rather have the reputation of some men than their character.

There is a vast difference between being a cross bear and a cross bearer.

Some politicians who think they are fooling the people are merely fooling themselves.

The wise merchant believes in signs—and uses them in the shape of advertisements.

A man may be sure that he is growing old when he begins wondering if he looks his age.

Those who work hardest to get something to eat are the ones who most enjoy eating.

It has been said that the great poets are all dead—and the others are having a hard time making a living.

Not all the funny sayings attributed to children have their origin with the funny papers. A Lincoln little girl sat down to the breakfast table the other morning and plaintively remarked: "O, mamma, I'm getting so tired of these milkweed cakes."

LaGrippe and Pneumonia.

Pneumonia often follows LaGrippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cures lagrippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and comsumption. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered. Mr. G. Vacher, of 157 Gsgood St., Chicago, writes "My wife had a severe case of lagrippe three year ago, and it left her with a terrible cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50 cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

From the Foolish Dictionary.

Ice—A substance frequently associated with a tumble in winter, a tumble in summer and a skate the year around.

Infant—A disturber of peace.

Hug—A round about way of expressing effection.

Accident—A condition of affairs in which presence of mind is good but absence of body better.

The Devil—An old rascal mentioned in the bible and always found in the choir.

Mitten—Something a tenderhearted girl gives a young man when she knows she is going to make it chilly for him.

Moon—The only lighting monopoly that never made money.

Obesity—A surplus gone to waist.

Miracle—A woman who won't talk.

Orchard—The small boy's Eden of today in which the apple again occasions the fall.

Prune—A plum that has seen better days; the boarding-house veteran and the landlady pet; badly wrink'led, yet well preserved.

Pointers for Men.

Sauk Center Herald: The whipping post for wife beaters has no terror for most men. They know the lash don't hurt a corpse.

A girl would rather be kissed by a man with a beard. When she wants to kiss a smooth face she can kiss another girl.

The prettiest girl at masquerades is always the one that unmasks first.

When a boy calls his father "the old man" it is generally the father's fault.

Every woman likes to pet a great, big, burly man, and it suits the man.

If every woman was as considerate of her husband as she was of her lover there would be few divorces.

Every women thinks her own child would be better in school if it wasent discriminated against.

Men who think they are smart compliment a woman's baby. Men who are really smart, compliment her on the way she is bringing it up.

An unnatural mother is one that does not think her own baby the cutest in the world.

A girl that doesn't like to be hugged is likely to develope into a criminal.

The trimmest waist is the one that gets compressed the most frequently.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, all others are mere imitations, H. E. BUCKLEN & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

There's pretty girl in an Alp'ne hat,
A sweeter girl with a sailor brim.
But the handsomest girl you'll ever see,
Is the sensible who uses Rocky Mountain Tea. A. L. Reichert.

Notice for Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Fake Falls, and filed in my office, praying for Licence to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for term commencing on March 25th, 1905, and terminating on March 24th, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

W. H. KRUEGER

in that certain frame building situated on lot 14 of block 7, in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 2nd day of March A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 16th day of February, A. D. 1905.

f16 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk

Russia Dominates Asia.

There can be no doubt that Russia has been holding the "whip hand" over China and in general the whole of central Asia as far south as the Indian border—ruler in substance, if not in name—quietly pushing forward to consummation her gigantic schemes for political and commercial dominance in Asia. Already her traders, her spies, her military officials and diplomatists have threaded the wilds of Turkestan and even Tibet and hitherto other inaccessible regions of central Asia, sowing sedition in one spot, conciliating the native tribes in another, blinding the Chinese government and the world at large as to her real intent, each and every step a part of a carefully thought out and prearranged plan, formulated years ago in Russian chancelleries, to undermine British influence, which is the only barrier liable to obstruct Russian policy.—W. C. Jameson Reid in Gunton's Magazine.

The Latest Trick.

Some time ago a rumor went round that astute publishers had in their pay a large number of the most attractive diners out. Your neighbor at table would lead the conversation to the latest novel, quite the easiest of conversational openings between strangers who lay their heads together over the menu and have to entertain each other for an hour. You are interested in the description of the book of the hour, you are a little ashamed of not having read it, and, going home, you sit down and order the book—from the circulating library. Every publisher, every theater manager, every deviser of a patent medicine, knows that the advice of a friend is a more concentrated and personal pull than the opinion of a critic from the empyrean. And if the idea was ever carried out it deserved to succeed. But no one ever spotted the paid diner out. There was the artistry of the thing.—London Daily Chronicle.

Venice.

At least one of the most famous cities of the world never suffers from drought. Not long ago the waters rose so high in the realm of the Queen of the Adriatic that gondolas moved to and fro with freedom in the great square of St. Mark, and those wonderful bronze horses which Napoleon took to Paris, but which were afterward taken back to Venice, became sea horses for the nonce. Fortunately, however, the dominion of the doges and the council of ten is in no peril of ever suffering a calamity like that which overwhelmed Galveston.

Two Through Tourist Cars to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway offers choice of two through tourist cars every week to California, one leaving Minneapolis and St. Paul Tuesdays via Omaha and the Rock Island Route, arriving San Francisco 5:20 p. m., Saturday, the other leaving on Thursdays via Kansas City and the Santa Fe route, arriving at Los Angeles 8:25 a. m. Monday. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Lerm, February 8, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre, the administrator of the estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law:

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Thursday, the 9th day of March, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
f923 Judge of Probate.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, February 8, 1904.

In the Matter of the Estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceasek, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Ernest J. Akerlund,

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of August, 1905, at ten o'clock A. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 8th day of February A. D. 1902.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
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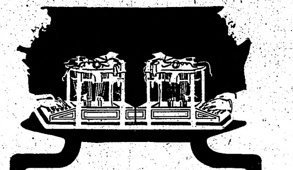

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NELS OTTERNESS SUICIDES

Prominent St. Hilaire Business Man Kills Himself in Minneapolis Hotel.

Supposedly despondent over business affairs and worried over matters of a private nature, Nels Otterness, the well-known and supposedly well-to-do St. Hilaire land man, Tuesday evening entered the Beauford hotel at Minneapolis, paid for his night's lodging, went to his room, turned on the gas and after locking the door deliberately laid down upon the bed to die of the deadly fumes.

The body was found yesterday by the clerk of the hotel who became suspicious at the continued silence in the room and by the strong smell of gas. The door was broken open and Otterness found cold in death. His relatives and business acquaintances at St. Hilaire were immediately notified of the terrible affair, and an investigation of the dead man's business interests brings to light much which substantiates the suicide theory.

Otterness last fall succeeded Julius Pleth in his large land business at St. Hilaire and has done what was presumed by his friends to be a very thriving business. He was interested in a large hardware and furniture store at St. Hilaire with A. M. Enstrom and also had a half interest in a general store at Hazel. A young man of exceptional habits and marked ability in business, Mr. Otterness is the last man in the world whom his friends would believe the victim of his own rash destructive hand. Events are as they are however and no other solution of the case is possible.

Otterness when found dead in his room had not a penny upon his person or in his grips; his grips and bags had not been opened after his entry into the room and from the fact that no burned matches were found, it is evident that he did not light the gas and then blow it out, a procedure which might have made death accidental.

At St. Hilaire last evening the general conceusus of opinion was that Otterness had killed himself, while temporarily deranged because of financial reverses. He has a host of friends at the Saintly village who deplore his rash act and sympathize with his friends and relatives. A prominent young lady of St. Hilaire it is understood was engaged to be married to Mr. Otterness during the coming summer.

COMES LATE THIS YEAR.

The Latest Easter since 1886—A Rare Occurence.

Only nine times in two and quarter centuries has Easter fallen as late as it does this year. Only five times in this period has it come later in the spring than it does during 1905, and it is never possible for it to fall more than two days later than April 25, and only twice does it come on this day of the month. During this period it comes three times on April 24, and four times on the 23.

This year Easter Sunday will be celebrated on April 23. This is the latest date since 1886, when it came April 25, the latest date possible.

As a result of a late Easter, Lent of course falls correspondingly late, and this means a very long winter social season, which will last until March. Lent can come as early as February, thus cutting the gaiety of the social season.

In the Love League.

Clerk of Court Perrault issued marriage licenses last week to the following parties: Joe J. Berglund and Miss Bertha L. Christianson, Thief River Falls; R. E. Sotheran and Miss Tina Graham, Thief River Falls; John A. Perreault and Miss Luzia Landry, Terrebonne; Fred Lehrer and Miss Augusta Gerlach, Wylie.

WAS A SOCIAL SUCCESS

Dance at Opera House Tuesday Evening was a Delightful Affair.—Large Crowd Present.

The Metropolitan opera house last Tuesday evening was the scene of one of the most brilliant social events of the season, when the gentlemen of the town gave a dancing party to the ladies in return for the favors shown by members of the gentler sex during leap year. It was a large gathering, there being about one hundred twenty-five present. The company assembled in the early evening and the last number was not reached until the wee small hours.

The house was tastily decorated and was provided with parlor furniture and the scene presented was one of comfort and enjoyment. Each lady was presented with carnations upon entering the ball room, and every thing was done to make the occasion a brilliant and pleasing success. The Red Lake Falls band orchestra furnished the music and it was up to their usual high standard. Everyone in the large crowd entered into the spirit of the occasion, and as a result the affair was pronounced by many as being the most enjoyable of the season. Good cheer and mirth added much to the evening's enjoyment and the occasion will long be remembered by those present.

At 12 o'clock supper was announced as being ready at the Grand View hotel. Landlord Krueger and his estimable wife were repeatedly complimented on the fine spread, and the repast certainly justified all the nice things said about it. It is no small task to take care of so large a crowd of people, but the Grand View management handled the crowd in a most satisfactory manner and are deserving of great credit for their efforts.

BAND CONCERT.

Monthly Event Tomorrow evening to be a pleasing one.

The regular monthly band concert will be presented at the Metropolitan opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening. A first class entertainment is assured. A fine program has been prepared. and the boys have worked faithfully to make the entertainment one of enjoyment. A glance at the program below will convince music-loving people that the evening's entertainment will be a most delightful one. Show your appreciation of a good band and its efforts to please by being present. The program:

PART I.

March.......................W. P. Chambers
"The Boys of the Old Brigade."
Overture............................Keler-Bela
"Lustspiel."
Baritone Solo.......................J. Hartmann
Grand Fantasia—"Pretty Jane."
J. B. Armstrong.
Declamation.....................The Polish Boy
Miss Ina Linnehan.

PART II.

Polka..................................A. Parlow
"The Anvil."
Grand Selection.........................Wallace
"Maritana."
Quartette...................Within a Litte Wood
Misses Margeret Kaus, Iza Tibbetts, Jessie Carver and Clara Marchand.
Waltz...............................E. Waldecnfel
"L'Estudiantina."
March................................F. von Blon
"Dirch Kampf zum Seig."

TEACHERS' MEETING.

To Be Held at St. Hilaire on May 5 and 6, 1905.

The next regular meeting of the Red Lake County Teachers' Protective association will be held at St. Hilaire, May 5 and 6. The principal feature of the meeting will be a spelling contest. A list of about 1,200 words will be sent to all of the common schools of the county, and the winner of each common school contest will be sent as a delegate to the teachers' meeting, where there will be an old-fashioned "spelling down" contest. An appropriate banner will be awarded to the school winning the contest, and also a prize to the pupil. The names of all the contestants will be published in the various county papers. "Teachers' Wages," "Rural School Consolidation" and "Ventilation" will be discussed, and papers on "Spelling" and other topics will be prepared by members of the association. School trustees will be invited to attend the meeting and expected to take part in the program. This will undoubtedly be the most interesting meeting ever held by the teachers of the county, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. A complete program will be published later, and a leading feature will be an address by some prominent Minnesota educator.

TERMS NOT EXTENDED.

Attorny General Interprets Law as to Town Chairmen.

Attorny General Young has rendered an opinion which settled a mooty question is whether under the statute relating to the election of supervisors, the members of the board designated as chairmen on the ballot of the election of 1904, holds the chairmanship of the board for three years.

The attorney general rules are as follows in an opinion sent today to S. D. Payne, town clerk, Kasota Minn.:

"That statue extended the office of supervisor from a one-year to a three-year term: and provided that at the election of 1904 one supervisor should be elected for one year, one for two years, and one for three years, and that thereafter each supervisor should serve for three years. It also provides that one of those elected should be designated chairman."

"The chairman chosen at the last election would hold the chairmanship for the length of time for which he was elected, which would be one, two or three years, according to the desgnation of the length of his term on the ballot. Hearafter the chairman will serve as such for three years. And no 'chairman' need be designated on the ballot, except in years when there is a vacancy in that office."

New line of correct fall stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

SHOOTING WAS JUSTIFIBLE

Deputy Sheriff Jarman of Thief River Falls Says Cernousek Is Not a Murderer.

"John Danielson was not murdered. He was shot by Night Policeman Cernousek because he was resisting arrest and had made a vicious and dangerous attack upon the officier. Cernousek's life was in danger, and he shot justifiably in self-defensd."

George Jarman of Thief River Falls, and chief deputy sheriff of Red Lake county made this statement to a Minneapolis newspaper reporter Tuesday. He disputes entirely the story told by Private Detective Coleman upon his return from Thief River Falls a few days ago. Mr. Coleman said that the shooting of Danielson last November was utterly unjustifible and that Cernousek will have to stand trial.

"I was the first man on the ground after the shooting occurred," said Deputy Sheriff Jarman Tuesday, "and I know the case thoroughly and from the beginning. Danielson came to Thief River Falls with two boon companions and they were drunk for a day or two. The night the shooting occurred Danielson was in an ugly mood and threatened several people. Late in the night he was thrown out of the backdoor of a saloon and crawled into a woodshed and went to sleep.

"Cernousek came through the alley, in the course of his duty as night policeman, found Danielson, woke him up and told him he must get out of there. Danielson immediately attacked him, and Cernousek drew his revolver and told him to march ahead of him.

"After going in this fashion for some time Danielson again turned and attacked Cernousek, but even then the latter did not shoot until Danielson, who was a powerful fellow, had thrown him to the ground and was grappling with him.

"Then Cernousek shot. The bullet entered the face, and so close was the gun that the flash blistered the skin. Coleman says the men were eight feet apart when the shot was fired. That is not true. They were grappling on the ground.

"As soon as he had shot Danielson Cernousek telephoned me and I was on the ground within a few minutes. Cernousek wanted to give himself up, but I told him to go home and report next morning.

"It is not true, as stated by Mr. Coleman, that Cernousek was dismissed from the police force. He served two months after the shooting and then resigned.

"He has the good will of all the better people of Thief River Falls. The tough class do not like him as he has always been after them."

"Bill Had a Bill Board."

"Bill had a bill board," says an exchange. "Bill also had a board bill. The board bill bored Bill so that Bill sold the bill board to pay his board bill, then the board bill no longer bored Bill." Another exchange suggested in line with the tale of Bill's board bill and Bill's bill board that if Bill's board bill bored Bill, why not "board" Bill with a board from Bill's bill board and throw Bill's bill board overboard.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A fool and his honey are soon married.

A woman considers she is large minded when she judges a railroad president's abilities by the necktie he wears.

Some girls are so immodest that they can't help blushing when they hear a man got his legs cut off in a railroad accident.

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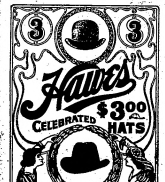

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ASSASSIN KILLS NOTED RUSSIAN

THROWS BOMB UNDER CARRIAGE CONTAINING GRAND DUKE SERGIUS.

His Victim Is Instantly Killed—Head Is Torn from Body—Coachman Fatally Injured—Murderer Caught—Horror Occurs in Moscow.

Moscow, Feb. 18.—Within the walls of the far-famed Kremlin palace, and almost underneath the historical tower from which Ivan the Terrible watched the heads of his enemies falling beneath the ax on the famous Red Square, and within a stone's throw of the great bell of Moscow, Grand Duke Sergius, uncle and brother-in-law of Emperor Nicholas and the chief of the reactionaries, met a terrible deatn shortly before three o'clock Friday. The deed was committed by a single terrorist, who threw beneath the carriage of the grand duke a bomb charged with the same high-power explosive which wrought Minister Von Plehve's death. The missile was packed with nails and fragments of iron, and its explosion tore the imperial victim's body to ghastly fragments, which strewed the snow for yards around. Every window in the great lofty facade of the palace of justice was shattered and bits of iron were imbedded deeply in the walls of the arsenal, a hundred yards away.

The Assassination.

According to late details, Grand Duke Sergius, who generally was accompanied by his wife when out driving, was on this occasion going to his private Russian bath in his old official residence in Tverskaia street. The vehicle in which he rode was a plain, shabby, closed carriage, such as would not be likely to attract attention. It was followed by detectives in a couple of cabs. The grand duke was driven rapidly and was half way across the square between the great bell tower and the Nicholas gate when the bomb was thrown beneath his carriage, where it exploded, literally demolishing the vehicle, killing the grand duke and fatally injuring his driver. The assassin, badly wounded, was captured. He refuses to give his name and glories in his deed.

Head Blown Off.

The grand duke was instantly killed. His head was blown off, actually being separated from his body, which was frightfully mangled.

Grand Duchess Elizabeth, who has been engaged daily in the task of preparing comforts for the sick and wounded Russian soldiers in Manchuria, was about to drive to the palace to join her husband. When she heard of what had befallen the grand duke she was driven in haste to the scene of the tragedy and knelt hatless and coatless on the blood-stained snow and murmured prayers for the welfare of the soul of her slain consort.

The only actaul witnesses of the assassination were a couple of policemen on beat in the vicinity. It still appears to be uncertain whether the assassin was in a sleigh or hiding in the tunnel beneath the Nicholas tower.

Was Intesely Unpopular.

Grand Duke Sergius, who was a brother-in-law as well as uncle of the emperor, and who had exercised immense influence at court, was regarded as the most reactionary of the grand dukes. As governor general of Moscow he was intensely unpopular. His advent as governor general of Moscow was followed by expulsion of the Jews from the central provinces and throughout his administration his rigorous and harsh measures aroused the greatest hostility, especially among the students.

News Prostrates Czar.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The news of the assassination of the grand duke reached Tsarskoe-Selo while the imperial family were entertaining Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia. It created the greatest consternation. The emperor is reported to have been completely prostrated.

In Great Fear.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—Panic prevails among the aristocrats of Russia, who display a growing desire to send their capital abroad in view of the increasing possibility of a reign of terror. The apprehension has cowed even the royal family. All the grand dukes wanted to go at once to Moscow when the news of the assassination of Sergius was known, but the czar promptly forbade them to do so. He feared the danger into which they would be plunged. Other terrorist crimes are generally anticipated. According to reports, many cities and towns are in a condition of political ferment, and several officials have been assassinated in southern Russia.

May End War.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—In diplomatic circles the opinion is quite generally expressed that Friday's tragedy may be followed by the decision of the government to conclude peace.

May Have Fortune Hidden.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 20.—One million dollars is the amount believed to be securely hidden by Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick. Collector of Customs Leach has so minutely traced the operations of this woman during the last four years that he is in a position to know that the item saved from her many financial transactions is $1,000,000 in cold cash. In addition to this sum, the woman has just as safely placed $150,000 worth of jewelry.

Made Bad Nickels.

Celina, O., Feb. 20.—Elijah Lynch, aged 36, and Fred Harmon, 17 years old, have been arrested on the charge of making counterfeit five-cent pieces.

DEATH OF JAY COOKE.

Well-Known Financier Suddenly Passes Away in a Philadelphia Suburb.

Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—Jay Cooke, whose fame as a financier is worldwide, died Thursday night at the home of his son-in-law, Charles D. Barney, at Ogontz, a suburb of this city. Mr. Cooke was 83 years of age.

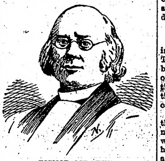
Mr. Cooke was known the world over as the famous financier who, through his financial failure in 1873, pulled the United States down with him and caused the great panic of that year. Mr. Cooke founded the firm of Jay Cooke & Co. before the civil war and it raised the money necessary to carry on the operations of the government in the rebellion. In one year, during which it was the sole financial agent of the government, the house of Jay Cooke & Co. transacted a business of $3,000,000,000. This was in the year in which the great 7-30 government loans were floated. Within less than five months of that year Jay Cooke & Co. paid to the United States government $830,000,000 in gold.

After the war his firm became the agents of the Northern Pacific railroad, but misfortunes overtook it in 1873, and its suspension caused the panic of that year. In the crash the firm failed for $4,000,000. When Mr. Cooke closed the doors of his banking house he was practically stripped of every dollar that he had gained in 30 years of an extraordinary career. To use his own words: "I lost $5,000,000 in one day." He went into a small office and started life anew as a broker. Before 1900 all his firm's debts had been paid and Mr. Cooke was again a millionaire.

GONE TO HIS REWARD.

Death of Rt. Rev. William E. McLaren, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of Chicago.

New York, Feb. 20.—Rt. Rev. William E. McLaren, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Chicago, died here Sunday night. Death was due to heart failure. The bishop had been ill for a month, during the greater part of which time he was confined to his bed. The members of the bishop's family, with a few friends, were at the bedside when the end came. Besides a widow, the deceased is survived by one son and two daughters. Bishop McLaren was born in Geneva, N. Y., in 1831. In 1860 he entered the Presbyterian ministry, and 11 years later embraced the Episcopal faith and was ordained in Detroit in 1872. He was consecrated bishop in 1875. Bishop McLaren founded the Western theological seminary in Chicago in 1883, and was the author of many religious works.


BISHOP M'LAREN.

NOBLE WOMAN HONORED.

Statue of the Late Frances E. Willard Placed in Statuary Hall.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Appropriate exercises were held in the senate in acceptance of the statue of Frances E. Willard, the distinguished temperance advocate, which has been placed in Statuary hall in the national capitol by the state of Illinois. Notwithstanding there are about 40 pedestals in the hall, the statue of Miss Willard is the first of a woman to find a place there, and the members of her sex showed their appreciation of the compliment by turning out in large numbers to listen to the eulogistic addresses made in connection with the ceremony. Addresses eulogistic of Miss Willard were made by Senators Cullom, Beveridge, Dolliver and Hopkins. On motion of Senator Cullom the statue was accepted—"the statue of one of the most eminent women of the United States"—as the resolution expressed it. At the close of the ceremony at 4:32 p. m. the senate as a further mark of respect to Miss Willard's memory adjourned.

Similar exercises were held in the house. The proceedings were opened by the reading of a lettter from Gov. Deneen of Illinois, presenting the statue to the United States. Mr. Foss (Ill.) offered a resolution of acceptance. Pending its adoption speeches extolling the life and deeds of Miss Willard were delivered by Messrs. Foss Graff and Rainey, of Illinois, and Littlefield, of Maine.

Fine Block Destroyed.

Denver, Col., Feb. 20.—The Symnes block, a three-story structure occupied by stores and offices, was destroyed by fire Sunday, entailing a loss estimated at $300,000. The cause of the fire has not been determined. The heaviest losers are: The Great Leader department store, $125,000, and Symnes estate, owning the building, $100,000.

Defended His Mother.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 20.—Will Avis, a farmer, was shot and instantly killed by his 16-year-old stepson at his home at Wickliffe, a few miles east of Cleveland, on Sunday. Avis and the boy's mother had been quarreling and the boy took his mother's part.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Tame Wild Cats.

Domestic cats running wild, and their descendants born in the timber threaten to overrun the forests of Lake county, on the north shore of Lake Superior.

Several years ago a lumber company operating in that division of the state distributed about fifty cats among its camps and at the headquarters for supplies to kill off the rats, which were doing much damage. When the camps broke up most of the cats were left to shift for themselves, and the result has been that they are now running wild, with their hundreds of decendants, and the feline population of the county has already reached astonishing proportions.

To all intents and puposes the animals have been transformed from domestic to wild cats. The kitten born to the wild conditions are much larger and fiercer than the old Duluth mousers that bred them. As a rule the kittens grow nearly a third larger than the old tabbies and their fur is longer and finer than that of cats raised in the domestic state. The animals are more active and better conditioned.

The new race of wild cats has no difficulty in making a good living in Lake county, which abounds in rabbits, wild mice and birds.

Prison Report.

The report of Warden Henry Wolfer of the state prison for two years ending July 31, 1904, states that during that time 180 have been committed to the prison, of whom twenty-two have died, thirty-nine were pardoned, and seven were transfered to asylums.

The income from visitors' fees was $6,619, most of which has been turned into the fund for the amusement and education for the prisoners.

The total number of prisoners is 581, of whom 346 are bachelors, 170 married, 23 divorced and 42 widowers. Grand larceny is the most common offense in the state.

Laborers are most tempted to commit crime, as the prison contains 180 who have been in that occupation; 55 have been farmers, and bookkeepers come next with 20 representatives.

As to nativity of the prisoners, Minnesota comes first, New York next and Canada third. As to habits, only 28 are total abstainers, 254 are heavy drinkers, and 319 drink moderately.

Almost Deserted.

The state supreme court has moved into its quarters at the new capitol. The office of the clerk and the chambers of the judges are now ready for occupancy. The court room is not entirely finished, but it will be in condition to hold the next session of the court.

George N. Lamphere, secretary of the soldiers' home board, has received notice that his rooms in the north wing of the basement are ready for him. He expects to move soon. The adjutant general's department will also move into its new quarters in a few days.

This will leave the old capitol deserted, with the exception of the department of public instruction, historical library, the laboratory of the dairy and food commission and the live stock sanitary board.

Sponser for Battleship.

Miss Rose Marie Schaller of Hastings will act as sponsor for the battleship Minnesota, which will be launched April 6 at Newport News, Va. The appointment of Miss Schaller was made by Gov. Johnson, following a telegram received from Paul Morton, secretary of the navy, asking the governor to name a girl to christen the ship.

It was not known definitely until this dispatch was received yesterday, when the launching would take place or whether Gov. Johnson would be called upon to name a sponsor. Coupled with a request to name a sponsor is an invitation for Gov. Johnson to be present at the launching.

Miss Schaller is a daughter of Senator A. Schaller of Hastings. She is a sophomore at the Minnesota State University.

Binding Twine.

The production of the state prison of all the binding twine used by Minnesota farmers was advocated by J. F. Jacobson of the state board of control, before the house committee on binding twine. The output he said should be increased from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 pounds per year, so that clubs of the poorer farmers could order state twine through dealers who guaranteed payment and were allowed a profit of 1 cent a pound, the same as if they bought the twine outright. The farmer would still have a considerable saving.

News Notes.

The North Star Implement company has been incorporated at Cottonwood.

Bena is exceedingly lively as a result of logging. Three camps are being operated just outside of town.

The Twin City automobile dealers are making plans for an automobile day at the state fair.

Christian Lind, of St. Paul, was sentenced to ten days in the workhouse for the larceny of a meal at a restaurant.

Judge Austin Hill Young, for 18 years a judge of the Hennepin county district bench, died at his residence in Minneapolis, after an illness of several months.

Dr. Bracken, of the St. Paul board of health, says sand filters are cheap and effective in purifying the water supply of a small city.

Good seed will be preached to the farmers along the line of the Milwaukee railroad the latter part of this month. The railroad company is to co-operate with several professors of the state farm school in a missionary campaign.

RUSSIA WANTS REFORM.

The Czar Appoints a Commission to Investigate the Needed Reforms of Empire.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 21.—Senator Shidlovski, president of the commission appointed by Emperor Nicholas to ascertain the causes of discontent among the working classes of St. Petersburg, in a note, issued yesterday, invites the employers and workmen to elect representatives to sit on the commission.

Factory owners and contractors employing not less than 100 persons are entitled to elect fifteen representatives of the different industries, while the workmen of the various establishments can choose electors, who, on March 3, will elect forty-five delegates to serve on the commission.

Each establishment employing 100 to 500 persons is entitled to choose one elector, and those employing 300 to 1,000 persons, two electors.

Concerns employing over 1,000 persons are entitled to an elector for each 300 employes.

Both men and women are entitled to vote, but delegates must be men who have worked at least a year in their respective factories, and must be freely elected by the workers themselves, without interference on the part of the employers.

The note issued by Senator Shidlovski guarantees the personal safety of the delegates.

105 MINERS ARE ENTOMBED

Explosion at Birmingham, Ala., Brings Grief-Stricken Relatives to the Mine.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 21.—One hundred and five miners, some white and some colored, are entombed in the coal shafts of the Alabama Steel and Wire company at the Virginia mines, six miles south of Bessemer, and a large force of men is engaged in a heroic effort to rescue them, but the odds are fearful, and the chances seem against the entrapped miners.

An explosion occurred in the mine at 4 o'clock yesterday, which brought down a mass of timbers, silt, coal and earth near the entrance, completely closing up the mine. The explosion was the result of what is known in mining vernacular as a "dry shot." The men at work in the mine were on the sixth lift far under ground and beyond the sound of human voice.

The noise of the explosion aroused the entire camp and soon a great concourse of people had gathered at the mouth of the mine. When the wives and children of the entombed saw the result of the explosion, the complete closing up of the mine, they cried out in anguish, quickly realizing that unless strenuous and almost superhuman efforts were made their loved ones were doomed to death.

Arrested.

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 21.—A message received from Regina, N. W. T., announces the arrest of J. E. Lewis, who left here about two weeks ago, and whose accounts in the Grand Forks Merchantile company were alleged to be short $36,000. He was manager for several years.

Lewis has agreed to return without requisition papers. Sheriff A. F. Turner left for Regina to bring the prisoner back. Since the departure of Lewis, efforts have been made to have been made to have his wife turn over the property left by him. Negotiations are still pending.

Lewis is said to have expended a great deal of money in a farm located near Mohall, N. D.

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Rules for Woodmen.

The head officers of the Modern Woodman of America are instructing the camps throughout the country to "cut out" of their initiation work all unauthorized "horseplay." Some of the "stunts" which over ambitious teams have been taking upon themselves to introduce, are ordered to be hereafter omitted.

It is understood that every camp of the order has been advised that any deviation from the ritual will be followed by a revocation of the offending camp's charter and the suspension of every member of the camp from the order.

The practice of some camps to introduce side degrees has resulted in injury to candidates and consequent suits for damages against both local camps and the head camp. It is hoped to put a stop to injury to condidates by the use of unauthorized paraphernalia.

A man who was initiated into a camp a small northwestern Iowa town alleged in a damage suit that he had been burned in a branding act which it developed was outside the regular initiation work.

This case and others roused the head camp to act in the matter.

A Monster Engine.

The Burlington engine, which was on exhibition at the World's fair in St. Louis, hauled the flyer through the city Friday afternoon, and came back attached to the night train. The engine is No. 2707, and is one of the largest and latest style engines built. Its driving wheels are seven feet in diamater, or, nearly a foot larger then the big drive wheels on the regular flyer engines, but it has only two on each side instead of three. It was sent here to test its carrying capacity and coal consumption on a track with heavy grades, as the Burlington track is generally more level then the Great Northern.—Fergus Falls Journal.

Agonizing Burns

are instanly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds, and sores. 25c at All Druggists.

Horse Crosses Soo Bridge.

Thief River Press: Yesterday afternoon the horse belonging to J. J. Crowe hitched to a sleigh succeded in breaking away and ran at high speed across the Soo bridge. A number of spectators watched the event with interest expecting to see the horse go through and at least break a leg. When about the center of the bridge, the horse stumbled, breaking loose from the cutter which caused the latter to tumble over the side of the bridge and down onto the ice below. Aside from a few scratches the horse escaped unhurt but the sleigh was badly damaged.

Failed.

All effort have failed to find a better remedy for coughs, colds and lung troubles than Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. J. N. Patterson, Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Gymnastic Stunts.

Last Friday afternoon the caboose attached to the freight train enroute from St. Hilaire to Crookston jumped the track near the little station of Ives, and the Crookston Journal says it turned three summersaults in the air before reaching terra firma.

Conductor C. P. Keeley was in charge of the train, John Berge and George Stilz were the brakemen, all of them were in the caboose when it left the track. No one was hurt seriously, although the conductor [illegible] was shook up and bruised a little more then the brakemen.

How the car could leave the track turn three distinct summersaults in the air and then light without demolishing the car entirely and killing the occupants is puzzling the heads of the many railroad boys in the city.

The track was in perfect condition as the rest of the trains passed safely over the spot of the accident. The caboose used was what is known among the railroad boys as a "dinky" the lightest that are put on the road and this, it is thought, was the cause of the sudden departure from the rails. There are very few of the small cars used in this section now as they are generally considered too light for the hard service. A heavier one had been used on this run up to about two weeks ago then a lighter one was substitutad.

Electricity not a Success.

Mr. F. Faerber, of Concordia Publ. House, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Rheumatism cannot be cured by electricty. I have tried it for years. I used Gloria Tonic and it completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending Feb. 18.

Henry Kiene to W. L. Barclay, w½ of e½ 27-150-43, se¼ 8-151-45, se¼ 13-153-45	8500 00
Ezra C. Eshelby to M., St. P. & Sault St. Marie Ry., land in Secs. 27, 28-154-43	2031 50
W. C. Spurgin to Geo. W. Heater, nw¼ Sec. 13-154-45 and ne Sec. 9-153-44	2500 00
John C. Mathews to J. A. Duffy, land in Secs. 6, 7-151-40 and Sec. 12, 14-151-41	1 00
E. W. Enderle to J. A. Duffy, e½ se¼ and sw¼ se¼ and lot 7, Sec. 14-151-41	2000 00
Andrew Stenseth to Carl Haug, lots 2 to 9, blk 11, Red Lake Rapids	400 00
Geo. H. Turville to John W. Rayson, lot 24, blk 25, Knox's Add. Red Lake Rapids	65 00
Fred LaCount to Mary Coe, ld in Sec. 34-154-43	5 00
K. H. Knuston to Ole Rude, lots 7, 8, 9, blk 1, Hemmingsten's Add Thief River Falls	1000 00
Chas. N. Bourdon to J. H. E. Bourdon, lot 6, blk 2, Riverside Add Red Lake Rapids	50 00
St. Hilaire Lumber Co. to Antoine Payment, lot 2, blk 23, St. Hilaire Townsite Co's 2d Add	500 00
J. Lundell to H. J. Enderle, ne¼ sw¼ and lots 6, 7, Sec. 6-151-40	1977 40
Geo. H. Crosby, trustee, to S. VanKleck, se¼ Sec. 2-152-43	1440 00

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Martial Law.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 21.—Martial law has been declared at Tsarkoe Selo, owing to numerous threatening letters being received at the palace.

The chief of the secret police has ordered special precautions to prevent any outrage on the imperial family.

Peasants of two communities in the province of Norenesch in southwest Russia have taken the unprecepented step of telegraphing direct to Emperor Nicholas asking that their wishes be consulted in the settlement of the grievances in the matter of rents under which they labor.

Stole a House.

Bonesteel, S. D., Feb. 21.—As one result of the claim jumping and general lawlessness that have prevailed among settlers on the Rosebud Indian agency lands, recently thrown open to settlement, a house was picked up, put on bobsleds, and hauled several miles across the prarie last night, while its owner, Hans Oleson, and his family were asleep in the structure.

The house movers intended to appropriate the building to their own use. They had thought it was unoccupied, but when they opened the door they found Oleson and his family at home.

Four Killed.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, Feb. 21.—Four men are dead and fourteen injured as the result of an explosion yesterday of a stationary boiler at a mine of the Provident Coal company.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Feb. 20.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.15; No. 2 northern, $1.11; May, $1.16¾. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 42c. Rye—No. 2, 77c. Barley—No. 2, 40c. Flax—$1.25. Butter—Creamery extras, 30@32c; firsts, 28@30c; dairy fancy, 26@27c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, Feb. 20.

Cattle—Steers, [illegible]

German Military Expert Finds That Russia Has Most Men While Japan Is Strongest in Artillery.

After a careful compilation and close investigation by German army experts, the Militar Wochenblatt, of Berlin, gives what is probably the nearest estimate yet printed of the strength of the Russian and Japanese land forces.

On the Russian side it is calculated that the active [illegible] army at the present moment consists of 154,850 men and 386 guns; en route from Siberia, 35,700 men and 64 guns; being mobilized in Europe, 57,900 men and 188 guns; total, 248,450 men and 638 guns.

On the Japanese side the active army in the field is given as 152,500 men and 702 guns; in reserve, 74,000 men and 78 guns; total, 226,500 men and 780 guns.

Grave Trouble Foreseen.

It need but little foresight, to tell, that when your stomach and liver are badly affected, grave trouble is ahead, unless you take the proper medicine for your disease, as Mrs. John A. Young, of Clay, N. Y., did. She said: "I had neuralgia of the liver and stomach, my heart was weakened, and I could not eat. I was very bad for a long time, but in Electric Bitters, I found just what I needed, for they quickly relieved and cured me." Best medicine for weak women. Sold under guarantee by All druggists, at 50c a bottle.

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- Satisfaction of real estate mortgage,
- Farm contract, (on shares),
- Chattel mortgage foreclosure sale,
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- Transcript of judgment,
- Justice summons,
- Certificate of judgment,
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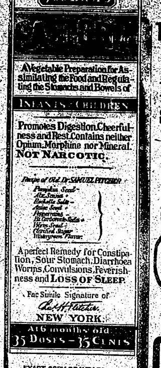

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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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8:42 am Lv	Ives	Ar 5:45 pm
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IT'S a far cry from congressman to country editor, but Frank Eddy is showing signs of a genuine reformation.

IT requires something more than bluff and bluster to move a county seat. Birds are not caught with chaff.

AN engrossed copy of Frank Eddy's address on the paper trust should be forwarded to Minnesota's senators and representatives in congress.

THE arguments pro and con on the drawback proposition proves that General Hancock's theory that the tariff question is a local issue was well grounded.

SENATOR ALDRICH has gone to Europe for a vacation, but it is under- that the house of lords will not take advantage of his absence to censure the Standard Oil company.

THERE'S nothing the matter with Kansas so far as its fight on Standard Oil is concerned. And some Minnesota patriot can make a record in the legislature by introducing the Kansas oil law.

THERE are no honest people in Red Lake Falls, but the woods at Thief River Falls are full of them. If you don't believe it we can give the evidence of such eminent authority as the Thief River Falls News.

IT is possible that Jim Martin wanted a post-office in order that he need not again endanger his reputation as a political manager. This widely-advertised reputation has recently had a couple of severe jolts.

THE banking business ought to be as safe and profitable as any legitmate mercantile pursuit, and it is. When a bank gets into trouble it is invariably because of outside speculations, as witness the Faribault failure.

THE people are becoming educated on the railroad question. High rates are bad enough, but discrimination and rebates can do more damage to the country town than all other evils of the present railroad situation.

WONDER whom Mary NcFadden was looking for? She says: "A visitor to the splendid new state capitol must be accompained by an acute sense of direction or a competent guide if there is any special office he cares to visit."

REPRESENTATIVE WARE'S bill looking to an investigation of the rates charged by fire insurance companies in the state should receive the earnest consideration of the legislature. There is no question but that the smaller towns and cities of the state are paying to much for fire protection.

FRANK EDDY does not believe in the Republican doctrine that there are good and bad trusts. He asserts that a trust is un-American and indefensible on any ground. The word trust implies a control of the market, and this is contrary to the American principle of a fair field and no favor. We fear very much that Frank's philosophy would not be countenanced in the United senate.

IN his biennial report to the governor, S. T. Johnson, retiring public examiner, recommends an extension of county officers' terms to four years. He would provide, however, that all should not retire in the same year. He would have the county treasurer and county attorney retire one year, and the remaining county officers two years later. This would obviate the troubles caused by a general change of administration.

MANY of the really brilliant men in the Minnesota editorial association are neither office-holders nor ex-congressman. One of the ablest papers ever presented to the society was read at the meeting of the association last week by John C. Applegate, editor of the Cannon Falls Beacon, on the railroad rate question. The speaker shows a familiarity with the subject that equips him for a leader in the fight rapidly approaching in Minnesota.

WE hasten to beg the pardon of our good friend of the St. Peter Free Press. THE COURIER did not mean to do Bro. Miller an intentional injustice. The hurried perusal of a recent editorial in that paper led us to believe that THE COURIER was charged with being the mouthpiece of the state administration. This was an undeserved compliment, and we do not wish either to embarrass the administration or circumscribe the usefulness of THE COURIER.

REFERRING to the delay of the legislature in acting decisively upon the revised code, the Minneapolis Journal says: "Some people look upon this delay as a disadvantage to the state, and perhaps it is. Perhaps we [illegible] revised code right away; [illegible] revised code they are not doing anything else."

THE newspaper situation at Thief River Falls has accomplished another sudden transformation. Two weeks ago Frank Packard bought out the Review and consolidated it with his own paper. Last week McDonald Bros., former publishers of the Review, bought both plants and will continue publication of the Press. All of the parties to the transaction have our best wishes for success. The Thief River Falls people are at least to be congratulated upon getting rid of an unnecessary third newspaper.

WILLIAM J. BRYAN, it is said, tells of his position at present by the following story: A certain young man in the south, where Cupid shoots hard, had fallen desperately in love with a beautiful young woman. So one evening he told her his love. To his intense delight she returned his love and they had one of those soul-satisfying interviews. And as the young man slipped out into the starlight, after an evening of bliss, he raised his hands above his head and said "O, Lord, I ain't got nothing agin nobody."

RED LAKE county has turned out a number of prominent citizens of state, but none has reached a greater degree of success than Mart Adson. Twenty years ago he worked on a farm near Red Lake Falls, and later was employed in Frank E. Hunt's hardware store. He is now railroad passenger agent of the Duluth & South Shore railway, and one of the prominent men in the transportation world. Mr. Adson was not a very good farmer, nor did he show more than mediocre ability in the hardware field. He found his avocation in life in railroad work. Mr. Adson's success proves that a man of genuine worth and ability will somehow and somewhere reach his goal even under the most adverse circumstances of early life.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON addressed the business men of Chicago last Saturday evening on "Commercial and Political Integrity," and embodied in his address some new ideas relative to the demand of the people for cleaner politics and better officials. The Governor prophecies a new alignment of political parties in the near future and believes that the great Mississippi valley will soon come into it own, instead of continuing to worship at the shrine of Wall Street. Throughout his address there is an implied endorsement of the advanced ground taken by President Roosevelt and Governors Douglas, LaFollette, Cummins and Folk. There is one thing most needful in American political life—honesty. Equal rights and exact justice to all are promises often made but seldom redeemed by the guardians of the public weal.

GETTING NEW SETTLERS.

Northern Minnesota is greatly interested in securing new settlers, and the most powerful aid in this will be the state immigration society, recently organized at St. Paul. This society is asking an appropriation from the legislature for the purpose of advertising the manifold advantages of the state, and the Red River valley people should be, especially interested in forwarding this great work. At the recent meeting of the editorial association at St. Paul, Judge John W. Willis, president of society, spoke in part as follows:

"We do not believe that Minnesota is not making progress, but it is not progressing as fast as it might. Great efforts are being made in the countries to the northwest of us to attract immigration. What we want is more folks, more people of the kind that have made this state what [illegible] and has decreased from 8,000,000 to 4,000,000 and a similar decrease is making itself felt in other parts of Europe, and in proportion as they suffer, we gain.

"France, when in the height of her military glory, had a population equal to the total of Great Britain and Germany, and when her population decreased her military prestige declined. It is estimated that Scandinavia loses $1,000 for every emigrant, but every one of them who comes over here is worth $5,000 to us. Until recently Minnesota was most favorably known among the immigrants, but now the government of Manitoba and the other provinces as well as the Dominion government is doing what it can to advertise Canada over the entire world.

"The railroads to the South are trying to divert the immigration thither. The Southern states have advanced slower than the North because immigration has not been turned that way. The population of the South is the old, conservative Americans who do not desire strangers to come among them. Now they are waking up and spending great sums advertising their lands. The activity of the Southern states and of Canada is not the only [illegible]

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

The duck has no crop.

Don't let the discouragement get the best of you.

Farming is a poor business when the farmer is poor.

Irrigation is said to be lowering the temperature of Egypt appreciably.

Is there in this bright country a single home on the farm where reading is unknown?

Last year nearly 14,000,000 pounds of butter were haulted over the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad.

The Canadian authorities are increasing their efforts to encourage immigaration to the Dominion.

Now plan what you are going to do this year. Have something to work for and the work will be lighter.

A pig is usually in every stable in Persia; it is thought its presence is beneficial to the health of the horses.

Do not neglect to examine the horse's mouth frequently. A sore mouth is the cause of many unpleasant habits.

Farmers who have kept right along growing draft horses through good times and thrhoug bad have been money ahead.

The Missouri supreme court says a farmer is not a hawker or peddler consequently needs no license to retail his products in town.

In Cuba they cut off the timber and brush, then punch holes in the ground and plant corn. It is never cultivated but grows to the height of sixteen feet and has to be husked by a man on a mule.

Georgia has held the lead in the production of peaches for the Eastern market since 1902 and for years to come is likely to be the leading peach state in Union. She had more than 7,000,000 trees.

A piously inclined schoolboy in Liverpool wrote a religious essay, in which appeared this striking passage: "So he sed upon Moses Come forth; but he came fifth and lost the job. Moral, get np early, and avoid the rush."

A Colorado farmer writes: "We are now raising mules and one very good thing about the business is that buyers come around after them and pay the price we ask, so that we do not have to hunt them up. If a farmer is not a very good rustler for a customer this is a big object."

It costs about one cent a week up to the age of ten weeks to feed a young chick, at which age if properly cared for, it should weigh two pounds. This is equivalent to five cent, as the cost for each pound of chick. To this must be added, of course, the cost of the egg and the labor and trouble of hatching.

A Cullom Ill., woman gets up in the morning, puts on her husband's trousers, builds the fires, milks the cows and does the chores—all before the old man wakes from his slumbers. There would not be so many broken-down husbands, who believe that marriage is a failure if more wives would follow the Cullom woman's example.

If we were unfortunate enough to be among the class of renters, if we had not a foot of land we could call our own, we would make a desperate effort to have the move made this year the last one. We know it is easier to say this than it is to do it, but by this time next year we would at least be found trying to hold down a small farm of our own.

Hit-or-miss farming, as a rule, doesn't pay, but it hurts no man to try an experiment now and then. One or two in a year is enough for the average farmer who farms because he makes his money that way, but to turn the whole farm into a sort of an experimental station, trying a little of this and a little of that, but not enough of one thing to make it pay, is the wrong idea altogether.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. (Seal)

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. [illegible]

The Legal Holiday.

An amendment to the General Statuter relating to "Holiday" shall include New Year's Day, being January 1st; Lincoln's Birthday, Februery 22nd; Good Friday; Memorial Day May 30th; Independent Day, July 4th; Labor Day, first Monday in November, of the even numbered years; such day as may be set apart for Thanksgiving by the proclamation of the governor, and Christmas Day. No public business shall be transacted on these days except in cases of neccessity, nor shall any civil process be served thereon.

Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poisons of undigested food—or money back. 25c at All druggists. try them.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bourdon went to Crookston last evenig,

J. E. Bray has been laid up the past week with an attack of rheumatism.

County Attorney Germo was called to Crookston Monday on legal business.

E. G. Storaasli was a business visitor at Grand Forks the first of the week.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting tomorrow (Friday) evening-

Dr. D. G. Mugg, eye specialist, will be at the Grand View Hotel, Tuesday, March 14.

Angus Campbell went to Crookston Tuesday where he will work for a railroad contractor.

The choral union did not meet this week but will meet next Wednesday evening as usnal.

Mrs. G. H. Tibbetts visited over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. A. O. Davison, at Wylie.

A bright baby girl made the acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Linnehan last Friday.

Jacob Thill, one of the Wylie's enterprising grain men, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Monday.

W. A. Schreiter has been confined to his home the past week, wrestling with an attack of the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller are at Grand Forks visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Verboncer.

Mrs. B. Zaiser returned Tuesday from a month's visit with her daughters at St. Paul and Minneapolis.

John Powers, one of Wylie's progressive farmers, was a pleasing caller at this office yesterday.

Attorney Henry W. Lee, of Thief River Falls, he who objects, was a county seat visitor last Saturday.

The ladies of the "Gilt Edge" club will meet with Mrs. William Zaiser next Thursday afternoon, March 2nd.

Banker K. O. Gigstad and Mike McAndress were down from St. Hilaire yesterday on a business mission.

A. C. Eddy, chief engineer of the Great Northern, was in the city yesterday looking over the work at the cut-off.

About 200 bushels of good succotash for sale, also some wood to trade for milk cows. Call on Swan Askenson.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre are the guests of Perl W. Mabey and family at Thief River for a few days.

Perl W. Mabey, one of Thief River's attorneys, transacted business at the court house on Monnay.

Auditor Ford informs us that the county commissioners will hold their next session beginning Wednesday, March 1st.

M. O. Sortedahl left today on a week's visit to Goodhue county and other portions of the southern part of the state.

So dainty 'twould make the daintiest foot daintier—an ideal kid patent Queen quality shoe for women. —Garceau & Zaiser.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and V. M. Higinbotham were at Wylie Sunday evening, where the doctor was called on professional business.

W. H. Krueger was at St. Paul over Sunday where he went to purchase fixtures for the new saloon to be opened next month.

A gentlemen's shoe built of firmness and up-to-datedness for particular wearers—the W. L. Douglas shoe. At Garceau & Zaiser's

Dr. N. M. Watson returned today from his trip to Williamsport, Ont., where he was called two weeks ago by the death of his brother.

E. G. Froehlich, living near Badger, received a telegram Monday conveying the sad news of the death of his father at Tauton, Minn.

Miss Dora Marchand was in from Dorothy Tuesday evening and attended the dance. She returned to her school duties the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Thill, of Wylie, are the proud parents of an eight pound baby boy who arrived at their home Sunday evening.

Garceau & Zaiser have an announcement of a special sale of a lot of seasonable mid-winter goods this week. It will pay you to read it.

Superintendent of schools McAnulty will occupy the building recently vacated by the Bank of Red Lake Falls as an office in the near future.

Washington's birthday was generally observed in the city yesterday, the schools, banks, postoffice and most of the business houses being closed.

A pleasant dancing party was given by the members of the M. B. A. lodge last Friday evening at the lodge room. A most enjoyable occasion is reported.

Now is the time the farmers should have their plows put in shape for the spring work. Don't wait until you want to use it before finding out if it needs repairing.

Prof. and Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain are victims of the grippe this week. The professor is able to look after his school work today, but not entirely recovered as yet.

Sam Allard is quiet a fancier of guinea pigs and has been successful in raising them. Sunday night he had the misfortune to lose one of the young animals.

Three candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the Modern Woodmen lodge last evening. New members are being constantly added to the order of this place.

An item in the daily newspaper states that I. D. Converse is to start a daily at Red Lake Falls. The reports seem to be largely fiction. Mr. Converse says he is not wealthy enough to finance such an uncertain proposition and there seems to be no crying demand from the business men for a luxury of that description.

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H. W. Anderson, our popular jeweler, has a new fire and burglar proof safe at the N. P. depot. It is a large one and will better meet the requirements of the place than the old one.

The Great Northern bridge crew finished its work today and left for Grand Forks on the afternoon train. The big new steel bridge across the Red Lake river is now practically completed.

S. M. Sivertson left Monday for a visit at his old home at Atwater. From that place he will go to Willmar, St. Paul and other points, and expected to be away about a week when he left.

Nels K. Anderson, who was the Republican candidate for judge of probate at the recent election, was a visitor to the city Wednesday to pay his taxes and look after other business matters.

This week will be one of activity for our society people. Tuesday evening, a dance, Wednesday, high school party, to-night a dance at the M. B. A. hall, and Friday the band concert. Can you keep the pace?

The ladies of the Presbyterian society will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John E. King. Lunch will be served from 4 to 6. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

The pile driver has about completed its work the at Great Northern cut-off, and the track-layeres are expected to go to work immediately. It is now thought trains will being running over the new road about Aqril 1st.

The following St. Hilaire people attended the dance at the opera house Tuesday evening: Messrs. Grace, Nelson, Foss, Hannay; Mrs. Nelson and Misses Pirath, Hoff, Petingill, Jahr, Hannay, Johnson and Hughes.

Miss Edna Ridgway, of Helena, Mon., is a guest at the home of her neice, Mrs. John E. King, for a few days this week. Miss Ridgway is east for an extended visit with her many friends at Grand Forks, her former home.

Plummer Pioneer: Ed L. Healy, the Red Lake Falls land man, was a business visitor here on Monday. He had with him the carcass of a big wolf which he had killed while driving through the country a few miles from here.

Sam E. Hunt left Tuesday for Duluth, where he will attend the meeting of the state hardware association. The program this year is quite elaborate and it goes without saying that the Zenith city will entertain its visitors handsomely.

Saturday, March 11, is to be visiting day at the schools, and at that time the work of the different grades will be displayed in all of the rooms of the school. Parents and patrons are requested to visit the schools on this day ane inspect the work of the pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Paul entertained a large number of friends at the Paul hotel last Saturday evening. Dancing was the feature of the evening and refreshments were served before the guests departed. A most enjoyable time is reported by those present.

John E. King returned Monday from St. Paul, where he attended the meeting of the state editorial association and looked after business matters preliminary to assuming his duties at the state capital. He expects to leave tonight for St. Paul and will take the reins of office on March 1.

Joseph Salley came down from Thief River Monday, after a visit at the home of his brother-in-law, Joseph Holzknecht, who recently underwent a serious operation for gall-stone. Mr. Holzknecht is now convalescent and in a fair way to recovery. Mrs. Salley is still at Thief River and will remain for some days.

The following from an exchange is worthy of the appreciation of every one who is loyal to his home community: "The sorrowest fellow on earth is the fellow who will sit around and cuss his own town. If I lived astride the north pole, I would call it home and be ready to boost it up. If I couldn't say anything nice about it I would say my ice didn't come high. I would not stay in a town I had to cuss—not while the world is as big as it is now."

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Ward D. Williams, an advertising representative of the Minneapolis Journal, was here Tuesday endeavoring to interest our land men in an advertising compaign in several dailies. A advertisement is to be run simultanously in the Minneapolis Journal, Chicago Inter Ocean, Des Moines Capital and Indianapolis News, settling forth the advantages of the Red Lake valley.

The Southside Club held one of their meetings Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Harren, a large number of the members being present. It was decided to give the "wurser halves" of the members a party Saturday evening at the Harren home. Of late the club has given a number of these parties and they have been highly successful from a social standpoint.

About thirty friends walked in on Miss Almeda Gonigan last Friday evening and gave her a pleasant surprise, the occasion being a birthday. A jolly good time was had playing flinch and other games until a late hour. Dainty refreshments were served and before departing the members of the party presented Miss Almeda with a beautiful clock as a token of esteem and respect.

Mrs. Karen Sandmoen of St. Hilaire has been granted a decree of absolute divorce from her husband. The complaint of the wife alleged that the husband had deserted her and had not crossed the family doorstep in fifteen months. Mrs. Sandmoen is the proprietress of the Scandia hotel at St. Hilaire and owns considerable property and is able to take care of herself. She has several grown up children.

Ida Fangstorm, who formerly resided with her parents between Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire, was sent to the training school at Red Wing last week, convicted of stealing $15 from Bertha Pederson at Thief Biver Falls. The girl is only fifteen years of age, but for the past year she has wondered from the straight and narrow path, and adjudged incorrigible by Judge Bishop of the Thief River municipal court.

A recently married Crookston man threw down a piece of bread at the table the other evening and said to his wife: "I wish you could make such bread as mother used to make." The young wife smiled and a voice that did not quiver remarked: "Well, John, I wish you could make the dough that father used to make." Then there was a silence as deep in their home as there is in a print shop when a subscriber pays a seven year old subscription account.

Mrs. James Sullivan died Tuesday at the hospital in Grand Forks after a long illness from cancer. Mrs. Sullivan was formerly Miss Mary McAndress, and lived with her parents near St. Hilaire until she was married some years ago. Her husband was for a number of years chief of police at East Grand Forks. He died about two years ago. The funeral of Mrs. Sullivan will be held today at Grand Forks, and many of her Red Lake county relatives and friends will be in attendance at the obsequies. The deceased is one of twelve children in the McAndress family, and her death makes the first break in the family circle.

Three dairy meetings will be held in Red Lake Falls county next month as follows: Red Lake Fall, March 2; Wylie, March 3, and St. Hilaire, March 4. These meetings will be under the auspices of the state dairy associattion and will be worth attending. Prominent dairymen will discuss subjects interest to all interested in the bettrment and welfear of the dairy, and it is to be hoped our farmers will take advantage of this opportunity to give valuble information. The meetings at Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire are to be colled at 10:30 a. m. while the Wylie meeting convene at 1 o'clock p. m.

Monday was the banner day for tax receipts at the county treasurer's office so far this year. An even $800 was deposited by the tax-payers of the county. Treasurer Hansen says not more than one-third of the taxpayers of the nearby townships have as yet responded, the reason probably being that they think that they live close to headquarters and drop in the last minute to save the 10 per cent penalty. Next Tuesday is the last day of grace and it might be a wise move not to wait until the last day as you may be obliged to stand in line and wait your turn for hours. Mr Hansen is alone in the office and will have to wait upon each one individually. Do not put it off any longer.

Prof. and Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain and Misses Tambling and Iddings entertained the pupils of the high school at a Washington's birthday function at the school building last evening. A number of games and features appropriate to the occasion lent enjoyment to the evening. J. D. Marshall and Miss Margaret Kaus representing George and Martha Washington, led the grand march. In the search for hidden cherries Miss Rose Sutter won the first prize, a box of chocolate bonbons, and Miss Lizzie Cassidy carried off the booby honor. Sherbet and cake were served for lunch, and the high school brass band made its first public appearance. The high school apartments were brilliantly lighted by electricity, J. D. Marshall having done the wiring and the light company furnishing the light free of charge. On the whole the party was one of the social successes of the year, and everybody went home happy.

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Every owner of a home should have one or more of "The Minnetonka," pride of the Northwest. Order to-day.
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Delinquent Tax List...

for Red Lake County, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

The State of Minnesota, to all persons, companies or corporations who have or claim any estate, right, title or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several pieces or parcels of land in the list hereto attached described:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Red Lake remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January 1905, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Red Lake of which that hereto attached is a copy. Therefore you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any piece or parcel of land described in said list, in, to, or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim or lien, and in default thereof judgment will be entered against such piece or parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest and costs.

JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk of the District Court
of the County of Red Lake.

A List of Real Property, for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on which Taxes remained Delinquent on the First Monday in January, A. D., 1905:

ASSESSMENT DIST. NO. 2

Township 152, Range 39.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ed B Johnson	lot 4	31	$1 53
Torger T Elton	lot 5	32	60

TOWN OF EQUALITY

Township 151, Range 40.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ida Swanson	s½ se¼ and lots 1 and 2	1	$14 49
Olaf G Jore	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	3	15 23
Thomas Veitch	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	5	24 60
John L Bush	se¼ nw¼ and lots 2, 3, 4, 5	6	14 07
F E Sullivan	ne¼	8	29 04
Halvor A Vingerud	ne¼ ne¼	9	5 41
John Christie	nw¼	9	28 47
Gust Reindal	s½ sw¼ and s½ se¼	10	22 50
Ole S Brekeland	w½ se¼	14	22 24
do	w½ ne¼	23	
Jens L Bolstad	ne¼	21	22 88
Lars Senum	sw¼	21	21 36
K K Sannes	ne¼	22	19 37
Sever and Bertha Mooren	nw¼	22	22 83
Henry F Compton	s½ sw¼	29	
do	se¼ se¼	30	26 03
do	ne¼ ne¼	31	
Nels Johnson	lots 11 and 12	31	11 64
Frank L Compton	se¼ ne¼	31	12 77
do	lots 1 and 2	32	
Asbjor Aastad	se¼	33	21 91
John H Aakre Jr	sw¼	34	17 74
Knud O Krossen	ne¼	35	14 01
Gunder Knutson	se¼	35	10 01
Ole Torkjelson	sw¼	35	18 84
Unknown	se¼ sw¼ and lot 4	18	9 50
do	s½ se¼	18	5 70
do	ne¼	19	5 70
do	e½ nw¼ and lts 1, 2	19	9 50

Township 152, Range 40.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Aslak Thompson	w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	26	11 60
Martin Gilbertson	se¼ se¼ and lots 4 and 5	27	15 71
Martin Gilbertson	ne¼ ne¼	34	
Ralph H Green	sw¼ sw¼ and lots 6, 7, 8	32	25 37
O G Lundan	sw¼	35	21 32

TOWN OF LAMBERT

Township 150, Range 41.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
E D Salverson	e½ sw¼, se¼ nw¼ and lot 3	1	$22 05
Annie O'Neil	ne¼ sw¼, s½ nw¼ and lot 3	2	22 57
Marceline Lajambe	w½ se¼, sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	5	31 00
Eugene Beaucharal	e½ se¼ se¼ ne¼ and lot 1	6	25 37
Simon Bernier	w½ e½ sw¼ and w½ se¼ nw¼	8	11 33
Simon Bernier	w½ sw¼ and sw¼ nw¼	8	19 70
Unknown	s½ nw¼	9	14 64
K L White	nw¼	10	23 83
C H Halvorson	ne¼	11	19 37
Unknown	se¼	11	24 20
Omund T Vigen	sw¼ ne¼	12	6 43
George Charest	n½ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼	13	39 60
George Charest	e½ sw¼	13	20 98
Joseph Fortier	n½ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼	14	35 70
Treffle Daoust	63x78 ft of ne¼ nw¼	15	1 54
Eug Lambert	52x208 ft in nw¼ ne¼	15	46
Simon Bernier	nw¼ nw¼ and w½ ne¼ nw¼	17	8 92
Fortuna Bourque	sw¼ sw¼	17	31 16
do	e½ se¼ and sw¼ se¼	18	
Peter Burk	se¼ sw¼ and lot 4	18	13 07
Ferdinand Tuogeon	se¼	20	25 92
Augusta E Lockwood	s½	22	21 45
Rudolph Warburg	ne¼	28	24 89
Nicholas Holzmer	ne¼	29	22 57
W E McKenlie	se¼	30	23 66
Gottlieb Hofer	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	29 49
O L Bolstad	se¼	31	30 32
do	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	31	33 53
John Plante	ne¼	32	24 76
Joseph Morisette	sw¼	32	32 85
Hugues Dery	sw¼	35	21 36
John Evenson	se¼ sw¼ and sw¼ se¼	36	11 24

TOWN OF GARNES

Township 151, Range 41.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of Section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Charles Germo	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	2	$9 02
John Larson	se¼	3	19 89
Ole H Haaven	w½ sw¼, se¼ sw¼ and lots 2 and 3	4	15 57
Unknown	s½ sw¼	5	6 86
Torger O Lofthus	e½ se¼ and e½ ne¼	7	31 26
Unknown	ne¼ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	17 22
do	e½ ne¼	7	5 15
do	n½ nw¼	8	6 86
Haaken H Haaven	sw¼	8	28 27
Elsie Haaven	s½ se¼ and s½ sw¼	9	13 72
Unknown	lots 4 and 5	14	4 70
Carl F Haakenson	ne¼	14	27 07
Unknown	n½ nw¼	15	6 86
do	s½ nw¼	15	10 29
do	sw¼	15	27 45
do	nw¼	16	17 14
do	ne¼	16	17 14
do	se¼	16	27 45
do	s½ sw¼	16	13 72
do	n½ sw¼	16	13 72
do	ne¼ ne¼	18	6 86
do	ne¼ se¼	20	6 86
do	sw¼ sw¼	22	5 14
do	se¼ se¼	22	6 28
do	ne¼ nw¼	24	3 49
Espeseth & Rorang	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼ (exc 1 acre)	26	23 95
Walter P Stone	w½ se¼	26	12 72
Unknown	e½ nw¼	27	8 56
Ewing & Murphy	ne¼ ne¼	29	7 80
Unknown	ne¼ sw¼	29	1 71
do	nw¼ se¼	29	1 72
P E Strandy	lot 4	30	3 42
Unknown	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	30	25 82
Ole and John Olson	se¼	31	16 73
do	s½ ne¼, se¼ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	31	17 77
Ole and John Olson	lots 1, 2, 3 & 4	31	15 37
Unknown	ne¼ ne¼	33	2 28
do	e½ ne¼	34	9 12
M McKinnon	ne¼	36	12 75
do	se¼	36	12 75
O N Skomedal	s½ sw¼	36	6 60
Amund T Vigen	nw¼	36	15 02
John Weduel	lot 5	19	6 63
do	lots 5, 6 and 9	30	
Palmer Erickson	e½ sw¼ and lots 7 and 8	30	[illegible]

TOWN OF POPLAR RIVER

Township 150, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
J N Miller	se¼	3	$11 19
E H Bjoin	sw¼ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	4	18 74
Narcisse H Martineau	sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	5	8 75
Narcisse Martineau	w½ se¼	7	8 65
Marceline Lussier	w½ se¼	10	8 24
do	w½ ne¼	15	
John B Cyr	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼	11	13 72
Oliver Parrides	n½ se¼, ne¼ sw¼ and lot 3	18	18 32
Louis Boire	se¼ ne¼ & ne¼ se¼	20	12 95
do	sw¼ nw¼ & nw¼ sw¼	21	
H B Wells	ne¼	25	16 53
Christian Hallas	nw¼	25	16 70
H B Wells	se¼	25	16 53
Christian Hallas	sw¼	25	16 53
J W McGinty	se¼	26	20 32
Charles E Long	ne¼	32	50 90
Rock Fortier	nw¼	34	12 28
Frank Bissoneau	sw¼	34	10 41
J W McGinty	ne¼	35	18 16

TOWN OF EMARDVILLE

Township 151, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Engebert Pederson	lots 3 and 4	1	$7 08
J C Wilkinson	lots 1 and 2	2	3 61
M O Sortedahl	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4	2	14 37
Emma F Marshall	s½ sw¼	5	30 63
do	n½ nw¼	8	
Little Falls & Dak Ry	lot 4	7	9 35
Andrew O Helland	e½ se¼	10	6 95
Nels S Helland	w½ se¼	10	7 75
Unknown	nw¼ ne¼	11	1 71
L P Hunt	ne¼	15	7 92
Ed L Healy	nw¼	17	9 48
Amel H Reker	ne¼	18	25 37
Unknown	lot 2	19	3 22
Hans T Gulbrason	s½ sw¼	20	5 74
Tom Pederson	ne¼	21	13 49
Hilmer F Larson	ne¼	24	46 08
Adolph Carpenter	se¼	25	16 32
Paul G Ostby	sw¼	27	8 78
Hans T Gulbranson	n½ nw¼	29	4 22
Carl E Asp	w½ nw¼	33	8 38
Getrude Zeh	e½ sw¼ and n½ se¼	30	19 25
L P Hunt	s½ se¼	30	9 25
do	n½ ne¼	31	
Schoenauer & Luxemburger	ne¼ nw¼ and lot 2	31	8 97
J K O Sherwood	se¼ nw¼	31	4 63
A O Lee	e½ se¼	29	8 78
do	n½ ne¼	32	
Charles Olson	s½ ne¼	36	8 78

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Township 152, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Wm H Mathews	lot 2	3	$4 81
Gabriel Wilson et al	ne¼	8	15 01
Aasine Olson	nw¼	9	37 91
Lars P Brandrud	sw¼	9	32 31
Healy & Brown	lot 1	13	31 07
do	lots 1, 2 and 3	24	
Mary Weiss	sw¼	17	29 15
Ole T Omoth	lot 4	18	5 27
Mary E Hitchcock	nw¼	23	43 00
Hanna Erickson	e½ se¼	30	10 97
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	30	5 86
do	ne¼ se¼	31	5 86
do	nw¼ sw¼	32	5 86
Guttorm G Otterness	nw¼	36	12 51

ASSESSMENT DISTRICT NO. 1

Township 153, Range 42.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	lots 1 and 3	18	$21 89
Wm H Mathews	lot 1	20	1 71

TOWN OF TERREBONNE

Township 150, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ester Archchambeault	53⅓ A s of n 53⅓ A of se¼	7	$9 03
John Clement	n½ ne¼ and n½ sw¼	8	28 14
Arize St Yves	se¼ nw¼ and 20 A of n½ sw¼		8 92
Hosanna Prenevost	se¼	10	40 34
Amedee Wolfe	1 A of nw¼ nw¼	11	2 57
Warner & Andrus	w½ se¼	13	20 62
Merchants State Bank, R L F	ne¼ nw¼ and nw¼ ne¼	16	23 49
Merchants State Bank, R L F	se¼ ne¼	16	11 13
Albert Smith	w½ se¼	19	6 03
W E Brown	ne¼ se¼	19	4 55
Little Falls & Dak Ry Co	sw¼ sw¼	20	6 51
Unknown	se¼ ne¼	21	13 40
Laurent Gagner	n½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	23	44 70
Laurent Gagner	ne¼ nw¼	26	
Warner & Andrus	n½ ne¼	24	16 63
Charles Germo	ne¼	29	32 23
Alfred Helling	nw¼	29	56 69
Able Baker	e½ nw¼ and lot 2	30	13 57
Warner & Andrus	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	18 05
Marcus Maurin	lots 3 and 4	31	9 94
W E Brown	nw¼	32	26 97
Disk DeGraf	ne¼	33	82 99

TOWNSITE OF TERREBONNE

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Block	Total Tax and Penalty
Nap Rapin	9	20	$07
do	17	2	08
do	18	2	08
Isadore Fortier	13	5	08
do	14	5	08

TOWN OF GERVAIS

Township 151, Range 43.
Yeras for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Rose	lots 11 and 14	8	$6 82
F X Caillier	lot 10	8	2 03
Delphine Rose	w½ sw¼ and lots 1, 2 and 3	9	18 17
Unknown	s½ sw¼	11	6 44
do	nw¼ sw¼	13	6 44
Little Falls & Dak Ry Co	se¼ se¼	13	12 76
Henry M Martinson	nw¼	14	38 11
do	sw¼	14	38 11
Unknown	s½ ne¼ and nw¼ ne¼	14	19 32
do	ne¼	15	6 44
D E and Ella Cheadle	w½ nw¼	16	9 94
Ed L Healy	lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10	18	9 07
Henry Tillman	se¼ se¼	21	5 17
Unknown	ne¼ ne¼	22	1 61
Henry Tillman	se¼ nw¼	22	6 61
do	sw¼	22	28 22
Louis Martell	n½ sw¼ and nw¼ se¼	27	21 05
Louis Martell	ne¼ se¼	28	5 10
L P Hunt	s½ se¼, nw¼ se¼ and se¼ sw¼	29	12 46
J K Sherwood	e½ nw¼ and e½ sw¼	30	26 37
do	w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	30	18 67
Onezime Lacoursiere	sw¼ ne¼	31	4 89
H J Kaufer	n½ ne¼ and n½ nw¼	31	23 73
Louis Myren	s½ se¼	34	11 76
do	s½ sw¼	35	13 20
Samuel D Godbout	n½ sw¼	35	13 20

TOWN OF RIVER FALLS

Township 152, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
S G Brooks	nw¼	9	$32 04
do	w½ ne¼	9	13 25
Unknown	e½ nw¼	11	12 28
Andrew Bjoinquist	se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	16	7 19
Henry Reese	s½ ne¼	18	17 81
do	e½ se¼	18	21 35
Magnilda Breyig	sw¼	22	36 62
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	25	4 88
P O Nelson	sw¼ ne¼	27	8 85
Olaus E Ubol	w½ sw¼ and lot 7	29	20 39
do	se¼ se¼	30	
Rebecca S Brown	ne¼ se¼	30	5 23
Valentyne & Healy	ne¼ ne¼	31	2 62
C G Edwards	se¼ ne¼	31	5 23
Edwin M English	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 and 2	31	9 81
Edwin M English	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	31	10 16
Jacob H Housman	e½ ne¼, nw¼ ne¼ and lots 1 and 4	32	21 44
Valentyne & Healy	w½ nw¼ and lots 2 and 3	32	8 62
Unknown	w½ ne¼	33	15 87
do	e½	36	31 20

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township 153, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	sw¼ nw¼	2	$14 95
do	se¼ sw¼ and sw¼ se¼	2	[illegible]
Halvor E Olson	w½ nw¼ and lots 3 and 4 (exc R of W)	9	[illegible]
Unknown	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unknown	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township 153, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of Section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ronag Torgerson	s½ nw¼ and w½ sw¼	15	18 40
O A Aubol	lot 5	16	6 39
Mary J Calloway	n½ ne¼, sw¼ ne¼ and lot 2	17	18 56
Carrie J Kordal	ne¼ se¼, se¼ ne¼ and lots 1 and 2	32	30 07
do	nw¼ nw¼ & n½ sw¼	33	

Crocker, Cundy and Nelson's 1st Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Hilaire Lbr Co lots 47 to 58 inclusive		1	$69
E E Brown	4	2	06
Charley Thompson	3	6	1 29
Andrew Norander lots 20 to 22 inclusive		7	1 56
Andrew Norander	24	7	16
Denis Short	1	39	08

TOWN OF ORTH

Township 154, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
John Smith	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	18	$17 54
Knud Knudson	lots 1 and 2	19	23 65
Flora A Daniels	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4	19	61 02
Ezra C Eshelby	se¼ sw¼	21	10 65
Jens Bartelsons	w¼ sw¼	21	10 65
Gust L Fevig	w½ nw¼	28	32 52

P Meehan's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
P Meehan	3	3	$2 82
do	4	3	2 82
do	5	3	2 82
do	6	3	2 82
do	7	3	2 82
do	8	3	2 82
do	12	3	3 54
M V Evenson	1	5	3 54
P Meehan	4	5	4 21
First State Bank of T R F	5	5	8 55
F Meehan	6	5	3 54

TOWN OF LAKE PLEASANT

Township 150, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Desire Lacoursiere	sw¼	3	$44 96
K L White	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	16 73
H H Tompkins	se¼	7	28 87
Bernhard Lindersdorf	sw¼	11	39 63
Evangelist Quesnell	s½ ne¼ and s½ nw¼	12	39 95
Felicite Ducharmes	½ se¼	12	14 26
Caleb K Colby (adm)	nw¼	13	19 58
Jane B Eddy	nw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	15	23 28
Mrs J M Smart	nw¼	17	30 31
Warner & Andrus	se¼	18	29 44
George Luxemburger	nw¼	24	17 35
M T O'Brien	se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	28	21 09
John H Hunter	sw¼	29	13 94
Thomas S Lowry	se¼	31	21 68
Warner & Andrus	ne¼	32	21 69
John V Hartman	ne¼	35	22 07

TOWN OF RED LAKE FALLS

Township 151, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Tatol Tax and Penalty
Johan J Busse	e½ se¼ (ex Ry of w)	1	$33 79
do	e½ ne¼ do	12	
Wm Marleau	s½ ne¼ and lots 1 & 2	3	28 85
August C Spilker	sw¼ se¼	3	31 55
do	w½ ne¼ and ne¼ ne¼	10	
Morris Healy	se¼	4	15 87
H M Kaus	ne¼	7	21 35
L C Simons	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	17 66
Ed L Healy	ne¼	8	18 41
Mary Rose	e½ ne¼ (ex 1 acre)		17 18
Ernest Buse	lot 5	1	2 03
Pierre Emard Jr	w½ sw¼ (ex 11 acres) and 5 acres in e½ sw¼	24	13 37
Eli Emard trustee	e½ se¼	24	13 03
E E and Millie Fletcher	lot 6 and a strip 3x20 ch wide of lot 7	24	9 39
J B Armstrong	part of lots 4 & 5	24	6 43
Paul Cyr	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 and 4 (ex 6 acres)	30	12 11
Nels Bjergo	se¼ and e½ sw¼	31	33 92
Pierre Sancarter	se¼ ne¼	36	5 13
Amedee Jolly	e½ se¼	36	10 94

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township 152, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivison of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
G H Sandum	s½ nw¼ & lots 3 & 4	3	$43 92
Peter A Eckstrom	ne¼	7	12 33
P A Sharp	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	10 63
August D Schulze	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	16 60
W E Brown	ne¼	10	33 32
Ditlew M Frederickson	sw¼	10	32 30
W E Brown	ne¼	11	30 71
J K O Sherwood	w½ nw¼ and w½ sw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	13	32 14
J A Duffy	sw¼ sw¼	16	3 04
Claus Adolphson	sw¼	17	12 62
Michael Draeger	se¼	18	5 72
Andrew Dreelan	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4 (ex Ry r of w)	19	25 88
S A Swanson	s½ sw¼	20	8 95
Michael Draeger	nw¼ and n½ sw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	20	10 45
Ida Swanson	nw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	21	22 40
W G Vandenburgh	sw¼	23	10 79
S W Lee	ne¼ (ex Ry r of w)	25	28 82
do	ne¼	26	31 14
Ingri Swanson	nw¼	26	13 79
Peter Swanson	se¼	26	14 49
do	ne¼	27	14 87
S A Swanson	nw¼	27	16 73
Peter A Nelson	sw¼	27	21 32
L S Wagoner	se¼	28	17 01
Valerie G Prior	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	31	30 27
Simons & Duffy	nw¼ (ex 1 acre)	33	16 76
Robert Ford	sw¼	33	15 14
Emilie Richard	nw¼	34	24 48
H M Martinson	se¼	34	27 28
Conrad Nauman	sw¼	35	13 75
Edward Enright	sw¼	36	13 39

TOWN OF SANDERS

Township 153, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Wilhelmina Just	se¼	2	$27 28
Unknown	sw¼ nw¼	2	5 21
A F George	sw¼ nw¼ and lot 4	3	19 53

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1899.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
L K Scroggin	s½ ne¼, nw¼ ne¼ and ne¼ nw¼	7	12 42

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Warren C Spurgeon	ne¼	9	45 34
Unknown	e½ nw¼	9	10 40
A D Stephens	sw¼	11	20 35
W E C Ross	se¼	11	29 35
J O Thorstad	se¼	12	31 59
Erick Hard	ne¼	15	28 02
J M Olson	sw¼ sw¼	16	10 91
C C Way	e½ se¼, nw¼ se¼ and se¼ ne¼	18	17 64
Farm Land Co	sw¼ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	20	14 12
Healy & Bi...		22	55 02
N G Stark	se¼	22	31 78
A N Lehman	n½ sw¼, sw¼ sw¼ and nw¼ se¼	24	12 41
J K O Sherwood	se¼	26	37 63
John Brandvold	s½ sw¼	27	26 81
do	ne¼ nw¼	34	[illegible]
Halvor Olson	ne¼ sw¼	27	4 71
K O Sandrum	s½ ne¼	28	19 86
Fred E Rux	e½ ne¼	29	12 92
J A Anderson	sw¼	32	17 67
Elias Swanson	nw¼ nw¼	34	8 96

Town of Sanders
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Unknown	se¼ sw¼	35	10 00

TOWN OF NORDEN

Township 154, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
John Brateng	n½ sw¼	7	$12 90
Ole Olson	sw¼	9	21 79
John Blom	n½ se¼, se¼ se¼ and ne¼ sw¼	10	21 61
Lewis Lee	n½ se¼	11	7 62
Hans O Knudtson	e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼	14	11 16
Peter Anderson	e½ sw¼	14	7 99
Ole O Nesja	e½ nw¼	16	19 77
John Blom	nw¼ nw¼	16	[illegible] 66
John B Carlson	sw¼ nw¼	16	4 88
Halvor Erickson	e½ ne¼ and n½ se¼	23	19 19
Thos A King	sw¼ ne¼, se¼ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	23	5 72
Knud Knudson	e½ ne¼	24	19 81
Ole A Aubol	w½ ne¼ and s½ nw¼	24	16 51
Johan Johanneson	e½ nw¼, sw¼ nw¼ and nw¼ sw¼	27	14 41
August Soderburg	s½ sw¼	28	[illegible] 71
John A Wig	w½ ne¼ and e½ nw¼	31	16 98

Town of Norden
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Olaf A Wig	e½ sw¼ and lots 5 & [illegible]	31	[illegible]

Town of Norden
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Ole Simonson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unknown	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TOWN OF LOUISVILLE

Township 151, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
L P Hunt	se¼	1	$7 62
Edwin Neil	lot 3	3	4 21
do	ne¼ sw¼	3	4 21
Davie Neil	se¼ nw¼ and lot 1	4	10 65
James Cassavant	se¼	4	13 90
John Grove	e½ se¼ (ex 20 acres Ry r of w and gravel pit)	5	9 48
Philomena Boivin	w½ se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	6	18 04
St P M & M Ry Co	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	7	20 66
St P M & M Ry Co	se¼	7	21 80
John Grove	ne¼	9	19 38
St P M & M Ry Co	sw¼	9	19 38
Joseph Marcotte	e½ ne¼ and n½ se¼ (ex Ry r of w)	10	16 24
Clorintha Berry	s½ sw¼ and s½ e½	10	16 44
Peter Raymond Jr	nw¼	12	18 17
Celas Raymond	sw¼ (ex Ry r of w)	12	16 38
Wm Findeisen	se¼	14	13 73
St P M & M Co	ne¼	15	23 63
do	nw¼	15	23 63
do	se¼	15	23 63
do	ne¼	19	16 07
Denis Lizotte	n½ ne¼ and sw¼ ne¼	20	13 23
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	21	21 88
do	nw¼ nw¼	21	6 87
do	sw¼	21	23 27
do	se¼	21	20 53
Minn & St Cloud Ry Co	e½ nw¼ and sw¼ nw¼	21	16 41
W E Kelsey	lot 3	25	4 59
Ed L Healy	lot 11	26	4 00
F T Day	lots 7, 9 and 10	26	18 58
Benj Dolbeck	sw¼	28	17 44
Edward Lacoursiere	se¼ se¼	29	5 24
Julia Lizotte	n½ ne¼ and n½ nw¼	32	17 57
Alphonse Darwin	se¼	33	29 58
Ramie Darwin	e½ sw¼ and lots 4, 5 and 6	33	28 85
Alphonse Darwin	lots 7 and 8	33	6 56
Chas F Elvidge	nw¼	34	26 43
do	sw¼	34	26 43
St P M & M Ry Co	nw¼ sw¼	35	6 12
Emilie Lemieux	e½ sw¼ and sw¼ sw¼	35	19 66

TOWN OF POLK CENTER

Township 152, Range 45
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdivision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Pnealty
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	3	$16 18
do	se¼	3	16 72
do	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	5	16 49
John Grove	ne¼ se¼	5	4 19
Minn & St Cloud Ry Co	lot 2	7	4 46
do	se¼ sw¼	8	4 19
John Grove	ne¼ se¼	9	3 53
Johnson & Ecklund	und ½ of sw¼ ne¼	9	2 10
Carl A Melin	sw¼ and e½ se¼ nw¼	9	21 36
Hanna Nelson	sw¼	10	15 33
N C Campbell	w½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	15	12 55
N C Campbell	n½ se¼	15	8 37
do	s½ se¼	15	10 92
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	17	16 92
do	nw¼	17	16 92
do	sw¼	17	16 92
do	se¼	17	16 92
S A Swanson	ne¼	18	15 69
F T Bernent	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	19	22 73
do	se¼	19	22 04
Israel Rabie	e½ ne¼ and sw¼ ne¼	20	9 30
John Grove	w½ nw¼ and nw¼ sw¼	23	17 42
W E Brown	se¼	28	24 80
L J Duffy & N E Gaass	e½ ne¼	29	11 90
John Grove	sw¼ and w¼ se¼ (ex 1 acre)	29	33 05
Mpls & St Cloud Ry Co	sw¼ ne¼	29	5 51
Joe Laurent	n½ se¼	30	9 88
J W Wheeler	s½ se¼	30	9 69
Wm Muschick	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	31	22 88
Wm Muschick	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	31	22 88
Wm Muschick	se¼	31	22 04
do	ne¼	31	22 04
Ida Coe	se¼ (ex 4 acres)	32	18 81
City of Grand Forks	4 acres of se¼ se¼	32	92

TOWN OF BRAY

Township 153, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Isaac H Elliott	sw¼	2	$16 75
Reker & Spurr	s½ nw¼ and lots 3 & 4	4	16 75
St P M & M Ry Co	e½ nw¼ and lots 1 & 2	7	14 07
Reker & Spurr	sw¼	8	13 98
do	nw¼	10	16 84
John Grove	w½ sw¼	15	8 38
Julius Pleth	sw¼ nw¼	15	4 19
A P Miller	sw¼	16	13 95
G N Ry Co	w½ ne¼	17	6 98
St P M & M Ry Co	ne¼	17	6 98
do	n½ se¼	17	7 01
do	s½ se¼	17	7 01
do	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	19	13 86
Reker & Spurr	se¼	20	14 18

Town of Bray
Years for which taxes are due 1902 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Caroline Halvorson	e½ sw¼	20	14 02

Town of Bray
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
F M Meister	nw¼	25	12 83
Amel H Reker	sw¼	26	15 07
do	se¼	26	17 58
John Grove	w½ sw¼	27	7 18
St P M & M Ry Co	n½ nw¼	27	7 18
do	sw¼ ne¼	27	4 30
Carrie Crown	sw¼	28	11 27
St P M & M Ry Co	se¼	29	13 98
Chas E Misner	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	30	14 90
Axel F Kron	e½ nw¼ and e½ sw¼	32	13 01
Chas C Eklund	ne¼ ne¼	35	3 40
Anna Eklund	se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	35	7 52
Henry C Sattle	nw¼	35	17 67
C C Ecklund	n½ sw¼ and se¼ sw¼	36	12 29

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Township 154, Range 45.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Subdisision of section	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
W C Spurgin	nw¼	13	$15 16
John W Bugge	ne¼	14	12 40
Peter J Bugge	nw¼	14	13 72
John Stone	e½ sw¼ and lots 3 & 4	18	13 72
Nels G Otterness	ne¼ se¼	18	3 88
Matie Weeks	ne¼	22	18 06
C L & H G Dobner	ne¼	24	7 02
Erick Albue	commencing 110 rods s of ne cor of the nw¼ sec 25-154-45, thence s 50 rods, w 160 rods, n 110 rods, southeasterly to place of beginning	25	6 25
Peter H Swandsen	ne¼	26	13 54
Ole E Remmigen	nw¼	26	13 22
John Olson	se¼	26	13 22
Nils Berggren	sw¼	26	13 06
Ole Simonson	se¼	36	8 22

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Town	Rg	Total Tax and Penalty
Martin McAndress vacated blk 8	6	152	43	$53
Ed Flamme part of gov lot 7 (blk 4 and ⅔ of blk 11)	6	152	43	9 57

ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF ST. HILAIRE
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Halaire Townsite Co	1	24	$5 27
do	2	24	57
do	10	24	5 27
Mary Swanson	8	25	4 95
W A Sorsoleil	11	25	1 43
do	12	25	15 53
Alfred Dainard	13	26	73
do	14	26	3 07
do	15	26	72
P G Paradis	23	27	1 43
do	24	27	10 81
St Hilaire Lbr Co	8	35	5 57
J B & S Aug	23	35	5 27
do	24	35	57
St Hilaire Townsite Co	9	36	86
do	10	36	86
J K Hanney lots 20 21 and	22	39	17 56
Rebecca S Brown	5	40	[illegible] 22
Hagbarth Sarvold	9	40	[illegible] 22
St Hilaire Townsite Co	15	41	[illegible] 57
do	3	47	10 [illegible]
do	4	47	10 64
do	5	47	10 64
do	6	47	10 64
do	7	47	10 64
do	8	47	10 64
Mrs Theresa Whaley	12	47	14 55
St Hilaire Creamery Assn lots 13, 14, 15 and	16	48	13 61
C M Larson	13	50	14 82
do	14	50	14 82
St Hilaire Townsite Co	13	51	1 43
do	14	51	1 43
C A Skeie	16	51	16 79
F E and B E Burke	[illegible]	52	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	52	[illegible]
I K Kolstad	[illegible]	52	[illegible]
J E Johnson	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Laura Eickhoff	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Original Townsite of St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Laura Eickhoff	4	53	30
do	5	53	30
do	6	53	30
do	7	53	30
St Hilaire Townsite Co	10	55	11
do	11	55	11
do	all	90	77
do	all	91	86
do	all	92	1 43

St. Hilaire Townsite Co's First Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
St Hilaire Townsite Co 24 lots	all	79	2 74

St. Hilaire Townsite Co's Second Addition to St. Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1901 and 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Vernes & Strand	5	17	2 10
do	6	17	4 06

Village of St. Hilaire
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Herman C Adams	6	30	5 57
do	7	30	86
Arne J Loe	21	30	2 64
Ole J Loe	22	30	30
do	23	30	30
do	24	30	30

Ives' Addition to St Hilaire.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Nwner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
P H Anderson	6	2	7 45
Katie Collins	2	3	26 20
Rasmus H Foss	8	3	3 78
D Patterson	19	3	1 43
do	20	3	1 43

Kolstad's Subdivision of Lot 11, Sec 6-Township 152-Rge 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
John L Hagseth	6		5 00
do	7		30

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Township 154, Range 43.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Total Tax and Penalty
Bertha Crawford 90-100 acres of lot 4	33	$34
Albert Johnson 1 acre of lot 4	33	34
Unknown Beg 3330 ft e of nw cor of sw¼ sec 34 thence south about 80 rods, west about 40 rods north about 80 rods and east about 40 rods, being a part of ne¼ sw¼ 34-154-43, 29.90 acres	34	8 58

ORIGINAL TOWNSITE OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Kettel Knudson	11	2	$1 11
do	12	2	1 11
do	13	2	1 37
Joseph Westerlien	7	3	2 23
do	8	3	2 23
do	9	3	18 79
M V Evenson	5	4	2 23
do	6	4	2 23
John Soderburg	7	4	2 23
do	8	4	18 79
do	9	4	2 23
Alice B Kratka	5	5	2 23
Jessie W LaBree	9	11	1 96
do	10	11	1 96
do	11	11	1 96
do	12	11	2 23
A C Gifford	17	11	1 37
Carrie Sorenson	19	12	1 96
do	20	12	1 96
do	21	12	1 96
do	22	12	1 96
do	23	12	17 17
do	24	12	2 23
Martha Rogers	13	13	2 81
do	14	13	20 80
do	15	13	2 81
C J Knox	11	14	1 65
do	12	14	1 65
do	1	15	1 11
do	2	15	1 11
Anton Skog	17	15	1 65
do	18	15	1 65
C J Knox	4	17	6 89
R J McDonald	6	18	1 37
C M Wejmar	22	18	2 23
do	23	18	18 79
do	24	18	2 81
Anna Heasly	7	19	2 23
do	8	19	9 11
do	9	19	2 23
R J McDonald	12	19	2 81
K M Hansen	16	19	1 39
do	17	19	1 41
do	18	19	12 46
C J Knox	15	21	8 49
Stella Olson	16	21	7 48
R J McDonald	5	26	1 37
do	6	26	1 37
N K Olson	8	27	6 06
C M Evenson	9	27	1 96
do	10	27	1 96
do	11	27	24 66
do	12	27	2 81
Anna C Cheely	9	28	8 34
Daisy L Kratka	11	29	8 34
do	12	29	9 63
T G Thompson	20	29	4 89
do 28 ft w of e 24 ft of lots 21, 22, 23 and	24	29	11 67
Olaf Olson	10	30	2 81
do	11	30	2 81
do	12	30	3 33
Alice B Kratka	13	30	14 75
do	14	30	13 39
J M Bishop	16	30	8 34
C F Wisner	22	31	3 75
Daisy L Kratka	3	34	3 23
do	4	34	3 23
Pater Eberhardt	8	34	11 84
W A Kratka	7	35	5 55
do	8	35	5 55
do	9	35	5 55
do	10	35	5 55
do	11	35	5 55
do	12	35	6 89
Evenson Bros	11	37	23 46
do	12	37	23 46
Johan Sunderborg	20	39	1 11
do	21	39	1 11
do	22	39	5 55
John Soderberg	23	39	1 11
do	24	39	2 99
Elizabeth Wood	15	41	60
do	16	41	60
J M Sponsel	18	43	46
Chas Thompson	3	54	8 26
do	4	54	1 37
Dobner, Dobner & Staples	22	57	3 44
do	23	57	3 44
do	24	57	4 14
Alice B Kratka	1	58	4 44
do	2	58	4 10
do	3	58	4 10
do	9	58	4 10
Daisy L Kratka	10	58	4 10
Peter Eberhardt	18	58	19 30
Alice B Kratka	10	59	4 44
do	11	59	4 10
do	12	59	28 93
do	13	59	4 10
do	14	59	4 10
do lots 15 and	16	59	21 20
do	17	59	3 33
do	18	59	2 81
P Meehan	4	60	86
Chas F Misner	3	61	2 04
do	4	61	2 33
W A Kratka	4	63	6 89
do	5	63	6 89
Bertha Adolph	7	63	3 44
Chas E Wisner	8	63	4 08
C J Knox	13	63	4 13
D B Bakke	15	64	5 55
do	16	64	12 36
George Parenteau	26	64	7 17
Anna Kretzschmar	30	64	83
C L and H G Dobner	1	67	1 11
do	2	67	6 06
S M Archibald	2	68	86
do	3	68	86
do	3	68	86
do	4	68	86
Thos Milsom	18	68	86
S M Archibald	23	68	86
do	24	68	86
do	25	68	86
do	26	68	86
do	27	68	86

Hemmingson's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
John Soderberg	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Hemmingson's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Hans L Hanson	11	2	10 32
do	12	2	3 43
Hans Peterson	11	3	86
do	12	3	86
John Hemmingson	9	6	86
Alex Thoreson	16	6	3 18
Hemming Hemmingson	19	6	3 18
do	20	6	8 70
do	21	6	3 18
do	22	6	3 18
Sven Gunderson	7	7	1 11
do	8	7	1 11
Nils A Bergene	11	7	1 11
Marit Hanson	20	7	6 38
do	21	7	86
John Soderberg	9	8	1 11

Porter's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	8	2	4 36
do	9	2	16 21
Walburga Zeh	7	4	2 39
Christina Bondovik	15	4	86
A A McDugal	4	5	86
do	5	5	86
Kasemir Panek	15	5	86
do	16	5	86
do	17	5	86
Hanson & Barzgen	18	5	43
Wiley Tindolph	8	8	86
Alphonse Fontaine	8	9	4 52
Walburga Zeh	15	9	43
Hanson & Barzgen	2	12	2 26
Wm G Porter	3	12	2 26
do	4	12	2 29
Matt Barzen	8	12	4 52
G S Spokley	17	12	86
Paul Kesth	20	12	86
do	21	12	86
do	22	12	1 11
Walburga Zeh	20	13	33
do	21	13	34
do	22	13	33
do	4	16	86
Iver O Sukke	11	18	1 37
do	12	18	12 42
do	13	18	1 37
do	14	18	1 37
Chas E Tedford	14	19	40
do	15	19	40
do	16	19	40
do	17	19	40
do	18	19	34
do	19	19	34
do	20	19	34
do	21	19	34
do	22	19	34
do	23	19	34
do	24	19	34
do	25	19	34
Walburga Zeh	7	20	49
do	8	20	30
do	9	20	30
do	10	20	23
do	11	20	18
Chas E Tedford	12	20	34
do	13	20	34
do	14	20	34
do	15	20	34
do	16	20	34
Alfred Swanson	10	21	60
Walburga Zeh	13	21	31
do	14	21	29
do	15	21	60
Lars Backe	2	23	60
do	3	23	60
Pedorson & Anderson	9	23	60
Henry Olson	6	24	60
do	7	24	60
do	8	24	60
do	9	24	60
Chas E Tedford	1	25	34
do	2	25	34
do	3	25	34
do	4	25	34
do	5	25	34
do	6	25	34
Nor Real Est & Mtg Co	13	25	34
Security Trust Co	14	25	34
do	15	25	34
do	16	25	34
do	17	25	34
do	18	25	34
do	19	25	34
do	20	25	34
do	21	25	34
do	22	25	34
do	23	25	34
do	24	25	34
do	25	25	34
do	26	25	34

Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, City of Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
L H Cornell	12	2	34
do	13	2	34
Henry B Tweed	39	6	86
do	40	6	86
do	41	6	86
F E Nelson	11	7	46
do	12	7	46
Julia P Martin	1	10	34
Wiley Tindolph	2	10	34
do	3	10	34
do	4	10	34
F E Nelson	1	19	86
do	2	19	60
do	3	19	60
Joseph Haelan	4	19	60
do	5	19	60
C J Knox	25	19	9 63
do	26	19	86
Annie Moravek	45	19	60
do	46	19	60
do	47	19	1 70
do	48	19	86
Thomas Milsom	20	20	4 18
do	21	20	86
Anna Cernousek	34	20	1 11
do	35	20	1 11
do	36	20	12 16
do	37	20	1 11
do	38	20	1 11
do	39	20	1 11
Thos J Carr	6	21	1 11

Knox' Re-arrangement of Blocks 23 and 24 of Red Lake Rapids.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Casper Welmer	B	23	2 99
do	C	23	11 25
do	D	23	1 65
do	E	23	2 23
Thief River Falls Lbr Co	O	23	1 65
C J Knox	35	23	1 65
do	36	23	1 65
do	37	43	1 65
do	38	23	1 65

City of Thief River Falls—Red Lake Rapids
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Kinsela	5	26	3 59
do	6	26	1 37
Staal S Nordgaard	7	26	1 37
Nels J Berglund	22	26	5 47
A A McDougal	15	27	1 37
do	16	27	1 11
A W Hanson	46	27	1 37
do	47	27	1 37
de	48	27	1 37
Lea Tindolph	5	28	60
do	6	28	60
John Stanek	45	28	86
do	46	28	5 80
J W Wheeler	19	29	46
Geo Holst	20	29	46
Veronika Korejsi	31	29	46
do	32	29	46
Sam Cheeley	33	29	46
do	34	29	60
J W Wheeler	8	30	40
do	31	30	40
do	32	30	46
Wiley Tindolph	[illegible]	33	34
do	2	33	34
do	3	33	34
do	4	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	9	33	34
do	10	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	34
do	13	33	34
do	14	33	34
do	15	33	34
do	16	33	34
do	17	33	34
do	18	33	34
do	19	33	34
do	20	33	34
do	21	33	34
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	29	33	[illegible]
do	30	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]
do	[illegible]	33	[illegible]

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Knox re-arrangement of Blocks 23 and 24 of Red Lake Rapids.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
do	3	34	34
do	4	34	34
do	5	34	34
do	6	34	34
do	7	34	34
do	8	34	34
do	9	34	34
do	10	34	34
do	11	34	34
do	12	34	34
do	13	34	34
do	14	34	34
do	19	34	34
do	20	34	34
do	25	34	34
do	26	34	34
do	27	34	34
do	28	34	34
do	35	34	34
do	36	34	34
do	37	34	34
do	38	34	34
do	39	34	34
do	40	34	34
do	41	34	34
do	42	34	34
do	43	34	34
do	44	34	34
do	45	34	34
do	46	34	34
do	47	34	34
do	48	34	34
Anna Keetzschmar	1	35	34
do	2	35	34
do	3	35	34
do	4	35	34
do	5	35	34
do	6	35	34
do	7	35	34
do	8	35	34
do	9	35	34
do	10	35	34
do	11	35	34
do	12	35	34

Connelly's First Addition to Thief River Falls.
Year for which tax is due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Helen Peterson	6	1	7 75

Connelly's Second Addition Thief River Falls.
Year for which tax is due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Denis Conely	5	2	1 96
do	7	2	1 96
do	8	2	1 96
do	9	2	1 96
do	6	3	1 37
do	1	4	1 37
do	2	4	1 18
do	3	4	1 18
do	4	4	1 23
do	5	4	1 23
do	6	4	1 23
do	9	4	1 45
do	10	4	1 38
do	11	4	1 38
do	12	4	1 38
do	7	5	1 38
Catherine Miller	12	5	1 38

Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.
Year for which tax is due 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Milsom	37	4	60
do	38	4	60

Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.
Year for which tax is dne 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Matie L Weeks	14	6	66
do	15	6	66
do	16	6	66
do	17	6	66
do	18	6	66
Henry Olson	19	6	66
do	20	6	86
John Holst, n½ of lot 25, all lots 26 and	27	6	13 53
P O Olson	32	6	1 11
Per O Olson	1	7	15 74
do	2	7	6 64
Hanson & Barzen	16	8	1 11
do	17	8	6 06
Geo M Knox	32	8	2 90
Wm J Kelly	36	8	2 48
Geo W Veasey	5	9	1 37
do	6	9	1 37
do	7	9	1 37
Fred La Count	8	9	8 26
do	9	9	1 37
do	10	9	1 37
John LeSage	14	9	6 89
do	15	9	1 37
do	16	9	1 37
Gust and Ole Fevig	1	11	1 11
do	2	11	86
do	3	11	86
do	4	11	86
do	5	11	86
Alice L LaBree	6	11	86
do	7	11	3 07
John J Vorochek	21	11	1 11
do	22	11	3 33
Annie B Rowen	1	12	1 18
do	2	12	91
K J McGinty	24	23	73
Harriet Culver	8	24	73
do	9	24	73
John Morgan	1	26	8 96
do	2	26	86
Martha Smith	18	27	2 40
do	19	27	3 79
do	20	27	68

Meehan's Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	13	1	5 35
Ole H Renvold	14	1	2 74
Maurius Olson	15	1	2 74
A B Helgeson..Part of lot	29	1	2 74
do	30	1	2 74
Ann T Olson	1	3	1 37
James Meehan Jr	2	3	1 37
Paul L Hagen	5	3	1 71
do	6	3	1 37
do	7	3	1 37
do	8	3	1 37
Jas Meehan Jr	1	5	2 10
do	2	5	2 10
do	3	5	2 10
do	4	5	2 10
C M Peterson	3	8	2 64
do North 50 ft of lot	4	8	1 41
Jas McGinty....ex N 50 ft	4	8	1 77
do e ½ of lots 5 &	6	8	6 31
Gilbert Olson	1	9	3 45
do	2	9	3 07
do	3	9	3 07
Ole Nesja	4	9	3 07
do	5	9	3 07
do	9	9	3 45
E G Natvick	1	10	3 45
Karen Wold	2	10	3 07
J Faiman	3	10	3 07
Leon Demers	4	10	5 67
George Jarman	5	10	3 45
Wm H Maloy	6	10	4 10
Peter and Emil Eberhardt	1	11	6 38
do	2	11	3 45
do	3	11	2 74
do	4	11	3 45
Jas H Pratt	1	12	3 45
do n ½ of	2	12	1 37
G A Helgeson s ½ of	2	12	1 37
do	3	12	2 10
Jas Meehan Jr outlot	a	12	1 37

Riverside Addition to Thief River Falls.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas Meehan Jr	1	4	1 31
do	2	4	1 31
do	3	4	1 65
do	1	5	1 96
do	2	5	1 65
do	3	5	1 65
do	4	5	1 65
do	5	5	1 65
do	6	5	1 96
do	1	12	1 96
do	2	12	1 96

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Township 151, Range 44.
Years for which taxes are due, 1903.

Name of Owner	Sec	Total Tax and Pen'ty
Jennie Healy, 5 a in nw¼ne¼	14	$ 1 23
L C Simons, Lot 2	16	5 39
J H Carleton, n½se¼, ne¼sw¼, lots 1 and 2	16	37 06
Ed L Healy, lots 4 and 5	16	3 82
N M Watson, et al, nw¼nw¼ and e½nw¼, ex platted portion and 19.54 acres	22	13 73
Jas McPeak, 2 a in n. end ne¼nw¼	22	1 56
Geo H Knowles, lot 1	23	76
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 58x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 105 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 58x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 105 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Ernest Buse, a strip of land 60x140 ft in ne¼ s. of blk 104 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69
Theo Garceau, a strip of land 60x140 ft. in ne¼, s. of blk 104 in Kretzschmar's add	22	69

Original Townsite of Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total
Mertie S Hunt, e 25 ft of	17	1	8 23
Joseph P Ralph, all ex. e. 75 ft of	17	1	1 03
Marcelleon Jeffers	10	2	1 14
do	11	2	7 47
M. & M Ry Co. ex. ry r of w	13	3	2 59

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Original Townsite of Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Mrs E L Healy	4	4	20 40
do	5	4	4 25
do	6	4	3 34
do	7	4	1 09
Fred Zalser, Reserve "S" ex. land of Westphal, LaBissoniere and Anderson			28 54

Kretzschmar's Addition fo Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Carl Pfinowe	2	4	16
W Shebat	3	12	22
A M Miller	21	13	35
Valentine Shebat	23	13	05
do	24	14	05
Matthias Skala	4	21	42
do	5	21	42
John A Duffy	19	22	4 46
Joseph Helm	19	23	42
do	20	23	42
Kari Sletten	1	24	42
do	2	24	42
do	20	25	42
do	21	25	42
Margaret Iland et al	13	31	89
do	14	31	89
do	15	31	89
Arthur O Slade	9	33	89
do	10	33	89
Maggie L Pirath	16	33	89
do	17	33	89
do	18	33	89
do	19	33	89
Mary Riechel et al	11	42	89
do	12	42	8 96

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1901, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Nels Holberg	23	42	2 11
do	24	42	2 11

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Helm, n 40 ft of Lots 2,3,4 &	5	43	6 82
C F and Maria Stenhammer	6	43	1 30
Michael Biever	8	43	1 30
John Elstad, s½ of	14	43	11 13
Frank E Hunt	3	46	1 70
do	4	46	1 70
do	5	46	1 70
do	6	46	1 70
do	7	46	1 70
do	8	46	1 70
do	9	46	1 70
do	10	46	1 70
do	11	46	29 96
do	12	46	1 70
Skala and Shebat	16	53	89
Ernest Boldt	4	62	42
Augusta Detling	4	64	11 38
" "	5	64	1 30

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Anna Schusser, years for which taxes are due, 1901, 1902, 1903	10	64	3 76
Anna Schusser	11	64	13 09
" "	12	64	25 47

Kretzschmar's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Maggie L Pirath	17	64	89
do	19	64	89
do	20	64	89
F Stobeck	1	65	24 70
do	2	65	1 70
Jos Schusser, south 65 ft of	14	65	5 00
First Pres Church	17	66	89
do	18	66	89
Amelia Riechel	21	66	7 38
do	22	66	89
A M Miller	20	71	89
do	21	71	89
do	22	71	89
Attilie Brasius	13	72	42
do	14	72	42
do	15	72	42
A J Hayes	8	81	77
Ovide Emard	19	83	4 12
E V Lawton	20	83	1 70
do	21	83	1 70
E E Fletcher	22	83	1 70
do	23	83	1 70
do	24	83	9 77
Otto J Zehrendt	8	84	89
do n½ of	9	84	89
Anna Bechner	6	85	89
do	7	85	89
do	8	85	89
do	9	85	89
do	10	85	89
do	13	85	89
do	14	85	89
do	15	85	89
do	16	85	89
do	17	85	89
O R Boyer	4	89	89
do	9	89	89
do	10	89	89
Leonard Hudtner	11	92	42
do	12	92	42
Neil Crawford	23	104	89
do	24	104	89
Peter Benoit	8	106	45
do	9	106	45
do	10	106	44
do	11	106	44
do	12	106	44

Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Year for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
S A Swanson	3	2	35 34
F M M DeLegasse	7	6	4 26
Louis Lefaive	8	6	4 26
do	9	6	4 26
do	10	6	4 26
do	11	6	4 26
do	12	6	24 45
Peter Stuhr	2	9	12 57
Sophia Busch	9	9	13 20
Wm M Erb	10	10	6 41
Alderic Laliberte	2	12	3 39
do	4	12	3 39
do	6	12	3 39

Champagne & Dow's Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Edward Langevin	1	13	5 05

Champagne & Dow's Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Arthur Lizee, lots 7 and	8	19	26 65
Melina Demarais	23	21	5 81
do	24	21	2 68
Moses Belair	5	25	1 70
do	6	25	1 70
Joseph Morinville	17	25	2 17
do	18	25	2 17
Delia Allard, lots 16 and	17	26	13 46

Miles' Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
J P Harren	4	9	22

Park Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Chas Oehler	12	3	22
do	13	3	22

E & O Buse Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Margaretta Walter	1	2	29
do	2	2	29
do	5	2	29
do	6	2	29
do	7	2	29
do	8	2	29
do	9	2	22
do	10	2	22
do	11	2	22
do ex ry r of w	14	2	22
do	15	2	22
do	16	2	22
do	17	2	29
do	18	2	29
do	19	2	29
do	20	2	29
do	21	2	29
do	22	2	29
do	4	3	22
do	5	3	22
do	6	3	89
do	7	3	89
do	8	3	89
do	9	3	89
do	10	3	89
do	11	3	89
do	12	3	89
do	13	3	89
do	14	3	89
do	15	3	89
do	16	3	89
do	17	3	89
do	18	3	89
do	19	3	89
do	20	3	22
do	21	3	42
do	1	4	29
do	2	4	29
do	3	4	29
do	4	4	29
do	5	4	29
do	6	4	29
do	7	4	29
do	8	4	29
do	9	4	29
do	10	4	29
do	11	4	29
do	12	4	29
do	13	4	42
do	14	4	42
do	15	4	42
do	16	4	42
do	17	4	42
do	18	4	42
do	19	4	42
do	20	4	42
do	21	4	42
do	22	4	42
do	23	4	42
do	24	4	42
do	1	5	42
do	2	5	42
do	3	5	42
do	4	5	42
do	21	5	42
do	22	5	29
do	23	5	29
do	24	5	29

CITY OF RED LAKE FALLS

Holmes' Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Ellen Fahey	18	4	22
Warren E Vrooman	8	8	22
do	9	8	22
do	10	8	22
do	11	8	22
do	12	8	22
Louis Kindling	1	13	22
do	2	13	22
do	3	13	22

Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Joseph Hayton	6	5	89
do	7	5	89
Marie Benoit, w 80 ft of lots 9, 10 &	11	5	42
do	16	5	7 64
do	17	5	89
do	18	5	89
J A Duffy	5	9	3 38
do	6	9	3 38
Caroline Bourdon	7	9	3 38
August Riechel	15	9	2 17
Samuel Gibeau	16	9	2 17
do	17	9	2 17
Isaie Marchildon	22	9	2 17

Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Lillie Belair	20	10	22 76
do	21	10	6 72

Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Thomas Belair	22	10	11 46
do	23	10	3 38
do	24	10	3 38
Rose L Boughton	13	10	3 38
do	14	10	3 38
Otto Kankel	12	13	1 70

Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Security Trust Co.	23	2	55
do	24	2	55

Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Frank Pribyl	9	6	42
do	16	6	6 07
O R Boyer	19	13	29
do	20	13	29
do	21	13	29
do	22	13	29
do	23	13	29
do	24	13	29
Meril Roue	18	15	15
do	19	15	1 35
do	20	15	15
do	21	15	15
Alex Wolfe	1	16	29
do	2	16	29
do	3	16	29
do	4	16	29
Florence Jolicoeur	10	18	29
do	11	18	29
do	12	18	29

Champagne, Dow & Geriet's Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Edward Langevin	10	8	89

Kretzschmar's 2d Addition to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Leona Brecht	2	2	22
do	3	2	22
V Shebat	7	9	22
do	8	9	22
do	9	9	22
do	10	9	22
do	11	9	22
do	12	9	22
do	13	9	22
do	14	9	22
do	15	9	22
do	16	9	22
do	17	9	22
do	18	9	22
B Helland	1	20	22

Champagne, Dow & Geriet Add Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1902 and 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
F J Altnow	1	21	42
do	2	21	42
do	3	21	42
do	4	21	42
do	5	21	42
do	6	21	42
do	7	21	42
do	8	21	42
do	9	21	42
do	10	21	42
do	11	21	42
do	12	21	42
do	13	21	42
do	14	21	42
do	15	21	42
do	16	21	42
do 32 lots	all	22	12 73
do 32 lots	all	23	12 73
do 30 lots	all	24	11 16

Champagne, Dow & Geriet Add Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
F J Altnow, a strip of land 1299 ft long and 33 ft wide s of and adjoining Kretzschmar's 2d add. to Red Lake Falls			3 05

Rail Road Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Antoine Lawrence	1	1	4 53
do	2	1	1 30
Albany Deforge, e 33 ft lots 6, 7, 8 &	9	2	77
Theo Deforge, 33 ft w of e 33 ft of lots 6, 7, 8 and	9	2	77
Agnes Deforge, e 33 ft of w 74 ft of lots 6, 7, 8 and	9	2	77
Eliza Deforge, w 41 ft lots 6, 7, 8 &	9	2	2 92
Mary Moreau	3	2	4 93
do	4	2	89
do	5	2	77
Adelaide Benoit	13	7	42
do	14	7	42
Frank St Martin	9	8	44
do	10	8	4 49
F M Anderson	11	8	89
Amelia Riechel	1	9	77
do	2	9	77
do	3	9	77
do	4	9	77
do	5	9	77
do	6	9	77
Aug. and Amelia Riechel	5	10	50
do	6	10	50
do	7	10	50
do	8	10	50
do	9	10	50
do	10	10	50
do	11	10	50
do	12	10	50
Francis Latandresse	8	44	42
L C Simons, 24 lots	all	46	1 36
do do	all	47	1 36
do do	all	48	1 36
do do	all	49	1 36
do do	all	50	1 36
do do	all	51	1 35
do do	all	52	1 35
do 21 lots, all ex 10,11,12		53	1 14
do 13 lots	all	54	68
Chas N Bourdon, 8 lots	all	69	1 35
do	1	70	22
do	1	71	22
do 24 lots	all	72	4 12
do do	all	101	4 12
do 10 lots	all	102	1 70
do 22 lots	all	103	488 16
do 24 lots	all	104	4 12

Detling's Subd. of Market Sq., City of Red Lake Falls
Years for which texes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Theodore Schmitz	1		9 77
do	2		1 70

Buse & Canty's Add. to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
J A Duffy, 10 lots	all	1	68
do	1	2	08
do	2	2	08
E M Evenson	3	2	22
do	4	2	22
do	5	2	22
do	6	2	22
do	7	2	22
do	8	2	22
do	9	2	22
J A Duffy, lots 1 to 10 inc	10	2	22
David Gagne	13	11	68
Vital Gagne	17	11	09
do	18	11	09
do	19	11	09
Wm M Erb	20	11	22
do	21	11	22
J A Duffy, 12 lots	all	12	68
do do	all	13	68
do 24 lots	all	14	1 35
do 12 lots	all	17	68
do do	all	18	68
do 24 lots	all	19	1 35
do 12 lots	all	22	68
do lots 1 to 7 inc		15	41
do lots 13 to 24 inc		15	76

Mill Reserve Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
Jas I Wyer & Co.	3	8	1 70

Central Add to Red Lake Falls
Years for which taxes are due, 1903

Name of Owner	Lot	Blk	Total Tax and Penalty
N M Watson et al	1	2	89
Wm Patnode	6	4	89

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Red Lake

James E. Ford, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the County Auditor of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota; that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a correct list of taxes delinquent for the years therein appearing upon real estate in said county.

JAMES E. FORD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, A. D, 1905.

[NOTARIAL SEAL] T. L. MELGAARD, Notary Public, Red Lake County, Minn.

District Court, Red Lake County, Minn.
Filed this 1st day of February, 1905.
JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk District Court.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Red Lake

I, James E. Ford, County Auditor in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of real estate taxes remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1905, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said county of Red Lake.

Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of February, A. D, 1905.

[SEAL] JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn

THE PORCUPINE.

Only Known Creature That Eats the Foliage of the Hemlock.

"You don't have to skirmish around much to get feed to fatten one of these hemlock porcupines on," says an old woodsman. "Just sprinkle some salt over a stick of cordwood or saw log for that matter, and he'll eat the whole business and enjoy it as you would mince pie." The customary diet of these animals is hemlock browse. They make themselves a home in a hollow log or under the roots of some old tree, but always within reach of a big hemlock.

The hemlock is their pasture, and they make beaten paths going to and fro between the tree and their home. Once up in a tree the porcupine goes out on the big limbs and, pulling the small branches in with one paw, browses on the pungent leaves. In going through the woods you will find little piles of these fine leaves on the ground under hemlock trees. That means that a porcupine is feeding in the tree, the leaves on the ground being dropped from his feast.

Sometimes a porcupine will remain in a hemlock tree for a week at a time, hugging close to the trunk at night and feeding during the day. This curious little beast is the only known living thing that eats the foliage of the hemlock.

DANGER SPOTS IN A STORM.

Places to Avoid When the Lightning Is Flashing.

Out of doors trees should be avoided in a thunderstorm, and if from the rapidity with which the explosion follows the flash it is evident that electric clouds are near at hand a recumbent posture is the safest. It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts or low buildings or under the arch of a bridge, and a distance of twenty or thirty feet from tall trees or houses is an eligible situation, for should a discharge take place these elevated bodies are most likely to receive it.

It is well also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream may determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room or when standing on a thick hearth rug. The chimney should be avoided on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it, and gilt moldings or bell wires are sources of risk. In bed we are tolerably safe, since blankets and feathers are bad conductors.

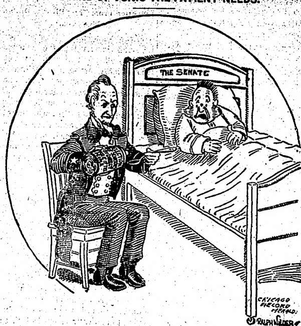
It is injudicious to take refuge in a cellar, because the discharge is often from the earth to a cloud, and buildings frequently sustain the greatest injury in their basements.

THE FIRE CROWD.

As a Rule It Likes a Big Blaze and Crashing Walls.

"There is one curious thing connected with fires," said a thoughtful man, "and that is the fact that while the fireman is always a hero in the public estimate and while men and women have all kinds of admiration for these brave fellows they yet want to see them get the worst of it in the fight against the flames. It is an interesting fact that the average man and woman are not at all anxious to see the firemen get the fire under control. They would much rather see the flames spread until the affair developed into an immense conflagration. Mind you, the trait is not at all vicious. There is no malice in it. It is simply the love of excitement and adventure, things that are so deep rooted in human nature that we may not control them at will. Besides, we want to develop our heroes to the limit. We want our firemen to fight a good fight against long odds and under great difficulties. We cannot quarrel with this feeling in the human makeup. After all, it is what one may call the poetry of human nature, and without it this old system of ours would be dull and prosaic indeed. Of course, you will always find a few persons around a fire who are directly concerned in the fight the firemen are making. They want to see the flames put out. In the case of some of the spectators it means bread and meat. It means the loss of a position or maybe the loss of home. But I was speaking of the vast majority of men and women who gather to witness a fire. The fire is the thing with them. They want to see a big blaze and hear the crash of the walls and all that sort of thing. Did you ever take the trouble to analyze a fire crowd? In the first place an alarm of fire will draw a crowd quicker than anything in the world. Whenever the bells begin to clang and the engines go rushing down the street you will see men, women and children rushing this way and that in order to see as much as may be seen of the fire and fire fighters. The hour of day or night does not make so much difference. The crowd will get there in some way and for some reason, though the great majority of the persons have no sort of interest other than idle curiosity. Once on hand, they want to see a good fire, and that's why I say they want to see the flames get the best of the firemen. They will go away and talk about what a game fight the fire laddies made. Human nature is a curious thing, is it not?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE KIND OF TONIC THE PATIENT NEEDS.



STANDARD OIL TO FEEL PROBE

PRESIDENT ORDERS COMMISSIONER GARFIELD TO BEGIN INVESTIGATION.

Action Follows Adoption of Resolution by the House—Kansas' Fight on Trusts May Result in Calling of a Constitutional Convention.

Washington, Feb. 17. — President Roosevelt has directed James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations of the department of commerce and labor, to begin immediately the oil investigation requested by the house of representatives Wednesday in a resolution adopted unanimously. The investigation, by direction of the president, will be rigid and comprehensive. The president has directed a letter to Commissioner Garfield, in which he has given his directions and presented in outline his views.

Action to Be Pressed.

The inquiry will be pressed as rapidly as possible. The scope of the investigation and the time it will occupy cannot be indicated at this time. Representative Campbell, of Kansas, the author of the resolution adopted by the house, had a conference with President Roosevelt Thursday. Mr. Campbell's idea is that the investigation should concern particularly the situation in the Kansas field, but he expressed to the president his belief that the inquiry, once begun, would extend to the operations of the Standard Oil company in the Beaumont field of Texas and perhaps to other fields.

State Refinery Assured.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 18.—Gov. Hoch at noon Friday signed the bill passed on Wednesday, appropriating $200,000 for the erection and maintenance by the state of an oil refinery, with a capacity of 2,000 barrels a day. The signing of this measure will make it possible for Kansas to begin in earnest the fight against the Standard Oil company. In signing the bill, Gov. Hoch sent a lengthy message urging the legislature to supplement the refinery bill with railroad legislation which will prevent the trust from defeating the purpose of the act.

War on Trusts in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 17.—To successfully fight the trusts within its borders, a constitutional convention may be called to broaden the powers of the Kansas legislature. The bills striking at trusts, particularly those dealing with oil, have met with so many objections on constitutional grounds that a sentiment in favor of a new constitution meeting the situation has sprung up. To this end, a resolution submitting the question of calling a constitutional convention to a vote of the people in 1906 has been prepared and will, it is stated, be presented in the senate shortly.

CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE.

Three Little Ones Meet Death at Edwards, Ill.—Mother and Father Are Seriously Burned.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 17.—Fire of a mysterious origin in the house of Manning Harris, a coal miner living at Edwards, 15 miles from this city, burned the bodies of three small children to a crisp early Thursday. The mother was taken from the burning house so badly burned that the flesh hung from her body in strips. Harris himself was horribly burned.

Date Set for New Trial.

New York, Feb. 18.—District Attorney Jerome Friday sent a notification to counsel for Nan Patterson, accused of murdering Caesar Young, that a new trial of her case will be begun on March 6, in the criminal branch of the supreme court.

Flames in a Texan Town.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 20.—A special to the News from Tyler, Tex., says that a disastrous fire raged there at an early hour Sunday morning. Seven business houses were consumed, entailing a loss estimated at $150,000.

IN CONGRESS.

Resume of the Proceedings Day by Day in the Senate and House.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The question of what the policy of the government should be with respect to the upbuilding of the navy was again threshed out in the house Wednesday during the consideration of the naval appropriation bill, the debate developing much opposition to the proposed addition of two battleships to the naval establishment.

The senate continued, but did not conclude, consideration of the bill making appropriations for the support of the government of the District of Columbia.

Washington, Feb. 17.—In the house on Thursday the Mann bill, to provide a government for the canal zone, was passed without further discussion. The bill gives all the right of government of the canal zone to the president until the end of the next congress, but provides that the government shall be so exercised as to protect the inhabitants in the free enjoyment of their liberty, prosperity and religion. It abolishes the isthmian canal commission and places the work of the construction of the canal in the hands of the president and such persons as he may appoint and employ.

Aside from two hours spent in routine business the senate on Thursday gave its entire attention to the Swayne impeachment trial.

Washingtton, Feb. 18.—The senate on Friday passed the bill appropriating $9,940,000 for the District of Columbia, and the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, carrying $2,156,000. The district bill had been before the senate for several days and had been much debated. The diplomatic bill received the attention of the senate for only 12 minutes and was passed without discussion.

In order to facilitate action at this session on the statehood bill the house passed a resolution sending that measure as amended by the senate directly into conference without an opportunity being afforded to debate it.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The house passed the pensions appropriation bill, carrying $138,250,700, on Saturday. Under a special rule the house passed about 25 private bills.

The request of the house for a conference on the statehood bill was received in the senate and a sharp debate ensued over an effort to have the conference committee appointed immediately. The opponents of joint statehood succeeded in securing a postponement until Monday.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Sitting in special session, the house of representatives on Sunday conducted memorial services in tribute to the memory of the late Senator Mathew Stanley Quay, of Pennsylvania. Mr. Dalzell presided. Seven members eulogized Senator Quay's life and character.

GREAT FIRE RAGED.

Property Worth Over $1,500,000 Is Destroyed in City of Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 20.—For four hours Sunday night the wholesale district, bounded by Georgia and Meridian streets, Jackson place and the union depot sheds, was menaced by a fire which started in the wholesale warerooms of the Fahnley & McCrea Millinery company. At 9:30 o'clock three general alarms brought into action every department in the city and suburbs. When the fire was brought under control eight buildings, among which were three hotels, had been completely destroyed, causing a loss estimated at $1,100,000. One fireman was hurt by falling walls.

Declared Insane.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 20.—A special from Decorah, Ia., says: After a trial consuming 17 days, Prof. T. I. Gifford, accused of the crime of murder in this place, was pronounced by the jury not guilty, but insane. Prof. Gifford killed his neighbor, S. A. Bigelow, with a blow from a potato digger on November 5, 1904. He was a prominent educator of Decorah and a leading member of the Methodist church. He will be taken to the asylum.

Twenty Perish.

Baku, Feb. 20.—An explosion on board a naphtha barge set fire to several other barges and a landing stage. It is reported that 20 people perished.

Washington School Notes.

Preston Hall and Laura Poirier, reporters

Mary Smidt has left school for a couple of months.

Tena Rewertz and Matthew Kotschevar have left school.

Mamie Mayhew has returned to school. She was absent two months.

The fifth grade won the banner for attendance during the month of January.

Ella Jackson was absent Friday afterroon for the first time since she started school.

Helen Sivertson, of the fifth grade, has returned to school after a two weeks absence.

Last week Lenora Garceau was absent for the first time this year on account of sickness.

Two hundred and twenty valentines passed through our valentine box St. Valentine's day.

The fifth and sixth grades are going to read Chinese fashion twice a week, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Gisela Helm and Freda Shultz have returned to school after an absence of several days on account of sickness.

Some of the boys came in tardy Friday morning at recess, and the football has been taken away for another week.

Lucy Mathias is absent on account of sickness. We hope all the sickness is not on our side, as we want all the banners for Ferruary.

Last Wednesday the fifth grade had to write all the states and capitals of the United States. The best papers will be saved for visiting day.

The following pupils of Washington school have been neither tardy nor absent since school started in September: Millie Blomgren and Marie Kaus of the first grade, Delia Barrett of the second grade, Fredrick Shultz of the third grade, Preston Hall and Olive Zaiser of the fifth grade and Edith Hansen of the sixth grade. These pupils are to be congratulated on their good work.

Printers' Commandments.

Never sendest thou an article for publication without giving the editor thy name, for the name oft-times secures publications to worthless articles,

Thou shouldest not rap at the door of a printing office, for he that answereth the rap sneereth in his sleeves and loseth time.

Neither do thou loaf about, ask questions or knock down type or the boy will love thee like they do the shade trees—when thou leaveth.

Thou shouldest never read the copy on the printer's case (or the sharp and hocked container thereof, or he may knock thee down.

Never inquire thou of the editor for the news, for behold it is his business, at the appointed time, to give thee without asking.

When thou dost enter into his office, take heed onto thyself that thou doest not look at what may be lying open and concerning thee not for it is not meeting in the sight of good breeding.

Never examine thou the proof sheet for it is not ready to meet thine eye that thou mayest understand.

Prefer thine home paper to any other and subscribe for it immediately.

Pay for it in advance and it shall be well with thine.—Ex.

A Menace to Health.

Kidney trouble is an insidious danger, and many people are victims of a serious malady before the symptoms are recognized. Foley's Kidney Cures correct irregularities and strengthen and builds up the kidneys, and it should be taken at the first indication of kidney trouble, as it is impossible to have good health if the kidneys are deranged. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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Extention From Thief River to Duluth a Pipe Dream.

It can be stated upon the very best of authority that the reported building of the Soo line through from Thief River Falls to Duluth is naught but newspaper talk, and although surveyors have been at work south of Red Lake for some time past the road will not be built. The general manager of the Soo line has been asked regarding the matter, but he has positively denied that any such intention exists in the minds of the railway officials, and states that such a move has not even been contemplated.

The extension of the Minnesota & International from Northome to Ripple, however, is now certain. The company officials have given out a statement to a prominent gentleman from St. Paul to the effect that the line would be extended the coming season and that the work would be commenced as soon as possible.

The report to the effect that the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic intended to run trains from Duluth to Crookston over the tracks of the Great Northern is also declared to be false. The company holds a franchise which allows it to run trains over the Great Northern's tracks between Duluth and Crookston, but the officials can see no way in which the expenses of a train service over this line could be made to pay, as it would be necessery to make arrangements for the use of the telegraph line and depots of the Great Northern, and this would without a doubt make the expenses so heavy that it would be impossible to make the proposition a paying one.

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A Western Enterprise.

One thing more than anything else that impresses the spirit of Western energy and push is the construction of the Lewis and Clark Centennial exposition to be held at Portland, Oregon, beginning June 1 and continuing until October 15, 1905. With more than three months intervening before the opening of the exposition. all of the main buildings are practically ready for the installation of exhibits, typifying the manner in which Western people carry out any proposition presented to them. We doubt if there has been an exposition in the Uuited States that can show a record such as the Lewis and Clark exposition has made. The visitor to the exposition can be assured that when it opens on June 1, he will find it completed in every detail and it should be a source of great gratification to every resident of the northwest that such is the case.

Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Cough and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, all others are mere imitations, H. E. BUCKLEN & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Windsor, Canada.

The Freak Man.

There is a young man in England, 24 years of age, who is exactly like a boy of six in size, appearance and mental development. He had just learned to count up to ten. He eats three meals a week, he sleeps twenty-four hours and plays twenty-four hours regularly for the last nineteen years, He has grown naturally except that it has been just one sixth as fast as he should have been. Golden grain belt beer wouldent make him grow any faster, but capable of doing a day's work without undue fatigue. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson Crookston.

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WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Warroad wants a brick yard.

The Bemidji jail has fourteen boarders.

Clearwater county is to have a fine new court house.

A firm at Wabasha is feeding 8,000 sheep for the market.

Perham is aggitating the question of organizing a commercial club.

Mad dogs are reported as being numerous in the southern part of the state.

Ada socialists will present a complete ticket at the municipal election this spring.

The M. & I. Ry. is making preparations to extend its line to International Falls in the spring.

Dr. George R. Koch, the alleged murderer of Dr. Gebhardt of New Ulm, is to have his second trial at Mankato April 19th.

Blackduck business men are making an effort to reopen the Teepeetonka hotel at that place which has been closed for some time past.

A Le Sueur couple were united in marriage recently after a courtship of twenty years. The groom probably won his suit on the grounds of adverse possession.

The Soo management says there is no foundation to the rumor that their road will build from Thief River Falls to Duluth. They have never thought of such a thing.

Both sides in the celebrated Koch murder trial at New Ulm claim to have unearthed considerable new evidence to be presented at the coming trial at Mankato.

The railroads in southern Minnesota and Iowa experienced great difficulty last week in getting their trains through on account of the large amount of snow.

A young man about 30 years old, named Sam Sands, suicided at East Grand Forks recently. He was out work, had no money, and had grown despondent over the fact.

A switchman in the Carman yards was on a switch engine the other night when it ran into a caboose standing on a sidetrack. One of the man's legs was caught between the engine and the caboose and so terribly mangled that it may have to be amputated.

Thirteen horses belonging to the Nicholas-Chisholm Lumber Co., which is operating lumber camps in Hubbard county, were shot last Friday by order of State Veterinarian M. S. Whitcomb, who visited the camp and found that the animals were affected with glanders.

A most daring and bold robbery was committed at Alexandria one day last week. During the absence of the family, thieves entered the home of Mrs. Chris. McCabe, and after ransacking the house from top to bottom, discovered and made off with $4,000 in currency, the property of Miss Comeford, an aged spinster who has resided with the McCabe family since last summer.

Word comes from Bemidji to the effect that a plan is being made to boycott the Bemidji Brewing company because it will not allow a proposed new railroad to cross its property, The citizens of that city are very indignant over the matter and say that if the brewing company does not let the railroad company have a right of way across their land they will boycott them. They think that the railroad will be a good thing for them and want to see it built.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, co-operating with the Tri-state Grain Dealers association, will run a "Good Seed Special" through Minnesota, South Dakota and part of North Dakota. The train will leave Minneapolis February 20th, and will be upon the road two weeks. Stops will be made at the different stations and expert advice will be given the farmers in regard to the cultivation of crops. A similar movement was inaugrated down in Iowa a couple of years ago and it was the means of adding thousands of bushels of corn to that state's acreage.

At the coming spring election the citizens of Wadena will vote on "license or no license." It is claimed that the saloon men themselves are back of the proposition and will strive to made the town "dry." There are nine saloons in Wadena, paying an annual revenue of $4,500 to the city, and the saloon men assert that the municipal government there does not appreciate them but throws so many restrictions around them that their business is made unprofitable. The saloonists are willing to take a year off and see how the financiers of the municipality like it.

The application of Attorney Henry W. Lee for a writ restraining the collection of taxes in Red Lake Falls county was denied by Judge Watts Monday evening. The Judge took the position that there was nothing irregular in the levy of taxes insofar as the county commissioners were concerned, and it is probable that the same position will be taken relative to the auditor and treasurer, if the question is ever again raised. The county was represented in the case by County Attorney Germo. Attorney Lee apparently is getting little satisfaction out of his suit against the county officials.

A Minister Testifies.

Rev. C. Sund, of Harrisville, wis., writes that Gloria Tonic, the new rhuematism cure, in tablet form, cured the members of his congregation. one had suffered 18; the other 25 years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The Suburban Home.

The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours; there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

Two Through Tourist Cars to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway offers choice of two through tourist cars every week to California, one leaving Minneapolis and St. Paul Tuesdays via Omaha and the Rock Island Route, arriving San Francisco 5:20 p. m., Saturday, the other leaving on Thursdays via Kansas City and the Santa Fe route, arriving at Los Angeles 8:25 a. m. Monday. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

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Notice for Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Fake Falls, and filed in my office, praying for Licence to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for term commencing on March 25th, 1905, and terminating on March 24th, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

W. H. KRUEGER

in that certain frame building situated on lot 14 of block 7, in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn. Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 2nd day of March A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock P. M.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 16th day of February, A. D. 1905.

f16 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Lerm, February 8, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre, the administrator of the estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Thursday, the 9th day of March, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
f9-23 Judge of Probate.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, February 8, 1904.

In the Matter of the Estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceasek, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Ernest J. Akerlund,

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 8th day of August, 1905, at ten o'clock A. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same, hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 8th day of February A. D. 1902.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
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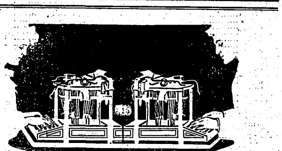

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Homeseekers' Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month sell tickets at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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COUNTY MONEY COMING FAST

Red Lake County Tax-Payers Keep Treasurer Hanson Busy Taking Care of Money.

The tax-payers of Red Lake county have been keeping County Treasurer Hansen on the jump the past week, and hundreds of dollars have found their way into the county's strong box. It was all caused by the people wanting to escape the penalty on their personal property tax.

Saturday's receipts amounted to $4,416.46, while on Monday $4,000 passed over the counter and Tuesday's receipts were a trifle over $5,000. Mr. Hanson was so busy on these days waiting upon the multitude he did not have time to open his mail, which was unusually heavy. Every letter contained a draft for the payment of taxes, and the sight was one to make a country editor feel right at home. Mr. Hansen says the personal property tax is fairly well paid up, but that there are a number who will have to "dig up" the penalty as is required by law.

The Love League.

The following marriage licenses were isssued by Clerk of Court Perrault the past week:

John Swedin and Miss Martha Hougstole, Thief River Falls; Christian K. Drager, and Miss Kari Stende, Thief River Falls; Wm. Douville of Grand Forks and Miss Heneritta Poessel, Red Lake Falls; Nels B. Swenson and Miss Ida Lovness of Sanders township.

Something to think of.

When you are traveling you fell more comfortable if you know that every precautions is taken for your protection. The famous North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago is operated by the block system, the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

CONCERT A SUCCESS.

February Entertainment by the Band a Pleasing One.

The February concert by the band was give last Friday evening to a large audience. The band numbers were rendered in a very creditable manner, aud won the hearty appause of the listeners.

A baritone solo by J. B. Armstrong was one of the features of the evening's entertainment, and was an especially strong number. Mr. Armstrong is an accomplished player, and has few equals on his instrument.

Miss Ina Linnehan gave a recitation that was warmly received and she was obliged to respond to an encore. The young lady has an easy and captivating manner while before an audience, and her many friends are predicting a bright future for her as an elocutionist.

A ladies quartette composed of Misses Margeret Kaus, Iza Tibbitts, Jessie Carver and Clara Marchand, rendered a most charming selection entitled "Within a Little Wood." The young ladies sing well, and the public hopes to hear them again in the near future.

An impromtu dance was given after the concert which proved to be an enjoyable affair. The band boys work hard to make their concerts a success and it is gratifying to know that our citizens appreciate their efforts and give them the encouragement they are justly entitled to. The next concert will be given during lent and for that reason the program will be composed of sacred music.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don,t get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at all druggists price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

TO SERVE THEIR COUNTRY

List of Petit Jurors Drawn to Serve at the March Term of Court.

Monday morning Clerk Perreault drew the petit jurors for the next term of the district court which convenes in this city, Monday, March 27. Following is the list:

Jacob Borry, Thief River Falls
Elie Perreault, Terrebonne
M. P. Dargan, Polk Centre
A. M. Anderson, Red Lake Falls
P. O. Mykleby, Emardville
Louis Peroult, Gervais
John Hedlund, River Falls
B. H. Costello, Equality
George Bender, Equality
C. M. Wilson, Thief River Falls
Fred Zaiser, Red Lake Falls
Ernest Gerlach, Red Lake Falls
Anton Lee, Wyandotte
John Toulouse, Poplar River
Joseph Lang, Thief River Falls
Heury Busse, Black River
Nels Knutson, North
Gilbert Hovey, North
Elick Halvorson, Garnes
C. C. Bergen, Wyandotte
Frank Shirrick, Polk Centre
Thomas Glinn, Black River
Herman Wolf, R. L. Falls Twp
H. H. Finrow, Emardville.

The Sly Dog.

Fertile is putting on cosmopolitan airs these days, as the following "Personal" in last week's Journal will testify: Will the young lady with brown hair and eyes, and fur collarette, who smiled on gentleman in postoffice last evening, please meet him at the opera house Thursday evening, March 2d, and occupy seat on left side in row five.—A. S. J.

Why not get it

when you get sure relief from a violent cough? Gloria Lung Balsam will do this every time. It is made of honey, tar, wild cherry, etc., and is the best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

BREED WOLVES TO GET BOUNTY.

Officials Are Suspicious of "Farm" in State.

It is believed that "farms" for the propagation of wolves are being conducted in Minnesota. From the number of applications for wolf bounties which came from localities comparatively well settled, it is reasoned that in some portions of the state wolves arebeing raised simply for the purpose of killing them after they had become full grown in order to get the $7.50 bounty which the state give for each pelt,

"I am convinced," said a state official, "that wolf farms are being conducted in Minnesota for no other purpose than to secure the bounty from the state. It pays to raise wolves at $7.50 a head, and in some countries where the state bounty is raised to $12 by the board of county commissioners, wolf raising becomes more profitable.

"Then there are the Indians in the northern counties who understand the value of a wolf's carcass as well as does his pale-faced brother. There is no doubt that they raise wolves for the bounty. A few years ago a man was discovered in Lyon county raising wolves for the bounty he could get for their carcasses. They raise them until they get out of the cub class, when they only bring a dollar a head, and become full-grown wolves. I have not the least doubt but that the Indians are very cunning in this line."

A Pretty Home Wedding.

At the home of the bride's mother last Saturday occured the marriage of Wm. J. Douville of Grand Forks, to Miss. Henerietta Poessel of this place, Judge Tarrant performing the ceremony. After the ceremony the guests sat down to a bountious wedding breakfast wishing the new man and wife all the good things of life.

Mr. Douville is an employee of he Great Northern railroad company, and has the reputation of being an honest and industrious young man. Miss Poessel was raised to womanhood inthis vicinity and won many friends by her winning ways and ladylike demeanor.

Hosts of friends will join the COURIER in wishing the young couple happiness and prosperity, tnd a bonny voyage on life's voyage.

Mr. and Mrs. Douville left Saturday for Grand Forks where they will make their home in the future.

A Deer Story.

A mail clerk living at Bemidji came home the other day and told one of the greatest deer stories of the year. His run is from Grand Forks to Duluth on the Great Northern and he says last Sunday the fireman of his train had to alight from the engine and forcible drag a young deer from the track and push it down an embankment in order to let the train past.

The train stoped at a blind siding at Feeley in Itasca county and while it was standing still a young deer evidently about eight months old walked from the bush at one side and started and walked down the track ahead of the engine. The train started and the engineer tooted for the animal to get out of the way, but the animal simply started runing down the track. The engineer followed it closely and whistled vigorously but the animal kept straight on its course till it came to the long trestle over the Swan River. Here it turned shortly and faced the train refusing to budge.

The fireman got off after the train had stopped and running ahead tried to "shoo" the animal off, but even then it would not move a step and he was forced to take it by the horns and drag it from the track and over the edge of the enbankment down which it rolled and arrived at the bottom shook itself vigorously and started across the country into the woods through the deep snow.

In Dire Distress.

Misery and torture without parallel was the fate of Mr. Chas. Weaver, of Darlington, Wis. He writes: "After taking three boxes of Gloria Tonic my rheumatism entirely disappeared. Previous to taking this remedy I could not sleep nights." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

MUSICIAN AND COMPOSER

W. H. Scouton, Bandmaster and Composer, Visits Red Lake Falls.

W. H. Scouton, one of the leading bandmasters and musicians of the country, was a visitor at this place the first of the week. He was here in the interest of Lyon & Healy, the Chicago musical instrument dealers, and endeavored to interest our boys in his company's line of instruments. Mr. Scouton is also the composer of a large amount of band music and his marches are a favorite of all lovers of band music.' While here he presented the band with one of his compositions which no doubt our people will have a chance to hear at an early date.

"You've got to play ragtime," said Mr. Scouton. "Personally I don't like ragtime; no musician does. There is nothing artistic about it; there is nothing pleasing about it; but it appeals to the masses. The human frame seems to be set upon a syncepated pedestal. They want raggy revels, and you can't stop it. Why, the Chicago Marine Band—now known as Tom Brooke's band—set aside one whole concert evening for ragtime each week, and that night the Coliseum is crowded to the doors.

"The march field in composition is pretty well worked over. There are hundreds of marches written and published in piano score which, if orchestrated and arranged for band, would catch instantly. But hit is not made by system. It is made by chance favoring merit. In songs, there is a wide open opportunity for something exceptionally good in the sentimental line. The coon song is done to death, and the stars and stripes pattern of song, although calculated to enthuse an audience, has been worn to tatters. On general principals a good song is needed. To exactly indicate the kind of song would be a hard job for the best musical prophet. The music business is just like political campaigning. You can never tell what issue is going to make a hit.

RUSTED WHEAT STANDS TEST.

New Experiments Prove that it will Germinate,

C. C. Dalrymple the Dakota bonanza farmer has just finished experimenting with rusted wheat as seed, at a number of stations on the Dalrymple farms in North Dakota. The results bear out the tests of the Jewell people of Lake City and other experimenters and prove that seed wheat from rusted fields may be used satisfactory results as to the germination.

With the first of the good seed wheat train on the road today from Minneapolis, and three other tratns soon to follow, the question of the possibilty of using the rusted wheat for seed becomes important.

The Dalrymple tests were more extensive than any other heretofore. At Gardener, N. D. sixty kernels were sown. Up to yesterday fifty-five had appeared and this morning a wire to Mr. Dalrymple reporting four more coming about ground. Thus only one of the sixty failed to germinate.

At Casselton, out of fifty kernels sown, forty-eight appeared, and at Kelson forty-nine came up out of 50.

The Gardner, Casselton and Kelson tests represent various stages of the rust damages as it appeared on the different farms that make up the extensive Dalrymple holdings.

In every case the rusted wheat before being used for seed was put through a fanning mill.

How this rusted wheat will stand up against other wheat through the weather extremes and general crop hardships of an ordinary growing season, still remains to be seen, but that it will come up and start off as well as any cannot be donbted.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flanndery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and biliousness." 25c at all druggists.

LAW IS NOT CLEAR.

Attorney General Settles County Supervisor Tangle.

The Minnesota law of 1903, providing for extending terms of township supervisors in office, is so ambiguous in its terms that Attorney General E. T. Young has received as many as five or six inquiries in one day for an explanation of its meaning. The usual question propounded to the attorney general is whether the member of the board designated as "chairman" on the official ballot serves as chairman for three years or not. The attorney general has written a letter to a Kasota man in which he cleared up the matter by deciding that the chairman would serve simply for the term to which he was elected. The letter also points out that hereafter, except in years when there is a vacancy, no chairman need be elected. The letter says:

"The statute extended the office of supervisor from a one-year to a three-year term; and provided that at the election of 1904 one supervisor should be elected for one year, one for two years and one for three years. It also provided that one of those elected should be designated as 'chairman.'

"The chairman chosen at the last election would hold the chairmanship for the length of time for which he was elected, which would be one, two or three years—according to the designation of the length of his term on the ballot. Hereafter the chairman will serve as such for three years, and no 'chairman' need be designated on the ballot except in years when there is a vacancy in that office."

Continuous Photography.

A new camera has just been perfected which will take 2,000 photographic impressions one second. This is expected to revolutionize the the study of insect life where movements are very rapid, as well as forms of motion now but partly understood on account of their rapidity. Everything is growing faster, and life becomes more and more uneasy. That's why golden grain belt beer should mean so much to each of us. It brings peace of mind body and calm contentment that adds years to our lives and great happiness to life. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

Beating the Devil with Corn.

The new sweet corn happily named Peep O'Day is creating a great sensation in all parts of the country from the fact that it is ten days to two weeks earlier than any other variety, and is the sweetest of all sweet corn. Rev. A. L. Struthers, of Alfred, Maine, wrote last July as follows to Norterup, King & Co., the seedsmen of Minneapolis, originators of this wonderful corn:

"We are eating corn from the early Peep O'Day Sweet purchased of you last spring. I told an old farmer the other day that I had green corn for dinner. He looked at me in astonishment then said, 'Out of a can?' I said "No, off the cob." "Come from the South?" "No, out of my garden." He looked at me a minute and then said 'That beats the devil."' While my occupation as a minister is fighting the devil, I never thought before of competing with him by raising corn. I could not possibly have succeeded with any variety but Peep O'Day."

For 16 cents Northrup, King & Co. are offering to mail 300 seeds (sufficient to plant 60 hills) of Peep O'Day corn and to send their pictured catalogue of Northern grown seeds. Wrlte Northrup, King & Co., Seedsmen, 38 Northrup King Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn., and sending 16 cents, you will receive a sealed package of this wonderful corn and their useful catalogue.

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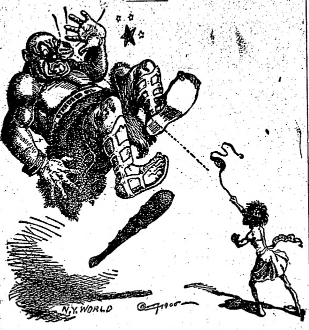

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BLAME IS PLACED ON THE RUSSIANS

BOARD OF INQUIRY MAKES ITS REPORT ON THE NORTH SEA AFFAIR.

Declares Rojestvensky Was Not Justified in Firing on Fishing Boats, But Finds Extenuating Circumstances—Decision a Compromise.

London, Feb. 27.—A decision in the controversy between Great Britain and Russia arising from the firing on the Gamecock fishing fleet the night of October 21-22, by the Russian second Pacific squadron commanded by Vice Admiral Rojestvensky was officially announced Saturday by the international commission of inquiry which sat at Paris to investigate the affair. The commissioners as a whole found that the fishing fleet made no hostile demonstration and a majority of them that there were no torpedo boats among the fishermen or in the vicinity, and that the opening of fire by Rojestvensky was not justified. The commissioners were unanimously of the opinion that Rojestvensky did all he could personally to prevent the trawlers being fired on, and on the question of his proceeding without giving assisstance to the damaged trawlers it was agreed that there was such uncertainty concerning danger to the Russian squadron as to warrant Rojestvensky continuing his route.

Rear Admiral Charles H. Davis, the American representative on the commission, is of the opinion that the general results of the findings are favorable to Great Britain, as they sustain the statements of fact as presented by that country. He thinks the decision will have a salutary effect in the interest of the general principles of arbitration. The general impression among those who heard Admiral Fournier, the president of the commission, read the decision was that it was a compromise, Great Britain's contention that there were no torpedo boats in the vicinity and that Rojestvensky was not justified in firing having been approved, and that of Russia that Rojestvensky acted according to his belief, even though mistaken, and that his action did not reflect upon his military valor or sentiments of humanity likewise having been agreed to.

MINERS PERISH.

Explosion Occurs in Shaft in West Virginia—Fifteen Dead Bodies Recovered.

Bluefield, W. Va., Feb. 27.—As a result of an explosion in shaft No. 1 of the United States Coal & Coke company at Wilcoe on Sunday 23 miners are supposed to have lost their lives and it is possible that the number will exceed this. Up to eight p. m., 15 dead bodies had been taken from the shaft. A large rescuing party is in the mines. It is barely possible, but not likely, that some of the remaining entombed miners will be rescued alive. The explosion was of terrific force and shattered glass windows a mile distant.

Hoch Held for Murder.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Johann Hoch, self-confessed bigamist, was held to the grand jury by a coroner's jury, charged with poisoning Mrs. Marie Welker Hoch, who died January 12, shortly after having gone through a marriage ceremony with the prisoner.

Sensational Suicide.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—With the strains of a song ringing in his ears, L. W. Baynes, committed suicide by shooting himself during a performance in the Chicago opera house, causing several women to faint.

Ten Jews Slain.

London, Feb. 27.—A dispatch to a news agency from Odessa says it is reported there that ten Jews have been killed and 30 wounded in an anti-Jewish riot at Theodosia.

Dies of Paralysis.

Bedford, Ind., Feb. 25.—Maj. James C. Carlton, president of the National Mexican War Veterans' association, is dead as the result of a stroke of paralysis. He was 73 years old.

HARPER DOOMED.

Operation on Noted Educator Reveals Cancer Which Cannot Be Removed.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Death has set its seal upon President Harper. When the head of the University of Chicago was operated on at the Presbyterian hospital Wednesday the surgeons discovered that he was suffering from a malignant cancer, which is fast eating away his life. The disease had spread so far that no attempt was made to remove the cancerous growth. The wound was closed and during the remainder of the great teacher's life the X-ray treatment will be used to stay the ravages of the disease. At the utmost Dr. Harper's life cannot span more than a year, and one of the operating surgeons declared that six months is the more likely period of his existence. Wednesday night Dr. Harper suffered great pain, though he slept at times. The surgeons who attended him did not believe it best to impart to the patient the sentence of death they had read at the operation. Dr. Charles McBurney, the famous New York surgeon, who operated on President McKinley when he was shot at Buffalo, wielded the knife at the operation. He was aided by Drs. Frank Billings, Nicholas Senn, and A. D. Bevans, the Chicago physicians and surgeons who have had the case in hand since shortly after Dr. Harper's late operation for appendicitis.

BIG TUNNEL COMPLETED.

Two Boring Parties Finally Pierce the Alps in a Tunnel Twelve Miles Long.

Gondo, Switzerland, Feb. 25.—Piercing of the Simplon tunnel through the Alps was completed at 7:20 o'clock Friday morning. The work was commenced in 1898. The meeting of the two boring parties (Swiss and Italian) was signaled throughout Switzerland by ringing of church bells and salutes by cannon. The work of preparing the tunnel for a permanent way will be pushed as rapidly as possible, and it is hoped to inaugurate the tunnel about March 20. The length of the tunnel from Briga, in Switzerland, to Iselle, on the Italian side of the mountain, is about 12 miles. Work was begun over seven years ago, and according to contract the tunnel must be ready for traffic on May 15 next. The Swiss and Italian governments jointly financed the undertaking, share and share alike, at the cost of $15,000,000.

SLAUGHTER AT A DANCE.

Girl Snubs Uninvited Guest—Fight Follows in Which Two Men Are Killed.

Greensburg, Pa., Feb. 27.—Anna Onnafrey's refusal to dance with George Lukesz, an unbidden guest at a wedding celebration, started a riot which converted the house where the dance was being held, into a slaughterhouse. A fierce hand-to-hand fight ensued, lasting for nearly an hour, but when the police, who had been summoned from Greensbug, arrived, it was over. Two men were killed and six others wounded. Twenty-seven arrests were made. Seven of the prisoners are charged with murder and 20 are held as witnesses.

A Remarkable Revival.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 27.—Meetings in 24 churches, theaters and halls Sunday concluded the main effort of one of the most remarkable religious revivals seen in America during the past 50 years. During the two weeks just closed 6,500 persons confessed Christianity. As about 60,000 of Louisville's 220,000 population had no church affiliation before the revival began the two weeks resulted in the conversion of ten per cent. of the unchurched.

Earl of Morley Dead.

London, Feb. 27.—Albert Edmund Parker, earl of Morley, chairman of committees and deputy speaker of the house of lords, is dead, aged 62 years.

Man and Wife Convicted.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Philip Burke and his wife Eliza were convicted of the murder of Andrew Larson and given 18 years each in the penitentiary.

Opera House Burned.

Akron, O., Feb. 27.—The Grand opera house, the second oldest playhouse in the city, was destroyed by fire Sunday, entailing a loss of $30,000.

KILLED WHILE AT A FUNERAL.

PORTION OF THE FLOOR OF A BROOKLYN CHURCH GOES DOWN AT FUNERAL.

The Pastor and 300 Colored People were Awaiting Services when the Crash Came Killing Eleven and Injuring Many More.

New York, Feb. 28.—Eleven persons were killed and upwards of fifty injured, some probably fatally, by the collapse of the flooring of the Fleet Street African Methodist Episcopal church in Brooklyn last night. Of those killed eight were women, two men and one a child.

The building was an ancient, ramshackle, frame structure, erected sixty years ago in the heart of the colored section of Brooklyn, in Fleet street near Myrtle avenue. Arrangements had been made yesterday to hold funeral services over Sidney L. Painter, one of the oldest members of the church, and auditorium, which is on the second floor of the building, the ground floor being used by the Sunday school, was crowded with an audience of upwards of 300 persons, of whom the majority were women.

The congregation was waiting in silence for the arrival of the body, and Pastor Jacobs was standing at the altar awaiting the summons to meet the funeral procession at the door, when a splintering of timbers was heard, and in an instant half of the auditorium nearest the door collapsed, carrying down more than a hundred persons, who were crushed in the wreckage of the flooring and pews.

A great volume of dust for a few moments hid the victims. The remainder of the audience, finding themselves cut off from the door, and expecting every instant that the rest of the flooring would collapse under them, fought madly to reach the windows, and in some instances leaped from them and sustained serious injuries.

A BAD POLICEMAN.

S. M. Lindahl, a Minneapolis Policeman Arrested on Charge of Larceny.

Minneapolis, Feb. 28.—Charged with arson and with burglary, Swan M. Lindahl, a South side patrolman, occupied a cell in the South Side station.

By his arrest, made at the order of Superintenden of Police Doyle, a police scandal has been started.

The specific charges against Lindahl are that he robbed the till in Branch B, Library building on Franklin avenue, and later, to cover his tracks, set fire to the building he had robbed.

The burglary and the crime of arson were committed late Sunday night and within sight of two watchmen, Hallman Askeland, 3226 Fifteenth avenue south, and Andrew S. Peterson, 1101 East Twenty-fourth street.

Lindhal has not attempted to deny the charges, neither has he given any explanations for his strange conduct.

Not only is it claimed that the officer robbed the branch library building, but it is alleged that twice before this month he has robbed the same building.

Hon. Boutwell Dead.

Groton, Mass., Feb. 28.—After an illness of a few days, George Sewell Boutwell, formerly governor of Massachusetts and formerly United States secretary of the treasury, died at his home here yesterday, aged 87 years. He was stricken with pneumonia last Friday night, and owing to his old age was unable to rally.

For more than sixty years Mr. Boutwell had been in public life, beginning his career as a lecturer at the age of 19. At 24 he was elected to the Massachusetts legislature, and at 33 he was chosen governor of the state. Although elected to these offices as a democrat, Mr. Boutwell became active in the organization of the republican party. He was a personal friend of President Lincoln.

Judge Swain Not Guilty.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The voting on the impeachment case of Judge Swayne began at 10:30 Monday on the first article which charged Swayne with certifying a false claim for expenses. The vote was guilty, 33; not guilty, 49. The vote on the other charges was practically the same.

Must Show Sweden.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Notice has been sent to the Swedish legation at Washington that hereafter all Swedes who marry in any foreign country must get permission from their diplomatic representative if they wish their marriages to be legally recognized in Sweden.

Sultan Orders Gunboats.

Paris, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Constantinople to the Temps says that the sultan of Turkey has directed that 30 gunboats be ordered at various European shipyards.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Feb. 27.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.15; No. 2 northern, $1.11; May, $1.14⅛. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 42c. Rye—No. 2, 77c. Barley—No. 2, 40c. Flax—$1.25. Butter—Creamery, extras, 30@32c; firsts, 28@30c; dairy, fancy, 26@27c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, Feb. 27.

Cattle—Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.50@4.75. Sheep—Muttons, $5.00; lambs, $6.75.

THE TERM "IDIOT."

In the Original Greek It Simply Meant a Private Person.

The word idiot is itself of interesting history. Its primary Greek significance was that of a private as distinguished from a public person. Our words idiom, idiosyncrasy, etc., are from the same root. The idiot in Greek was simply one not engaged in public affairs. The beginnings of the degradation of the word are shown in its application soon to the common people as distinguished from the upper classes. It was then applied to unprofessional and lay people and soon became the slurring title of the unskillful and awkward. By slow degrees it became applicable to the stupid and at last to the imbecile and idiot. As late as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the word was still used in its earlier senses. This long sad history speaks indirectly of the pathetic history of the imbecile. If he was not killed or starved to death by neglect, etc., he was usually reduced to the condition of a beast either about the house or fields or was actually driven into the woods and forced to live in caves, among wild animals, etc. In 1799 Itard took a "wild boy" found in the forests of Aveyron and tried to teach him. The ability of the wild boys and wolf children to live and the number that did so shows that idiocy, as we have later learned, is of all degrees and that a mind may be variously defective in some ways, even idiotic, but in others with capabilities well preserved. Blind Tom, the pianist, and the large number of mathematic idiots are examples that show how far we are from understanding the real nature of idiocy, and they more than suggest the partial retention of sound mentality of the defective, the possibility of seizing upon the one or few normal or even highly developed faculties and perhaps bringing others into co-ordination with them and to normality. The court fools and jesters of the olden times were often such partial idiots and defectives, and they truly lived upon their "wits," which were often better than those of their masters.—American Medicine.

THE VALUE OF EXAMPLE.

To have your child truthful, be truthful.

To have him temperate, be temperate in all things.

To have him kind to others, be yourself kind to others.

Prescribe healthful amusements and so far as you can take part in them.

Prove to him by your life that a good name is to be chosen before great riches.

Teach him that riches are not to be despised, but should never be got by doing harm to others; that when acquired should be treated as a trust, not as a hoard.

To have him honest, present to him in yourself a living example of honesty. The chief part of a child's knowledge comes through observation. Acts mean more to him than speech.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A Demonstration.

Tommy and his little brother had been playing together most peacefully for some time when suddenly the baby gave a howl, followed by a series of shrieks. The mother rushed in and, while soothing the crying child, sought to find out what had hurt him. Tommy resisted her cross examination for a time, but finally admitted that he was guilty.

"What did you do to him?" she asked.

"I stuck him with a safety pin."

"What in the world did you do that for?"

"Nurse said you couldn't hurt yourself with a safety pin, and I wanted to see if it was so."

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Wheeling, W. Va., May 28, 1903.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held February 16, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called, aldermen all present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were allowed:

J. C. Wilkinson, services health officer	$ 5 00
O. Lacourssiere, water	60
R. L. F. Elec. L. Co., street light for January, 1905	112 31
John Berry, sawing wood	3 40
John Deforge, street work	4 05
American Furnace Co., grates	8 00

The applicaton of H. Cardinal for abatement of taxes was, on motion, rejected.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hemmemuth and seconded by Alderman Hatten:

A resolution vacating certain streets, alleys and public grounds in the city of Red Lake Falls, and granting the same to the Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls:

1. That the streets, alleys and public places hereinafter described are hereby vacated, and the use thereof as highways discontinued, and the same are hereby granted to The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, forever:

Said streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated are the following to-wit:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne and Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls to the Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of Third street extending easterly from a line parallel with and twenty-five (25) feet easterly from the easterly line of the alley running north and south in block eight (8) in said Champagne & Dow's Addition to said Clearwater river in said city.

All that part of the alley in block nine (9) in said Champage and Dow's Addition easterly to the easterly line of lot nineteen (19) in said block.

All of the alley running east and west in the east half of block eight (8) of said Champagne and Dow's Addition.

All that part of Saint John Avenue extending from the southerly line of First street to the northerly line of Fourth street in said city.

All that part of Fourth street extending easterly from the easterly line of Saint John avenue to said Clearwater river.

All that part of the alley between block seventeen (17) of said Champagne and Dow's Addition and block [4] of Champagne, Dow and Gieriet's Addition extending from the northerly line of lot one [1] in said block four [4] southerly to the northerly line of Fifth street in said city.

All that part of Fifth street extending from the westerly line of block three [3] in said Champagne, Dow and Gieriet's Addition easterly to the easterly line of Dow avenue.

All that part of Dow avenue in said city extending from the southerly line of Fifth street to the northerly line of Sixth street in said city,

All that part of Sixth street extending from the easterly line of Dow avenue to the westerly line of the alley in block seven [7] of said Champagne, Dow and Gieriet's Addition.

All of the alley in block seven [7] of said Champagne, Dow and Gieriet's Addition.

All that part of Gieriet avenue extending from the southerly line of Seventh street to the northerly line of Hamilton street.

All that part of Sibley avenue extending from the southerly line of Hamilton street to the northerly line of Harrison street.

The said streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated are shown in green color on the plat hereto annexed, which is made a part of this resolution.

2. The vacation of the streets herein described shall take effect and be in force only upon the payment by the Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, of the value of said property, which said value is fixed and determined at one hundred and eighty-two dollars and thirty-three cents [$182.33.]

3. The city of Red Lake Falls hereby reserves to itself the right, at its own cost and expense, to lay down in and under any of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated public sewers and water mains.

4. The said Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, shall construct and maintain in and under its tracks and road-bed upon the streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated sufficient culverts to take care of all surface-water coming to its road-bed and tracks upon said vacated premises through natural drainage, or through the surface drainage of the streets of said city, as the grades are now established, or as they may be hereafter without substantial changes in said grades.

5. The said The Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company shall indemnify and save harmless the said city of Red Lake Falls from any and all liability for damages on account of the vacation of the streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated.

6. The vacation of said streets and alleys herein provided for shall not take effect until said railway company shall have filed with the city clerk of said city its written acceptance, duly witnessed and acknowledged, of the provisions of this resolution.

Upon roll call the following Alderman voted Aye: Hennemuth, Crompe Hatten, Brady and Borchers.

Nays, none.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the council adjourned.

FRED BORCHER, Pres.

Approved this 28th day of Feburary, A. D. 1905. J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, Clerk.

Women's Kidneys.

Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculair to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, headaches, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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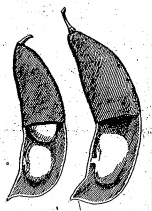

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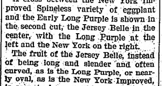

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held February [illegible], 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borcher, president.

Roll called, aldermen all present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were allowed:

J. C. Wilkinson, services health officer	$ 5 00
O. L. Fougrassier, water	60
R. L. F. Elec. L. Co. street light for January, 1905	112 50
John Berry, sawing wood	3 40
John Deforge, street work	4 95
American Furnace Co., grates	8 00

The application of H. Cardinal for abatement of taxes was, on motion, rejected.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hemmemuth and seconded by Alderman Hatten:

A resolution vacating certain streets, alleys and public grounds in the city of Red Lake Falls, and granting the same to the Saint Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns.

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls:

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Said streets, alleys and public grounds hereby vacated are the following to-wit:

All that part of Second street extending easterly from the easterly line of the alley in block two (2) of Champagne and Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, to the Clearwater river in said city.

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Upon roll call the following Aldermen voted Aye: Hemmemuth, Crompe, Hatten, Brault and Borchers.

Nays, none.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion the council adjourned.

FRED BORCHER, Pres.

Approved this [illegible] day of Feburary, A. D. 1905.

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Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, Clerk.

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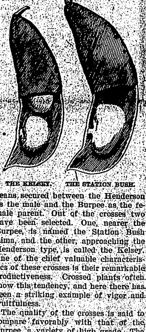
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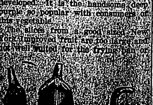

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C., S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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THE present legislature will not go down in history as accomplishing much for the good of the state.

DR. OSLER should bear in mind that a whole lot of men under 40 could be chloroformed without loss to the public.

Gas Addicks seens to have reached the end of his rope at last. Shorn of his fortune, there is naught to commend him even to the boodlers and grafters.

FOR the year 1904 the per capita expenses for the state prison convicts was $179.82 and the per capita earnings of $321.34, a clear profit per capita of $141,52. There are few factories that makes as mnch profit from each employe as that.

THE Princeton Union is alarmed ecause some of the Chicago raiload magnates and millionaires were present at the banquet addressed by Governor Johnson two week ago. It is noticeable, however, that none of them patted the Governor on the back and said: "Go it, John, we're with you."

THE legisature has so far accomplished but little at this session, and the new code is given the burden of the blame. Nobody wants to have a law passed until the code is out of the way, since it cannot be known whether or not the adoption of the code would leave the new measure on dry land. It is expected that the judiciary committees of the senate and house will report the code in a few days and some action will be taken at once.

JULIUS PLETH's latest contribution to county-seat literature does not seem to meet with a cordial reception. It seems that after Mr. Pleth wrote a letter some weeks ago expressing his honest convictions in favor of Red Lake Falls certain railroad and other influences induced him to revise his opinions. Now Mr. Pleth either was right when he favored Red Lake Falls or he is right now, after recanting his earlier views. The average voter will believe that he was right at the time when no foreign corporation dictated his attitude on this particular question. We had always believed that Mr. Pleth was too fair-minded and broadguaged to allow a railroad company to control his attitude on a local question.

A WALL-street banker, who is said to be the head of the largest financial institutions of New York, is credited with the statement that the fortune of John D. Rockefeller will in a few years amount to $1,000.-000,000. There are many estimates current of Mr. Rockefellow's wealth, estimates ranging all the way from $400,000,000 to $600,000,000., but the Wall street authorities add that all estimates of the Rockefellow fortune have been too low. Years ago, Mr. Gladstone was one of the guests at a dinner in England where the oldest member of the Vanderbilt family was also present. Somebody whispered to the Euglish premier that the rich American had $100,000,000, and Mr. Gladstone commented, after looking curiously at Mr. Vanderbilt: "Then I should say that he constitutes a peril to the American republic."

JOE TRIGG'S NEW WOMAN.

We saw a woman, a farmer's daughter, one day last fall seated on a sulky plow driving a team of three fine horses and doing as nice a job of plowing as we have seen done in many a day, doing her work in far better shape that was a man with a similar outfit in an adjoining field. "No business to be doing this sort of work," you say. Well, we don't know about that. She might far better be driving that team and doing that nice plowing than fooling her time away on some novel, or be pounding a piano when she had no more music in her makeup than an old goose, or be working green storks on yellow card-board and calling it art, or be living a useless, idle existence, primping and posing to get some fellow to marry her. There's a whole lot of mush about modern ideas of woman and her sphere. If more of this beautiful outdoor work was done by American women they would not have to buy bottles or hire wet nurses for their babies and there would be more and healthier children raised. We know of a farmer to whom the Lord sent a whole lot of girls and no boys. He was fairly well to do, and three of them did not want to teach school, work in a millinery store and that sort, and the old man would not let them lay around and do nothing; so he made a deal with then to help him on the farm, and they milked the cows, fed the calves, took care of the garden and orchard' helped to do the seeding, corn plowing, haying, harvesting, and when we saw them they were none the less refined, and ladylike because of so doing; and my, but what pretty, healthful girls, they were—competent, resourceful energetic, and each one of them had a nice young fellow who was wrestling with the problem of getting a farm and a home of his own, who found in these girls just the right sort of a woman to help him do it. Woman may from choice do this sort of outdoor work without degredation or lose of womanly refinement and grace, but she should not be compelled to do it.—Iowa State Regirter.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lung.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

"Flinch," "Somerset, and all the new card games at THE COURIER stationery store.

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On Friday we expect to open up another lot of ***Fancy Dress Suitings***. We will then have the finest line of Dress Goods ever shown in the city.

Fine black Voiles at $1.00.

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We handle the celebrated Arnold Wash Goods in all the Mohair effects.

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Long cloth for underwear, 12½c to 25c cents the yard.

Embroideries, 3c to 75c the yard.

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From New York Journal. "During the recent Grip epidemic, claiming a million victims or more, the efficiency of Peruna in quickly relieving this malady and its after-effects has been the talk of the continent."

LIKE A DEMON grip has crossed our country, leaving behind scores of physical wrecks.

Victims of catarrh of the head, catarrh of the throat, catarrh of the lungs, catarrh of the stomach, catarrh of the kidneys, catarrh of the pelvic organs, are to be counted by hundreds of thousands. Grip is epidemic catarrh, and sows the seed of chronic catarrh within the system.

This is so true that few grip sufferers are able to make a complete recovery until they have used Peruna.

Never in the history of medicine has a remedy received such unqualified and universal eulogies as Peruna.

A New York Alderman's Experience.

Hon. Joseph A. Flinn, alderman Fifth District, writes from 104 Christopher street, New York City, as follows:

"When a pestilence overtakes our people we take precaution as a nation to preserve the citizens against the dread disease.

"La grippe has entered thousands of our homes this fall, and I noticed that the people who used Peruna were quickly restored, while those who depended on doctor's prescriptions, spent weeks in recovering, leaving them weak and emaciated.

"I had a slight attack of la grippe and at once took Peruna, which drove the disease out of my system in a few days and did not hinder me from pursuing my daily work.

"I should like to see our Board of Health give it official recognition and have it used generally among our poor sick people in Greater New York."—Joseph A. Flinn.

D. L. Wallace, a charter member of the International Barber's Union, writes from 15 Western avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.:

"Following a severe attack of la grippe I seemed to be affected badly all over. I suffered with a severe backache, indigestion and numerous ills, so I could neither eat nor sleep, and I thought I would give up my work, which I could not afford to do.

"One of my customers who was greatly helped by Peruna advised me to try it, and I procured a bottle the same day. I used it faithfully and felt a marked improvement. During the next two months I took five bottles, and then felt splendid. Now my head is clear, my nerves steady, I enjoy food, and rest well. Peruna has been worth a dollar a dose to me."—D. L. Wallace.

Mr. O. H. Perry, Atchison, Kansas, writes:

"Again, after repeated trials of your medicines, Peruna and Manalin, I give this as my expression of the wonderful results of your very valuable medicine in its effects in my case after repeated trials.

"First, it cured me of chronic bronchitis of fifteen years' standing by using two bottles of Peruna in January, 1894, and no return of it.

"After I was cured of bronchitis I had la grippe every winter for several winters. But, through the use of Peruna, it got gradually weaker in its severity, until it dwindled down to a mere stupor for two or three days. Now the stupor does not trouble me any more."—O. H. Perry.

A Congressman's Experience.

House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen—"I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."

Very respectfully,
George H. White.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

New Game Laws.

The various amendments of the game laws introduced in the house and favored by the game and fish committee will be incorporated in an entirely new game law, which S. F. Fullerton, execution agent of the game and fish commission is now drafting.

The new law will reduce the game bag from three to two deer, the number of aquatic fowls that a person may possess at any time from 100 to 50, the number of land game birds from 50 to 25, and the number of birds that may be shot in one day from 25 to 15. The bill will also reduce the number of fish that may be caught in one day from 50 to 25.

Seining for buffalo, red horse, suckers and other rough fish will be allowed in the Mississippi and St. Croix rivers. and Lake Pepin, by licensed persons furnishing a bond.

It is also proposed to provide a gun license, to be required of any one carring a gun. The farmers object to this, and the gun license will probably not be required of hunters in the county which they reside, which will meet their objections.

Pheasants of practically all varieties are protected until Jan. 1, 1915, by a bill introdued last week by Representative Carl Wallace of Minneapolis and passed by the house under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Wallace said the law protecting pheasants expired Jan. 1. 1905. People interested in the propagation of game. Mr. Wallace said, had freed many pairs of various varieties in the state. They had become acclimated, and are increasing rapidly, but are not plentiful enough to be considered a game bird. Since the protective law expired, many have been killed. There was no opposition to the bill.

The varieties of pheasants named in the bill are: Mongalian, English, Golden, Reeves, Japanese, Tenmincks, Trapopan and Ringneck or China Torquatus. A fine of from $25 to $100 is imposed for each bird killed, or imprisonment for not more than sixty days.

Not for their Health.

Sear, Roebuck & Co., the big mail order firm in Chicago, are putting up a two million dollar building out of the profits made off their customers in the past two or three years. That doesn't look as if the proprietors are in business for their health.

Death rate in Chicago and New York.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Brain Leaks.

A starving man isn't worrying about his soul.

Optimism is not "taking things as they come."

The young man who "accepts a position" usually winds up playing second fiddle to the young man who hustles for a job.

If it's worth having it is worth striving for.

"Killing time" is the wilful murder of opportunites.

The church that does it duty never needs a revival.

The value of a gift is measured by the heart of the giver.

The fellow who is too good for his job is no good to an employer.

The man who does his level best has very little time to worry about results.

Did you ever hear of a man being dragged down because he stooped over to lift up?

A man who does his whole duty never lacks appreciation, even though nobody ever hears of him.

The man who doesn't like children will be out of place in heaven, for adults will be in the minority up there.

Kind words are so cheap that it is a wonder anybody will take the trouble to think up unkind ones.

There is a world of difference between asking God to help and asking God to do it all.

Some men never look up to save when they toss back their heads to make sure of getting the last drop in the glass.

We incline to the belief that the mother who keeps the "cookie jar" well filled seldom has any trouble with her boys.

The Orignal.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Any Woman can make

Better Bread

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YEAST FOAM

Yeast Foam is the yeast that took the First Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition, and is sold by all grocers at 5 cts. a package—enough for 40 loaves. Send a postal card for our new illustrated book "Good Bread: How to Make It."

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Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuit home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the house wife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

Royal is the greatest of bake-day helps.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

The county commissioners are in session.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bourdon were at Brooks Tuesday.

S. A. Swanson has been a Twin city visitor this week.

O'Brien Bros. give a talk on fire arms in this week's paper.

P. B. Gaass is planting his garden today. How's that for climate?

Wm. O'Brien was a business caller at Crookston one day last week.

P. K. Olson, of Plummer, visited friends at this place over Sunday.

Fred Burgdorf was laid up the first of the week with the grippe.

An Ada man has captured the boiler inspectorship for this district.

Deputy Sheriff George Jarman was down from Thief River Falls Monday.

Theo. Garceau has been at his home the past week wrestling with the grippe.

Mrs. Otto Kankel of Fertile, was the guest of Red Lake Falls relatives over Sunday.

One dozen small plotos for 60c at Riechel's gallery. For particulars see hand bills.

You are invited to attend the Woodmen dance at their hall next Monday evening.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson was called to Dugdale Monday evening on professional business.

A. A. Latandresse, the new deputy at the Auditor's office, assumed his duties yesterday.

Wm. Erb came in from the reservation Saturday and remained over Sunday with relatives.

Miss Gigstad and Miss Pirath, of St. Hilaire, visited at the home of P. E. Pirath one day last week.

Mrs. R. Peble left this morning for Grand Forks where she was called by the sickness of a daughter.

Berthon & Armstrong have a new adv. on the first page of this week's paper. It will pay you to look it up.

Miss Grace Iddings has been compelled to give up her school duties for a time on account of sickness.

Ayer's

Give nature three helps, and nearly every case of consumption will recover. Fresh air, most important of all.

Cherry Pectoral

Nourishing food comes next. Then, a medicine to control the cough and heal the lungs. Ask any good doctor.

"I first used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral 53 years ago. I have seen terrible cases of lung diseases cured by it. I am never without it."
ALBERT G. HAMILTON, Marietta, Ohio.

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for Consumption

Health demands daily action of the bowels. Aid nature with Ayer's Pills.

M. A. Hatten and family expect to move to Washington in the near future to make that section their home.

The Woodmen will give a public dance at their hall next Monday evening. Everybody is invited to attend.

The N. P. is getting ready to put their track between this place and Fertile in first class shape the coming summer.

Mrs. Adolphus Beausoliel was taken suddenly ill yesterday and has been in a very dangerous condition since.

Prof. A. Onstad was at St. Hilaire Monday evening. He reports the band at that place as making satisfactory progress.

The Big Store calls your attention to their line of rubbers and dress goods this week. Look up the adv. on page four.

Some of our young men have started a gymnasium in the building formerly occupied by the Coe Commission company.

So dainty 'twould make the daintiest foot daintier—an ideal kid patent Queen quality shoe for women. —Garceau & Zaiser.

Mrs. Joseph Tsicheart will entertain the ladies of St. Mary's church, Thursday, March 9. All are cordially invited to attend.

A gentlemen's shoe built of firmness and up-to-datedness for particular wearers—the W. L. Douglas shoe. At Garceau & Zaiser's

A number of young people surprised Albert Nauman at the home of his father, west of town, last Saturday evening. A most enjoyable time is reported by those present.

The raffle at the M. B. A. hall last Tuesday was largely attended and a good time was had by those present. We have not learned who held the lucky numbers.

Lost—Between this city and the Nauman home, west of the city, a black fur robe. Finder will kindly leave the same at the Grand View hotel and receive reward.

Mark Groves, of Adrian, Minn., is in the city this week. Mr. Groves is the owner of a piece of land in Lambert township and he is here looking after the property.

Assistant Superintendent R. C. St. John and Roadmaster J. L. Laughlin, of the Great Northern railway, were here one day last week, looking over the work at the new cut-off.

C. J. Knox, of Thief River Falls, was a visitor of the court house Monday where he filed a plat of a new addition to his town. He had sold six lots in the new territory before he reached this city.

Mrs. K. M. Hansen came down from Thief River Falls Saturday and remained over Sunday, the guest of Mrs. E. F. Marshall. Mrs. Hansen will receive a warm welcome in Red Lake Falls society when she comes here to reside.

The Probate Judge's office was the scene of a very pretty wedding cermoney Monday morning, when Judge Tarrant united in wedlock Nels B. Swanson and Miss Ida Lovness. The young couple are residents of Sanders township and have hosts of friends who wish them happiness and good luck in their new relation.

A number of the members of the M. B. A. lodge of this place were at Brooks Saturday night and helped institute a lodge at that place. It proved an all-night session and the visitors were royaly entertained by the Brooks people.

There was an office safe moving bee Monday. H. W. Anderson receiving his new safe, his old one was moved into Lewis & Higinbotham's office, while the old one that was in that office was transferred to the law office of Germo & Farley.

The N. P. Ry. settled their difference with John Doyea the first of the week. Mr. Doyea was injured some time ago while in the company's employ and had brought suit against them to recover damages with the above result.

Ovide Broulotte left Wednesday night for his home in Washington after visiting relatives here for several weeks. He was accompanied by Eli Noel who will probably make his home in that section of the country in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LaBissoniere left last evening for their home at North Yakima, Wash., after a visit here of about a month with their relatives and numerous friends. They will always be sure of a hearty welcome in Red Lake Falls.

The young ladies' Merry Crew Club met at the home of Mrs. Henry Hennemuth Monday evening. Some of the young fellows about town "swiped" the young ladies' ice cream. but it did not interfere with the enjoyment of the evening.

The year and a half old son of Mrs. Susie Olen died Saturday of congestion of the lungs after a very short illness. The funeral was held Monday. Mrs. Olen has many friends who deeply symathize with her in her hour of bereavement.

Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual business meeting and elections of officers next Monday at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Hennemuth. All ladies of the congregation are invited to be present.

Anthony Reng, of Bagley, and Miss Pauline Quesnelle, of this city, were united in marriage Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Father Fayolle performing the ceremony. The young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

It is reported that the Soo has abandoned the idea of building west from Thief River Falls, as the route has been found impractible. It is now thought they will connect with the main line at Plummer, running west to St. Hilaire, Hazel, and on to Warren.

Ed. L. Healy has a fine collection of grasses that were grown in Red Lake county at his real estate office. It is a wonderful dis play and the most sceptical would soon be convinced that this section is one of the best grass districts in the country.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moran broke the wrist of the left arm Monday while playing with some other children. The little lady displayed courage and nerve in walking alone to Dr. Watson's office and having the injury adjusted.

Nels Benoit returned last Friday from North Yakima, Washington, where he visited friends for two months. He likes that country very much. Mr. Benoit will leave next Monday for Grand Forks where he has acceped his old position, yard foreman for the St. Hilaire Lumber Co.

How's this? Mr. Huot, of Louisville township, seeded a patch of ground to wheat Tuesday of this week. As the gronnd was in first class shape for grain Mr. Huot concluded to try the experiment, but only put in a bushel of the grain. This weather is certainly a record breaker.

Several ladies composed a surprise party that called on Mrs. Wm. Schwalen Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robt. Bourdon. The object of the party was to show the respect and friendship Mrs. Schwalen has of the entire community, and also to wish her a happy time in her new home in North Dakota.

The ladies of the Southside Club entertained their husbands Saturday evening at the J. P. Harren home. Card playing was indulged in, Wm. Findeisen winning first honors and Wm. Schwalen winning the booby prize. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable time is reported by those present.

Pay Less and Dress Better

By Buying a Dress Pattern of the New

Arnold's "Luxorie" at 50c
Arnold's Crepe at 48c
Arnold's Pongee Novelty at 48c
Arnold's Metal Tissue at 30c
Arnold's Taffetta at 18c
Arnold's Mode Pongee at 40c
Arnold's Peau de Soie at 50c
Arnold's Fil de Soie at 25c

Allover Laces in White, Black, White and Tan, Cream, heavy or light weight, from $1.50 to 25c

White Goods in Plain or Novelties a speciality, ranging in price from 50c down to 7c

500 yards Lace and Insertions, per yard, 5c

300 yards Embroidery and Insertions, per yard, 8½c

LEADING ASSORTMENT OF MUSLIN UNDERWEAR ON DISPLAY.

GARCEAU & ZAISER

Sam E. Hunt is expected home to-day from his trip to Duluth where he attended the hardware dealers meeting last week. Sam was elected a member of the auditing committee, one of the most important committes of the organization. He remained at Duluth over Sunday and visited at Cass Lake, Bemidji and other northern towns this week.

Ralph Green and Chris. Lindberg, of Equality township, have been in the city this week. The gentlemen presented a petition to the county commissioners for a bridge on the section line between section 31 and 32, Equality twp., over the Clearwater river. It is the general opinion that a bridge is badly needed at this point and it would accommodate a large number of people living in that section.

The mistakes the "tenderfoot" makes about advertising, says the Fargo Forum, is that he gets his eyes glued on the prospective expense and it acts so terribly on the nerves as to cause heart failure. If you have not the nerve to follow a well blazed trail, even through you have never been over it yourself, you were never cut out to be a merchant prince and bad better stay out of the game.

While the crowd was enjoying itself at the M. B. A. ball last Tuesday evening a stranger helped himself to a overcoat that did not belong to him. He was arrested and tried before Justice S. L. Lewis and was found guilty. Rather than board him at county expense until next April it was decided to make him leave the county, and the last seen of him he was started for Thief River Falls on a dead run.

A school teacher in one of our nearby districts received the following by the hand of a pupil the other day: "Deer teacher:" For wy you shall yerk mine boy so hard he brakt him suppenders and volk home holding him pants ved him hands? If him dont mine you skall lik him yus so much lik you vant to, but I dond vant you skall taree hims cloths off. He dond vas dressed fer feetball game.—Ex.

Section foremen in the service of the Northern Pacific railway have received notification from headquarters that their usual monthly rent bills for the section house will in future not have to be paid. This action on part of the company is taken in order to allow the section men more pay. The houses along the entire line of the road are owned by the company and the rent has heretofore been withheld from the checks of the foremen. The increase in pay will amount to quit a neat sum and is making the "bosses" feel good.

Wm. Schwalen was home last week and packed his household goods and shipped them to Webster, North Dakota, where he will have charge of Robertson & Co's lumber businens. Mr. Schwalen has already left for his new field of labor, but Mrs. Schwalen will not go until about March 10. Mr. and Mrs. Schwalen have a host of friends here who will regret their departure, but will wish them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

An exchange contains the following bit of philosophy. When a hog gets an ear of corn every other hog will trot along behind and squeal and beg and is ready for a bite, but just let a hog get his head fast in a crack and every other hog will jump onto him and tear him to pieces. Just so with men. As long as a man is prosperious and has plenty of money he can't keep his friends off with a ballbat. The moment he is unfortunate and his wealth is all gone he is not only snubbed by his former associates but they will do him all harm possible. When a man starts down grade the world steps aside and greases the track.

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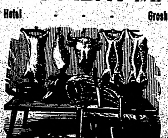

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Electrocuted at Telephone.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 27.—Charles Holton, aged 28, night foreman at the Woodward avenue carhouse of the Detroit United railway, was electrocuted while using the railway company's private telephone line. It was evident that the telephone current had become crossed with the current used for operating the cars.

Boy Boiled in Creosote.

Grand Marais, Mich., Feb. 25.—In a rush to get lunch, Walter Nettleton, aged ten and one-half years, fell into a vat of boiling logs in creosote. With weather below zero and his body literally cooked from the waist down, he ran home one mile and died.

Killed Her Sweetheart.

Ardmore, I. T., Feb. 27.—On Sunday Miss Bessie Irby, the 18-year-old daughter of Marshal J. P. Irby, accidentally shot and killed Clarence Morgan, her sweetheart. They were playing with a gun which was supposed not to be loaded.

Shows Great Activity.

Honolulu, Feb. 27.—The crater of Kilauea, which became active February 21, is now reported to be showing the greatest activity that it has exhi[illegible]

MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

State Art society plans a permanent exhibition at the new capitol.

A vaudeville performance is the holiday treat at the state prison.

A Representative Cole offers a bill providing for improving state lands.

Labor Commissioner Williams will not enforce the Sunday law.

The state supreme court hands down decisions in seven cases.

A prisoner and his guard disappear from Fort Snelling.

M. J. Wiley says that the inspection of oil in Minnesota is a farce.

D. J. Price is appointed postmaster at Lake Crystal.

J. F. Jacobson says board of control recommendations provide amply for state university.

The Crookston Milling company has bought the St. Anthony & Dakota elevator in that city.

M. A. Gedney, founder and president of the M. A. Gedney Pickling company of Minneapolis, died at his home.

The soldiers at Fort Snelling celebrate Washington's birthday by holding an athletic meet.

The report of the building inspector shows that $7,033,110 was spent for building improvements in St. Paul last year.

The receipts from the state institutions for January amounted to $15,412,94. The state prison turned over $8,671.30 and the University of Minnesota $1,832.85.

In the city election at Moorhead, Hon. C. A. Nye was re-elected mayor. He is the first mayor to be elected with no opposition.

S. F. Fullerton says the proposed law permitting hunters to kill female moose and caribou would mean the extermination of big game in Minnesota.

Discouraged over business reverses Nels Otterness of St. Hilaire, Minn., committed suicide at the Beaufort hotel, Minneapolis, by asphyxiation.

M. B. Campbell and Fred Grody were arrested at St. Paul on a charge of prize fighting.

Christ Hanson, five miles west of Vernon Center, in the accidental discharge of a shotgun, blew off his left hand and destroyed his left eye.

The Young Men's Christian association at the Minnesota Transfer will celebrate the first anniversary of its organization on March 10.

Three small boys caught under a falling snowhouse at the rear of Anthony Sherman's residence, Minneapolis, are nearly smothered to death before rescued.

The board of directors of of Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter has accepted the new auditorium, which has been in course of construction for several months and which was erected at a cost of $30,000.

The Novelty Rattan and Toy company of Faribault filed a petition of bankruptcy in the United States court, St. Paul.

Staggering into the Central police station, Minneapolis, John Anderson, an old man from Salt Lake City, Utah, fainted dead away from hunger and privation. He had literally been starving to death in the midst of plenty.

Fire at the plant of the Zenith Paper company at Duluth, caused a damage of $25,000.

Ed Johnson, living at Minneapolis, awoke to find his roommate and bedfellow, John Olson, dead.

The electric line connecting Minneapolis and the village of Excelsior is a go. It will be built by the Twin City Rapid Transit company and will be in operation by July 15.

Canadian steamers on the Lake of the Woods, which have made regular trips to American points gathering fish from the local fisheries, will be restricted to Canadian ports.

Emerson D. Dyar a prominent citizen and capitalist, died at his home in Winona from heart failure.

The largest lumber sale of the present year has been made by the Tower Lumber company to Chicago parties. consists of 35,000,000 feet of lumber, involving $650,000.

The school board at South St. Paul decided to issue bonds to the amount of $25,000 for the erection of a new school building. The city attorney was instruceed to have the council to fix a date for a special election for the purpose.

A $10,000 block of Austin (Minn.) bonds, offered on the Boston market by N. W. Harris & Co., within the last few weeks has been nearly cleared up by investors, who are rapidly buying at advance prices all the gilt edge municipal sureties they can obtain.

Joseph Swanlund, 900 E Cook street, St. Paul, committed suicide in the bathroom at his home, by cutting his throat with a penknife. His wife found him dead. He was 40 years of age and a contractor.

The amount of white pine timber standing in Minnesota at present is somewhere between 10,000,000,000 and 30,000,000,000 feet. In Wisconsin estimates place the number of feet of standing pine at about 10,000,000,000 feet.

J. D. Cope was appointed posmaster at Kenneth, Rock county, vice James L. Hogan, resigned; William F. Roche at Lakeville, Dakota county, vice Owen A. Perkins, removed, and A. Rothhouse at Renova, Mower county, vice James F. Powers, resigned.

E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, has secured the conviction of a box car merchant at Montevideo on a charge of selling illegal baking powder. The man was fined $25 and costs. He refused to pay the fine and will appeal the case.

FELTER'S VACATION.

The Story of a Visit to Germany With High Honors.

Once upon a time the senate restaurant at Washington was managed by a German-American named Felter, who was a renowned caterer to senatorial appetites and of course was popular.

In one of the nine months' congressional vacations Felter concluded to visit his old home in Germany, so he applied to Jim Christy, deputy sergeant at arms, for ocean transportation, which in due time was produced, and Felter started in high glee. He did not know how Christy procured the passes, nor did he care.

When he embarked the captain of the German line received him cordially, but with great dignity assigned him to one of the best staterooms and adorned his cabin with flowers. He had the post of honor at table and was treated as a hero or as a great personage might be treated.

Felter the cook could not understand, but he took all that was offered and made the best of the situation. When the vessel finally reached her destination and the passengers were landed the captain of the ship introduced Felter to the mayor, who awaited his coming and insisted that he make his home in the mayor's residence during his visit. His astonishment increased, but he accepted all of these attentions without asking any questions.

The following day he was banqueted as the guest of the city and was called upon for a speech. To the best of his ability he complied and explained the complex workings of the great republic of which he was a naturalized part, and every utterance was applauded. But Felter was unhappy, anxious to get away and find some old friends who might explain the reason for all this adulation. When the banquet was over an old schoolmate managed to get hold of his hand and begged him to go to his house for the night. This Felter gladly did, although the mayor gave reluctant permission, indicating that it was the next thing to discourteous for Felter to abandon the mayor's home while he was the guest of the city.

As soon as they were alone the friend inquired in German, "Felter, what sort of a game is this you have come over here to play on the folks of the fatherland?"

"I don't understand the game myself, and I wish that you could explain it to me. I am the keeper of the restaurant of the senate and am earning a good living at it—in fact, saving money. But that is no position of high honor, and I don't know what these people are doing all this entertaining for. It is away beyond me."

"Why, the steamship people issued your pass for Senator Felter and announced the coming of the senator on their line, and that's the reason you are thus received—in honor of your alleged rank and station."

"Let's look at the passes," said Felter. And there, sure enough, although he had not noticed it before, Jim Christy had secured passes for "Senator Felter," because in no other way could he have secured them.

Felter left the town early the next day and never re-entered it until he had concluded his visit to relatives, and then he came back just in time to catch the returning steamer before she left her dock. When he returned to Washington the things that he said to Jim Christy were too numerous and too strenuous for publication.—St. Louis Republic.

The Baby Camel.

The baby camel is a curious looking little creature, but one which you would hardly select as a household pet. Like all young beasts, it is playful, in a modified, solemn sort of way, and is as clumsy as it is odd to look upon.

Some one has said that if a camel were rid of its deformity it would be quite a respectable appearing beast. But the hump is in nowise a deformity, and a camel who possessed pride of race would die of shame if such a thing were to happen to him. In other words, he would be a camel freak. And with a baby camel, as his hump grows apace, he, too, becomes unusually proud and consequential.

Odd Russian Custom.

Eight days after a baby is born in Russia its hair is shaved by a priest. This is snipped off in four places on the top of the head to form a cross. The baby's godfather collects the shorn down, pinching it up with wax from the tapers. It is then thrown into the baptismal font. If the little pellet sinks there is great sadness in the baby's home, for the Russians believe that the child will die before a year has passed.

Mutually Beneficial.

"Will you keep my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"No, sir; I'll keep her in a style to which she has not been accustomed."

"All right, my boy. Take her and be happy. Now her mother and myself will be able to put on a little style to which we have not been accustomed."—Houston Post.

What They Seek Here.

"What is the chief product of the United States?" asked the teacher in a European school.

And without hesitation the bright pupil replied:

"Money."—Washington Star.

The Cynic.

"Let me see, a cynic is a man who is tired of the world, is he not?" the young student of language asked.

"No, no, my child," replied the knowing tutor. "A cynic is a man of whom the world is tired."—Pick-Me-Up.

The miserablest day we live there is many a better thing to do than die.—Dailey.

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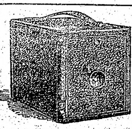

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MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

State Art society plans a permanent exhibition at the new capitol.

A vaudeville performance is the holiday treat at the state prison.

A Representative Cole offers a bill providing for improving state lands.

Labor Commissioner Williams will not enforce the Sunday law.

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The school board at South St. Paul decided to issue bonds to the amount of $25,000 for the erection of a new school building. The city attorney was instructed to have the council to fix a date for a special election for the purpose.

A $10,000 block of Austin (Minn.) bonds, offered on the Boston market by N. W. Harris & Co., within the last few weeks has been nearly cleared up by investors, who are rapidly buying at advance prices all the gilt edge municipal sureties they can obtain.

Joseph Swanlund, 900 E Cook street, St. Paul, committed suicide in the bathroom at his home, by cutting his throat with a penknife. His wife found him dead. He was 40 years of age and a contractor.

The amount of white pine timber standing in Minnesota at present is somewhere between 10,000,000,000 and 30,000,000,000 feet. In Wisconsin estimates place the number of feet of standing pine at about 10,000,000,000 feet.

J. D. Cope was appointed posmaster at Kenneth, Rock county, vice James L. Hogan, resigned; William F. Roche at Lakeville, Dakota county, vice Owen A. Perkins, removed, and A. Rothhouse at Renova, Mower county, vice James F. Powers, resigned.

E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, has secured the conviction of a box car merchant at Montevideo on a charge of selling illegal baking powder. The man was fined $25 and costs. He refused to pay the fine and will appeal the case.

FELTER'S VACATION.

The Story of a Visit to Germany With High Honors.

Once upon a time the senate restaurant at Washington was managed by a German-American named Felter, who was a renowned caterer to senatorial appetites and of course was popular.

In one of the nine months' congressional vacations Felter concluded to visit his old home in Germany, so he applied to Jim Christy, deputy sergeant at arms, for ocean transportation, which in due time was produced, and Felter started in high glee. He did not know how Christy procured the passes, nor did he care.

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Odd Russian Custom.

Eight days after a baby is born in Russia its hair is shaved by a priest. This is snipped off in four places on the top of the head to form a cross. The baby's godfather collects the shorn down, pinching it up with wax from the tapers. It is then thrown into the baptismal font. If the little pellet sinks there is great sadness in the baby's home, for the Russians believe that the child will die before a year has passed.

Mutually Beneficial.

"Will you keep my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"No, sir; I'll keep her in a style to which she has not been accustomed."

"All right, my boy. Take her and be happy. Now her mother and myself will be able to put on a little style to which we have not been accustomed."—Houston Post.

What They Seek Here.

"What is the chief product of the United States?" asked the teacher in a European school.

And without hesitation the bright pupil replied:

"Money."—Washington Star.

The Cynic.

"Let me see, a cynic is a man who is tired of the world, is he not?" the young student of language asked.

"No, no, my child," replied the knowing tutor. "A cynic is a man of whom the world is tired."—Pick-Me-Up.

The miserablest day we live there is many a better thing to do than die.—Dailey.

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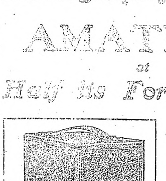

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[illegible] Is Said to Have Been [illegible]—Believing Ultimate Victory for His Forces Certain, the Czar's Voice Is Still for War.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—Official reports from the front show that the Japanese capture of Tsinkhetchen and Beresneff hill was effected by two bloody engagements. Gen. Kuroki's men, said to have been 60,000 strong, advanced from Saimatze against the Russian left flank at Tsinghetchen, which is 55 miles southeast of Mukden, and after a hard struggle drove the Russians back on their base at Beresneff hill. They followed up the victory with a rush but the Russians put up a strong resistance with their 40,000 men. The Japanese repeatedly charged the Russian trenches and in the final attacks advanced over heaps of their own dead to reach the Russian lines. They captured Beresneff hill February 24. Although the Russian losses in the Beresneff engagement are not obtainable, yet it is feared they were immense, in view of the fact that the Japanese overwhelmed Gen. Kuropatkin's flank and forced it to abandon its base.

The sceene of the operations is 50 miles southeast of Mukden, beyond Da pass, an important defile commanding the road to Fushan. Both armies occupying apparently impregnable positions on the centers, Gen. Kuropatkin evidently planned to inaugurate widely sweeping operations on both flanks, but the Japanese countered hard.

Russia's Final Word.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—"Peace cannot be considered until Russia has achieved a signal success with honor." Such is the fiat from the highest quarters. Gen. Kuropatkin assures the government that victory is imminent. This must be taken as the final word of Russia in the peace controversy.

Czar's Voice Still for War.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The emperor of Russia has elected to continue the war. His position is absolutely firm, and the German court has been advised in that sense. The war will be pressed with the utmost energy, the domestic situation being now within the control of the authorities. Those who have advised peace and suggested inquiries for Japan's terms, the French and British governments, are for the present silent and are likely to remain so unless events of an extraordinary character shake the Russian emperor's resolution.

Can't Defeat Kuropatkin.

The considerations that led to the emperor's decision as understood here are:

First.—The judgment of the chiefs of the army that Field Marshal Oyama not only cannot defeat Gen. Kuropatkin but stands in danger of defeat himself. How cowardly, therefore, for Russia to ask for mercy with all the men and money essential to a successful war.

Second.—All the forces of criticism now directed against the government for having fought rather than yield to legitimate interests and for having failed to win victories would be continued with added fury against the government that accepted war and then betrayed the country. A government that would crave peace of Russia's enemy while still capable of winning victory would be giving the party of change genuine grounds for a revolution.

The facts of the military situation, love of country and arguments of expediency were all against peace and for pressing the war hopefully.

BERTH FOR QUARLES.

President Makes Outgoing Wisconsin Senator a Federal District Judge.

Washington, Feb. 27.—The president Saturday sent to the senate the following nominations: United States circuit judge for the Seventh circuit (Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin), William H. Seaman, of Wisconsin, to succeed Judge Jenkins, who had resigned; United States district judge for eastern district of Wisconsin, Joseph Very Quarles, of Wisconsin, whose term as United States senator expires March 4 next, to succeed Judge Seaman.

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The senate considered at some length the bill providing a civil government for the Panama canal zone. Washington's farewell address was read by Senator Perkins at the beginning of the session.

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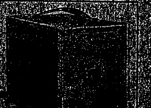

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COURAGE THAT WON

......By Frank H. Sweet

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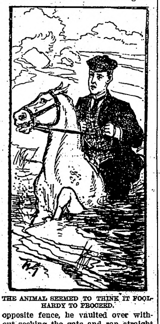
Judge Pauls went down the office steps briskly, his face, which a few moments before had been creased into a frown, now beaming with the satisfaction of duty well done. He had forbidden the new doctor, who had no prospects and no faculty for money making, to visit his house any more. From what he knew of Edith and what he had seen in the young doctor's eyes he felt that he need apprehend no further trouble, and the affair had not gone far enough for either of the young people to suffer any heartache.

Dr. Phil was standing in front of an open window in his office, his hands thrust deep into his pockets, gazing out at the judge as he crossed the street and passed on through the field opposite toward the river, probably to see if the swollen torrent was doing any damage to his lands. Then, with the same strong, self contained look which the judge had seen and, against his will, admired, the young doctor turned back into his office.

There was no despondency in his clear gray eyes, no weakening of his square chin. He had fought his way from almost absolute ignorance at twelve in the depths of a coal mine through various situations to one school after another, through college and medical school and hospital practice, until now he was here in an office of his own waiting for the first patient.

There was a large back region of farm and mountain people here, and once he could gain their confidence it would offer him such a field as he loved, a life of hard, continuous work, with much of it in long journeyings under the open sky. The horror of his early boyhood in the black depths of the mine could never leave him; to be in the open air was to be in God's own world. The matter of recompense in money never troubled him.

As he turned from the window a man came hurrying across a field from the direction of the river. Reaching the opposite fence, he vaulted over without seeking the gate and ran straight to Dr. Phil's office.



THE ANIMAL SEEMED TO THINK IT FOOLHARDY TO PROCEED.

"Hello, doctor!" he called sharply. "You got a telephone?"

"Yes."

"Well, you call down to Dr. Peters at the Ferry road an' tell him to hurry to Dan Sims' house, on t'other side the river—tell him Lonesome valley. Dan jest hollered across to me an' said his wife'd cut herself with an ax, bad, an' they was holdin' back the bleedin' well's they could. The bridge is down to the Ferry road."

"But it's nearly twenty miles to the Ferry bridge. It will take Dr. Peters hours to reach her."

"Can't help that. No man could get across the river this side the bridge, an' Dr. Peters is the nearest. You'd have to go forty miles."

Dr. Phil was hurriedly gathering up some things from his table.

"There's the branch that runs into the river from the mountains," he called over his shoulder. "After this freshet it must be a torrent, as dangerous as the river itself. Dr. Peters could never cross it. He is too old."

The man's countenance fell. "That's so," he admitted. "I'd forgot all about the branch. I s'pose it's jest tearin' now. Well, I'll holler back to Dan an' tell him a doctor'll be over jest as soon's the water goes down a little an' that they must do the best they can."

"You'll do nothing of the sort. Hurry round to the stable behind the office and bring my horse. You'll find the bridle hanging on a peg. Never mind a saddle; that will be too much weight."

"But why"—

"Hurry, I tell you!" thundered Dr. Phil. "The woman may be bleeding to death. I'll be ready by the time you are back."

When the man appeared Dr. Phil was at the corner of the office, and he threw himself instantly upon the horse's back.

"You can't go"— the man tried to say, but Dr. Phil did not hear him. He was tearing across the street, and when they came to the fence the horse took it at a bound. A few minutes later they were at the river.

Several men were working in the edge of the water, trying to rescue lumber and other floating wreckage from the torrent. Judge Pauls was standing on the bank watching them. As the horse dashed down the bank the men threw up their hands warningly.

"You can't cross here!" one of them yelled. "It's sure death!"

"A woman's on the other side dying," was Dr. Phil's only answer.

He did not even attempt to check the horse, but plunged into the water at full speed.

This horse was the only piece of property that Dr. Phil owned, and he had been able to make the purchase because the ugliness and viciousness and small size of the animal had made the price very low. But the horse was apparently afraid of nothing in the world and had strong staying powers, and these were qualities which soon convinced the young doctor that he had obtained the very animal he needed without regard to price.

However, with that rushing, roaring torrent before him, the animal seemed to think it foolhardy to proceed, for before he had gone a dozen feet from shore he tried to turn and swim back. But now the firm, masterful hand of the rider was controlling his head, the calm, inflexible voice was sounding encouragingly in his ears, and after a few ineffectual attempts to turn the horse directed his gaze toward the opposite shore and did what Dr. Phil was doing—his best.

But no living thing could stem or cross that mad rush of water, and this Dr. Phil well knew. He must reach the other side, but he was not foolhardy.

The torrent was winding in its course. Dr. Phil's gaze had swept keenly from bank to bank; then he forced his horse into a current which approached the opposite shore nearly a half mile down. To the horrified spectators it looked as though they were being swept away, powerless to help themselves, as, indeed, they were for the time being. All Dr. Phil did was to guide the horse, and all the horse could do was to keep them above water. But as the current approached its nearest point to the other shore, not more than ten feet distant, Dr. Phil suddenly slipped into the water, with his hand twisted in the horse's mane, and in that position, freed from his weight and with the strong right arm assisting by quick, powerful strokes, the horse threw himself forward with a desperate effort which brought his feet upon the bottom. A few minutes later they emerged from the water and staggered up the bank.

Dr. Phil did not hesitate. Lonesome valley was two miles away, and he could reach it more quickly on foot than he could on the horse in its present exhausted condition. So he turned the animal loose; perhaps he could recover him again when he returned.

He found the woman weak from loss of blood and lack of proper attention. Another hour's delay might have been fatal. He remained with her two days, until she was out of danger, and then returned to the river. Contrary to his expectation, he found the horse grazing quietly within a few rods of where he had left him, and the animal greeted him with an unmistakable whinny of pleasure and relief. Perhaps the common danger in the river and the manner of escape had won the horse's respect and dependence; possibly the animal was already becoming fond of him. Dr. Phil had not received a fee for his services, but the family's gratitude and the way the horse trotted toward him, whinnying, were enough, and he recrossed the river with buoyant heart.

In his desk he found a letter which read:

My Dear Doctor—I was a little hasty the other day, and I realized it when I saw you crossing the river. Will you overlook it by taking dinner with us Sunday? HENRY PAULS.

Slaves of the Orient.

"In Zanzibar and Pemba slaves are very slow to take advantage of the regulations that give them the right to claim their freedom," says a traveler. "They realize that so long as they are well used their position is superior to that of the man whose freedom is his sole asset. I have found the same attitude in north Africa. From Morocco to Tripoli one sees most of the slaves well content and flourishing. The famine, the locusts, the drought and the tax collector have no terror for them. Work keeps them healthy, they have enough to eat and drink, and the future has no meaning at all. There is promotion, there are confidential missions to governors and friends that elevate a slave, if only in the eyes of his fellows, and there is always a chance of manumission when the owner dies and wishes to have some good deeds recorded in the books of Islam's recording angels. The sorry truth of the matter is that slaves under Mohammedan rule are much better off than they ever were under the rule of white men in America and elsewhere."

The Permanent Novel.

"The novel that has inherent and permanent value that will secure for it a place in literature," said a well known author a few days ago, "rarely exceeds an edition of ten or fifteen thousand copies, and more often the limit is 5,000, while the one that is ephemeral, but catches the public fancy, may have a sale of fifty or a hundred thousand. Books of the latter class put money into the pockets of both author and publisher, but it does not come from the most discriminating readers. Of the class in question the field is limited, and, while they establish the reputation and permanent value of the really literary production, they are not included in the clientele of the author who is willing to sacrifice quality and style to increase his revenues from royalties. The novel that attains a wide but brief popularity does not appeal to the literary class."

HOMES OF THE SWISS.

Pretty and Distinct In Style, but Have a Lonely Appearance.

Swiss houses impress one almost invariably with a sense of loneliness. Probably this may be attributed to the contrast they present to their surroundings. They are commonly dwarfed into insignificance by the gigantic scenery in which they have been placed. But near at hand they are decidedly pretty, although their architectural style is distinct from any other.

They are rarely painted and seldom ornamented or embellished, save that the boards and shingles are not infrequently cut and scalloped into odd shapes. Sometimes the front of a chalet bears the owner's or builder's name in large letters, followed by a sentiment, a benediction or a prayer.

These chalets are provided with overhanging roofs, on which flat stones have been laid to keep the fierce winds from tearing them off and not because—as an animated tailor's sign, with a monocle, once informed an old lady in my presence—the natives wished to effect a saving in nails.

Various fruits and vegetables are hung under the projecting eaves for shelter, and the firewood is piled high without for future use. The ground floor is generally given up to a stable, where the cattle are housed in the winter, in delightful proximity to the family overhead.

The household treasures are contained in the living room, or gute stube. Here, too, you will find the large porcelain stove that is the center of the family gatherings on the long winter evenings. In the kitchen, of course, the furniture is of the plainest description, usually consisting of a rude loom, a huge fireplace, a table and a few chairs.—Pilgrim.

BEES IN WAR.

Two Instances In Which the Insects Were Used as Weapons.

The beekeeper, holding a number of bees in his hand, said as he led the way through the apiary: "Bees in the past were used as weapons of war. In the siege of Themiscrya, for instance, they played a very important part. The Romans in this siege made mines in the ground, and the enemy, opening the mines from above, threw in upon the Romans bears and other wild animals, together with swarms of bees. That caused the Romans to flee howling.

"Here in my notebook is another account of the use of bees in war. It is an extract from an Irish manuscript in the Bibliotheque Royale at Brussels, and it tells how the Danes and Norwegians attacked Chester and were repulsed, thanks to the use of bees by the Saxons and their allies in the town.

"'The Norwegians,'" read the beekeeper, "'sheltered by hurdles, tried to pierce the walls. Then what the Saxons and the Gaedhil did was to throw down large rocks, by which they broke down the hurdles over their heads. What the others did to check this was to place large posts under the hurdles. What the Saxons did next was to put all the beer and water of the town into the caldrons of the town, to boil them and spill them down upon those who were under the hurdles, so that their skins were peeled off. The remedy which the Lochlans applied to this was to place hides on the outside of the hurdles. What the Saxons did next was to throw down all the beehives in the town upon the besiegers, which prevented them from moving their hands or legs from the number of bees which stung them. They afterward deserted and left the city.'"—Chicago Chronicle.

The Squirrel.

A squirrel's natural term of life is from fifteen to twenty years, and in localities where they are little disturbed they multiply with extreme rapidity. Indeed, in the early history of the United States they were so numerous in certain localities as to be almost a plague, and large sums were annually paid in bounty for the scalps. In the west large hunts were organized by the early settlers in order to try to reduce their numbers, as now it is found necessary to do to prevent the jack rabbits from becoming a scourge to the farmers. On these hunts thousands of squirrels wer killed, and yet from all accounts their numbers were not greatly reduced.

A Quick Witted Waiter.

A western congressman says that while he and certain friends were studying the bill of fare in a hotel on the New Jersey coast a mosquito alighted on the card. It instantly lost its life by a quick blow from the man holding the card, its little carcass remaining on the bill. With a smile the man pointed to the remains and said to the waiter:

"Do you serve these on toast here?"

"They're on the bill, sir!" was the witty retort of the waiter.

The Great Difficulty.

"One-half of the world's happiness is solved when a person learns to mind his own business."

"Yes, but it's the other half that causes the most trouble."

"What's that?"

"Getting other people to mind theirs!" —Detroit Free Press.

His Peril.

"Is your husband a criminal lawyer?"

"Mercy, no! But he has to associate so much with those awful men he defends that really I'm sometimes afraid he soon will be."—Cleveland Leader.

Good Preventive Anyway.

"Doctor, isn't there anything I can do for this seasickness?"

"Why, yes. Try farming."—Life.

Credulity is the man's weakness, but the child's strength.—Lamb.

THE VALUE OF OPALS.

It Mainly Depends on the Colors Shown In the Stones.

Veins of opals are usually met with in soft formations where nothing above ground indicates their presence. The search for them, therefore, often requires considerable time. But it is not extremely difficult, for opals are generally found near the surface. Indeed, it was thought for a long time that they were not to be found as deep as twelve feet below the surface. This opinion has, however, given way in the light of evidence, because opals of great value have been discovered at a depth of fifty feet.

The value of opals depends upon several considerations, of which the principal one is the color. It is important that they should be bright and not present streaks or spots alternating with uncolored substance. The most valuable are those which have red fires or mixtures of red and yellow, blue and green. Opals of a single tint are of little value unless the tint is particularly striking and the figure beautiful. Indeed one of the essential qualities of the opal is the arrangement of the figure, which sets off strikingly the hue of the stone.

When the figure is quite regular and distinct it is the more valuable, much less so when the grain is quite small and irregular. Sometimes the color appears as a single blaze or with figures regularly spaced. It may then be of a fine ruby red and is much sought after, but oftenest the uniform tint is only green or reddish and has but little brilliancy.

The cutting is very important for the opal. Thus a thick stone will be much less beautiful than a thin stone, which, on losing part of its volume, loses also the figure. The foundation tint contributes much to the beauty. It ought to be transparent, slightly milky and harmonize fully with the different reflections of the opal, which, when it is really beautiful, presents a variety of hues infinitely pleasing to the eye.—Jewelers' Circular-Weekly.

HE HATED MUSEUMS.

Thoreau Catalogued Them as the Catacombs of Nature.

I hate museums. There is nothing so weighs upon my spirits. They are the catacombs of nature. One green bud of spring, one willow catkin, one faint thrill from a migrating sparrow, would set the world on its legs again. The life that is in a single green weed is of more worth than all this death. They are dead nature collected by dead men. I know not whether I muse most at the bodies stuffed with cotton and sawdust or those stuffed with bowels and fleshy fiber outside the cases.

Where is the proper herbarium, the true cabinet of shells and museum of skeletons, but in the meadow where the flower bloomed, by the seaside where the tide cast up the fish, and on the hills and in the valleys where the beast laid down its life and the skeleton of the traveler reposes on the grass? What right have mortals to parade these things on their legs again, with their wires, and, when heaven has decreed that they shall return to dust again, to return them to sawdust? Would you have a dried specimen of a world or a pickled one?

Embalming is a sin against heaven and earth—against heaven, who has recalled the soul and set free the servile elements, and against the earth, which is thus robbed of her dust. I have had my right perceiving senses so disturbed in these haunts as to mistake a veritable living man for a stuffed specimen and surveyed him with dumb wonder as the strangest of the whole collection, for the strangest is that which, being in many particulars most like, is in some essential particular most unlike.—Thoreau's Journal in Atlantic.

Robert Burns' Muse.

Robert Burns, though he had the choice of such works as the Spectator, "Locke on the Human Understanding" and Pope, together with odd plays of Shakespeare, which formed the staple reading of his home, nevertheless owed most to an old collection of songs. "This," he says, "was my vade mecum! I pored over them during my rest or walking to labor, song by song, verse by verse, carefully noting the true, tender and sublime from affectation and fustian. I am convinced I owe to this practice much of my critic craft, such as it is!"—All the Year Round.

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Here is a pen portrait of Robert Louis Stevenson, written by Dr. Alexander H. Japp: "Not so tall probably as he seems at first sight from his extreme thinness, but the pose and air could not be otherwise described than as distinguished. Head of fine type, carried well on the shoulders, and, in walking, with the impression of being a little thrown back; long brown hair, falling from under a broadish brimmed Spanish form of soft felt hat, Rembrandtesque; loose kind of Iverness cape when walking and invariable velvet jacket inside the house."

The Gain From Others.

A man is strong in proportion to the quantity, the quality and the variety of forces which he absorbs from others. He is a power in proportion to the extent of his contact—socially, mentally and morally—with his kind and a weakling just in proportion as he cuts himself off from others.—Success.

After the Defalcation.

Junior Partner—I never suspected him at all. Senior Partner—Neither did I, although it did seem a little singular to me that he should be able to pay $2,000 a year rent out of a salary of $1,500.—New York Press.

No man will be found who does not sometimes hope or fear beyond the limits of sober probability.—Johnson.

BERT'S STRATEGY

By RUTH SANTELLE

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Bertie Temple came hurriedly up the steps with a purposeful look in his usually dreamy eyes that elicited a murmur of surprised comment from the nearest groups on the hotel piazza. He made straight for the corner where Dorothy Vane was holding merry court. Mayhap it was rude to interrupt Upright's best story, but the fair lady lifted questioning eyes, and Bertie plunged into the hostile masculine circle.

"If you please, Miss Dorothy, I should like to beg a few moments' conversation—private, if I may make so bold."

Perhaps it was for the reason that this frank request, made with such apparent confidence in its being granted, sounded so unlike diffident, self deprecatory Bertie that her woman's curiosity was aroused. At any rate, the furious swains received a gracious but aggregate smile for their kindness, and Miss Dorothy was borne away down the moonlit piazza on the arm of that vandal, Temple.

"I'm in a deuce of a hole, Dollie," began Bertie, low and hurriedly. "I can't tell anybody else, but I know you'll help a fellow out. It's that Miss Simpkins—oh, I suppose it sounds frightfully caddish—but I should think you must have seen! Encouraged by my childlike countenance to take advantage, like all the others"—

"Most unhappy infant!" interrupted Dorothy, with a sympathetic pat on his white flanneled sleeve. "You have had our united commiserations for a week. If that amiable spinster harbors no design upon your innocent head appearances are indeed misleading. Only don't, I beseech you, ask me to abuse a faithful conscience by hiding her false front or anything like that."

"No, Dollie, I have my plan—amazingly simple and, I think you'll admit, rather clever." Then he added, with a sharp glance from the corners of his eyes, unobserved by the smiling maiden, "And if you'll only say yes, Dollie, we ought to be able to get some fun out of it thrown in."

"Unveil your mystery," came the animated command.

"It's just this: The old, old bore buttonholed me after dinner tonight and whispered laughingly that she'd discovered the music room window behind the portieres was the most heavenly place to watch the moonlight on the waves and that she was going to feast her soul there this evening and—oh, you know the sort of stuff! Of course it would be the most natural thing in the world for me to forget it if I had persuaded my fiancee to sit with me just outside the window." He stopped suddenly as they reached the corner of the east piazza, caught both the girl's hands and held them for an instant. "Dollie, will you be engaged to me for an hour, just to save a fellow from the clutches?"

Dorothy's head went high, the scent of battle in her delicate nostrils. During the barely perceptible hesitation her mind held the picture of a recent day when she had been cheated out of an afternoon's sailing with the adorable Freddie Burton by Miss Simpkins' meddling.

"I'll do it, Freddie," she whispered in gay excitement.

A moment later Mr. Temple was seating his fiancee pro tem. beneath the wide, dark music room window.

"Ah, Dollie mine," he breathed in admirably loverlike tones, while the young lady thus possessively addressed half suppressed hysterical giggles, "at last I have you to myself and away from all those smirking cads that cluster around you as if they had the right. The right is mine now, isn't it, sweetheart?"

"Ye-es," very faintly.

Thus encouraged, the happy lover drew nearer and availed himself of two tempting white hands. Miss Dorothy removed them from his tender clasp with vehemence. "Now, Bertie, how many times have I to tell you"—

There was just the tiniest rustling within the window.

"Dollie," he whispered, "you mustn't forget we're engaged!"

The hands resigned themselves limply to the inevitable.

"I hope you realize, dearest"—the voice became audible again, and Dorothy was surprised to notice how pleasantly caressing Bertie's voice could be—"that you have made me the happiest man alive. I've never wanted anything as I have wanted this, and now—oh, girlie, it's almost unbelievable yet! Tell me again that it's so; that you truly love me!"

Dorothy's eyes opened wide in the darkness. Bertie Temple making love in this magnificent fashion! It was almost thrilling.

"Why, of course I do, silly. You know it without my repeating it over and over as if I had nothing else to say."

"Do what, sweetheart?" mischievously.

Again a suggestion of movement on the other side of the window.

Bertie pressed the captive hands warningly. "Please," he whispered. "She's there, listening. You promised. We'll both be in for it if you fail now."

"Well, then behave!" she retorted under her breath. "Just this once, mind." Then a little louder, but unsteadily, "Do I-I-love you, Bertie," she said.

"Oh, my little girl, my little girl!" he said huskily, holding the hands tighter than ever. "I said I was happy before, but I've never been absolutely so until this minute. Why, Dollie! You remember we were interrupted last night, and you've never let me kiss you. It's 'Yes,' isn't it, dear?" leaning very close.

"Why, Bertie Temple, I should say not! Of all the mean, deceiving advantage taking tricks"— She paused breathless, her voice quivering wrathfully.

But Bertie clung desperately to her hands. "Dollie, don't spoil it all!" in a beseeching whisper. "We'll never hear the last of it."

She sank back weakly.

"Oh! I—I—it's so very new, you know. I'm not accustomed to it yet. You—you are not angry with me, d-dear?"

"Angry with you? Never as long as I"—

"Of course I didn't mean that. But anyway you mustn't surprise me so violently. It might make me l-l-like you less. No, I guess I'd better not let you tonight, just for punishment. No—I—well! If you're going to feel so heartbroken, just one ve-ry tiny one right here," indicating the tip of a rosy ear.

The elaborate performance was hardly concluded when a small, agitated voice came very close to Mr. Temple's own auditory member.

"Bertie! I'm positive I smell fresh cigar smoke! Do you suppose any one is listening round the corner? I shall simply die."

The answer came from an unexpected quarter. Out of the dusk of the low music room window stepped the youthful, immaculate figure of Miss Dorothy's brother Bob.

"Hello, you two!" he greeted genially, but with carefully modulated voice. "I didn't mean to listen more than a minute, but it was too good a chance to learn how. I knew you'd not mind so much, being all in the family. But, seriously, old man, I'm no end glad! Rather have you for a brother than any fellow I know—though I had a suspicion that Dot made a practice of refusing you about once a week. And here's my most brotherly kiss for the maiden—not on the ear, either!" And Bob beamed gleefully on one and then the other, a man who had risen to accept his felicitations with quiet dignity and a girl who stood with both hands pressed to a palpitating breast.

"This will just about sign your release on the Simpkins' question, won't it, Bertie?" continued the garrulous Bob. "By the bye, that cheerful skeleton came tiptoeing into the music room just before you two obscured my outlook and left with obvious reluctance on discovering me. I suppose it's registered to my discredit, but I hadn't the moral courage to resign the window seat in her favor."

Dorothy's hands suddenly covered her face, but not in time to quench a little gasping sound that was not more than half laughter.

Bertie took one step to her side and threw a protecting arm across the bent shoulders. Under that shelter a fluttering little heart was proclaiming: "She did come! It was the truth and not a joke to make me wretched! I could never have married a man who would lie to me!"

"Dot must be weeping to think how cut up old lady Simpkins will be," ventured Bob, "and nervous, I suppose, at being interrupted so suddenly. Never mind, little girl. I'll go right away and never tell a soul. Only she might show brother her new ring—or is it all so very new that the ring hasn't arrived yet?"

"So new that the ring was about to be produced when you appeared," replied Bertie in a very deep voice, taking Dollie's left hand and slipping something very quickly on to her finger.

"Oh!" she cried, with a quaver of delight; then she sat down very abruptly, leaning forward to let the moonlight sparkle on the beautiful stone.

For once in his life Bob showed sufficient discretion to steal noiselessly away.

She sat very still, absently turning the circlet this way and that, watching the flash of changing colors; then, with a shaky little sigh, she slipped it off and held it toward him. "It's very lovely, Bertie. I guess the girl you bought it for won't mind my having it on for a few minutes. Aren't you going to tell me who she is, Bertie? We've been pretty good friends, you know."

Straight and tall he stood before her. "Yes, Dollie, I am going to tell you who she is," he answered slowly, then dropped on one knee and slipped the ring back on the finger from which she had removed it. "She is you, you, you," he whispered, "and no one else in the wide world. May it stay there, my Dollie?"

"Bertie," and her eyes grew luminous with wonder, "do you mean that you still care after I have refused you—oh, I don't like to think how many times? But I never knew how nice you could be."

"You never gave me the chance," he answered happily, "so I had to try strategy."

Not In His Line.

The sexton of a certain parish church would brook no interference with what he was pleased to call his "special duties."

"Every mon to his trade, sez I," he would remark. "Let the passon do the praichin' an' I'll do the rest."

On one occasion the vicar was of the opinion that John was neglecting his duties.

John, who was not wanting in wit, strenuously denied the charge and said that he was 'not goin' to stand no medllin'" with his affairs.

"But, John," said the vicar, "it behooves everybody to mind his p's and q's."

"Everybody but me," retorted John, refusing to be cornered. "P's an' q's is nowt i' my line. I've enough to do to mind the keys and pews."—London Telegraph.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Harry Garceau, Ema Allard and Clara Marchand Spartan Reporters.)

Miss Iddings has been absent this week on account of sickness.

Don't forget the Spartan program Friday as every visitor counts one point.

We may obtain a half holiday if as good attendance as we have had this week keeps on.

Some of the boys have been practicing for field meet in the way of leap frog and running.

One of the Senior girls, while out walking Sunday, shot a rabbit with a revolver, of which she is quite proud.

Last Saturday night the seniors read over their class play, "The Silent Detective', at Mr. Chamberlain's home.

Walter Buse taught the elementary algebra class on Monday and Ralph Healy on Tuesday on account of Miss Iddings' absence.

The juniors held a meeting Monday night after school to decide what would be done in the way of a banquet but nothing was decided upon.

All the members of the chemistry class but two were entertained by Professor Chamberlain after school Wednesday night by reciting their lessons.

From now on the "dignified" seniors will be excused from the literary programs because they have all they can do in the way of lessons, etc.

The members of the "Lesher Burn" club were treated to a gallon freezer of ice cream by the "Merry Crew" sewing club, Monday night. Thanks, girls.

One of the "freshie" boys was quite elated(?) last Tuesday when one of the teachers told him that he so resembled one of the "worthy sophs" that it was very hard to tell them apart.

Washington School Notes.

Judith Rue and Gisela Helm reporters.

Henry Lundquist was absent most of last week.

There are many absent now on account of sicnkess.

The second grade have a new set of readers this week.

When the girls begin to jump rope it is a sure sign of spring.

Nickie Helm of the second grade is absent on account of sickness.

Olive Zaiser was absent this week for the first time since school started.

The sixth grade are all anxious to know who got the banner for January.

The boys are playing marbles now and the foot-ball will have a rest.

Lenora Garceau was taken sick again and had to remain out of school.

The boys have their football back again but the grounds are too muddy to play.

The sixth grade have begun the study of the French and Indian war in history.

Frank Campbell, you come to school or we will get after you. We want the banner this month.

Washington's birthday came on Wednesday thus giving us a holiday, and we are sure every one enjoyed the vacation.

Monday while playing pull-away Grace Moran of the second grade fell and broke her fore-arm. She was taken to the doctor and the bone was set. We hope she will recover soon so as to be back at school.

Mr. Healy has started reading the fifth book to the 5th and 6th grades, It is entitled "Wrecked on Spider Island" and is written by James Otis. Three other books were read and written by the same author and the pupils like his books very much.

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BADGER.

Miss Cerissa Trudeau is visiting here this week.

Homer and Henry Laurent drove out here Monday on business.

William St. Yves, of Crookston, was a business caller here Saturday.

Adelard Champagne drove to the county seat Friday on business.

Mr. and Mr. A. Laurent spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. Robillard.

Mrs. D. Champoux and Mrs. Joseph Ducharme are on the sick list this week.

Miss Anna Robillard of Red Lake Falls, is visiting here with relatives this week.

Telephore Cote, son of Francis Cote, of Penetanguishene, Canada, is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Laurent and daughter were the guests at home of of Dolphis Clements Sunday.

Edward St. Yves and Onezime Robillard are expected home this week after an absence of several months.

Miss Annie Duscharme, who has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Rudolph Duscharme for the past two weeks returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Damasse LaChance, Mr. and Mrs. Oyila Robiilstn and Misses Cerissa Trudeau, Alyce and Anna Quesnell attended the Forester dance at Red Lake Falls Tuesday evening.

A birthday party was held at the home of O. Robillard in honor of Miss Cerissa Trudeau, of Gentilly, it being her nineteenth birthday. Refreshments were served and a most enjoyable time was reported by all.

Among those who attended the card party at the home of Francis LaBissoniere, in Red Lake Falls, Monday evening, were: Messrs. and Madames A. Laurent, O. Robillard, M. Quesnell, E. Quesneli, L. St. Yves, T. La Bissoniere, and Misses Cerissa Trudeau, Alyce and Anna Quesnell, and Desire Robillard.

Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lemberger, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye. Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at all druggists.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Warran wants a normal school.

Moorhead invested $243,049 in new buildings last year.

Little Falls people has become interested in roller skating.

Wadena has been made a recuiting station for Uncle Sam.

Otter Tail county paid out $2,127 last year for wolf bounties.

Eight "vags" appeared in Bemidji's police court Monday morning,

Itasca county's delinquent tax list is a large one, 8,000 descriptions.

Fertile demands a vote on the license question. They have been dry for a year,

Perham is to have a catholic church to cost about $30,000, with a seating capacity of 800

Prof. J. A. Button of Crookston, will start a business college at Wadena in the near future.

Marshall is already planning on having the best base ball team in the country the coming season.

J. A, Ross, of Bemidji, caught a large martin in a trap one day last week. Its fur is said to be worth $18

Ole Halgeson, living at Flom, Norman county, was accidently killed last week by a load of hay tipping over him.

Fergus Falls citizens have organized a company and will hunt for oil and gas near that place. They claim to have a second Beaumont in sight.

A homesteader named Olenberg was burned to death in his cabin near Jelle postoffice, Beltrami county, last week. The cabin caught fire while he was asleep.

The board of county commissioners in Aitkin county will open their sessions with prayer and have appointed one of their members as chaplain whose duties will be to admonish the board to live up to the ten commandments.

A schoolboy down in Otter Tail county left the following note on his teacher's desk one noon: Dear teacher: Please may I be excused from my recitations this afternoon because I tore my trousers on the woodpile this noon. Your truly, Percy. And please may I sit in my seat during recitations and also after they have all gone."

M. H. Novotny, editor of the Marshall County Banner, at Argyle, died at his home last Friday, after a protracted illness. The deceased was one of the best know newspaper men in Northern Minnesota, and had been at the helm of the Banner for a score of years conducting a very creditable paper. He had scores of friends among the fraternity, and was very popular with his home people.

Farmers in the vicinity of Crookston are the victims of a professional swindler. He professed to be a medical specialist, and after examination, assured his patients that he could cure them, stating that if he could not no money would be required. He drew up contracts to that effect, which the victims willingly signed. These contracts have since proven to be notes which are maturing in one of the local banks.

The contract for the grading for the extension of the Minnesota and International road to the Blackduck river in northern Itasca county, has been let to Guthrie & Co., of St. Paul. The road is headed for Koochiching and the moves thus far made indicate that it will be the first road to enter that promising city. The Minnesota and International is controlled by the Northern Pacific and extends from Brainerd through Bemidji to Northome, a distance of about 150 miles. Its equipment includes eighteen engines and 473 cars.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

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A bird of freedom—the hen that pays the mortgage.

Inculate some spot on the farm with strawberries this year.

There's a vast difference between a poor man and a poor sort of a man.

Don't think you are an old man at sixty; that's all fudge! Keep your grip.

Greater New York consumes 1,388,000 quarts of milk a day, and the people never see a cow.

Carriage manufacturers are worrying over the fact that the supply of hickory wood is fast diminishing.

Yes, farming "does pay" notwithstanding there are those even ready to disparage and argue to the contrary.

The horse commands a better price now then he did before the bicycle and the automobile came upon the scene.

The Atlanta Constitution estimates the potato crop of the United States at 288,700,000 bushels, the largest on record.

Not how much ground is covered but how well the work is done, is what counts in time and in profit margin.

The man behind the gun is spoken of in these days with interest and pride, but how can he compare with the man behind the plow?

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The hired man who is temperate, honest and careful and cheaper at higher wages then the one who abuses farm animals or gets tipsy.

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The man who never makes repairs on his buildings and fences is likely to have the same experience the deacon had with his "one-hoss shay": the outfit will go "all at once and nothing first."

Farmers ought to be the most greatful class of people in all the world. Every drop of dew, every shower, every ray of sunshine, brings a blessing. What we need most of all are hearts to appreciate our mercies.

Every horse has its notions, same as man. You can not break a horse of his peculiarities. Give it up and turn them to advantage. Learn what all of these notions are, and treat the horses as you would like to be treated under similar circumstances.

The Chinese believe that ginseng contains properties which prevent disease and lengthen life. Sad to relate, however, the ginseng plant does not seem to be able to take its own medicine. Cultivated plants will, rot and blight just the same as ordinarly vegetation.

A horse, in getting up, puts his fore feet up in front of him, raises on them and plunges forward; a cow raises on her hind feet, doubles the front feet under, raises on her knees, plunges backward. In helping a horse up pull his front feet out and help him to plung forward.

In the address of Master Morris of the N. Y. State Grange occurs this except: "The cultivator of the soil are the most valuable citizens. They are the most vigorous, the most indenpendent, the most virtuous and are tied to their country and its liberty by the most lasting bonds."

Sometimes farmer get it into their heads that they can carry on three or four kinds of business at the same time, on the same farm. Takes a pretty strong man to do this, and thousands have found this out only when their pocketbooks were empty and their health and strength gone.

Every farmer should be shy of the stove men who are all the time traveling about the country. They charge twice as much as their stoves are worth. Not one farm out of a dozen but regrets his purchase, if he should be wheeled into buying one of the stoves. The best way is to buy of men at home who are responsible.

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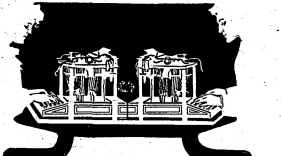

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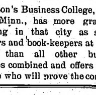

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CHANGE OF ROUTE.

The Soo said to be Contemplating Building from Plummer.

Last week the COURIER printed a short item to the effect that, there was a rumor that the Soo line would be built from Plummer west, instead of from Thief River Falls. Editor Latta of the Plummer Pioneer came out last week and said the rumor was started at Red Lake Falls for county seat campaign purposes.

We wish to inform the wise man of the Pioneer that we gave the rumor what it is was worth and had no idea of misleading anyone. Our information came from a state official who heard it at the capitol, and the following item which appeared in the Twin City dailies of Monday would indicate that our rumor was well founded:

"Soo line surveyors, it is reported, have found a change necessary in the route of the extension westward to Kenmare, N. D. The country is too swampy west of Thief River Falls and it will be necessary to leave the Winnipeg line at Plummer, south of Thief River Falls, and thence westward from St. Hilaire."

The Love League.

License to marry was issued to the following parties the past week: Edwin O. Reindill and Miss Laura Moen, Equality; Wm. Quesnell and Miss Ida Houle, Terrebonne; Thos. Thibodeau and Miss Rosena Chatel Red Lake Falls.

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CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

Sam Allard gives Big Party in Honor of Birthday.

Last Friday being Sam Allard's birthday he decided to celebrate the occasion in befitting style, and he succeeded admirably as numerous friends will testify.

About two hundred fifty friends enjoyed Sam's hospitality that evening. The M. W. A. and M. B. A. halls were both used for the festivities, dancing at the former place and the supper being served at the latter hall. Fruend's orchestra furnished the music for the dancers and every one present joined in making the occasion one of merriment and good cheer. Mr. Allard was the recipient of many costly and beautiful presents, a large silver dish being one of the gifts. A large birthday cake, presented by Mr. Allard's five sisters, was one of the presents highly appreciated by the host of the evening.

It was Sam's forty-fourth birthday and it was the first time he has ever been able to properly celebrate the occasion as it generally comes during the lenten season. As it will be years to come before it occurs again he felt he must make the most of it this year. His many friends will long remember the occasion with pleasure. and all will join THE COURIER in wishing him many years of happiness and sunshine to come.

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GRAND JURORS.

List of Jurors Drawn to Serve at next Term of Court.

Following is the list of grand jurors who will do duty at the March term of the district court:

Samuel Sabourin	Terrebonne
Joseph Guirard	Poplar River
Henry Lemiux	Garnes
Erick Iverson	Emardville
O. W. Brink	St. Hilaire
Joseph Laurent	Gervias
Eusche Normendeau	R. L. Falls
E. K. Gjernes	Garnes
John Gunderson	Equality
C. A. Nelson	Bray
Gustaf Lubitz	Polk Center
D. D. Haugen	Wyandotte
Peter Roerig	Lambert
Aug. Swanson	River Falls
Erick Hoard	Sanders
Jossph Helm	Red Lake Falls
Chas. Huot	Louisville
Albert Ferogen	
X. Sauve	Terrebonne
L. G. Browning	Red Lake Falls
E. E. Fletcher	Red Lake Falls
Thos. Dougherty	Black River
W. B. Fuller	Thief River Falls.

Children's ankles are strengthened by good counters in the heel. Red School House shoes have them, School bag free at Garceau & Zaiser's.

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The Chicago Great Western Railway offers choice of two through tourist cars every week to California, one leaving Minneapolis and St. Paul Tuesdays via Omaha and the Rock Island Route, arriving San Francisco 5:20 p. m., Saturday, the other leaving on Thursdays via Kansas City and the Santa Fe route, arriving at Los Angeles 8:25 a. m. Monday. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

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BUSTED BUCKETSHOP

Coe Commission Company Goes to the Wall.

The Coe Commission company of Minneapolis has gone bump with liabilities of over $200,000 and assets unknown. Ex-Judge Harrison of Minneapolis has been appointed receiver for the concern.

The Coe company was the largest bucketshop in the country, having branch offices in nearly every town in the north and west. Geo. H. Hammond was the controlling genius of the concern. Hammoud for nearly three years fought the regular grain exchanges single-handed, and had built up a great and extensive business, but the market itself, remorseful and erratic, at last crushed him in its grasp, thus accomplishing what the organizations of the legitimate grain trading concerns have been unable to do.

The liabilities are unknown, being estimated at from $200,000 to $1,000,000. A merchant at Redwood Falls started the end of Hammond's business by bringing action against him for a large amount he claimed the branch office at that place owed him. Hundreds of plungers in the Northwest will suffer losses by the company's failure.

The Same Old Story.

Judge Grindeland was here last week and heard what Atty. Henry W. Lee, of Thief River Falls, had to say in regard to the county commissioners and other county officers making a levy of taxes that was illegal. As usual with Lee's objections there was "nothing doin," the judge after hearing the case deciding the officers had acted within the law and he refused to grant the injunction.

County Attorney Germo appeared for the county and had no difficulty in showing up the flimsy and weak case Lee was trying to made capital out of. If Thief River Falls is posing as a friend of the people they have a very poor way of demonstrating the fact. These law suits cost money and the tax-payers of the county have to foot the bill.

Washington School Notes.

Lizzie Schlesinger reporter.

Frank Campbell is back to school again.

Nickie Helm is still unable to attend school.

Bessie Nelson and Clara Bourdon were absent Monday.

Let all remember that Friday evening is library night.

The fifth and sixth grades are getting along nicely in their Chinese it.

The fifth grade have taken up their history again after a months rest.

The A class of the first grade will finish their reading books this week.

In geography the sixth grade began the study of North America last week.

Thursday the sixth grade had a test in history on the French and Indian War.

Grace Moran is still absent on account of her arm but she is getting along nicely.

The fifth and sixth grade boys are practicing in their athletics and are beating some of last years records.

Friday the sixth and fifth grade pupils had a test in writing and the marks are going to be put on the report cards.

Because of the change in teachers there has been a change in the program of room 4. Arithmetic, which formerly came in the forenoon, has been changed with geography which came in the afternoon.

Mrs. Chamberlain is teaching the fifth and sixth grades in the morning. Mr. Healy is taking Miss Iddings place in the high school during her sickness for the forenoon but he comes back to the Washington building in the afternoon.

In Dire Distress.

Misery and torture without parallel was the fate of Mr. Chas. Weaver, of Darlington, Wis. He writes: "After taking three boxes of Gloria Tonic my rheumatism entirely disappeared. Previous to taking this remedy I could not sleep nights." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

PUPILS OUT OF SCHOOL.

Records Show 58,173 in State Do Not Attend Forty Days.

In preparing the semi-annual apportionment of state aid to the different schools it was discovered by the state superintendent that 58,173 children between the ages of eight and sixteen years attend school less than forty days a year. The apportionment is based on the enrollment at the first of the year and there is every reason to believe that it has not changed materially since then.

There are 365,460 pupils entitled to share in the per capita apportionment of $547,635. The apportionment for each pupil who attended forty days or more is $1.50. When the last apportionment was made the per capita amount was $2.20. The total enrollment of school children is 423,663, which compared with the total number entitled to the apportionment shows that there are many children who do not attend school even forty days a year.

Red Lake county has 3,338 pupils entitled to an apportionment of $5,007.00; Polk, 8,278 pupils, entitled to $12,417.00; Marshall, 4,208 pupils, entitled to $6,312.00,

BADGER.

E. Quesnell drove to the Falls Saturday on business.

Rudolph Ducharme, of Perrault Station, called on friends here Monday.

Miss Zelia Quesnell and Rosabla Lachance visited at Terreboene last week.

Messrs. Homer and Henry Laurent of Terrebonne were visitors here Saturday.

The Misses Anna and Aurore Ducharme spent Monday at Charley Mentruil's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Champagne spent Saturday evening at the home of Louis St Ives.

Mrs. E. Morinvill is reported quite sick this week. Her many friends hope for an early recovery.

The Misses Alice, Zelia and Anna Quesnell called at Miss Katie McAnulty's school Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Rue, of Red Lake Falls, visited at the homes of Mitchell and Evangelist Quesnell Sunday and Monday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Thomas LaBissionier and Frederick Dubuque visited at the home of O. Robillard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Dubuque took advantage of the nice roads and weather Saturday and drove out here to visit relatives and friends.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills; M. Flanndery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and biliousness." 25c at all druggists.

GOOD SEED.

Experiments Show that it is Unsafe to Plant Light Grain.

The state experiment station has come to the conclusion that three-fourths of the crop of 1904 is not fit for seed purposes.

Experiments made by the state agricultural college shows beyond a doubt the folly of planting attenuated kernels of wheat struck by rust. Dean Liggett, of the state agricultural school, declares that rusted wheat that will not "wheat up" fifty-five pounds to the bushel should be left severely alone. Very little of the wheat crop in the rusted wheat belt will meet the requirement. It is better to go outside of the region effected by rust than take any chances, the crop experts say.

Under the direction of Prof. Snyder, of the state school of agriculture, three samples of rusted wheat were planted three weeks ago. Pots of equal size were used, and the conditions since have been exactly the same since the planting of the grain. In the first, wheat weighing forty pounds to the bushel was planted. In the second, forty-seven pound wheat was used, and in the third wheat weighing fifty-five pounds was employed. While some of the grains in the pots contains the inferior seed germinated and grew, there is a noticeable difference in the vigor of the plants. The stalks in No. 3, grown from the larger, sounder and plumper seeds picked from the samples of rusted wheat furnished by a farmer at the station, are strong and more vigorous than those grown from the other seeds. All came up at about the same time, but after the grain from the better wheat easily outstripped its inferior neighbors.

Dean Liggett declares that the plants in No. 1 would not produce a crop at all except under most favorable circumstances, and even then it would be nowhere equal in quality and quantity to the grain in No. 3.

"Plant none but good wheat as seed this season," should be the slogan of every Minnesota wheat producer this year," said Dean Liggett, in discussing the results of the experiments at the agricultural station. "I do not say absolutely that no rusted wheat should be used, but if it is planted, I urge upon our farmers a very careful fanning and cleaing process. This should be so thorough that no wheat that will not come up to the fifty-five pounds to the bushel should be planted by our farmers."

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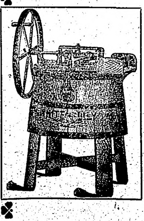

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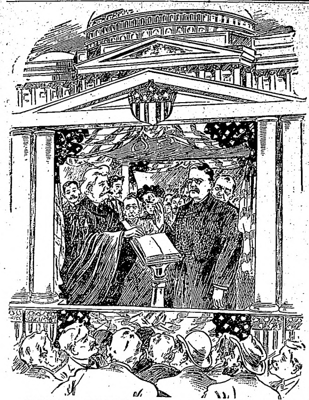

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT TAKING THE OATH OF OFFICE.

MRS. STANFORD SUDDENLY DIES

WIDOW OF LATE UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA EXPIRES IN HONOLULU.

Indication at First That She Had Been Poisoned Gives Way to Belief That Her Death Was Due to Natural Causes.

Honolulu, March 2.—Mrs. Jane Lathrop Stanford, of San Francisco, widow of United States Senator Leland Stanford, died at 11:40 o'clock Tuesday night, 40 minutes after she was taken ill, at the Moana hotel here, under suspicious circumstances, pointing, in the opinion of the physicians who attended her in her dying hour, and seemingly in that of the others, to poisoning by the administration of strychnine in a vial of bicarbonate of soda.

Mrs. Stanford, when found by a guest of the hotel, who had heard her groaning in her agony and suffering from convulsions, declared: "I have been poisoned," and her last words were: "This is a horrible death to die."

The physicians say that between convulsions Mrs. Stanford repeated the assertion that she had been poisoned, and said it was the second time the attempt had been made, the first time being in January, at her San Francisco home, and that it was this attempt that caused her to come to Honolulu.

Strychnine Found.

San Francisco, March 3.—The receipt on Thursday by the acting chief of police of a cablegram from High Sheriff Henry, of Honolulu, stating that there were no less than 662 grains of strychnine in the bottle of bicarbonate of soda from which Mrs. Jane Stanford took a dose shortly before her death has aroused the detective force of this city, and every effort is being made to discover who placed the poison in the medicine. The police believe that the bi-carbonate of soda and the strychnine were purchased here and secretly dropped into the bottle by a person connected with the Stanford household.

Dr. W. G. Stevens, a medical expert, makes this positive statement: "Six hundred and sixty-two grains of strychnine easily would kill 622 persons. The maximum dose administered is only one-fifteenth of a grain, while the average is one-fortieth of a grain."

No Motive Known.

Not one motive can be ascribed for the supposed murder of Mrs. Stanford, but her sudden death came after she had appeared in perfect health and following an equally mysterious poisoning of the philanthropist in her San Francisco palace.

No Poison Found.

Honolulu, March 6.—High Sheriff Henry declared positively that so far there had not been discovered any trace of strychnine either in the stomach or medicine of Mrs. Jane L. Stanford. Sheriff Henry further said that he had questioned Drs. Shorey and Duncan regarding the progress of their experiments and had been informed by them that they had found no trace of strychnine. This statement tends to confirm the theory of many relatives and friends that Mrs. Stanford was not poisoned, but died from natural causes, yet believed herself the victim of a plot. The inquest may establish more clearly that the aged woman was the victim of hallucination.

Reindicted for Iroquois Horror.

Chicago, March 6.—Will J. Davis, manager of the Illinois theater, Building Commissioner George Williams and Building Inspector William Laughlin were reindicted Saturday in connection with the Iroquois theater fire, which cost nearly 600 lives. Davis is charged with involuntary manslaughter and the others with neglect of official duty.

ADJOURNMENT OF CONGRESS

For the First Time in Many years Body Completes Work with Time to Spare.

Washington, March 4.—The Fifty-eight congress was declared adjourned sine die at noon to-day. Instead of the all-night sessions that were freely predicted congress had time to spare for the closing business of the session. Contrary to expectations, an entirely satisfactory agrement on the river and harbor bill, the last of the supply measures to receive final consideration, was reached after a brief conference Friday night, and before midnight both houses had dissolved to meet at ten a. m. to close out the session's business. It has been many years since congress finished business with so much time to spare and with none of the great supply measures still in dispute. Usually some agreements are not reached until the morning of March 4.

The statehood bill died at 9:30 o'clock Friday night. At that time the conferees on the bill parted, not to meet again during the Fifty-eight congress. There was persistent effort on the part of the senate conferees to get a disagreement reported to the two houses, but the house conferees made the positive declaration that no disagreement report would be signed.

DISASTROUS WRECK.

Excursion Trains Collide Near Pittsburg—Seven Killed—Many Injured.

Pittsburg, March 4.—Seven persons were killed and probably 50 injured in a terrific rear-end collision on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad at Clifton Station, eight miles from this city, at 7:05 o'clock Friday evening. One special, containing a battalion of the Ohio national guard, with ladies and officers, en route to the inaugural ceremonies at Washington, stopped on account of a hot box. Before a flagman could be sent back a special following, containing the members of the Tippecanoe club, their wives, sisters and sweethearts, crashed into the first train. The second train was running about 50 miles an hour and the impact was terrific. The locomotive plowed right through the rear Pullman and into the forward cars, leaving death and terrible injury in its wake. While the cries of the injured and dying rent the air, the wreck took fire and three of the cars of the first train and two of the second were consumed.

DIES ABROAD.

Ex-Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, Expires in a Monte Carlo Hotel.

Monte Carlo, March 3.—Former United States Senator Edward O. Wolcott, of Colorado, died at the Hotel de Paris Wednesday night. His brother and Dr. Guigliumetti alone were present. When Mr. Wolcott arrived at Monte Carlo, at the beginning of February, he looked strong and well, and there was nothing to lead to the belief that he was ailing. Several days later he fell ill, and became worse last week. The body is to be conveyed to Paris for cremation at Pere la Chaise on Monday. The ashes will be forwarded on Tuesday or Wednesday to Havre, and thence transported to New York.

Guilty of Girl's Murder.

Des Moines, Ia., March 6.—Charles Thomas, accused of the murder of Mabel Scofield, was Saturday found guilty after one of the most sensational trials of the crime annals of Iowa.

Eight Hundred Were Nilled.

Berlin, March 4.—The Lokal Anzeiger's Baku correspondent gives the number killed in the riots between Armenians and Tartars as 800.

Four Senators Expelled.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 28.—Senators Emmons, Bunkers, Wright and French were expelled from the senate Monday for receiving bribes.

CRISIS DUE IN AWFUL CONFLICT

MUKDEN BATTLE, GREATEST OF MODERN TIMES, IS NEARING ITS END.

GIGANTIC ARMIES LOCKED IN DEATH STRUGGLE

Military Critics Believe That Overwhelming Disaster Threatens One Side or the Other — Oyama's Strategy Apparent.

St. Petersburg, March 7. — The result of the greatest battle of modern times is expected to be determined within the course of a day or two. Two of the largest armies of recent times, both in men and guns, are now locked in a death struggle, and although Gen. Kuropatkin has evidently made every preparation to cover his retreat by removing his accumulated stores and munitions northward it is now the opinion of military men here that one side or the other cannot escape an overwhelming disaster.

With both wings bent backward Kuropatkin's position appears to be desperate, but the issue is still in the balance. News of a victory for him is only regarded as possible by his breaking through the enveloping lines and news of a concentrated offensive is hourly awaited. Unless Kuropatkin can strike and strike hard it is realized that he must lose.

Oyama's Plan Revealed.

Field Marshal Oyama's strategy in this battle is now clear. He startled and amazed the war office by the marvelous daring of Gen. Kuroki's advance against the extreme Russian left and the series of blows delivered at the center, where no less than 13 separate attacks have been launched by the imperial guards ten miles east of Poutiloff hill. But it is now realized that the heavy blows at the left were intended to mask the real turning movement which came like a bolt from a clear sky out of the west. Kuropatkin fell into the trap.

The situation seemed an exact duplicate of that at Liaoyang and the Russian commander in chief hastened to mass forces to meet Kuroki. Friday the whole situation was suddenly reversed when, with lightning rapidity, the Japanese turning operation began on the plain between the Hun and Liao rivers. In order to succeed Oyama threw the neutrality of China to the winds. Gen. Nogi with his Port Arthur veterans moved up the right bank of the Hun and fell like an avalanche upon the weakened Russian right, doubling it back in confusion, the Japanese advance being coordinated with the advance straight from the west of a Japanese column of 40,000 men which circled around or through Chinese neutral territory.

Kuropatkin Surprised.

Although rumors of the presence of the latter column westward of Mukden were circulated as long ago as Tuesday Kuropatkin evidently was taken by surprise, possibly refusing to believe that the Japanese would thus openly fling Chinese neutrality to the winds. At any rate it was not until Saturday night that he was able to shift sufficient reinforcements west to stem the tide when the Japanese were within sight of Mukden.

But the latest advices are to the effect that the Japanese, exhausted by their tremendous efforts, have everywhere stopped, and now if ever Kuropatkin's hour has come. The Japanese lines are extended over 60 miles, while Kuropatkin's are constantly contracting. Besides he has the advantage for the offensive of operating in the interior of his lines. Military critics declare Oyama has not great enough superiority to take risks.

According to the war office Oyama has not over 70,000 men in excess of Kuropatkin, whose forces total about 340,000. Should Oyama succeed the critics declare that he will prove himself to be a master of military science and establish a reputation for military genius of the first magnitude. But unless he can completely crush Kuropatkin's right, they say, Oyama is in imminent danger of having his left cut off and destroyed. Kuropatkin's chance, the war office says, is an opportune offensive, as passive resistance would be fatal.

Losses Already Enormous.

Gen. Kuropatkin has launched a blow at Field Marshal Oyama's left center just west of the railroad. The fighting is desperate along almost the entire line. Kuropatkin's losses in killed and wounded up to Sunday night are placed at 23,500. Oyama is believed to have already lost fully 40,000 men. The Japanese army, according to the prisoners, is greatly exhausted. They repeat the statement that some of Gen. Nogi's men have not had any food for two days.

Russians Routed.

Gen. Oku's Headquarters in the Field, March 4 via Fusan (delayed in transmission).—Since last (Friday) night the Japanese left, which is now extending north and south, has advanced several miles. The Russians are retreating in great disorder. The Japanese extreme left is now 15 miles northwest of Mukden and is advancing rapidly. The escape of the main Russian forces seems impossible. It is already estimated that the Russians have lost over 10,000 men. The Russians are throwing away their arms and clothing in order to facilitate their escape.

Oyama's Steady Advance.

Tokio, March .—Field Marshal Oyama is continuing his great drives around both flanks of the Rusisan army. His front is now a huge bow, the base on the Shakhe river

THE TERM "IDIOT."

In the Original Greek It Simply Meant a Private Person.

The word idiot is itself of interesting history. Its primary Greek significance was that of a private as distinguished from a public person. Our words idiom, idiosyncrasy, etc., are from the same root. The idiot in Greek was simply one not engaged in public affairs. The beginnings of the degradation of the word are shown in its application soon to the common people as distinguished from the upper classes. It was then applied to unprofessional and lay people and soon became the slurring title of the unskillful and awkward. By slow degrees it became applicable to the stupid and at last to the imbecile and idiot. As late as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the word was still used in its earlier senses. This long sad history speaks indirectly of the pathetic history of the imbecile. If he was not killed or starved to death by neglect, etc., he was usually reduced to the condition of a beast either about the house or fields or was actually driven into the woods and forced to live in caves, among wild animals, etc. In 1790 Itard took a "wild boy" found in the forests of Aveyron and tried to teach him. The ability of the wild boys and wolf children to live and the number that did so shows that idiocy, as we have later learned, is of all degrees and that a mind may be variously defective in some ways, even idiotic, but in others with capabilities well preserved. Blind Tom, the pianist, and the large number of mathematic idiots are examples that show how far we are from understanding the real nature of idiocy, and they more than suggest the partial retention of sound mentality of the defective, the possibility of seizing upon the one or few normal or even highly developed faculties and perhaps bringing others into co-ordination with them and to normality. The court fools and jesters of the olden times were often such partial idiots and defectives, and they truly lived upon their "wits," which were often better than those of their masters.—American Medicine.

THE VALUE OF EXAMPLE.

To have your child truthful, be truthful.

To have him temperate, be temperate in all things.

To have him kind to others, be yourself kind to others.

Prescribe healthful amusements and so far as you can take part in them.

Prove to him by your life that a good name is to be chosen before great riches.

Teach him that riches are not to be despised, but should never be got by doing harm to others; that when acquired should be treated as a trust, not as a hoard.

To have him honest, present to him in yourself a living example of honesty. The chief part of a child's knowledge comes through observation. Acts mean more to him than speech.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A Demonstration.

Tommy and his little brother had been playing together most peacefully for some time when suddenly the baby gave a howl, followed by a series of shrieks. The mother rushed in and, while soothing the crying child, sought to find out what had hurt him. Tommy resisted her cross examination for a time, but finally admitted that he was guilty.

"What did you do to him?" she asked.

"I stuck him with a safety pin."

"What in the world did you do that for?"

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Newport News, Va., July 22, 1903.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, March 2, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, March 2nd 1905

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Berry, sawing wood	$ 4 40
O. Lacoursiere, street work	1 50
Eli Mayhew, do	3 00
John Deforge do	11 55
King & Chase, city printing	2 87
A. P. Toupin, cord of wood	7 00
Joseph Salley, coal	14 35
M. A. Hatten, salary as Alderman	8 25
John Deforge, sixty cords of stone	300 00

The application of Wm. H. Krueger for liquor license was on motion duly granted.

Borchers, Hennemuth, Crompe and Brady were appointed a committee to purchase a gasoline engine.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hatten which was seconded by Alderman Crompe.

Resolved that the petition of A. O. Sindorf and Joseph Helm as trustees of the church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, asking the city council to proceed towards vacating certain streets and alleys in the city of Red Lake Falls to wit:

Twenty feet of Main street between fourth street and fifth street in E. & O. Buse's addition which twenty feet is next abjacent to the west line of block one (1) also to vacate the alley in said block one (1) in said E. & O. Buse's addition all in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn., be filed of record with the city clerk, and ordered that the council meet at the city hall of the said city of Red Lake Falls, on the 13th day of April 1904 at 8 o'clock p. m. to hear and consider said petition and that the city clerk cause notice of the filing of said petition and the said time and place of hearing be published in the official papers of the city for four weeks at least once each week the first publication to be March 16, 1905.

Upon roll called the following aldermen voted aye.

Borchers, Hatten, Crompe and Brady.

Nays, None.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

M. A. Hatten tendered his resignation as alderman of the city, and on motion duly carried the resignation was duly accepted.

On motion meeting adjourned.

President.

Approved this 8th day of March, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY,
Mayor.

Attest.
A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

J. St Kotschafer was here from Red Lake Falls on Wednesday looking after some collections.

Ole J. Johnson went to Red Lake Falls on Tuesday evening to preside over a special meeting of the county board which convened there on Wednesday.

Miss Ida Poessel returned last Saturday after three weeks visiting at her home in Red Lake Falls.

John Padden was out from Red Lake Falls on Wednesday with some prospective purchasers for some of Marcus Johnson's land in this vicinity.

Martin Johnson went to Fertile on Saturday night for an over Sunday visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bourdon were out from Red Lake Falls on Monday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Fritz and Otto Zaiser were among the number who came out from Red Lake Falls to attend the dance on Wednesday evening.

J. E. Buskirk returned on Wednesday from Red Lake Falls where he had been confined to his home for some days with a bad attack of the grippe.

Roy Green was in from Equality to take in the dance on Wednesday evening.

J. J. Alrick came over from McIntosh on Monday to take a position as assistant in the Bovey Shute Lumber Co's yard here.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Short called on friends here Friday while on their way home to Equality from a business trip to Red Lake Falls.

Sheriff Linnihan and John Grady were out from Red Lake Falls last night. The Sheriff was engaged in serving subpoenas on jurors for the coming term of the district court which opens at Red Lake Falls on the 27th inst.

Con Short left last evening for Alaska and will be absent for about six months during which time he will work his mining claims along the Dominion Creek. Mr. Short has successfully operated these mines during the summer months for about ten years spending his winters at home on his fine farm in Equality township.

ST. HILAIRE.

[From the Spectator.]

R. H. Duntley was a county seat visitor last Monday.

Frank A. Grady the Red Lake Falls attorney was a visitor here last week.

Prof. A. Onstad, of Red Lake Falls, was here Monday evening giving instructions to the band.

Ed. H. Chase, of the Red Lake Falls Courier, was here on last Thursday bound for St. Paul where he will meet his family.

W. A. Arthur went out to look over his claim on the reservation last Tuesday. He says it is still there and all above water.

A. M. Edstrom returned from Canon Falls last Wednesday, where he had been to attend the funeral of Nels G. Otterness, which occurred on Monday.

G. B. Grace was down to Red Lake Falls last Saturday and left a good-sized check with the county treasurer for the lumber company's personal property taxes.

Dr. V. Pleth, of Crookston, has been up here a couple of times the past week on professional business.

Ole Opperud has tendered his resignation as treasurer of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Ed. A. Aubol will probably be his successor.

Julius Pleth and wife came over from Plummer last Tuesday and have been spending the week here. Mr. Pleth has been assisting in straightening the affairs of Nels G. Otterness, and Mrs. Pleth has been visiting her many friends here.

The planer in the sawmill closed down Wednesday and will not resume again until Monday. Lack of orders is the cause.

Women's Kidneys.

Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculair to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, headaches, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

THE VALUE OF OPALS.

It Mainly Depends on the Colors Shown In the Stones.

Veins of opals are usually met with in soft formations where nothing above ground indicates their presence. The search for them, therefore, often requires considerable time. But it is not extremely difficult, for opals are generally found near the surface. Indeed, it was thought for a long time that they were not to be found as deep as twelve feet below the surface. This opinion has, however, given way in the light of evidence, because opals of great value have been discovered at a depth of fifty feet.

The value of opals depends upon several considerations, of which the principal one is the color. It is important that they should be bright and not present streaks or spots alternating with uncolored substance. The most valuable are those which have red fires or mixtures of red and yellow, blue and green. Opals of a single tint are of little value unless the tint is particularly striking and the figure beautiful. Indeed one of the essential qualities of the opal is the arrangement of the figure, which sets off strikingly the hue of the stone.

When the figure is quite regular and distinct it is the more valuable, much less so when the grain is quite small and irregular. Sometimes the color appears as a single blaze or with figures regularly spaced. It may then be of a fine ruby red and is much sought after, but oftenest the uniform tint is only green or reddish and has but little brilliancy.

The cutting is very important for the opal. Thus a thick stone will be much less beautiful than a thin stone, which, on losing part of its volume, loses also the figure. The foundation tint contributes much to the beauty. It ought to be transparent, slightly milky and harmonize fully with the different reflections of the opal, which, when it is really beautiful, presents a variety of hues infinitely pleasing to the eye.—Jewelers' Circular-Weekly.

HE HATED MUSEUMS.

Thoreau Catalogued Them as the Catacombs of Nature.

I hate museums. There is nothing so weighs upon my spirits. They are the catacombs of nature. One green bud of spring, one willow catkin, one faint thrill from a migrating sparrow, would set the world on its legs again. The life that is in a single green weed is of more worth than all this death. They are dead nature collected by dead men. I know not whether I muse most at the bodies stuffed with cotton and sawdust or those stuffed with bowels and fleshy fiber outside the cases.

Where is the proper herbarium, the true cabinet of shells and museum of skeletons, but in the meadow where the flower bloomed, by the seaside where the tide cast up the fish, and on the hills and in the valleys where the beast laid down its life and the skeleton of the traveler reposes on the grass? What right have mortals to parade these things on their legs again, with their wires, and, when heaven has decreed that they shall return to dust again, to return them to sawdust? Would you have a dried specimen of a world or a pickled one?

Embalming is a sin against heaven and earth—against heaven, who has recalled the soul and set free the servile elements, and against the earth, which is thus robbed of her dust. I have had my right perceiving senses so disturbed in these haunts as to mistake a veritable living man for a stuffed specimen and surveyed him with dumb wonder as the strangest of the whole collection, for the strangest is that which, being in many particulars most like, is in some essential particular most unlike.—Thoreau's Journal in Atlantic.

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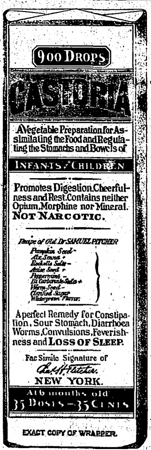

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ACCORDING to the report of Commissioner Garfield the beef trust has actually been losing money. Maybe the stock-raiser and laboring man have been getting all of the profits.

SOME of the southern papers refuse to believe that we have been seeding in Red River valley. They're jealous. and afraid we're going into the orange and banana business next.

THE Adrian Democrat advises us that "there is no truth in the rumor that the members of the Minnesota members of the Minnesota legislature repeat the Lord's prayer in chorus at the opening session every day."

As a matter of political history it is interesting to note that in the Republican state convention of 1888, T. B. Clement, the Fairbault bank defaulter, received eight votes for nomination for governor, and 1881 he had 28 votes for the same office.

A BILL has been introduced in the legislature prohibiting the retailing of cigarettes or cigarette papers in the state of Minnesota. We have never believed in sumptuary laws, but here is one that would do way with a prevalent evil, and it ought to pass.

BEFORE a legislative investigating committee the supply men admit that they expect a large profit on goods sold to the state than when dealing with a private individual. It is imfortunately true that most people consider federal, state, county or city government legitimate prey.

THE bill appropriating $40,000 for a Minnesota exhibit at the Portland show will probably be considerably pruned by the legislature. It's all right to advertise, but the exposition and fairs have been pretty numerous during the past few years and it is question whether we have had value received for the lavish expenditures.

THE law-making bodies of the United States are slow in heeding to the demands of the people. Probably nineteen-twentieths voters believe in the election of the United States senators by popular vote, and yet this reform is only a remote possibility—it will not become an actuality with the next twenty-five years.

EDITOR VERITY of the Wadena Tribune, who holds a $10 legislative sinecure, is very bitter in his attack upon well-know Minnesota men. The latest to fall under the ban is H. J. Miller of the Luverne Herald. Verity is a bright fellow, but he altogether too jealous in serving his masters, and he cannot regain his lost political prestige by carping criticism of good men.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT is now president in his own right, and he wants the people to "look out." The people have a great deal of confidence in the president's integrity and aggressiveness, but a few more reports like that of Jimmy Garfield on the beef trust will force them to question his enthusiasm on the trust-busting proposition.

THE most conspicous candidate for governor on the Republican ticket around the state capitol is Peter E. Hanson, secretary of state. Mr. Hanson figures that he comes from the right section of the state, is of the right nationality, and has several times shown his ability as a vote-getter. Mr. Hanson may be lacking in some of other requisites of a first-class executive, but as these have often been minor considerations with state conventions. he may at the present time be termed the "leading candidate."

CORPORATIONS are prohibited from contributing to political campaign funds in any manner, by a bill introduced in the house by Representative J. H. Dorsey of Glencoe. The bill prohibits corporations from contributing funds or any other thing of value to any political campaign committee or to any person to aid in the political canvass for the election to office of any person. The broad wording of the bill would prohibit railroads from furnishing campaign committees with transportation for campaign speakers or workers. Officers, stockholders, agents or employes of corporations violating the act are to be guilty of felony, punishable by a fine of $1,000 or imprisonment for one year, or both.

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We know what all good doctors think of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor and find out. He will tell

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One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Gently laxative.

A PERIL TO THE REPUBLIC.

A Wall street banker, who is said to be the head of the largest financial institution of New York, is credited with the statement that the fortune of John D. Rockefeller will in a few years amount to $1,000,000,000, says the St. Cloud Times. There are many estimates current of Mr. Rockefeller's wealth, estimates ranging all the way from $400,000,000 to $600,000,000, but the Wall street authorities add that all estimates of the Rockefeller fortune have been too low. Years ago, Mr. Gladstone was a guests at a dinner in England where the oldest member of the Vanberbilt family was also present. Somebody whispered to the English premier that the rich American had $100,000,000, and Mr. Gladstone commented after looking curiously at Mr. Vanderbilt: "Then I should say that he constitutes a peril to the American republic."

Just Among Ourselves

Edited by the New Boss and an Ax

"Did I show him?" Ask Happy.

You can't help the world with a scowl.

Shyness in maidens fair has long been a darling of the poets.

Milliners are busy making straw hats and dressmakers are engaged in building thin flocks.

Remember that a little learning is not a dangerous thing unless it gives you a swelled head.

A man is not going to get a crown of righteousness just because he gives some poor fellow his old straw hat in the winter time.

Women are generally better than men, but when they forget to be good they forget so hard that they usually go to the bottom of the pit.

One of our bachelors told us that he found out a couple of weeks ago that carving a turkey was just like courting his girl—he was sure to get both of them into his lap before he got through.

One of Red Lake Falls fair women was scolding her husband for not going to church and trying to be good. "Oh, I don't know that I care to be an angel," said he, "I would have trouble getting my clothes on over my wings." She suggested that she thought what he needed to be worried about most was how he would get his hat on over his horns.

He was from Thief River Falls and didn't know that in cities the church bells ring at 6 o'clock a. m. While peacefully sleeping at the Grand View hotel the other morning he was awakened by the bells of our city. Noticing it was not yet day he came to the conclusion there must be a big fire in town, and the speed he displayed in getting dressed and reaching the office was a caution. Needless to say he returned to bed a disgusted but wiser man.

Did you ever ride in one of those Great Northern "dinky" cabooses? If you haven't just take our advice and don't try the experiment. We came down from St. Hilaire the other day in one, and we promise never to miss the passenger train again. By actual count that caboose was on the rails three times during our ride. The balance of the trip was taken up in exploring the country outside of the right-of-way. It was an exciting trip but its too hard on the nerves and entirely unfits one for business for several days. No siree, we will walk next time.

Say, you folks ought to go down and see John King in that new office he occupies. Blamest place for a country editor we ever saw. Got carpets a foot thick on the floor, and you have to spit in cuspidors. You bet, and you have got to rap when you land at his private office. We didn't know that and bolted right in. Say, we caught John off his guard. He had his coat off, his feet upon the mahogany desk and was smoking one of "Plank's" best. He was looking off here to the northwest and dreaming of heavy editorials. He was powerful glad to see someone from home and asked more questions in a minute than we could answer in an hour. His is a great shebang, Books galore—55,000 of them. We didn't count them but John said they were there. He's in an aristocratic neighborhood to. The Supreme Court room adjoins his suite of rooms and that's the reason he has to look so pious all the time. Well, its a great joint anyway, and if you want one of the best times of your life just go down and look him up. He will do the rest.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Ada will vote on license.

Base ball is on at Bagley.

Bemidji is to have a pulp mill.

Bridgie is happy over a new large saw mill.

Brainard citizens are making an effort to secure a brick yard.

Morrison county's road and bridgefund amount to $5,000 a year.

The Gem saloon at Blackduck was distroyed by fire last week. The loss is $1,800.

Sanator Clapp has a crocodile on his hands. A Perham gentleman gave it to him.

Thief River Falls is minus a fire department, the fire boys throwing up the sponge and disbanding last week.

Clearwater county papers are scraping over the proposed bond issue of that county for court house purposes.

A Fertile miller lost a valuable diamond ring in a big batch of flour he was preparing for shipment. Maybe he was unfortinate—and maby he is just a clever advertiser.

According to Mr. Higgins, the lumberjacks' sky pilot, services were held every two weeks in fifty lumber camps in the state, and five tons of reading matter was distributed in the camps during the winter.

Henry Falk, living over in Baltrami county, recently received $145 from a black fox hide. A perfect pelt is worth more, but a bullet hole in this hide somewhat spoiled it. This is the second black fox that has been killed in that vicinity the past year and others have been seen. Several of the silver-gray variety has been seen but none captured.

J. R. Branson, living in Battle River township, Baltrami county, took up a homestead four years ago, giving up a valuable law practice in Minneapolis to become a tiller of the soil. During the time he has been in the northern country he has explored the entire northern part of Baltrami and Itasca counties and has spent months in the willderness with ou tseeing a living person.

Bemidji is threatened with genuine hydrohobia epidemic. The local police the last week has been kept unusally busy guarding against the attacks of mad dogs upon people on the streets and there has been at least a dozen dogs afflicted with the disease dispatched in the past seven days. At the present time it is hardly safe to walk the streets, especially where the canines are numerious.

It is said the warm weather of late greatly retards logging operations in Northern Minnesota. The weather the last three weeks has been anything but satisfactory to loggers. Already the roads are in almost an impassible condition, and are likely to become worse. Loggers who have not yet completed their hauling will experiencco considerable trouble unless the weather man sonds snow and cold weather.

Some time ago Nels. Halvorson an aged hermit living in a small log cabin near Glenwood, died suddenly. At that time no relatives could be found and Halvorson himself declared before his death he had none. Later on, however, when a considerable amount of money and valuable papers were found in his cabin by the authorities, "relatives" begun to appear. The latest is a woman who thinks Halvorson was her long lost father. She may be given an opportunity to prove her case in court.

FEMALE WEAKNESS IS USUALLY PELVIC CATARRH.

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Miss Muriel Armitage

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Listen to What Dr. Hartman Proposes to Do for You Without Charge.

Doubtless hundreds of thousands of women all over the United States have seen Dr. Hartman's offer in the papers—how he has undertaken to treat every woman suffering with any form of female disease who will write to him, free of charge.

To those who have not heard of this it may be said that Dr. Hartman is a physician and surgeon of great renown in medical circles, especially in the treatment of those diseases which women alone have to bear.

He has arranged to answer all letters that are sent to him from women troubled with any form of female weakness, free of charge, giving the benefit of knowledge which has cost him forty years to accumulate.

The medicines he prescribes are within the reach of any woman, and she can get them at any drug store.

All she is required to do is to send her name and address, together with her symptoms, duration of sickness and age.

Address Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Senator Roach, of Larimore, N. Dak.; Mrs. Senator Warren, of Cheyenne, Wyo.; Belva Lockwood and Mrs. General Longstreet, of Washington, D. C., are among the prominent ladies who indorse Peruna.

Miss Helen Rolof, Kaukauna, Wis., writes:

"Several times during the past two years or more my system has been greatly in need of a tonic, and at those times Peruna has been of great help in building up the system, restoring my appetite and securing restful sleep."—Helen Rolof.

Miss Muriel Armitage, 36 Greenwood Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Organizer of the Royal Templars of Temperance, writes as follows:

"I suffered for five years with uterine irregularities, which brought on hysteria and made me a physical wreck. I tried doctors from the different schools of medicine, but without any perceptible change in my condition. In my despair I called on an old nurse, who advised me to try Peruna, and promised good results if I would persist and take it regularly. I kept this up for six months, and steadily gained strength and health, and when I had used fifteen bottles I considered myself entirely cured. I am a grateful, happy woman to-day."—Miss Muriel Armitage.

Miss Lucy M. Riley, 83 Davenport St., Cleveland, Ohio, writes:

"I wish to add my indorsement to thousands of other women who have been cured through the use of Peruna. I suffered for five years with severe backache, and when weary or worried in the least I had prolonged headache. I am now in perfect health, enjoy life and have neither an ache or pain, thanks to Peruna."—Lucy M. Riley.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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Death rate in Chicago and New York.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Brain Leaks.

The joys of tomorrow must be earned today.

Self-help does not necessarily mean selfish help.

Man made money is better than a money made man.

The crosses we elect to bear are not the crosses that win the brightest crowns.

It is possible to borrow and be the gainer by the interest. A good book, for instance.

Speaking of investments, what brings greater returns then a word of cheer spoken at the right time?

The man who takes his business troubles home with him seldom has any home enjoyment to lighten his office hours.

After you have put yourself in the other man's place for a short time you may have a reason for changing your place.

Strange how some erroneous ideas cling to the minds of some people. The real poets we have seen look to us like reasonable prosperious business men. The poorest poets we have seen usually affected long hair slouch dress idea we have been taught to associate with poets.

It will bring rich, red blood, firm flesh and muscle. That what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Taken this month, keeps you well all summer. 35 cents, Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

A New Swindle.

An ingenious fraud was revealed to the postoffice authorities recently. The swindlers have their headquarters in the twin cities.

The plan is to secure the names of old persons as soon as they die and then send a letter and a pair of spectacles by mail to the address of the dead person. The letter says that the spectacles have been forwarded as per order and the bill is $7. The sentiment of the situation immediately appeals to the dead one's relatives. They look upon the spectacles as a memento of the dead, something ordered and never worn. The package is paid for and kept as a remembrance. The spectacles are worth about 75 cents.

Boat Race Across Mediterranean.

An auto-boat race across the Mediterranean has awakened a great deal of enthusiasm among sportsmen. This trip will serve as an example for those who are to enter the race across the Atlantic for which there will be a first prize of $10,000. The test of speed and cleverness of piloting. If you find your health wanting in any test put upon it, try golden grain belt beer. It makes good nerves and quick strength. You can't afford to be without it any more then your neighbors can. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

Dr. Hall's Don'ts.

Dr. Hall, the city health officer of Minneapolis, states that the present mild weather is ideal weather for the developement of pneumonia, and has issued the following calendar of "dont's" for everybody:

Don't leave off your winter coats and wraps.

Don't discard your mufflers.

Don't leave off your rubbers.

Don't go out bare-headed.

Don't stand around long on the corners.

Don't put on light clothing.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway in connection with the C. R. I. & P. Railroad will run a through tourist sleeping car every week to San Francisco. Leaving Minneapolis at 8:00 p. m., St. Paul 8:30 p. m., Tuesday via Omaha, Colorado Springs and Ogdon. Arrive San Francisco Saturday 5:20 p. m. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. f28

The Orignal.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

More snow.

Hon. L. C. Simons was here over Sunday.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Mrs. Sam. Allard is reported as being on the sick list.

Land seekers are appearing—another sign of spring.

A. Brouillete has been on the sick list the past two weeks.

Special sale of ribbons at the Big Store. See all the newest.

J. T. Knight has been laid up with stomach trouble the past week.

Mrs. N. J. St. Aubin has been numbered with the sick the past week.

K. O. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, was a county seat visitor one day last week.

Berthon & Armstong announce a cut in raincoats and top coats this week.

A. N. Johnson, of Bagley, was a Red Lake Falls visitor several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marcer, of Brooks, visited Red Lake Falls last Saturday.

W. S. Day, of Thief River Falls, was a business caller at this place yesterday.

A gentleman of color was here last evening giving a one man minstrel show.

A baby boy made the acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Blair, Monday, March 6.

Mrs. Victor Anderson, living on the east side, has been quite sick the past week.

Mrs. H. Douglas, of Thief River Falls, was visiting friends at this place Saturday.

John Eastman, editor of Thief River Falls News, was a county seat visitor Saturday,

The Grange held an enjoyable dancing party Tuesday evening at the M. B. A. hall.

Frank F. Hunt tells of the advantages of the White Lily washing machine in this issue.

Joseph Tommeraas, of Goodhue county, is in the city the guest of his uncle, P. O. Floan.

Miss Elsie Kratka, of Thief River Falls, was a guest of Miss Florence Dautremont over Sunday.

Shirts waist suit silks in endless varieties at the Big Store—fine silks 50c a yard, the best at $1.00.

Miss Kathleen Spillane entertained a number of her young friends Saturday evening at her home.

T. J. Thorkelson and Wm. Eickoff, St. Hilaire citizens, were business visitors at this place last Saturday.

Mrs. Leo Wertenson, of Grand Forks, arrived in the city Monday for a visit with old friends and relatives.

Anthony Quesnell has sold his farm, four miles south of town, and intends to move to Canada in the near future.

Halvor Tvedy, living near Gonwick post office, Polk county, is in the city visiting his old friend, M. O. Sortedahl.

A Crookston man reported seeing a flock of ducks flying northward. The paper does not say what he had been drinking.

I. B. Nicklas, of Sleepy Eye, has been in the city the past week. He is looking over the country with a view of locating here.

The Royal Neighbors will meet tomorrow (Friday) evening at the Odd Fellows hall. All members are requested to be present.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Higinbotham was sick the first of the week but is reported as improving at the present time.

W. H. Scribner, formerly a resident of this place but now living in Northwest Canada, visited old friends here over Sunday.

Women's fashion leaders for spring are Queen Quality shoes, their styles are distinctive and exclusive.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The younger crowd held a dancing party at the K. P. hall last Friday evening in honor of Miss Elsie Kratka, of Thief River Falls.

Pat. Morin accompanied M. A. Hattan's car of household goods to Washington, and may conclude to live in that country hereafter.

H. Kaufer went to Thief River Falls yesterday afternoon. Henry says that new grandson sent word for him to come up and see him.

Most men have "shoe troubles." W. L. Douglas shoes for men are eliminators, giving perfect shoe satisfaction.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The county officers enjoyed a young banquet Monday afternoon. Auditor Ford was the host and the boys say they had a great spread.

Theo. Zaiser has been wrestling with an abcess on his jaw the past few days and has been compelled to remain home. He is on the mend.

Atty. Fred. L. Farley and M. O. Sortedahl expect to drive to Crookston tomorrow morning where they will try a suit in the district court.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert St. Mars has been on the sick list this week. She is rapidly recovering her usual health.

The Busy Store has a new advertisement in this week's paper. If you are looking for bargains it will be to your interest to look up this adv.

Mrs. Henry Kaufer went to Thief River Falls Monday to make the acquaintance of a grandson that recently arrived at the Murphy home.

Parents should buy for their children the Independent School District and the Little Gaint shoes. Warranted in every respect.—The Big Store.

Mrs Jas. Ford entertained her relatives and a few friends Sunday evening at dinner. A most enjoyable time is reported by the members of the party.

We understand there was a fight at Plummer recently over the county seat question. Of course the Red Lake Falls advocate won. We claim first blood.

The Southside Club gave a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dautremont last Thursday evening. A delightful time was enjoyed by those present.

The apron and necktie social at the Presbyterian church parlors Tuesday evening was well attended and a pleasant time was had by those in attendance.

The Kruger building next to the Grand View hotel is being overhauled and put in shape, and will be occupied about March 25th by Wm. Kruger's saloon.

Lost—Between this city and the Nauman home, west of the city, a black fur robe. Finder will kindly leave the same at the Grand View hotel and receive reward.

The Persons confectionery store has been moved into the Blake & Groshon building on the east side of Main street. It will make fine quarters for Mr. Persons.

Dr. E. Argue was at St. Hilaire several days last week on professional business. Mrs. Argue joined him Saturday and remained over Sunday visiting friends.

The year of 1905 is a year full of Sundays. It starts and ends with a Sunday; it has more Sundays than any other week day, and has five months with five Sundays each.

Mrs. Geo. L. Austin, of St. Hilair, was a visitor at this place Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Austin formerly lived here and have numerious friends who will be glad to see them often.

Mrs. M. A. Hennings will entertain the ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church, Wednesday, March 15. A ten cent lunch will be served from 4 to 6 o'clock. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hattan left Wednesday evening for Ceney, Washington, where they intend making their home in the futnre. Their many friends in this city wish them good luck and happiness.

Red Lake Falls township has a new citizen in the person of Samual Handley, who is moving on the northwest quarter of section 32 this week. Mr. Handley and family arrived from Marshall Tuesday.

Robt. Eitel, Rev. B. C. Gillis and T. J. Parker, of Marshall, have been in this section this week looking over the fertile lands of Red Lake county. The gentlemen are in charge of a party of land seekers.

M. O. Sortedahl returned Tuesday from a two week's trip in Otter Tail and Goodhue counties where he was transacting business in the interests of the Sortedalh Land & Loan Co. He sold two farms while on the trip.

Herman Lindner while at work on the ice a few days ago scratched his hand in some manner and as a result blood poison set in. He has been confined to his home for some days but is improving nicely and will soon be about again.

County Attorney Germo was at Crookston the first of the week on business connected with the Lee injunction proceedings. Mr. Germo's motion of a dismissal of the case was granted by Judge Watts. Thus endeth another of Lee's pipe dreams.

Miss Ethel Bourdon gave a party last Saturday evening in honor of Miss Ina Phillips, of Crookston, who was a guest of Bourdon home several days. The evening was a most enjoyable one for the young people. Games were played and a dainty luncheon served.

A. C. Schreiter, of Appleton, Wis., were here the first of the week visiting W. A. Schreiter and family. The couple were returning home from a trip to the coast country where they spent the winter, and took this occasion to visit their brother. They left Tuesday for their Wisconsin home.

The Woodman gave a dance at their hall Monday evening that proved to be one of the social successes of the season. A large number of people were present and a most enjoyable time is reported, The band orchestra furnished the music for the occasion, and it goes without saying it was good.

E. F. Ward General Manager, and A. H. Hogeland, Chief Engineer, of the Great Northern Ry., were here yesterday looking over the improvements being made at this place. One hundred piling and bulwarks will be placed just south of the water tank, and it is expected it will take three or four weeks to do the work.

Miss Iza Tibbitts entertained the "Lusher Burns" and "Merry Crew" clubs last Saturday evening. The evening was spent at cards, Ralph Haely winning the first prize, while Miss Margaret Peble walked away with the booby prize. Dainty refreshments were served and a most pleasant time is reported by the young folks.

At the annual meeting of the ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. N. A. Henning; First vice president, Mrs. F. E. Hunt; Second vice president, Mrs. B. Zaiser; Secretary, Mrs. C. N. Bourdon: Treasurer, Mrs. H. Hennemuth.

Monday at 5 o'clock Father Fayolle at St. Joseph's church pronounced the words that made Thoe. Thibadeau and Miss Rosene Chatel man and wife. In the evening the event was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents by a large number of friends. The COURIER joins the newly married couple's many friends in wishing them much joy and happiness in their new relation.

The following item from a Minneapolis daily relates to the death of a former teacher in the Terrebonne schools: "Ira C. Pickard, manual training teacher at Madison school, died yesterday at St. Barnabas hospital at the age of 29. About four weeks ago he was stricken with paralysis and forced to give up his work. His mother from London, Ont., attended him and the remains have been taken to his former home for interment."

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Rev. K. Bjorgo, president of the Minnesota district of the Norwegian Lutheran Synod of America, residing at Red Wing, will be here next Sunday and will deliver a sermon in the Norwegian church at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Bjorgo is a very able talker and is prominent in the affairs of the Norwegian Lutheran church of this country. All who understand the Norwegian language are cordially invited to attend. Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, will preach in the evening at 7:30.

Members of the Rebeckah and Odd Fellow lodge gave a farewell party to Mr. and Mrs. Hatten, Mr. and Mrs. Sivigny, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schwalen and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Quesnell at the Odd Fellow lodge rooms Tuesday evening. A large number of friends were present to enjoy the evening's amusements and a most delightful time is reported. Cards were the order of the evening and refreshments were served. The parties the occasion was in honor of have hosts of friends in Red Lake Falls who will be loath to have them leave, but all join in wishing them success and happiness in their western home. Messrs. Hatten, Sivigny and Quesnell expect to move soon to Washington. while Mr. and Mrs. Schwalen go to Webster, North Dakota.

Oh, the grip is in the air, have you got it? It is on a grippe tear; have you got it? It has run from rocky Maine to the great Sierrian chain, and then double back again; have you got it? If your nose burns when you sneeze, you have got it; If you're wobble in the knees, yon have got it; If your mouth assumes a tast that can mentally be traced to a slaughter house's waste, you have got it; if your eyes seem dull as lead, you have got it; if they look post-jaggy red, you have got it; if the pan that holds your brain seems to house a mass of pain, and from oaths you cant refrain, you have got it; if your joints are turned to stone, you have got it; if your friends all seem your foes and you wake from out a doze with a bondfire on your nose, you have got it; if your back is filled with pain, you have got it; if you think that life is vain, you have got it; if your stomach's in a plight, and is looking for a fight when your food is flashing in sight, you have got it. But you musen't worry so, 'cause you've got it; there are others, don't ye know, who have got it; you are not the only one keeping doctors on the run, keeping druggists counting [illegible]

When the catalogue comes from your mail order house, draw an easy chair to the table where the light will shine full on the page and put on your glasses that no bargains may escape your eye. What a wonderful book it is to be sure—wonderful for what it does not contain, as well as what it does, We miss some things we would be glad to see. Where is their offer to pay cash or exchange goods for your wheat, oats, corn, beans, butter, eggs or hay? How much do they pay for cattle, sheep and hogs f. o. b. at your depot? How much tax will they pay to support your schools and educate your children? For improving roads and bridges, for the support of the poor of the county; for the expenses of running the business of the township, county or state? On what page is their offer to contribute money to the support of the church? What line of credit will they extend to you when your crops are poor and money gone, when through misfortune or illness you are not able to send "cash with the order" for your groceries, clothing, farm tools and crockery? Where is their offer to contribute to your entertainment next Fourth of July? What did they do last Fourth? In short, will they do anything to provide a market for what you have to sell and thereby keep up the value of your estate? Will they do anything for social, church, school or government support; or do they take vour dollars out of the community with no returns except the goods you buy?—Nora Springs (Ia,) Telephone.

Should Aim High.

In an address before the Y. M. C. A. a few days since, Gov. Johnson gave some good and wholesome advice to young men that should be heeded and appreciated. Among other things the governor said: "You must have a higher aim than to sit around a billiard table, standing upon a sawdust-covered floor, or to sit at a card table and shuffle the read and white chips across the table. I can look back a t times in my life that makes me blush with shame. A man who plays cards for money cannot rise up from the table and feel that he has done a square, honorable thing. The proudest moments in my life were when I went to Sunday school and sang in the church choir, and if my voice were good now, I suppose I would still be singing in the choir."

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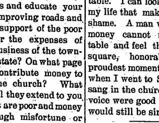

SWEARS TO DEFEND THE CONSTITUTION

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT TAKES THE OATH OF OFFICE AT WASHINGTON.

Begins His Second Term as Chief Magistrate—Scenes at the Inauguration—Fairbanks Inducted Into Office as Vice President.

Washington, March 4.—Theodore Roosevelt, president of the United States for the past three years, was to-day inaugurated for another term to the highest office which it is the privilege of an American citizen to attain. The oath was administered by Chief Justice Fuller. Hardly had the president finished his inaugural address and disappeared within the capitol building than the hush which had fallen upon the spectators when he raised his hand preparatory to taking the oath was broken by the deafening roar of 21 guns in official salute to the executive, just entering upon his second term as president.

Cheered the Troops.

The rendezvousing of the troops, committees and civic societies entertained the crowd throughout the long wait incident to the schedule. The various organizations arriving by different routes, passed into the narrow defiles which the police kept open. As rapidly as the troops arrived they took the positions assigned them. The military escort stretched far to the left and consisted of all branches of the service—horse, foot and artillery. To the right were grouped division after division of state troops, and in different places of honor the other organizations took their stand to await the signal to move.

Shortly after noon, just following the induction into office of Vice President Fairbanks, the monster stand, decorated with plants, flowers, flags and bunting, began to fill with the people who had just finished witnessing the ceremonies in the senate chamber, and scarcely a half hour passed before this coign of vantage was filled to overflowing.

Official Party Arrives.

Several minutes before one o'clock an extra loud burst of cheers from the multitude just in front of the main capitol door called the attention from the brilliant parade of uniforms in the street to the official party, which had just come through the main door. The official entrance was dramatic. All except those who were participating in the ceremony were seated. When the justices of the supreme court, with the exception of Chief Justice Fuller, emerged from between the Corinthian pillars and marched down the sloping carpeted aisle to their station they were greeter with applause. The justices wore their robes and skull-caps. Then came the members of the diplomatic corps, in their gorgeous uniforms, and they evoked thunderous applause. Led by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador and dean of the corps, and followed by the others in order of precedence, they took seats on the right of the stand. Strolling in after them came members of the cabinet, senators and representatives in congress. Following on the heels of the official party came Mrs. Roosevelt and a party of friends; then, but a moment later, the new vice president, Mr. Fairbanks, and his escort arrived and were greeted by tremendous bursts of applause. As soon as Vice President Fairbanks seated himself the cheers ceased, the military presented arms, every hat in the committees came off and the great ocean of people set up a perfect roar of cheers, fairly shouting itself hoarse.

The President Appears.

Quick as a flash every sound was stilled and President Roosevelt, quiet and composed of demeanor, came from between the gigantic pillars, escorted by Chief Justice Fuller. A random burst of cheers came from the front of the crowd, as, with measured tread, in harmony with the dignified step of the chief justice, the president advanced in state down the long aisle of distinguished guests. By this time all were standing and nothing could be heard above the roar of thunderous welcome.

Oath Is Administered.

Chief Justice Fuller stepped to the front of the pavilion constructed especially for the use of the president during the ceremonies, and his clerk came forward bearing a Bible. A hush, followed by absolute silence, fell over the crowd, which but a moment before was cheering itself hoarse. President Roosevelt raised his right hand and took the oath which binds him in supporting the laws and constitution of the United States, with great reverence and amid deep silence. So great was the awe of the assembled multitude that not the semblance of a demonstration followed. Then the president began his inaugural address, and as soon as he had finished and disappeared within the capitol the signal was flashed to the navy yard and the salute of 21 guns told the end of the ceremonies and the initial step of the president's entrance into his second term of office.

Fairbanks Inaugurated.

Second only in importance to the inauguration of the president, on the calendar of events for the day, was the induction of Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, into the office of the vice president of the United States in the senate chamber. The ceremony was brief and simple to the extent of being severe. Immediately following the address and oath of Vice President Fairbanks came the final adjournment of the Fifty-eighth congress and the beginning of the special session.

HANGS IN THE BALANCE.

Fate of Kuropatkin's Army Depends on Result of Fighting at Mukden.

St. Petersburg, March 6.—The fate of Gen. Kuropatkin and his army hangs in the balance, depending on the result of the fighting almost in the outskirts of Mukden. Reports from Japanese sources claim that the Russian right flank, southwest to south of Mukden, and contiguous to the railway, has been completely turned by the Japanese forces under the immediate command of Gen. Oku. To the eastward Gen. Kuroki is directing a vigorous attack with heavy artillery against strongly fortified Russian positions. Gen. Kuropatkin is said to be concentrating a strong force in front of Gens. Kuroki and Nogi. It still seems probable that Gen. Kuropatkin will find it difficult to retire to Tie pass, which appears to be a necessary move. St. Petersburg has word that affairs latterly have taken a turn for the better for Russian arms and the tactics of Field Marshal Oyama in sacrificing many of his soldiers in an attack on impregnable positions on the center as a mere diversion, while the real blows were being struck on the flanks, is criticised by Russian military officers.

A feature of all accounts of the fighting reaching St. Petersburg is the emphasis laid on the awful carnage. There is reference after reference to the dead piled high on the ground over which an attack was delivered, strewing breastworks, almost hiding abatis from sight and even being used by the Japanese to construct hasty entrenchments. The Russian losses on both flanks are conceded to be enormous. Already one of the Russian correspondents places the Russian losses at 30,000 men and those of the Japanese at 40,000.

Estimates of Gen. Kuropatkin's force between Shakie and Tie pass, prepared here, give a total of slightly more than 400,000, composed of 335,000 infantry, 33,000 cavalry and 35,000 artillery, with 1,504 guns.

Berlin, March 6.—A dispatch to the Tageblatt from St. Petersburg says: "Gen. Kuropatkin, in a telegram which arrived here Friday evening, said 260,000 Japanese had broken through the Russian left wing and that it was cut off from the remainder of the army. The Japanese are marching on Mukden. My position is extremely dangerous."

St. Petersburg, March 6.—The advance guard of the Japanese left army was within five and a half miles of Mukden station Saturday, according to a telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin. Japanese captured Suchudzia and Lanschanpa the same day, while their attacks on Putiloff hill and 13 fierce assaults on Kandolesan were repulsed.

FAVORS PACKERS.

Report of Commissioner Garfield on Result of Investigation of Beef Trust.

Washington, March 4.—The president has transmitted to congress the report of Mr. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, on the result of his inquiries into the business of Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Nelson Morris & Co., the National Packing company, the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company, and the Cudahy Packing company. He says these six concerns in 1903 slaughtered about 45 per cent. of the total indicated slaughter in the United States; that for three of the companies in 1903 the average net profit was 99 cents per head; that the year 1902 instead of being one of exorbitant profits was less profitable than usual; that during the months when prices of beef were the highest some at least of the leading packers were actually losing money on every head slaughtered. Mr. Garfield, after reviewing prices and conditions for 1902, 1903 and 1904, concludes that the six companies above named apparently are not overcapitalized and the percentage profit on the gross volume of business is compartively small. He finds that in 1902, 1903 and 1904 the profits of Swift & Co. did not exceed two per cent.. of the total sales. Private car lines are shown to be sources of profit, a net return of 14 to 17 per cent. being indicated.

Commissioner Garfield reports his inability to find any general interownership of stock among the six concerns which he specially discusses, and avers that there is lively competition among them for business.

DYNAMITE KILLS FOUR.

Awful Result of Explosion of the Deadly Stuff in Railroad Camp in Kentucky.

Pikeville, Ky., March 4.—At the railroad camp of A. H. Calligan, a C. & O. contractor, at the mouth of Greasy creek, ten miles south of here, Friday four men were instantly killed, two fatally and four dangerously injured by exploding dynamite. The men were heating dynamite in powder cans when the explosion occurred.

Russia Will Pay.

London, March 4.—The British claims as a result of the North sea incident, as finally submitted to Russia, total $325,000. This amount, it is understood, will be paid in a few days without demur.

To Probe the Oil Trust.

Washington, March 6.—Commissioner James R. Garfield, of the bureau of corporations, has instituted a rigid investigation of the operations of the oil industry in Kansas and contiguous states.

STRONG PLEA FOR HIGH CITIZENSHIP

GOVERNOR JOHNSON OF MINNESOTA CALLS FOR NON-PARTISAN SUPPORT OF PRESIDENT IN HIS FIGHT FOR THE PEOPLE.

BUSINESS AND POLITICAL INTEGRITY ADVOCATED

ADDRESS BEFORE MERCHANTS' CLUB OF CHICAGO ON PROBLEMS THAT CONFRONT AND ARE VITAL TO AMERICAN PUBLIC.

At the banquet of the Merchants' club at Chicago Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota spoke on "Commercial and Political Integrity," dealing largely with the subject of railroad transportation. His speech follows:

Not since the days leading up to the abolition of slavery has there been such a political awakening in city, state and nation as at the present time. For a half century the republic had been lulled to a sense of security and rest. Weary after four years of civil war the nation slumbered in peace. Reconstruction was undertaken and accomplished. The people prospered and the republic grew. The great ship of state drifted on the tide of prosperity. Suddenly, through the mist, officers, crew and passengers heard the warning sound of breakers on the reefs—reefs of political graft, reefs of commercialism, reefs of public control for private ends. On the night of Nov. 8 the order went ringing to the man at the wheel: "Change your course, mind the compass of the Constitution and public conscience; the heartbeat of the people is running this craft."

For the first time in a half century the nation is startled by the news that a political revolution has taken place and that it is without a parallel in American history. The old Bay state, casting its vote for the presidential candidate of one party, elects for its governor a champion of the people, nominated by the opposition party. Missouri elects Folk and then casts its presidential vote for a man of different political complexion. In your own state a champion of human rights is chosen as the chief executive. In my own beloved state the anomaly appears of the people choosing a Democrat as governor in a presidential year, when they give a 100,000 plurality or more to President Theodore Roosevelt.

You ask the cause of these anomalies, of this revolution for independence. There comes the answer, the people are smarting under the lash of real or fancied wrongs. They have arisen in their might to correct the abuses of a system of political and commercial dishonesty which has reached a climax. Wherein lies the dishonesty? For fifty years the people of this nation have been voluntary slaves of a political and partisan system which has been the means of almost wrecking the very foundations of our government.

DEFEAT ENDS OF JUSTICE THROUGH CONGRESS.

Three months ago the voice of the people was lifted for the president of the republic and he was swept into the presidential chair by a tidal wave that was almost equivalent to a unanimous choice. Today the great captains of industry, who did so much to bring about the result, are arrayed in solid phalanx for the control of the national congress to defeat the very ends of justice as he understands them, and as the American people understand them in him. The people stand amazed as they behold the conflict. The press teems with praises for the one and condemnation of the other. In the Middle West and in the Northwest we watch the fight with interest; for our people, controlled for years by unwholesome influences, have awakened to their sense of responsibility. They are engaged in solving the problem of popular control, of realizing good citizenship, decent politics and honest administration, of punishing and preventing criminal interference with the sovereign right of the people to honest government for and by themselves. Their cry for justice and equal rights is not the roar of the anarchist or the wail of the agitator. It is the intelligent and patriotic demand of a sober people too long accustomed to endure a situation as un-American as it is unjust.

But yesterday a prosecuting attorney in the city of St. Louis brought to bay a long line of corrupt officials who had put up the honor and fair name of a state to barter and sale. Your own state legislature has been pictured as a public auction, where the rights of the people are sold as wheat in the pit or options on change. The governor of Indiana brings his state before the court of public opinion with the charge of bribery and corruption. In Minnesota the people arise in revolt to resent the interference of the corporation and of the army of trespassers in the selection of public officials. From everywhere we hear the same story: Privileged interests are in control; legislative bodies are corrupt; executive officials are untrue to the trusts reposed in them.

For years we have deliberately stultified ourselves. The great Northwest, under the lash of the party whip, has subscribed to a tariff doctrine wholly inconsistent with its needs and interests. Candidates for congress, elected on the promise of tariff revision and reform, have gone to the nation's capital to aid the friends of high tariff to revise the schedules upward and still higher on the royal highway of trust paternalism. The Middle West has conceded the right of its commercial competitor, the East, to fix every economic policy of government. It has surrendered to the East the control of congress and centered in the grasp of the great special interests of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania the powers and prerogatives which the Constitution guaranteed to the people, and all the people, as the American bill of rights.

SYSTEM TAKES ALL AND GIVES LITTLE IN RETURN.

The Republican and the Democrat has been equally blind in his partisanship. A splendid example of obedient stupidity was illustrated in the Democracy of the nation bending the pregnant hinges of its knee to the great juggernaut of the East; waiting for the car to pass over its prostrate form and then back up and practically complete the party's annihilation. The Western Republican rejoices over the misfortune of his neighbor, not realizing that in different form he has been equally the victim of the calamity of a political system which has taken all and given him little in return. He, too, for years has been the victim of a conspiracy which has yielded him the rare and gracious privilege of subscribing to his own undoing. He has delighted himself with the thought that he was saving the country; while he was voting faithfully and prayerfully, early and often, year after year, for a party policy of special privilege, devised by Pennsylvania, whose every congressional representative is controlled by the Pennsylvania and Standard Oil; revised by New Jersey, the nursery of trust incorporation, and finally drafted into party platforms and law by New York, where the trust managers live, move and have their places of business.

The public mind is aroused. It is learning its lesson. The process of disillusionment may be slow, but it will be sure. The voter is beginning to realize that there has been too much partisanship and too little intelligence; too much partisanship, too little independence; too much partisanship, too little patriotism; too much politics, too little love of country.

Today the congress of the United States is in the absolute control and domination of a section and the other sections sit supinely by and tolerate the condition. Why should the city of Chicago be the political servant of its great commercial rivals, New York and Philadelphia? The balance of power should rest in that great central empire of our domain, the principal metropolis of which is Chicago. There must evidently, and possibly very soon, be a new political alignment; but even under the old alignment the great center of political power should be close to the population center and industrial center of the nation. It should be in the Mississippi valley instead of the Atlantic coast. The star of political power, following the westward course of population and industrial achievement, will yet rest over the great empire of the interior, with the Father of Waters and the Great Lakes as its outlet to the ocean, and with Chicago as its main depot. New York, with its vice, and New England, with its virtue to balance the ledger, today control the economic policy of the nation. The time has come to transfer the seat of empire across the Adirondacks to Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Missouri and the Dakotas. The best brain and the surest brawn of the nation is found here and it should be organized into one mighty, moral, material and patriotic force to overthrow paternalism and plunder and regenerate politics and the republic.

THE REPUBLIC RESTS ON MEN, NOT MONEY.

As Americans we are proud of the fact that the bank clearings of New York are today one-half greater than those of London and that the cash reserve of the New York clearinghouse banks is double that of the Bank of England. But the location of the countinghouse in Wall street does not justify the transfer of the power of the ballot there. Rather let the ballot follow population and industry. The republic rests on men, not money. This Central West of ours, where the Mississippi flows to the sea, is settled by the best class of inhabitants the world has ever brought together, a people rugged in their honesty, loyal in the love of country, intelligent and progressive and to them must come, sooner or later, that power for good which is the nation's hope.

The great central basin lying between the Adirondacks and the Rockies produces three-fourths of the necessaries and comforts which sustain the nation's life. It contains over half of the working and voting population and more than one-half of the mills and factories and three-fifths of the farms and railways. The internal commerce, the product of the labor and capital of this central empire, is many times

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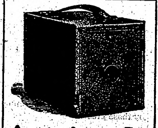

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SUBORNATION TO LAWS NATION'S GRAVEST PERIL.

I am not among those who believe the nation is tottering, but among those who behold grave danger and have faith that this danger will be averted. The greatest peril lies in the obliviousness of the many to the existence of disease and one of contagion and infection. In Shakespeare's time "Foul subornation was dominant." Today it is rampant in almost every state in the Union. It shows itself in legislation and administration, in commerce and finance. Lawson tells us an appalling story of financial chicanery and ruin; good men at the head of vast industries appropriate the money of the people to their own uses. Steffins tells us of municipal corruption that makes the story of Nero and Rome seem cheap. And all this time the man of affairs will allow "business interests" to corrupt men in places of authority, while he shudders and stands aghast at the wrongdoing of an ordinary criminal. We boast today of a commercial reign unequaled in the world's history. It almost equals the Bourbon splendor which preceded the French revolution and which Carlyle designated as the rainbow over Niagara. It may be that our era of commercial splendor is but a rainbow over our own Niagara. In this city are scores of multimillionaires. In it are 100,000 who cloy the hungry edge of appetite by the bare imagination of a feast. Not all this is due to our political or commercial system, but in a measure to lack of personal effort. But there is much on which the hungry can predicate his complaint. Our political system and our commercial system are out of tune. The tendency of the great to crush the small, with the indifference of the elephant to the worm, is too common.

False capitalization is one of the great causes that has brought a shock to the faith of the people. Watered stock is the mirage in the desert of our commercial life. The billion dollar steel trust, quoted at 75 cents on the dollar today and at 8 cents tomorrow, typifies the class. Watered stock has become a common phase of legalized larceny. If the mad race is to stop before the runner falls corporate business must be reorganized on a rational basis. No corporation should be permitted by law to issue a share of stock that does not stand for paid in cash and certified to by state examination. Every dollar invested in a commercial enterprise should earn a fair profit and every investor is entitled to a fair rate of interest on his investment. But it is not entitled to a rate of interest and profit on stock which has no capital basis. Public service corporations, railway corporations and other corporations fix a charge altogether out of proportion to the investment.

PROFITS COLLECTED ON WATERED CAPITALIZATION.

I have in mind an electric railway company with 250 miles of track, and with an equipment to correspond, which earns 5 to 7 per cent interest and dividends on stocks and bonds amounting to $30,000,000. If it cost to equip and build the road as high as $30,000 per mile, or a total of $7,500,000, we have a corporation charging the public and collecting profits on an inflation or franchise value four times actual cost. This practice is common to steam railway companies in too great a degree and yet more common to the industrial trusts. Added to the gross misuse of franchise privileges railways are guilty of the still worse crime of discrimination. Is it a wonder that the president has taken up the war of the people to regulate transportation charges? Is it a wonder that governors of states and legislatures are stirring themselves to correct the evil? The corporation based on an inflated value complains of confiscation when the matter of governmental control is suggested. Governmental control is coming and the people who oppose it want to remember that the pendulum has been too long on the one side. Railway interests want to bear in mind that if governmental control is too earnestly resisted, government ownership is apt to follow, which would be still more undesirable, at least from their standpoint.

The railroad problem specially appeals to the great Middle West. Chicago is the greatest railway hub and the center of the greatest internal commerce on the globe. What London is to ocean commerce, what New York is to the world's bank clearings, that is Chicago to internal commerce carried by rail. The United States has over one-half the rail mileage of the globe and the lion's share of it has a terminal in Chicago. Your city is the transcontinental gateway of Atlantic-Pacific trafic. The gross earnings of the railroads which enter Chicago were enough last year to pay off 75 per cent of the national debt and greater than those of all the railroads of the United Kingdom by over $100,000,000. Three Chicago railroads running into Minnesota carry alone a freight tonnage greater than the total ocean tonnage of the United States; while the total freight tonnage of all roads entering Chicago approximates the ocean tonnage of the world. The Western trend of industrial production is told by the signficant comparison that in 1903 railroads doing business in Massachusetts showed for entire lines gross earnings under $100,000,000, in New York something over $300,000,000 and in Illinois close upon $700,000,000. At the same time, by reason of greater volume of traffic, the average rate per ton per mile was 40 per cent lower in Illinois than in Massachusetts. In the settlement of the great railway problem of America it is plain that this nation must look, not to the Atlantic coast, which now controls our stock markets and national legislation, but to the great valley of the Mississippi, which already supports as many people as Great Britain, with a farm product equal to that of France and Germany combined and a railway mileage which approximates that of the entire continent of Europe.

BEEF TRUST ROBS BOTH THE PRODUCER AND CONSUMER.

Railroad discrimination, namely, the rebate and the private car, has brought into existence, with headquarters in Chicago, one of the most powerful trusts on the globe, the great beef trust, which by control of the refrigerator car service of America fixes both the purchase and selling prices, not only of live stock and meat, but of fruit and dairy produce, vegetables and game, robbing producer and consumer alike and forcing the retail dealers of the land to become its army of obedient agents.

Rail rebate, plus special tariff privilege and monopoly of natural resources, have created Standard Oil and the coal combine, which levy upon American homes and business a volume of tolls sufficient to yield 20 to 40 per cent dividends upon a colossal capitalization.

Rail rebates and control, plus special tariff privilege and monopoly of natural resources, have produced the United States Steel corporation, which declares dividends upon a three-fold watering of the capital of the constituent companies by doubling the price of iron and steel to the American consumer while selling its product abroad at one-third less than the American price.

You wonder at the unrest of the people. In a county in my state are the greatest iron mines in the world. On the Mesaba nature has been so lavish of her wealth that great open pits a half mile to a mile in diameter are mined with steam shovels and railroad trains, as you would mine earth from a gravel pit; a single steam shovel loading 800 tons an hour and sending three to four trainloads of high grade ore to the Lake Superior docks in a day. In twenty-four hours last summer one of the Mesaba mines loaded 440 cars with 19,000 long tons, or ten trainloads of forty-four cars to the train. The soft ore of the Mesaba is mined as easily and cheaply as sand. The labor cost is about 10 cents per ton; while the great steel trust which operates the mines is protected by a tariff of 25 cents per ton from "the pauper labor of Europe."

STEEL TRUST AND CONTROL OF ORE CARRYING ROADS.

But the steel trust owns the two principal ore carrying roads and the rate for hauling the ore seventy-five miles to the lake for shipment to Eastern furnaces has been fixed so high that the independent mine owner is either robbed of the profits of mining or compelled to sell his mine to the hungry syndicate which controls both the mining industry and transportation. One of these iron range roads, which operates only 210 miles of track, voted itself last year a dividend of $4,500,000, or over 150 per cent, upon its common stock; and the other, operating 169 miles of track, distributed a dividend of $3,657,750, or 149 per cent, upon its stock outstanding. The two non-competing, parallel roads, operating an aggregate of thirty-seven miles of track, issued a dividend total of more than $8,000,000, or upwards of $20,000 per mile, which is more than twice the gross earnings, nearly eight times the net earnings and close upon twenty times the dividends per mile of the average American railroad. And yet this same billion dollar corporation, with all its extortionate charges, with its dividends upon an ocean of watered stock and its control of the iron and steel industry of the nation, adds insult to injury by demanding national bounty and protection and has actually secured at the hands of congress for the protection of its practices more pages of American tariff schedules than perhaps all the infant industries of the United States combined.

Is it not time that the law of the land was invoked for the protection of the common citizen instead of such a corporation and such practices? Is it not time that the functions of government were employed for more legitimate uses? Is it not time the authority of the nation is exercised to prevent, instead of to protect, such discrimination and special privilege? Rate discrimination, monopoly of natural resources, fictitious capitalization, special tariff bounties and transportation rebates have been promoted under the cloak of law until the public conscience is in revolt. Surrender of government functions to private corporations under guise of protecting the national welfare cannot much longer receive the sanction of an intelligent people, who believe the government was instituted for the protection of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

PUBLIC SERVANTS PRIVATE AGENTS FOR CORPORATIONS.

As long as government is the fountain of special privileges powerful interests will dominate legislation, law will be dictated by the corrupt lobby, corporations will control legislators and even judges and executives will betray their trusts. As long as the law of the land is made the source of corporate dividends the campaign contributions of corporate interests will control political conventions and the party machine for the nomination and election of its candidates and our so-called "public servants" will be private agents for the public undoing. There is just one remedy for official bribery and campaign corruption and that is to remove the motive by cutting off all government grants of special privilege. The enforced guaranty of equal rights to all will free the party organization from corporate grasp and restore it to the common people.

The Republican is no more and no less to blame than the Democrat. Francis of Assissi was as honest and as reliable as Luther. The Bernardine monk was as sincere as Knox. The hope is not in the Democrat or Republican as a follower of the party of his choice, but in the man who believes his country is greater than his party and is not afraid of the charge of heresy—the man in the office, shop and field, whose patriotism and moral fiber respond to the nation's need. The republic is in no danger from the man who, following the plow, hums, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." He does not understand the awful harmony of Wagner, but he knows and feels the melody of the folk song, the tunes which soften the heart and make men good and great. This man may be slow, but a lion when aroused. Today he is enlisting in the nation's struggle for honest government and he will win. The republic is in no danger of ruin or decay. The tax dodger, the boodler, the assassin of state and national honor may strike at the public welfare; the nation will grow in glory and power because of the manhood of its common citizenship. The country will survive, through the courage and loyalty of voters regardless of party, who will uplift the hands of a president in his desire to do right and uphold the majesty of the law. Through the very robbery of the citizen by the corporate trust the nation may be aroused and clothed with power. The mountain hunter may send an eagle fluttering down the crags, but the nestling brood in the eerie will rise to greater heights. The bounding doe may be arrested in her race for life, but the Matterhorn will still lift its cap of snow to a peace beyond the clouds.

POLITICAL TREACHERY COST US THE TRADE OF CANADA.

We are confronted with vast opportunities and responsibilities and with lost ground to recover. A bad economic policy and political treachery cost us the benefits of commercial freedom with Canada. Had we been fair and decent with our sister country across the boundary the trade of Canada would have been ours and commercially, if not politically, the two countries would have been one. We are told it is now too late. Canada has grown away from us instead of toward us. A false policy has robbed us of our own. Congressmen elected to represent our interests in reciprocity with Canada have gone to Washington in the interests of a pine land combine and worked to make reciprocity impossible. The American flag ought now to float over all North America; but that union, either politically or commercially, can never take place until a larger patriotism can rise above political cant and private greed.

Forsaking the old ideals we are confronted with a centralized commercialism more than feudal in its power. The principles of Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln are supplanted by the influences of Harriman, Armour and Rockefeller. The Constitution no longer goes with the flag; the Declaration of Independence is pictured as a relic of the past. The great commoner from the Sangamon broke the chain of the millions and released them from slavery to grow into a condition of humiliation. Washington founded a nation and his people submit to commercial serfdom. Our republic rests on the freedom and purity of the ballot; and Montana boasts the election of a delegate to a national convention at the cost of $10,000. The governor of Wisconsin declares that corporate wealth owned his state; and Standard Oil appears in the troubled waters of Chicago. In the kremlin fear of revolution blanches the cheek of the czar; in our country there is a smoke that might be fanned into flame. Our duty is to prevent conflagration by stopping the manufacture of inflammable material. The price of good government is good citizenship, even in the sacrifice of party affiliation. Will you do your share and will I do mine?

Let us here dedicate ourselves to the republic's upbuilding, to the reconstruction of party and of national policy on broader and bigger plans. Let us demand leadership consecrated to the public weal by the strong and simple ties of common honesty, equality and manhood. Let us consecrate our efforts to uphold the majesty of the law by enforcing its observance upon the most powerful as upon the humble. Political parties will survive, but let it be a survival of the fittest. I care not for the name of the party I choose so long as it stands for the rights of the people.

AMERICA A POLITICAL AND INDUSTRIAL WORLD POWER.

Politically the name of America is a world power—the power of justice, equality and freedom. Industrially America is a world power—with manufactures and agriculture greater than those of any other two nations and supplying food and machines to all peoples. Commercially the United States is a world power—with an internal commerce developed under freedom of trade between the states to a volume many times greater than the foreign commerce of all nations. At this hour we stand in possession of the gateways to the great trade of the Pacific ocean, which in half a century may rival that of the Atlantic. The construction of the isthmian canal will place America in control of the trade channel between Europe and Asia. For commercial expansion north and south we have the Dominion at our northern doors and South and Central America at the mouth of the Mississippi. The commercial federation of America is our opportunity and duty. The isthmian canal may serve as an invaluable regulator of transcontinental railroad rates. The chief engineer of the government war department estimates that the "Soo" canal and lake transportation save the shippers of America $30,000,000 per annum as compared with rail rates. What then may be the effect of the Panama canal in reducing rates between the Atlantic and Pacific seaboards?

The world is undergoing transformation. In the Far East there are 800,000,000 people waking from centuries of lethargy to become a world power. On the steppes of Russia the toiling millions are rising with dreams of constitutional liberty. In America the patriotism and intelligence of the greatest people on earth demand the divorce of government from plutocracy and paternalism. The pessimist finds much in the present situation on which to base his lack of faith in our institutions, but the conditions which afford him opportunity for exultation will be dissipated by future events. The turn of the optimist is near at hand. The tempest is raging now, but when the winds have spent their force the troubled waters will again be smooth. Ours is a new country. Our West has been created within the memory of men still living. Our development knows no parallel in history. Out of the present industrial and political chaos will come order. The yeomanry of the land struck for liberty at Bunker Hill. They brought the ship of state through the awful night of civil war. They are responding to a new call of duty and through them will come the reclamation and regeneration of the nation. It will not come from the extremist who does not believe in government—it will not come from the theorist who believes commercial progress is wrong—it will not come from those who deny the property rights of others—but it will come through the sober common sense of those toilers who create the wealth so essential to our prosperity as a nation and as individuals. It will come, not through excitement, anger or hate, but after a calm study of the true conditions and a fearless determination to arrive at what is best for all the people. The true grandeur of the nation will assert itself; if not today, then tomorrow. An enlightened and quickened conscience has issued the American doctrine—equal rights to all; special privileges to none.

Transcontinental Travel.

This year promises to be the record year for travel into California from the east, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger. It is estimated by the officials of the railroads interested in this movement that 50,000 tourists have visited California this winter. The total revenue of the railroads transporting the visitors is estimated at not less than $5,000,000. The conclusion is drawn that California will derive the snug sum of $15,000,000 from the season's tourist business.

The Czar's Answer.

They called him "father," and they wrung their hands
Before his palace gate from all his lands,
Standing in suppliance as the beggar stands,
Until he answer made
In his own way to all their needs demands—
The fusillade.

The vast cathedral raised its lofty spires
Above them toward the skies, and altar fires
Sent incense wreathing upward as aspires
The soul man, God made,
When came responsive to that soul's desires
The fusillade.

Within the palace jewels flashed and shone
Upon the breast of beauty as the moan
Rose from ten thousand hearts to reach the throne
Where sat, secure, and weighed
Man's cause, the arbiter whose will made known
The fusillade.

A thousand stains upon the trampled snow
Are witness of his will that all may know
As he has ordered it must still be so,
Though all man's hopes should fade,
While rending sword strokes follow, blow on blow,
The fusillade.

So it has been, and so it still must be
When suppliant hands are stretched for liberty,
As justice cringes low on bended knee
Where, still in threat arrayed,
The volleying lines make ready for her plea
The fusillade.

But in the sky above that blood stained square
A mighty host is gathering, taught to dare
By all the pain they learned on earth to bear,
Set free at last and made
Earth's judges by the power that sent them there—
The fusillade.

And on the earth, though still earth's czars are blind,
Moves on, resistless, man's own sovereign mind,
By death unawed, by shackles unconfined,
Supreme and still obeyed,
Though murder makes its answer to mankind—
The fusillade.

—William Vincent Byars in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Farming is a good business when the farmer is poor.

The crocodile, the chicken and the ostrich take pebbles in their food to aid ginding it.

The qualification for a successful poultryman are patience, perseverance, pluck, enterprise, and capital.

The farmers are anxious for the trust-buster to hurry and get around to the implement and binding twine trusts.

Are you the owner of the horse? Are you ashamed of his keeping? Can you not improve in your method? These are only questions.

The wasted corn fadder of the state of Iowa, if economically used, would pay all the taxes of the state and would build a lot of macadamized highway each year.

It is predicted that the greatest agricultural development in the next ten years will be the irrigated lands of the West, and that in time to come these will be the highest type of civilization on this continent.

A crop of potatoes was grown in England which netted its producers more then its weight in gold. From one pound of the seed of the Eldorado variety he raised 3,633 plants, many of which he sold for $50 each.

Never store oily cloths in any unventilated place, as such things sometimes cause spontaneous combustion. First in machine shops have often been traced to the cotton waste filed with oil from polishing machinery.

In a recent report of the departmeut of Agriculture the relative merits of irrigated and unirrigated fruits are discussed. The general conclusion is that irrigated fruits are superior in quailty, are better for canning and drying.

It makes everybody happy to here a farmer say "Good-morning" when you meet him, as if it really were the very best morning that the sun eyer shone on. It lifts up to catch the tone of his voice, and makes us think life is worth living, after all.

In your plants for the next crop, do not let your mind run too much to acres. Big field farming is going out and "the little field well tilled" is coming into favor. Better cultivation, better fertilization, better and easier handling and, above all, better marketing—these are what must give the farmers a bank account.

The census bureau has issued a report on the condition of irrigation in the United States in 1902, showing that 3,415 systems, with 59,311 miles of main canals and ditches, where irrigating 9,486,077 acres on 134,036 arms. The amount expended in constructing all these systems was $93,320, 452. The average construction cost per acre in the arid region was $89.14, and average per irrigation system $2,710.

Rye bread in Germany is being superseded by American corn bread. In Berlin alone more then 800 bakeries are making bread of corn and wheat flavor and are selling it less then rye bread. "Corn" Murphy who introduced our corn into Germany declares that the preparation of corn flour can be infinitely more varied than that of wheat and that America has never taken a proper pride in their great native cereal.

Dampen a piece of clean, rather thick cloth, and place it upon a plate or saucer. Count out one hundred average seeds for the lot to be tested, and scatter them on the cloth. Now place another piece of damp cloth over the seeds, and cover all with a piece of glass. Keep the saucer in a moderately-heated room for ten days; moisten the cloth occasionally if dry; then connt the sprouted seeds. At least seventy per cent, of them should sprout vigorously.

The man who is the possessor of a piece of land has the game in his own hands, There is no prompter or stock gambler who can jeopardize his investment. Where it is purchased with judgement, land is always worth the money paid for it and it is bound to increase in value. It can not be destroyed or carried away. It requires only industry to make it profitable and productive. It constitutes a source of independence in any condition of the money market and amid all the mutations of speculative enterprises.

What a blessing it would have been to this country if the vast acres of the public land that has been legislated away to railroad corporations or parted with for a song to alien land-owner, could have been reserved for homestead for many of the people now crowded to the large cities, There is nothing so preservtive of purity, patriotism, and elevation of thought as in the township of country home. There is much in the very air, the wide expanse of fields, the budding and unfolding of nature, the waiving grain, the meadow rich with glazing grasses, the pasture land with grazing herds, that fills one with a larger hope, higher aspirations, and a desire for he better life; than is impossible to obtain in the motley, rushing, restless selfish, brutal tide of a great city. The atmesphere of a country home, mentally and morally, is pure and brings more of real content and happiness. The home-makers country and town, make the best citizens; they are the wealth producers and upbuilders and protectors of the nation.

Perfect Safety

Is combined with convenience in our certificates of disposit.

When you have any sum of money not wanted for immediate use, you can leave it here and we give you a written agreement to pay it back at any time you want it. If you wish to leave it for 6 months or more, we will pay interest upon it.

Yov can draw out a part of it, or all of it, at any time, or turn it over to some other party, if you wish.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET.

Proceedings of the County Commissioners at March Meeting.

Pursuant to call, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota met in special session at the Court House at one o'clock p. m. Present, Commissioners Johnson, Sutor, Demann, Shaw and Falardeau.

The application of Denis Conely for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes on certain lands in the Town of North and City of Thief River Falls, was on motion rejected.

On motion duly carried the bonds of N. W. Tarrant as Judge of Probate, in the sum of $1000, and J. C. Wood as County Surveyor in the sum of $500, were approved.

The application of A. J. Lillo and others for an appropriation from the County Road & Bridge Fund to aid in the construction of a bridge across Clearwater river on the north line of the Town of Garnes in Red Lake County was laid before the Board. On motion duly carried same was referred to the Road and Bridge Committee with instructions to report at the next meeting of the Board.

The application of Hubert Cardinal for correction of assessment and abatement of personal property in the City of Red Lake Falls for the year 1904, was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

The application of Rev. I. T. Aastad for correction of assessment and abatement of his personal property taxes in the City of Thief River Falls for the year 1904, was on motion rejected.

On motion duly carried, Auctioneer's licenses were granted to C. M. Evenson and Joseph Belair, the proper bonds having been filed with the County Treasurer.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken to March, 2, 1905.

March 2, 1905, Board reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. with all members present.

The petition of Hans. G. Skogstad and others for the organization of Township 154 North, of Range 42 West in Red Lake County was placed before the Board and after due consideration of same, on motion made by Commissioner Shaw, the following order organizing said Township was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

Upon receiving a petition of a majority of the legal voters of Congressional Township Number One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty two (42), west in said County, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the Township organization law, to be named SILVERTON, we, the County Commissioners of said County, did on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such new Town and to name SILVERTON in accordance with the said petition, and designated the residence of Hans G. Skogstad situate on the South-east quarter of Section 22 in said Township 154, range 42 as the place for holding the first town meeting in such town, to be held on Tuesday the twenty-first day of March, 1905, for the purpose of electing one Chairman of Supervisors, two Supervisors, one Town Clerk, one Treasurer, one Assessor, two Justices of the Peace and two Constables to serve until the next annual town Meeting; and designated Gust Perggren, Ole L. Ottum and Hans G. Skogstad as the Judges of said election.

The boundaries of said Town of SILVERTON as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the North-east corner of the South-east quarter of Section 12 in Township 154, Range 42, thence west on the quarter section line to the North-west corner of the South-west quarter of section 7, and Range aforesaid; thence south on the town line to the South-west corner of section 31 in said town and range; thence East on the town line to the south-east corner of section 36 in said town and range; thence north to the place of beginning; containing all that territory lying and being within said Red Lake County in township 154, North of Range 42 West.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1905.

O. J. Johnson,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal)

Attest: James E. Ford,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

Petitions of O. N. Olson and others; M. T. Wold and others, H. A. Helgeson and others, A. B. Newton and others, and Ole L. Ottum and others praying for the establishment of new school districts in Red Lake County were presented to the Board and on motion duly carried a hearing was granted on said petitions to be had on Monday, May 1, 1905 and notices of such hearing were ordered to be issued accordingly.

The petitions of Carl Eagnell and others praying for the establishment of a new school district in Twp. 152, Range 41, and that of Peter Lefaivre and others praying for the establishment of a new school district to be composed of part of school dastricts "79", "7" and "36", were presented to the Board on motion duly carried a hearing was granted on same to be had on Tuesday, May 2, 1905, and notices of hearing were ordered to be issued accordingly.

The annual reports of County Officers for the year ending Dec. 31, 1904 were examined by the Board, approved and ordered filed.

A petition was presented to the Board, asking that the portion of Twp. 154, North of Range 43, West, lying east of Thief River and the old Red Lake Indian Reservation line, be attached to and made a part of the existing organized Town of North in Red Lake county, and on motion made by Commissioner Shaw and carried unanimously the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Upon receiving a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters residing with the unorganized territory in Township 154, North, of Range 43 West in said Red Lake county and a majority of the legal voters residing in the organized Town of North in said county, accompanied by the proper affidavits as required by law, asking that the said unorganized territory, described, as follows, to-wit: All that part of Township 154, Range 43 aforesaid, lying east of Thief River and the old Red Lake Indian Reservation line, be annexed and attached to the said Town of North, the same being an adjoining Town.

We, the Board of County Commissioners of said county, did on the 2d day of March A. D. 1905, after a careful consideration of the matter, grant the request contained in said petitions, and the said unorganized territory herein described is hereby attached to and made a part of said Town of North.

The boundaries of the said Town of North as hereby fixed and established by us are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 12 in Twp. 154, Range 43 in said county, running thence west along the quarter section line to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of Section 7, Town and Range as aforesaid, thence south along the Town line to the southwest corner of Section 31 in said Town and Range, thence east along the Town line to the southeast corner of Section 36 in said Town and Range, thence north along the Town line to the place of beginning; being all the territory lying and being within said Red Lake county in Township 154 North of Range 43 West.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 2d day of March, A. D. 1905.

O. J. Johnson,
[SEAL] Chairman, Board of County Commissioners

Attest: James E. Ford,
County Auditor and Ex-Offico Clerk of Board

The application of Julius John for correction of assessment and abatement of personal property taxes in the village of St Hilaire for the year 1904, was on motion granted subject to the approval of the state Auditor.

The application of Clearwater lodge, I. O. O. F. No. 133 for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes for the year 1904 on property claimed to be exempt in the city of Red Lake Falls, was on motion granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

The application of D. Conely for correction of assessment and abatement of personal property taxes in the town of North for the year 1904, was on motion granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

No action was taken on the application of M. W. A. Camp No. 3436 for cancellatiou of taxes for the year 1904 on real estate claimed to be exempt.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken to March 3.

March 3, 1905, Board reconvened at 9 a. m. with all members present.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Sutor was unanimously adopted:

WHEBEAS, A demand has been made and presented to this Board by the Auditor of Polk county, Minnesota, for the payment by Red Lake county of the interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on the sum of $1905.95 from the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1902 to date, the said $1905.95 being the pro rata share to be paid by said Red Lake county of a certain bond issue of Polk county, Minnesota, dated Jan. 2, 1882 and due Jan. 2, 1902, and it appearing to this Board that the said sum of $1905.95 was paid by Polk county, Jan. 2, 1902 and that sum was refunded to Polk County Minn., until the 12th day of December, 1904, and it appearing that said Polk county is entitled to interest on $1905.95 from the 2nd day of January, 1902 to the 12th day of December, 1904 at the rate 6 per cent annum.

Therfore Be It Resolved, That the County Auditor is hereby authorized and instructed to draw his warrant on the Bond & Interest Fund of this County in the sum of $333.55 in favor of County Treasurer of said Polk County in payment of the above sum.

On motion carried unanimously the following bills were audited and allowed:

John E. King, publishing Commissioner's proceedings and notice Teacher's examination	$ 16 76
King & Chase, publishing Financial Statement and Del. Tax List	115 39
" 1500 Letter heads for Co. Auditor	5 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, Pub. notice Teacher's Exam	3 00
John W. Eastman, do	1 00
Thief River Falls Review, do	2 50
" 200 Lists of School Clerks	20 00
School Education Co., 2 rms. Exam. paper	4 00
Anderson & Healy, Coffin and Box for non resident pauper	19 00
James Brady, Repairs on Court House	14 31
Swan Akenson 35 cords Poplar Wood	96 25
W. A. Schreiter, 4 doz. Indelible pencils	3 00
Free Press Printing Co., Blanks	24 87
Red Lake Falls Gazette Stationery and Blanks	26 25
Miller-Davis Printing Co., Blanks and Blank Books	46.97
Geo. D. Barnard & Co., do	61 36
EcGill-Warner Co., Blanks, Books and Filing cases	65 33
Pioneer Press Co., Blanks	10 33
Anderson & Healy, Quilt and mattress for Co. Jail	4 00
D. Linnihan, Board of Prisoners 14 days	7 98
D. Linnihan, Drawing Grand and Petit Juries, 2 days	6 20
George Jarman, Sheriff's fees, Coroners inquest in the matter of death of Hilding Olson	11 70
" " Deputy Sheriffs, fees, State of Minn. vs Dr. J. B. Herbert and state of Minn. vs Ida Fangstrom	67 96
" " Deputy Sheriff fees, State Simon O'Toole	9 00
" " Posting notices of election in Town of Big Bend	7 50
S. L. Lewis, Services drawing Grand Jury	3 20
A. P. Toupin, " " Petit "	3 80
Joseph Perrault, Clerks Misc. fees	14 05
Thos Germo, Amount paid for long distance Tel. calls	4 50
D. Linnihan, do	1 90
James E. Ford, do	85
W. A. Schreiter, Rent of three phones, Jan. and Feb. 1905	10 00
D. Linnehan, sawing 10 cords of wood for Co. jail	7 50
K. M. Hanson, amount paid for postage and gov't envelopes	30 41
Frank Jeffers, amount paid for postage Reg. of Deeds office	15 85
Frank Jeffers, recording officers bonds and oaths	16 10
City of Thief River Falls, one half expenses of contagious disease cases	16 42
Lewis Sall, procuring general election ballots, town of Equality	2 00
Ingvald Husby, procuring general election ballots, town of Garnes	1 40
Felix Anderson, services as fire warden, town of Black River	3 00
Red Lake Falls Elec. Light Co., lights in court house anp jail, Jan., 1905	12 50
Adam Zeh, prem. on $1500 ins. on county furniture and fixtures	39 00
S. L. Lewis, prem. on $500 ins. on court house	13 75
John Grady, prem. on $1500 ins. on furniture and fixtures	39 00
J. B. McGinnis, asst. Co. supt., 3 days	9 00
J. B. O'Brien, do	9 00
W. A. Schreiter, medicine for prisoners and office supplies	5 30
Dr. A. F. Blomburgh, med. attendance contagious disease cases	29 00
Frank Tilton, cemetary lot and digging grave for pauper	11 00
James E. Ford, auditor's fees, Ditch No. 21	23 00
Crookston Lbr. Co., material for bridge across ditch No. 21	9 47
Frank Jeffers, recording lien, Ditch No. 21	6 90
D. Shaw, attending special meeting Bd. Co. Comr's, 3 days, 40 miles	13 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, do 3 days, 14 milles	10 40
O. J. Johnson, do 3 days, 40 miles	13 00
James Sutor, do 3 days, 40 miles	13 00
Louis Falardeau, do 3 days, 48 miles	13 80
Wm. C. L. Demann, attnending to pacper case, 1 day, 14 miles	4 40

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die.

O. J. Johnson,
[SEAL] Chm. Bd. of Co. Commissioners.

Attest: James E. Ford,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 6th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathilda A. Hull deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mathilda A. Hull deceased, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Andrew P. Hanson.

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 7th day of September, 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 6th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT
Judge of Probate
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Order for Hearing of Petition for Discharge of Admistrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE.

In Probate Court.

In the master of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and fling the petition of Ruck Lefebvre as Administrator of said estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree in said matter of said estate, and with the terms and conditions of all other decrees and orders of this Court in said matter, and has paid over to the distributees and persons named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded in said final decree, and praying that he as such Administrator of said estate, and the sureties on his bond, be discharged from all liability by reason of said trust and the administration of said estate.

Now, therefore, it is ordered, that said petition be heard by this Court at the Probate Court Office at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and it is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks immediately prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 9th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court. N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate, Red Lake County, Minn.

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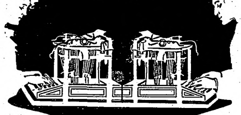

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ARE LAYING THEIR TRACK

Great Northern Railway Company has Large Force of Men at Work in this City.

The Great Northern railway company began laying the track on thier new-cut off at this place Monday. Forty men are employed at the work and it will be a matter of but a few days before the track is all in place. The work is in charge of F. Casey, of Barnesville, and section foreman Kehoe of this place. The work will be pushed to completion as fast as possible and it is now thought trains will be running over the new track in three or four weeks.

The roadbed wi'l be ballasted immediately with gravel from the Ives pit, the graval train being expected to commence operations immediately. It is thought when the new track is completed that the train from Crookston will arrive here at about nine o'clock in the morning, and will make the return trip at about five in the afternoon.

13 Years of Intense Suffering.
Thirteen years I suffered intensely from rheumatism writes Mrs. Mina Schott, of Marion, Ohio, but Gloria Tonic cured me after using morphine and other worthless drugs for years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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HAS GREAT POWER

Engineer says 10,000 Horse Power lies Dormant in Red Lake River.

In the Red Lake river between this city aud Crookston lies dormant 10,000 horse power of water power, according to the ideas of State Ditch Engineer Ralph of Crookston. Mr. Ralph, who is a hydraulic expert of unusual talent, says the cost of building and equipping six power stations between this city and Crookston would be a mere bagetele compared with the power that wonld be derived from the undertaking. The river has a fall of over a hundred feet in the twenty-two miles journey across prairie, and at various places traverses tracts of deep gullies which would make ideal sites for dams if properly handled. "All the light and power needed in the valley for all time to come may be arranged for by the erection of power stations along the Red Lake river, and the cost of producing the current will be far less than it is in some of tne largest power plants in the world." The Red Lake river in years to come will solve the power question as far as the valley is concerned and will be the means of bring into the territory a vast amount of manufacting industry which is at the present time barred because of the excessive cost of power.

HOME FROM SUNNY SOUTH

L. P. Berthon Returns from Southern Trip and is Given a Royal Reception.

L. P. Berthon returned this morning from his two months trip in the sunny south. He reports a most delightful time in the land of sunshine and flowers, but says he is glad to be home again among his friends. Mr. Berthon took in the Mardi Gras, an event of merriment and entertainment of yearly occurrence at New Oleans, and says it is a great show and a splendid time to see the city at its best. His trip was a continuous round of pleasure and he will always remember his vacation as one of the brightest times of his life.

Mr. Berthon was royally welcomed upon his arrival in the city this morning. The band met him at the N. P. depot and escorted him to his home. The band boys are loyal friends of Paul's and nothing is too good for him in their estimation. His friends are not confined to the band members as he has hosts of friends throughout this section of the country who are glad of his return and who will wish him many more such delightful vacations.

MANY FAIL TO PASS.

There May Be a Dearth of First Grade Teachers.

Has the standard of the Minnesota teacher advanced during the last year? is the question which some of the educators of the state are trying to determine from figures issued yesterday by the state department of instruction showing the number which passed at the recent teachers' examination, held all over the state last month.

More than 60 per cent of the applicants taking the examination failed to pass and will have to wait another year before trying again for certificates of a higher grade. While some of the applicants taking the examination were only students, a great number of them were country teachers who desired to get up a few notches in their profession. Only a few over 40 per cent were so fortunate.

There were 5.473 who took the examination. Of that number only 1983 passed and 3,490 failed. There were 195 who received first grade certificates, 868 second grade, 89 conditional firsts, 412 conditional seconds and 422 limited seconds. The number making applications for grade 2,041, limited certificates 2,868, renewal 50, and exchange 59.

History, grammer and arithmetic were the rocks upon which most of the applicants floundered, and some floundered very badly. In history 1,452 passed and 2,155 failed, a percentage of 40.2 passed and 59.8 failed: grammar plucked 1,917 and passed 1,535, a percentage of failures of 55.6; in arithmetic 1,863 failed and 2,208 passed, which makes the percentage of failures 46.1.

There were many who failed to "make good" in reading. Of those taking an examination in this subject, 2320 passed and 1,244 failed, making a percentage of those passing 65.1 per cent and those failing 35.9. Spelling was little better; 1,382 failed to receive a passing average in this subject and the percentage of failures was 35.9. Penmanship was high; only forty-two failed to pass, so that the percentage of failures was only 1.3.

One of the singular features about the figures issued by Supt. Olsen are those issued in the subject known as composition. In this subject 3,183 passed and only 97 failed, while in grammar, and allied subjects taken by all, 1,917 failed.

The papers with corrections have been sent back to the counties and certificates will be issued to those that have passed. First grade teachers may be scarce in Minnesota this year.

STATE CENSUS BILL.

Measure Goes Through Legislature Without Debate.

The legislature has recommended Senator R. B. Browers's bill providing for a state census to pass. The bill carries an appropriation of $65 000 for the purpose of defraying the cost of enumeration and tabulation.

The bill was recommended without debate. It had been referred on its introduction to the finance committee, of which Senator Brower is the chairman, and had come back with a favorable report. It will cover the taking of the fifth decennial census.

The bill establishes a census bureau, with Secretary of State P. E. Hanson as its chief. He is given $500 for his supervision, but is allowed an assistant superintendent by law whose compensation is fixed at $1,800. He is authorized to name enumerators, and is to give preference to discharged soldiers and sailors. The enumerations is to begin June 1, shall be completed on or before July 1, and returns are to be in hands of the superintendent not later than July 10, 1905. A graduated remuneration is provided. In cities of 5,000 and over $2 for each 100 inhabitants is to be paid, in cities, villages and towns of less than 5,000 persons, enumerators are to receive $2.25 for each 100 persons, and in all other districts, excepting certain sparsely settled districts, a fee of 2½ cent a person is provided.

In districts where the population is widely scatttered the superintendent is authorized on his judgment to allow from $2 to $3 a day for the work of enumeration. No claam for traveling expenses is to be recognized. The census is to specifically include the names of soldiers or sailors of the civil and Spanish war residing in the state. Data is to include the sex, age, color, nativity, occupation, parentage and period of residence of the people enumerated. Authority is given the superintendent to occupy rooms in either the old or new capitol for the census bureau. It is expected that quarters will be provided in the old state capitol for the compilation of the work.

Opening Mail by Mistake.

Very few know that there is a penalty of $200 fine on any person taking mail out of the post office other than their own. All postmasters are liable to make mistakes and get the mail in the wrong boxes, and the law says people must examine their mail before leaving the office, and should they receive a piece which is not addressed to them it must be returned at once. That it is the fault of the postmaster makes no difference. The law includes newspaper as well as first class mail.

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TOWN ELECTION RETURNS

Results of Tuesday's Election in Neighboring Towns—Lively Time at St. Hilaire.

The township election was held at the Central House in this city Tuesday. It was a quiet affair, the only contest being for office of assessor. Mr. Lasha, who proved to be the winner, won by the narrow margin of five votes. Thirty-six votes were cast and the following candidates were chosen for the different offices:

For supervisor—three years—Paul Cyr received 27 votes;

Town clerk, Ildaige Baril, 28;

Treasurer, Simon Sutter, 27;

Assessor, Jules H. Lasha, 16; L. O. Westphal, 11; C. P. Mercier, 6;

Justice of the Peace—two elected—C. P. Mercier, 9; Em Engelbretson, 4;

Constable—two elected— E. S. Dufault, 9; Herman Wolf, 4.

ST. HILAIRE.

A lively time is reported at St. Hilaire, a spirited contest for president of the council between J. B. O'Brien and Harry E. Ives taking place. Mr. O'Brien was elected by the small margin of six votes, but the councilmen and other officers on the Ives ticket were successful. Following is ticket the elected: President of council, J. B. O'Brien; Supervisors, Carl Johnson, C. H. Martz, R. H. Duntley; Recorder, K. O. Gigstad; Treasurer, Leonard Holmes; Constables, C. H. Renington; Justice, A. Wilson.

The successful candidates in other townships follow:

TERREBONNE.

Supervisor, Stephen Quesnelle;

Town Clerk, George Dupont;

Treasurer, S. C. Cadieux;

Constables, J. J. Guard, Stephen Quesnell;

Assessor, Louis Perreault;

Highway Overseers, District No. 1, L. C. Cadieux; No. 2, Joseph Champorix; No. 3, John Beaudry; No. 4, Joseph Toupin.

LAMBERT.

Supervisor, Adolphe Cloutier;

Clerk, Louis Doucet;

Treasurer, Louis Falardeau;

Assessor, Maximillian Perras;

Justice of the Peace, I. H. Leblane, two years; Moise Riel, one year;

Constable, Joseph Lefebre;

Highway Overseers, district No. 1, Antoine Lambert; No. 2, Isidore Lefebre; No. 3, Joseph Beland; No. 4, Alexis Bergeson.

POPLAR RIVER.

Supervisor, Thomas Moreau;

Clerk, Arthur Laniel;

Treasurer, Cyrille Lussier;

Constables, F. X. Lambert, B. O. Wilkinson;

Assessor, John B. Hebert;

Highway Overseers, district No. 1, Maxine Champagne; No. 2, Zephire Fontaine; No. 3, Clyde Childs; No. 4, John B. Hebert.

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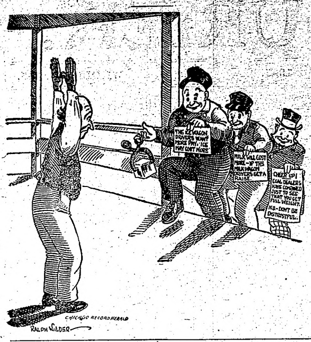
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DECLARES DEATH IS DUE TO POISON

CORONER'S JURY AT HONOLULU RETURNS A VERDICT IN THE STANFORD INQUEST.

Finds That Strychnine Was Placed in Bottle by Unknown Persons with Felonious Intent—No Motive Yet Known for the Awful Deed.

Honolulu, March 11.—The coroner's jury Thursday night returned a verdict that Mrs. Jane L. Stanford died an unnatural death. The verdict says that death was due to strychnine poisoning, the poison having been introduced into a bottle of bicarbonate of soda with felonious intent by some person or persons to the jury unknown. The end of the inquest with a positive verdict of murder leaves the police of Honolulu as much without a clew as when Mrs. Stanford died. The jury returned their verdict after about two minutes' deliberation.

Subject of Adverse Criticism.

The verdict of the coroner's jury to the effect that the death of Mrs. Stanford was due to strychnine poisoning is the subject of much adverse criticism here. Many persons declare that the evidence was lacking to sustain the conclusion of the jury as to a felonious intent. The verdict was written out with the knowledge and assistance of Deputy Hight Sheriff Rawlins and the jurors, who took less than two minutes to arrive at the verdict, immediately signed their names.

To Be Thoroughly Probed.

San Francisco, March 11.—The fact that the coroner's jury at Honolulu decided that Mrs. Jane Stanford was murdered by means of strychnine has added interest to the mysterious case. A conference was held here Friday between District Attorney Byington and Mountford Wilson, attorney for the late Mrs. Stanford, at which all the phases of the situation were discussed and it was determined to probe the matter to the bottom. No intimation of the proposed course of action has yet been given ou.

No Motive Yet Discovered.

"We will not make any arrests today," declared Capt. Burnett, "and perhaps not for several days. We simply do not know whom we can justly accuse and hold. Of course we are satisfied now that a crime has been committed. The one gap in the case lies in the Honolulu end of the story. Detective Reynolds, of this department, and Capt. Callundan will work to bridge it over. It is not true as published that the police have arrived at a conclusion as regards the motive behind this crime. We are as much in the dark relative to this important phase as we were earlier in our investigation. Neither is it true that the detectives have been sent to Honolulu to bring Miss Berner back. So far as our investigation goes there is less evidence against Miss Berner than any of those who occupied the Stanford residence on January 14, the date of the first attempt made to poison Mrs. Stanford."

Prisoner Burned to Death.

Memphis, Tenn., March 13.—A Commercial Appeal special from Felsenthal, Ark., says the jail two miles from that town was destroyed by fire Sunday, cremating its only occupant, John Creasy, a log scaler, held for a minor offense.

Gen. Booth in Jerusalem.

Jerusalem, March 9.—Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army, has arrived here. He intends to hold a series of meetings. The porte has directed the local authorities to prohibit Turkish subjects from attending these meetings.

Signed Many Bills.

Washington, March 13.—During the session of congress which closed on the 4th inst., President Roosevelt signed 1,842 measures passed by the senate and house of representatives.

Anti-Cigarette Bill a Law.

Madison, Wis., March 8.—The legislature Tuesday, by a vote of 76 to 1, passed a bill absolutely prohibiting the sale or manufacture of cigarettes or cigarette paper.

MRS. CHADWICK GUILTY

Verdict May Mean Sentence to Long Term in Prison and Fine of $70,000.

Cleveland, O., March 13.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick Saturday night was found guilty on every count on which the jury was allowed to judge her—seven in all. The general charge was conspiracy to defraud the United States by plotting to procure the certification of checks on a national bank when there were no funds in the bank to her credit The woman can be imprisoned two years on each count, or fined not more than $10,000 on each, or both fined and imprisoned. If the maximum penalties allowed by law are imposed Mrs. Chadwick will be sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment and fined $70,000. The jury reached its verdict in two hours. On learning the result Mrs. Chadwick became hysterical, shouting that she was innocent, and begging the officers to let her go. She was returned to jail.

The next step in the Chadwick case will doubtless be the trial of Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick, Mrs. Chadwick's husband, in common pleas court on the indictment in which he and his wife are jointly charged with the forgery of the $5,000,000 "Carnegie" note which was held as security by Iri Reynolds. He may be tried alone, and Mrs. Chadwick may be a witness. Andrew Carnegie will probably be called as a witness.

DEADLY REVENGE.

Man in Wichita Kills Head of Firm Through Whose Failure He Suffered Loss.

Wichita, Kan., March 11.—J. C. Casey, head of the Casey Wholesale Mercantile company, was shot through the head and instantly killed by James Oliver Friday. Oliver lost $23,000 in the failure of the Casey & Garst Mercantile company a few months ago, and the misfortune preyed on his mind. He demanded the money when the firm was reorganized, and had several heated arguments with Casey over the loss. Friday, while Casey was seated at his desk, Oliver slipped up behind him and fired three times without warning. Oliver walked to police headquarters and gave himself up. Casey was prominent in church and society circles.

Respite Granted.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 11.—Following the decision of the supreme court refusing to grant a rehearing to William Rudolph, convicted of the murder of Detective Charles Schumacher, at Union, Mo., Gov. Folk granted a respite of 30 days. Rudolph was sentenced to be hanged on March 17, and the petition for the respite was signed by a large number of Irish Catholics, who claimed that an execution in St. Louis on the morning of St. Patrick's day would cast a gloom over the celebration planned in honor of Ireland's patron saint.

President Entertains Novelist.

Washington, March 13.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at luncheon Saturday H. Rider Haggard, the eminent novelist and writer on economic and sociological subjects, and his daughter, Miss Haggard, who is accompanying him on his tour of this country.

Four Miners Killed.

Charleston, W. Va., March 9.—At Shrewsbury, a mining village 16 miles above here, a mine car loaded with coal and carrying ten workmen who were coming from the mine, dashed 1,000 feet down the 45-foot incline, killing four of the miners and injuring four others.

Civil War Veteran Dead.

Pawtucket, R. I., March 13.—Gen. William R. Walker, a civil war veteran, and for 20 years prominent in state military affairs, died Saturday aged 75 years. He also was a past grand commander of the masonicorder in the Rhode Island and Massachusetts jurisdiction.

Russia Pays North Sea Claims.

London, March 10.—Count Benckendorff, the Russian ambassador to Great Britain, Thursday paid $325,000 to Foreign Secretary Lansdowne in settlement of the North sea claims, and the incident was thus closed.

Drygoods Store Burned.

Iowa City, Ia., March 13.—Fire Sunday gutted C. Yetter's drygoods store. The loss is $78,000.

THE JAPANESE WIN A GREAT VICTORY

RUSSIAN ARMY SUFFERS COMPLETE ROUT AND CITY OF MUKDEN FALLS.

Kuropatkin Executes a Masterly Retreat and Reaches Tie Pass with But a Remnant of His Army—Losses on Both Sides Enormous.

Tokio, March 11.—Mukden fell at ten o'clock Friday morning. The Russians are panic-stricken. Thousands of prisoners and enormous quantities of stores and guns have been captured.

Fushun was occupied by the Japanese Thursday night. The fighting continues on the heights north of Fushun.

Oyama Tells of Capture.

Field Marshal Oyama telegraphs as follows under Friday's date: "We occupied Mukden at ten o'clock this morning. Our surrounding movement, in which we have been engaged for some days past, has now completely succeeded. The fiercest fighting continues at several places in the vicinity of Mukden. We captured a great number of prisoners, enormous quantities of arms, ammunition, provisions and other war supplies. There is at present no time to investigate the number of these."

Will Raise New Army.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—Official information from the Russian headquarters in the field, supplemented by dispatches from correspondents with the army of the Russian emperor, show that Gen. Kuropatkin, after suffering by far the most severe defeat of the war, has succeeded, as he did after the battle of Liaoyang, in extricating the remnants of his army from a position which military experts 24 hours before believed would result in its annihilation or surrender. The retreat from Liaoyang has been considered the most masterly ever executed, but it is far overshadowed by this latest feat of the Russian general, who has taken personal command of the troops. After fighting for nearly three weeks, losing in killed, wounded and missing probably a third of his army, or nearly 100,000 men, and a fourth of his artillery, Kuropatkin gathered what was left together north of Mukden and is taking them towards Tie Pass through a rain of shrapnel, which is being thrown on them from both right and left.

Their Fate Unknown.

What part of his army the Russian general has saved is apparently not known at the Russian headquarters. All dispatches indicate that part of his force has been cut off. Gen. Kaulbars seems to have extricated his corps, likewise Bilderling, but not so Linevitch. A correspondent says the Japanese separated the first and fourth Russian corps, and adds that help could not be sent them. Their fate is not recorded and the inference is that they have suffered defeat with capture. The censor no doubt took out of the dispatch what really happened to these corps. The first is Stackleberg's old corps, which has borne the brunt of every battle since Vafangow, and the fourth, under Gen. Zaroubaieff, has also been in the thick of all the battles. Remenkampff's fate is still in the balance.

Gen. Kuropatkin admits that 1,190 officers and 46,931 men are not responding to roll calls. This is rather vague. It may or may not include the thousands of wounded who have been sent north and again it may not include the losses suffered by the third army, with which the commander-in-chief was not in communication for some time. The figures given by the Japanese war office appear more reasonable, namely, 40,000 prisoners, 26,500 dead left on the field and 90,000 killed or wounded, the latter figure of course including the dead found by the Japanese. The Russian losses, therefore, total over 100,000 men, or more than one-third of the whole army. The fact that the Japanese report the capture of only 60 guns indicates that Kuropatkin at the last moment succeeded in sending a considerable portion of his artillery northward on the railway. The Japanese losses up to this morning were reported as 41,222, not including the army which pushed north between Mukden and Fushun.

May Fall Back to Harbin.

While a small portion of Kuropatkin's army has reached Tie Pass, the greater part of those who escaped from the battle of Mukden are still struggling onward, being at last accounts between 12 and 16 miles from their goal, with the Japanese, flushed with victory and reenforced by fresh men, harassing them from all sides. Even should the remnant of the army reach Tie Pass it is hardly possible for it to make a stand there against the overwhelming force opposing it, especially as the Russians must be worn out and weakened by the loss of men, guns and ammunition. It is more likely that Kuropatkin will fall right back to Harbin with what he can save and wait there for the reenforcements that St. Petersburg already has promised him.

Will Raise New Army.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—The immediate answer of the Russian government to the defeat at Mukden is the announcement that a new army will be raised and the forces in the far east reorganized; that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky will be ordered to sail on and try conclusions with Togo, and that the war will be prosecuted to the bitter end.

Kuropatkin Must Go.

Gen. Kuropatkin has telegraphed to Emperor Nicholas, assuming himself all the responsibility for his defeat, making no excuses except that the strength of the Japanese was miscalculated, and refusing to place any of the blame upon the council of generals upon whose advice he determined to give battle. This manly course and the general's personal exertions in directing the retreat will, however, hardly save him. His reputation as an offensive strategist is gone, and though the emperor's military advisors know not where to look for a better general, his resignation will be accepted.

Wants to Resign.

London, March 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: "Gen. Kuropatkin has asked the emperor's gracious permission to hand over his command, alleging that he is in urgent need of physical and mental rest.

"I learn on the best authority that Japan twice has approached Russia through informal channels on the subject of peace negotiations, but that in each case the proposal failed because Japan demanded an indemnity and a pledge that Russia would not keep warships in the Pacific for 25 years. The Japanese insistence on indemnity convinces the Russian government that her pecuniary resources are exhausted and that by continuing the war only a few months longer Russia will get better terms."

DEATH OF SENATOR BATE.

Attack of Pneumonia Ends the Career of Well-Known Tennessee Statesman.

Washington, March 10.—United States Senator William Brimage Bate, of Tennessee, twice governor of his state, a veteran of both the Mexican and civil wars, rising from private to major general in the confederate army in the latter and for 18 years a conspicuous member of the upper house of congress, died at his hotel apartments in this city Thursday, aged 78 years. Death was due to pneumonia and defective heart. Senator Bate attended the inauguration ceremonies on March 4 and his death is believed to be due primarily to exposure on that occasion.

Senator Bate took his seat in the senate in 1887 and was sworn in last Saturday for another term of six years. He was the ranking minority member of the committee on territories, military affairs and agriculture and forestry; also a member of several minor committees and chairman of one of the minority committees.

NOTED WOMAN GONE.

Death of Mrs. Hailmann Who Opened First Kindergarten Training School in United States.

Laporte, Ind., March 11.—Mrs. Eudora E. Hailmann, of this city, who with Elizabeth E. Peabody, opened the first kindergarten training school in the United States, died at North Reading, Mass., Friday. She was 55 years old. Mrs. Hailmann was born at Evansville, Ind. She wrote several books on kindergarten subjects and had been at the head of kindergarten training schools at Laporte, Ind., Washington, D. C., Boston, Mass., and Dayton, O. Her husband, Dr. William N. Hailmann, was commissioner of Indian schools during the second administration of President Cleveland.

Will Not Affect Investigation.

Washington, March 9.—Although the attorney general declines to discuss the subject, it is known that the report of the department of commerce and labor on the beef industry, published last week, will have no effect upon the investigation now being conducted by the department of justice to ascertain whether the injunction issued against the "Beef combine" in Chicago is being observed. This investigation will proceed as originally planned.

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The crop of cotton for 1904 is found to be 12,162,600 bales, produced on 20,500,700 acres.

The boy on the farm today must not be satisfied to simply know as much about agriculture as his father. He has got to know more and will.

Honey is shipped from Cuba to Germany, the United States, France and other countries. The amount gathered last year exceeds $600,000.

Do not kill the duck in spring time. Let them alone. Allow them to rear their young and then in the fall there will be more and better hunting.

John B. Guyton of Missouri, signed a contract at Seattle the other day, with Japanese officers agreeing to deliver 100,000 horses for the Japanese army.

In Denmark the farmers have a large co-operative egg marketing concern, and every member working off a bad egg is fined $1.25. If such a rule were in vogue in this country it would bankrupt the farmers paying the fines.

We do not think that the average farmer need to know how to make more money so much as he does to know how to make it easier and in a more profitable way—make fewer acres do the work of the many now run over.

The boy brings back $2 where he costs a cent. If you don't believe it, just wait until he is gone and see what a hole it makes in running the farm. Instead of figuring how much the boy costs, I think it is a great deal better to think how much he saves.

According to figures compiled by the Union Pacific railroad the alfalfa crop of Nebraska for 1904 was 908,242 tons. Ten years ago it was stated no alfalfa existed in Nebraska. Every man who raises alfalfa, it was pointed out, can raise cattle, sheep, horses and hogs.

Pennsylvania should step more rapidly, she appropriates only $1,000 a year for the Agriculture Experiment Station. Ohio gives $61,000; New York, $99,000; New Jersey, $27,000; Connecticut, $17,000; Montana, 24,000, and so on. We feel quite lonesome when we contemplate these figures. Pennsylvania ought to do better.

We want to say another word to the farmer boy. It won't be long till you'll be out working for yourself. You have been thinking and dreaming about that already, and wondering when the time will come. It will come and come quickly. What are you going to do then? Something honorable, of course; something that will benefit the world and give you a fair name. Such is the purpose of every good, ambitious and honorable boy.

If the 1904 crop were equally divided every man, woman and child in United States would receive one barrel of flour, 200 eggs, 140 quarts of milk, more then half of which goes into butter; one bushel of apples and two one-half bushels of other fruits and berries; three bushels of potatoes two bushels of carrots; beets, parsnips and turnips; eleven head of cabbage and half as much lettuce, cucumbers and cauliflower; twenty-eight bushels of corn, usually in the shape of beef, pork and poultry, besides seventy pounds of cotton, six pounds of wool for clothes and enough leather for two pair of shoes.

No Time For Leisure.

One of the real characteristics of this modern world is the decline of leisure. The present pace men set, compared with that of a generation ago, it is an automobile compared to a "one-hoss shay." The reasolute idlers even have to toil to idleness, for the present forms of amusement demand more and more energy for their pursuits. The natural conclusion is that men turn to golden grain belt beer as a rest and relief from this constant rush and worry. It quiets mind and body and allows one to rest perfectly when a minuet's let-up does come. We need its help more and more as the years go on. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

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W C Roberts to A W Lind, sw¼, sec 13-153-44	800
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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 11th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Clement deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Napoleon Clement the Executor of the estate of John Clement deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 11th day of March A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
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Order of Hearing on Petition for License to Sell Land.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.

In Probate Court,
Special Term March 11, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Herman Bischoff, deceased:

On reading and filing petition of Theresa Bischoff as administratrix of said estate, representing among other things that said Herman Bischoff at the time of his death was seized of certain real estate which is described in the petition herein, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate to pay the debts and legacies, and expenses of administration of said estate, and that it is the best interests of said estate and all persons interested therein that said real estate be sold; and it appearing by such petition that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of the administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, legacies and expenses of administration, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate, and that it will be for the best interest of said estate and of all persons interested therein that the real estate described in the petitou herein should be sold:

It Is Ordered that all persons interested in said estate be and appear before this Court on Saturday the 8th day of April A. D. 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County and State, then and there to show cause, if any there be why license should not be granted to said Theresa Bischoff, administratrix to sell real estate according to the prayer of said petition.

It Is Further Ordered that this order be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County and State.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 11th day of March A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

W. A. McINTYRE
Attorney for Petitioner
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
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Order for Hearing of Petition for Discharge of Admistrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre as Administrator of said estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree in said matter of said estate, and with the terms and conditions of all other decrees and orders of this Court in said matter, and has paid over to the distributees and persons named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded in said final decree, and praying that he as such Administrator of said estate, and the sureties on his bond, be discharged from all liability by reason of said trust and the administration of said estate.

Now, therefore, it is ordered, that said petition be heard by this Court at the Probate Court Office at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and it is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks immediately prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 9th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate, Red Lake County, Minn.

Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 6th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathilda A. Hall deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mathilda A. Hall deceased, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Andrew P. Hanson.

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 7th day of September, 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 6th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT
Judge of Probate
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So many odes to spring were printed two weeks ago that it is not strange Boreas should give a vigorous dying kick.

The Fairmont Sentinel suggests that if some preacher was only smart enough to put a side door in his church he would have it filled with men who would go in from force of habit.

Mary McFadden declares "there are a few nice men, and so many of us." This hardly excuses Mary, for she can have her pick of those whose affections are not already mortgaged.

Mankato is to have an agricultural journal, which is to be published by the Free Press Printing company. W. W. P. McConnell, former state dairy commissioner, will be the editor.

There will be no abolishment of the grand jury this year. It is hardly likely the house will favor the proposition, and if it should a veto from Governor Johnson can confidently be expected.

Editor Pease of the Anoka Union, life-long, unadulterated and blown-in-the-bottle Republican, says: "Hardly believe those Republicans who suppotred John A. Jonnson are sorry. On the other hand, they seem to be mighty pleased, for he's making good at every turn. At the editorial meet in St. Paul, he associated with the boys, just as he used to do, and acted as throngh he enjoyed being with them. He put on no airs, and greeted each just as pleasantly as he ever did. Went down to Chicago and made a rattling good speech before a gathering of business men, and told them that the west was the only place and some other good things. The people are fast learning that at last they have a level headed, entertaining, loyal, talented governor, and one who proposes to look out for their interests. I don't know what more they want."

A WASTE OF EFFORT.

There are some things connected even with good cause so puerile that a sensible man, when they are imposed upon his time and consideration, feels that he wants to just lie down and die, and so get rid altogether of a world with so much foolery in it. One of these is the agitation, now become a feature whenever a new ship is christened, about using water instead of wine in the ceremony, says the St. Paul Globe.

The mind of man or woman never conceived anything so utterly imbecile as this. While we do not in the least agree with the prohibition theory, we respect the sincerity of those who hold it. We are willing to argue with them, meet them on their own grounds if necessary and grant that they are animated by a desire to save humankind from an immense evil. Dissenting entirely from their method as one incapable of producing good results we are in perfect harmony with their hopes.

But whether the contents of the bottle that is shattered on a vessel's prow when first she glides into the water are water or wine or sulphuric acid or any other fluid can make no difference to any human being. The sea into which this falls is too big to get drunk. Even if it should fall into the mouth of a river, that is probably too far distant for its head to get swelled. The ceremony is a mere form of ancient standing, graceful, proper to be preserved, but not symbolic of anything in the remotest degree related to temperance or intoxication. It would be about as sensible to propose a change in the flag of the United States and strike out the crimscn stripes because when a man gets full he is apt to paint the town red.

In the name of common sense, let us have no more of this foolishness. If the advocates of temperance only knew it, they disgust thousands of people and turn them toward the flowing bowl in the reaction against any such extreme as this by even raising the question. There are innumerable little ceremonies and customs preserved from ages gone, have perhaps departed from their original meaning, but that it is pleasant to preserve, just as it is to save in some hidden drawer or cupboard heirlooms which we should no longer think of wearing. The method of christening a vessel is one of them. Let common sense prevail and this inane discussion be stamped out as it deserves.

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IN JOINT DEBATE.

For that vague feeling of unrest—take a long walk and a brace.—Duluth News-Tribune.

A good many of them cut out the walk and take a couple bracers.

The appropriation bill providing for a new federal building suffered the fate of the mileage graft bill and Alexandria must wait for it new postoffice.—Alexandria Post-News.

It is to be hoped that the appropriation measure was more meritorious than the mileage graft. It will be of political interest to note that Congressmen McCleary, Tawney and Stevens voted for the graft, while only John Lind voted against it. The other Minnesota congressmen were conveniently absent when the vote was taken.

Rumor has it that the Dunn faction will bring Loren Fletcher forward as the Republican gubernatorial candidate next year. It is not recorded, however, that the Barkis has consented.—St. Peter Herald.

If "Uncle Loren" is to remain in politics he will be obliged to find a new opening. The people of Minneapolis will hardly consent to a further extension of his congressional career.

If free Canadian wheat is a good thing for the Minneapolis millers then why not try free Canadian lumber for the Minnesota farmers?—Vesta Censor. Because it would destroy the stand-pat shibboleth of the trust serving partizan. Fairmont Sentinel.

Another reason why the farmer cannot get free lumber or any other tariff concession is the fact that the farmers' lobby in congress is ineffective. The special interests are always carefully guarded by paid representatives—and some of them have seats in the halls of congress.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

The "mileage raid," which passed the lower house of congress, and which the Minneapolis Tribune denounced as a "monstrous blunder," if it had not been knocked out by the senate, would have profited congressmen from Minnesota from $480 to $550 each. Tawney and McCleary voted for it and, of course, John Lind against it. It was just such a grab that forced Mark H. Dunnell out of politics and retired him to private life.—Albert Lea Standard.

A bill has been introduced in the state senate by Senator Wood of Long Prairie, which in fact is an act to do justice to the wives, widows and mothers of old soldiers. Its defeat would be a disgrace to the legislature, and would be regretted by the generous and warm hearted people of Minnesota.—Crookston Times.

Chattel mortgages should be handled in precisely the same way that real estate mortgages are handled. They should be filed in a county office instead of a town clerk's office and the sales under them should be published. There is no reason in equity or common sense in treating these two forms of obligatian on a different plane or method. —Wheelock's Weekly.

As a sample of diplomacy please consider for a moment the findings of the commission appointed to investigate the North sea incident. The commission finds that Admiral Rojestvensky was fully justified in sinking the English fishing boats, but that Russia must pay for them. —Ortonville Herald-Star.

While the legislature is at work on the full measure standards it might tackle the strawberry box. A howling constituency wants a full box that will fill a full stomach, and cream on the side. Let us have what is coming to us along the line. —Princeton Union.

LETTER FROM ST. PAUL.

The Senior Courier Editor Gives a Few Notes From the Capitol.

St. Paul, March 14.—Dear Courier Readers: It had been my purpose to write you every week, giving a few of my impressions of things about the state capitol, but since coming to St. Paul I have been pretty busy with affairs connected with the administration of my department of the state government. Hereafter I hope to have sufficient leisure to prepare a little "copy."

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The capitol building is still a mecca for visitors. I presume several thousand people are here daily to see the "marble pile." Few are disappointed with the building. They all declare it to be an architectural triumph, poetic in in conception and design, and magnificent in its arrangement. The Red Lake county people coming to the city should not neglect the opportunity to visit one of the world's great buildings, and they may be assured that whatever information or courtesy can be given from the state library will be fully extended.

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Red Lake Falls people are, of course, interested in Governor Johnson for a two-fold reason. He is the governor of our state, and again one of his last days prior to achieving national fame was spent in Red Lake Falls, where he delivered a notable address on the Fourth of July. I meet the governor frequently in the course of my work, and there is no apparent change in his demeanor or actions. Of course he appreciates the added dignity and responsibility of the high office to which he has been called, and he conducts himself accordingly, but to his friends and associates he is the same genial, affable personality as in the former role of country editor. It proves that Governor Johnson is not "swelled up" over his new job, and that power and popularity does not bring the vanity and self-importance that has often been the ruin of a bright mind and able official.

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The legislature will be in session another month. So far little has been accomplished owing to the new code. The house last Saturday adopted the code—first making some 1,500 amendments, and now the senate judidiary committee is wrestling with the proposition. It will be reported to the senate in a few days, and the prevailing opinion is that the code will be adopted, although the time for it to go into effect is a matter of conjecture.

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The Democrats in the state senate are not numerous, but most of them are able speakers, good parliamentarians, and in all respects competent to hold their own. Senator Schaller, the leader of the minority, is endowed with a well-rounded legal training and long legislative experience. Senator Fitzpatrick, the Winona celt, is probably the readiest wit in either house, if we except that professional funny man, W. I. Nolan. At a recent function given by the St. Paul Elks in honor of the legislature, the governor and other state officials, Mr. Fitzpatrick was called on for a speech, and there wasn't a dull line in his discourse. He closed by saying that "the legislature was a necessary incident of government," and that in Minnesota it was "convened for the purpose of passing laws for Minneapolis and affording temporary relief to St. Paul."

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I see some of the Red Lake Falls people occasionally. The other day Ed. Townsend and Miss Mabel Wyer, accompained by a party of Minneapolis friends, were callers at the library. One of the party was Miss Mary Swisher, who was a guest at the home of Frank E. Hunt last summer. Another was Miss Richardson, formerly a teacher in the Thief River school, and a frequent visitor to Red Lake Falls. Ned Taylor, who is clerking in a drug store on the east side, was a caller today. Last Sunday I saw Mr. and Mrs. J. A. H. Lemieux, whom the Red Lake Falls people will remember. Mr. Lemieux has had charge of the dry good department at Mannheimer's for the past year, but last week resigned to go the road for a St. Paul notion house.

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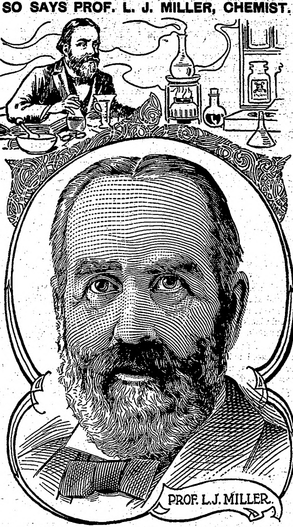
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"Feel Better Than for Five Years."

Mr. James B. Taylor, Roberts, Ind., writes:

"I am at the present time entirely well. I can eat anything I ever could. I took five bottles of Peruna, and feel better now than I have for five years. I have doctored with other doctors off and on for fifteen years, so I can recommend your medicine very highly for stomach troubles. I take great pleasure in thanking you for your free advice and Peruna."—James B. Taylor.

"I Enjoy my Meals as I Used to."

Mr. J. W. Pritchard, Wolf Lake, Ind., writes:

"I am pleased to say that I have been cured of catarrh of the stomach by Peruna. I could hardly eat anything that agreed with me. Before I would get half through my meal my stomach would fill with gas causing me much distress and unpleasant feelings for an hour or two after each meal. But, thanks to your Peruna, I am now completely cured, and can eat anything I want to without any of the distressing symptoms. I can now enjoy my meals as I used to do, and it is all due to Dr. Hartman and his wonderful medicine, Peruna.

"It has been one year since I was cured, and I am all O. K. yet, so I know I am cured."—J. W. Pritchard.

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Through the gambling instinct.

They let their insurance run out.

They bought things they did not need because they were cheap.

They did not use good judgment or right proportion in their expenditures.

They subscribed for everything they could pay on the installment plan.

Money enough went down in drink and up the smoke to have saved the home.

The father always intends to get his life insured but died without doing so.

They did not realize how easy it is to get into debt and hard it is to get out.

They tried hard to do what others expected of them rather than what they could afford.

They thought it small to insist on having an agreement or understanding put in writing.

They could not say "No" and they could not afford to tell their friends "I cannot afford it."

The sons thought they must "sow their wild oats" as well as the other "fellew of their set."

The daughters thought it beneath them to work for a living, but were bound to dress.

They drew their money out of the savings bank to put into some "wild cat" scheme and lost it.

They did not do business in a business way because they were dealing with friends and relatives.

The doctrine, "Each for himself and they devil take the hindmost," was, in effect, the family creed.

They never formed the habit of putting in the saving bank money which they did not immeadiately need.

They did not know that giving full power of attorney to an agent or lawyer put their property at his mercy,

They thought they could not afford to take their home paper and keep posted on matters of most vital interest to them.

They put off payments on everything possible because it would be much easier to pay tomorrow than to-day.

They signed important papers with-out knowing their contests just because they were asked to do so.

If you cannot eat, sleep or work, feel mean, cross and ugly, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. A tonic for the sick. There is no remedy equal to it. 35 cents, Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

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The privacy of the home will be enjoyed in the cosy compartments on the NORTH-WESTERN Limited. Ladies especially will appreciate the many little conveniences provided on this famous train,—every night Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago.

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The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney disease, by all druggists, at 50c per bottle.

In Dire Distress.

Misery and torture without parallel was the fate of Mr. Chas. Weaver, of Darlington, Wis. He writes: "After taking three boxes of Gloria Tonic my rheumatism entirely disappeared. Previous to taking this remedy I could not sleep nights." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flanndery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and biliousness." 25c at all druggists.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

The city council meets this evening.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allard are still numbered with the sick.

P. K. Olson was over from Plummer several days this week.

Miss Alice Boyd has been a victim to the grippe the past week.

R. E. Wyer was at Thief River Falls over Sunday visiting friends.

An enjoyable dance was held at the K. P. hall last Friday evening.

Teles Roblilliard and George Sauer were Fertile visitors Tuesday night.

Joseph Laundry, of Brooks, was a business caller at this place Monday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ildaige Baril on the 7th of this month.

Editor Hasilet of the Gazette will move his family in the Duffy house this week.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall will entertain Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. E. King.

Mrs. J. P. Harren has been suffering from an attack of the grippe the past few days.

M. O. Sortedahl was confined to his home the first of the week by an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. P. O. Floan has been sick the past few days but is improving nicely at this writing.

Herman Harren left Wednesday morning for Bisbee, N. D., where he will make his home.

Read Theo. LaBissoniere's adv. in this paper. He tells you all about house-cleaning necessities.

Joseph Schusser returned home Monday. He has been on the Soo survey the past few months.

Mrs. P. B. Gaass entertained a number of her lady friends Monday afternoon in honor of her birthday.

Men who are careful of purse and style will find the Lanpher hat to be all that we claim of it.—Garceau & Zaiser.

Lewis Noel left yesteaday for the West and if he likes the country he may deside to make Washington his home in the future.

Miss Grace Iddings is recovering rapidly from her illness and will soon be able to resume her duties at the school house.

Farmers are invited to call and see those Acme harrows that have so many friends throughout the country.—S. A. Swanson.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson was at Grand Forks the first of the week where he went on business connected with the hospital of that place.

The newest novelties in dress goods, the "Panamas" the "Eolinme," have made their appearance at Garceau & Zaiser's.

D. C. McIntyre left Tuesday for Hickson, N. D., after spending the winter at the home of his son, Atty. McIntyre, in this city.

Mrs. Joseph Salley will entertain the St. Mary's society Thursday afternoon. March 23. All are invited to attend.

Miss Lulu Fletcher returned to her school duties at Moorhead yesterday after a visit here with her parents for a week.

Albany Deforge went to Fosston Tuesday where he will receive treatment at the hospital for an ailment of one of his legs.

C. W. Cress has moved in from Lake Pleasent township and will hereafter make this city his home. The family occupy the Z. Bray house.

Wm. Knight, who has been working in the woods this winter, came home last week and remained over Sunday with his family and friends.

Its about time to be thinking about that wind mill. I handle the Goodhue mill, guaranteed first class in every particular.—S. A. Swanson.

Clerk of Court Perrault issued a marriage license the first of the week to Evind Gustenson of Garnes, and Miss Torbjorg S. Dale. of Equality.

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S. A. Swanson was at Wylie Wednesday where he purchased two cars of oats. He will ship one car to Montana and the other goes to Duluth.

Sam E. Hunt has been laid up the past few days with a slight attack of appendicitis. Sam's many friends hope he will soon recover his usual good health.

Relatives have received word that Miss Mary Erb is sick in Minneapolis with typhoid fever. Her many Red Lake Falls friends hope she will soon recover.

Mrs. A. B. Turdy, of Joliet, and Mrs. Ernest Turdy, of Bathgate, N. D., arrived in the city last Friday for a visit with their brothers, Frank and Ed. Brouillet.

Z. Bregier will move his pool room to St. Hilaire this month. He has rented buildings at that place and expects to do a flourishing business in the saintly city.

Agent Tracy of the Great Northern has a new assistant in the person of Wm. Eikstein who began his duties last week. Mr. Eikstein hailes from Wylie.

A. Brouillet, of Joliet, N. D., who has been sick at the home of his son Frank in this city, is improving rapidly and expects to return to his home in a few days.

Fertile went dry again at their election Tuesday, the probitionists winning by a margin of seven votes. Fosston, McIntosh and Mentor all voted against license.

Joe and Nap Miller have purchased a pool table and will occupy the building one door south of their present location. They expect to move in the near future.

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Robert Bourdon, who has been in the employ of the Soo serveying crew all winter. returned home Saturday evening, the surveyors having finished their work.

Mrs. Kate Spillane, mother of W. T. Spillane, has been quite sick this week with pneumonia but is improving and hopes are entertained that she will soon fully recover.

P. B. Gaass entertained a number of his gentlemen friends Saturday evening in honor of T. W. Doughty, of Armstrong, Iowa, who was his guest for a number of days.

Ed. Brouilliet, who has been in charge of an elevator at Wylie for some months there has returned to Red Lake Falls and will make this place his home in the future.

S. A. Swanson uses a good-size piece of the COURIER this week announcing the opening of the agricultural implement season. Look up his adv. on the last page.

E. L. Norton, of Minneapolis, was here over Sunday the guest of his friend, H. H. Zaiser. Mr. Norton is the traveling contracting freight agent for the Burlington railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harren returned from Grand Forks Monday evening. Mr. Harren was there on a business mission while Mrs. Harren visited relatives and friends.

Beathon & Armstrong announce the arrival of new spring and summer clothes on the first page of this paper. It will pay you to investigate their offerings before buying.

Garceau and Zaiser's store is to be equipped with a cash-carrier system in the near future. A new cashier's desk will also be among the improvement contempled for the store.

Ed. Mayer and family have moved on the Cress farm in Lake Pleasant, Mr. Mayers came from Illinois and will make a valuable addition to the neighborhood in which he has moved.

The "Merry Crew" club met at the home of Miss Florence Dautremont Monday evening. The party was given in honor of Miss Rose Harren who was celebrating her birthday that day.

The blasting by the pile driver crew on the Great Northern work has been hard on the windows about town the past few days. The contractors have already paid for several window lights.

There will be a basket social at the Patenode school house, four miles east of Red Lake Falls. Saturday evening, March 25. A literary and musical program will be given and all are invited to attend.

Commissioners Demann and Sutter and Frank E. Hunt were out in Equality Sunday looking over the proposed sites for a bridge. Csmmissioner Johnson, of Plummer, was also a member of the party.

Prof. Onstad was at St. Hilaire Monday evening drilling the band at that place. He says the youngsters are taking much interest in the organization and that they are making rapid advancement.

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Get ready to clean up your back yard as soon as the weather will permit. Strangers visiting a town are easily influenced by the appearance of the streets and yards, and a nice clean city appeals to all.

Hector St. Maries last week for Crookston for a visit with his parents. After spending a few days at that place he intends to go to Washington and may conclude to make his home in the west.

Mrs. Theresa Bischoff was here a couple of days last week looking after business matters and visiting old friends. She is teaching school near Englund, Marshall county, and returned to her duties on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Persons is visiting friends at Marshall and from that place she will go to St. Charles where the family expect to make their home in the future. Mr. Person expects to go to that place within a month.

T. W. Doughty, of Armstrong, Iowa, was in this section over Sunday looking at land and visiting friends. Mr. Douyhty thinks this section has a great future and may conclude to invest heavily in Red Lake county land.

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THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Prop.

Miss Emma A. Smith and Miss Nellie Read, the evangelists, will arrive in Red Lake Falls the 25th of this month and will begin their meetings Saturday, March 26. Particulars of the meeting will be given in next week's paper.

Thos. LaBissoniere is holding an auction sale at his farm south of the city to-day. He expects to move to Idaho in a few weeks where he will form a partnership with T. Teasiea, a former resident of Red Lake county, in a billiard and pool room.

The building recently vacated by the Sortedahl Land & Loan Co. is being put in shape this week and will be occupied by L. E. Erickson's tailor shop. The building belongs to Red Lake county and will bring in a handsome income for rent.

At a meeting of the K. P. lodge Monday evening a resolution was passed favoring the meeting of the lodge every two weeks hereafter instead of every week as has been the custom. The matter has been referred to the Grand Lodge for its consideration.

The next band concert will be given at the opera house, Friday evening, March 31st. All lovers of good music should attend this concert as the program will be an especially strong one, being made up of some of the very best selections in print. You will miss a musical treat if you fail to attend this concert.

A. L. La Freniere, a former Red Lake Falls boy, has purshased the Grand Rapids Independent and will assume editorial and business charge of the paper at once. Authorny is making rapid strides in newspaper work, and his many friends in Red Lake county will hope this latest acquisition will win him fame and fortune.

Town Clerk Baril was re-elected at Tuesday's election without opposition. Mr. Baril has held the office since 1891, the year he become of age. He does not particularly care for the position but he makes such a good official that his neighbors and friends throughout the township intend to keep him there as long as possible.

Rev. K. Bjorgo, of Red Wing, and Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, conducted services at the Norwegian Lutheren church last Sunday, Rev, Bjorgo preaching in the morning and Rev. Aastad having charge of the service in the evening. The gentlemen are good talkers and the congregation greatly enjoyed their efforts.

The town of Climax, over in Polk county, is said to have had a warm time last Tuesday when the question of license came up for settlement. The town went "wet" by one vote but the "dry" advocates have filed notice of a contest, and the end is not yet. Much hard feeling has been developed and both sides are claming fraud.

The lateness of Easter gives the milliners plenty of time to prepare for the event. Speaking of milliners reminds us of the young married man in Crookston who was seen hurrying along the street carrying a big paper bag. Someone asked why he was in such a hurry. "I've just bought a hat for my wife," he replied, "and I want to get home before the style changes."

F. Lecuyer and family arrived from Cottonwood this week and have moved on the old Noel homestead, six and one-half miles southwest of the city. Mr. Lecuyer has purchased 205 acres of land and has one of the best farms in the country. He is thorough farmer, has a large amount of machinery, stock, etc., and will make a valuable addition to the community.

There will be a meeting at the town hall Saturday evening for the purpose of inducing new members to join the band. The band management desire to start several members and make a band of thirty-five pieces this summer if possible. A class of beginners will be started, and all who are interested in music are requested to attend the meeting Saturday evening and help the cause along.

While here Monday Engineer McMilligan, who has pulled the passenger on this division of the Great Northern for some time past, received a telegram from Mason City, Iowa, announcing the death of his father. It was a great shock to Mr. McMilligan as he had not been advised that his father was sick. He left that evening for Iowa and will not resume his work again for a couple of weeks at least.

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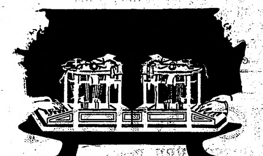

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THERE IS TALK OF PEACE NOW.

THE CZAR CALLS A COUNCIL MINISTERS TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION.

Cessation of Hostilities May be Considered by Russia. Kuropatkin's Losses Enormous.

St. Petersburg, March 14.—The Russian general staff reports that "the main body has already completed its retreat and the rear guard are falling back slowly."

What either the "main body" or the "rear guard" consists of has not been definitely fixed, but from the dispatches from the Associated Press correspondents with the Japanese and Russians, the two combined must be but a small portion of the army which Gen. Kuropatkin had gathered along the banks of the Shakhe and Hun rivers.

And yet those who have reached Tie Pass, worn out from days of fighting and retreating, are not out of danger, the Japanese it is reported, having already started another turning movement which will force the Russian3 on to the plains north of Tie Pass, where, in their disorganized state, they would be easy prey for the victory-flushed soldiers of the Mikado.

Washington, March 14.—When the czar calls his war council to-day he will be able to inform them that Japan will welcome peace on reasonable terms and will promptly name conditions provided she is given assurances that they will be seriously considered.

This the emperor has learned from friendly chancellories in Europe as well as the general terms acceptable to Japan.

These, it is said, include the retention by Japan of Port Arthur, a Japanese protectorate over Korea and an indemnity.

REVOLT IS WIDESPREAD.

Russian Peasants Pillage Granaries and Ransack State Buildings.

St. Petersburg, March 14.—Revolt is already widespread in the provinces of Orland Kursk, where the agitation began openly a fortnight ago, since which time it has been daily increasing in magnitude.

The districts of Dmitrieff and Seosk are pillaged nightly by large masses of peasantry. The graneries are plundered and state buildings ransacked and forests cut down. More than a dozen leading estates have been totally devasted.

The magnates are panic-stricken and have telegraphed to M. Bouligine, minister of the interior for more troops, but he has been able to send only a few companies, showing how desperate, from the authorities' point of view, is the internal situation of Russia.

Lucky Policeman.

New York, March 14.—Jeremiah Barber, a policeman, who has served the city four years, has it is reported, fallen heir to two fortunes aggregating nearly $300,000.

The first notice of his good fortune was from Oakland, Cal., where the policeman's uncle, James Elgar, died recently. Barber was on strike duty, and had not been home in four days, when his wife hurried to the station with a letter announcing that her husband had been willed the bulk of his uncle's estate.

Spotted Fever.

New York, March 14.—That cerebro-meningitis "spotted fever" is killing about forty persons a week in this city, was asserted last night, by Commissioner Bartington of the health department, and reports received from cities and towns in Connecticut, New Jeesey and Pennsylvania show that New York is not alone in fighting against the ravages of this dread disease, which kills about 50 per cent of all those attacked by it.

Fire at Mankato.

Mankato, March 14.—The most disastrous fire in the history of the city occurred last evening, lasting from 9 o'clock until almost midnight. When the flames were finally under control, the beautiful Glass Block at the southwest corner of Front and Jackson streets were in ruins, and Richard Bros' big dry goods establishment, the Northwestern Telephone exchange and a dozen physicians had been burned out of house and home. The total loss will be $150,000, on which there is partial insurance.

Killed by Grief.

Peoria, Ill., March 14.—Declaring that he had nothing more to live for, Isaac G. Reynolds, a pioneer merchant, took to his bed after the funeral of Mrs. E. A. Havens, last week, and never arose. He passed away at the Cottage hospital yesterday.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, March 13

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.10; No. 2 northern, $1.06; May, $1.09. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 41. Rye—No. 2, 77c. Barley—No. 2, 49c. Flax—$1.30. Butter—Creamery, extras, 27@28c; firsts, 24@25c; dairy, fancy, 22@24c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, March 13

Cattle—Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.40@4.75. Sheep—Muttons, $[illegible]; lambs, $[illegible].

MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

The state will start a hatchery for pheasants.

The state board of control resents attacks upon it.

Patronal day is celebrated at St. Thomas college.

Fraternal organizations disagree over legislation.

The preachers of the city are planning a big revival.

Hamline university gets a bequest of more than $30,000.

A house bill provides for Sunday excursions on railroads.

Michael Dillon of White Bear is hurt while operating a power saw.

Business men of Blakely want a bridge across the Minnesota river.

The state dairy commissioner is continuing his crusade for pure milk.

G. E. Lennon offers $2,500 toward a fund for an auditorium at St. Paul.

The semi-annual apportionment of state aid to schools amounts to $547,635.

St. Paul federal employes to get no more pay, but are lucky to keep their jobs.

Two Soudan doctors are indicted on a charge of exposing a smallpox patient.

The Sportsmen's League of Minnesota is organized with a membership of 200.

George A. Ralph reports that the state has dug 200 miles of drainage ditches.

It is proposed to spend $400,000 for a new main building at the state university.

The Omaha and the Minneapolis & St. Louis roads will send out good seed trains.

A daring attempt is made at robbing the safe of the Crescent Creamery company.

H. J. Justus was appointed deputy oil inspector for Carver county by Governor Johnson.

The city adopts a new plan to head off damage suits on account of defective sidewalks.

It is estimated that more than 15,000 people visited the new capitol during the afternoon.

The biennial report of the state dairy commissioner shows rapid growth of dairy industry.

One man is killed and four are injured in collapse of approach to Missabe ore dock at Duluth.

Three little runaway boys were found sleeping in the railway station at Wayzata, Lake Minnetonka.

While working on a log jam at Enterprise, Minn., Conrad Helms fell into the river and was drowned.

Bemidji is enjoying a mad dog scare, and a good many of the dogs in town have been slaughtered.

The school in District No. 28, four miles north of Sunrise, has been closed on account of diphtheria.

A $15,000 clubhouse is to be built at Southshore, Mille Lacs lake, by the Eastern Minnesota Land company of Milaca.

Positions were obtained for 106 men and 22 women by the Minneapolis Union City Mission during the month of February.

The estate live stock sanitary board reports a prevalence of glanders among the horses in the timber lands of Northern Minnesota.

The state historical society's archaeological collection of 400,000 specimens is being catalogued and made ready for exhibition.

The state railroad and warehouse commission has been appealed to by shippers to secure them a rebate on coal shipments from Duluth.

The Great Northern railway company yesterday paid $50,000 into the state treasury on the 1904 gross earnings tax of that company.

Two hundred sportsmen from all parts of the state went on record as favoring a law making the forest reserves of the state game preserves.

The work of logging in the Minnesota woods is over. The cut has been small, the mild weather having interfered with hauling operations.

The report of the state oil inspector shows that a total of 199,724 barrels of oil were inspected in the state during the year ending July 31 last.

Henry Klenitz, a prisoner at the Ramsey county jail, dies in great agony, and it is believed that he swallowed pieces of a broken mirror.

Germans of the twin cities propose to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the death of Frederick Schiller, the great German poet, on May 9.

The will of Reuben Warner, St. Paul's pioneer jobber, who died last week, was filed yesterday for probate. It values the estate at $400,000, of which $50,000 is in personalty.

Fire broke out in the rear of Green's saloon at Campbell, and before it was under control several of the town's largest buildings were in ruins and the loss is estimated at close to $20,000.

Deputy United States Marshal W. E. Grimshaw will take five Chinese to Seattle for deportation. Three will go from Duluth, Hor Leong, Jim Ginn and Fung Jin, and two from Ashland, Wis., Lee Lung and Lee Quong Yok.

The weekly smallpox report of the state board of health shows that there are twenty-eight new cases in the state. The two counties having the largest number are Otter Tail with eight, and McLeod with five.

Henry Beumer, John Hurly, John Milz and Louis Steinbauer, all residents of St. Augusta, had a narrow escape from drowning while attempting to cross the Mississippi near Clear Lake. The horses owned by Beumer were drowned.

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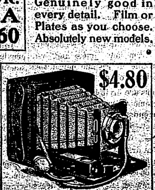

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BERT'S STRATEGY

By RUTH SANTELLE

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Bertie Temple came hurriedly up the steps with a purposeful look in his usually dreamy eyes that elicited a murmur of surprised comment from the nearest groups on the hotel piazza. He made straight for the corner where Dorothy Vane was holding merry court. Mayhap it was rude to interrupt Upright's best story, but the fair lady lifted questioning eyes, and Bertie plunged into the hostile masculine circle.

"If you please, Miss Dorothy, I should like to beg a few moments' conversation—private, if I may make so bold."

Perhaps it was for the reason that this frank request, made with such apparent confidence in its being granted, sounded so unlike diffident, self deprecatory Bertie that her woman's curiosity was aroused. At any rate, the furious swains received a gracious but aggregate smile for their kindness, and Miss Dorothy was borne away down the moonlit piazza on the arm of that vandal, Temple.

"I'm in a deuce of a hole, Dollie," began Bertie, low and hurriedly. "I can't tell anybody else, but I know you'll help a fellow out. It's that Miss Simpkins—oh, I suppose it sounds frightfully caddish—but I should think you must have seen! Encouraged by my childlike countenance to take advantage, like all the others"—

"Most unhappy infant!" interrupted Dorothy, with a sympathetic pat on his white flanneled sleeve. "You have had our united commiserations for a week. If that amiable spinster harbors no design upon your innocent head appearances are indeed misleading. Only don't, I beseech you, ask me to abuse a faithful conscience by hiding her false front or anything like that."

"No, Dollie, I have my plan—amazingly simple and, I think you'll admit, rather clever." Then he added, with a sharp glance from the corners of his eyes, unobserved by the smiling maiden, "And if you'll only say yes, Dollie, we ought to be able to get some fun out of it thrown in."

"Unveil your mystery," came the animated command.

"It's just this: The old, old bore buttonholed me after dinner tonight and whispered laughingly that she'd discovered the music room window behind the portieres was the most heavenly place to watch the moonlight on the waves and that she was going to feast her soul there this evening and—oh, you know the sort of stuff! Of course it would be the most natural thing in the world for me to forget it if I had persuaded my fiancee to sit with me just outside the window." He stopped suddenly as they reached the corner of the east piazza, caught both the girl's hands and held them for an instant. "Dollie, will you be engaged to me for an hour, just to save a fellow from the clutches?"

Dorothy's head went high, the scent of battle in her delicate nostrils. During the barely perceptible hesitation her mind held the picture of a recent day when she had been cheated out of an afternoon's sailing with the adorable Freddie Burton by Miss Simpkins' meddling.

"I'll do it, Freddie," she whispered in gay excitement.

A moment later Mr. Temple was seating his fiancee pro tem. beneath the wide, dark music room window.

"Ah, Dollie, mine," he breathed in admirably loverlike tones, while the young lady thus possessively addressed half suppressed hysterical giggles, "at last I have you to myself and away from all those smirking cads that cluster around you as if they had the right. The right is mine now, isn't it, sweetheart?"

"Ye-es," very faintly.

Thus encouraged, the happy lover drew nearer and availed himself of two tempting white hands. Miss Dorothy removed them from his tender clasp with vehemence. "Now, Bertie, how many times have I to tell you"—

There was just the tiniest rustling within the window.

"Dollie," he whispered, "you mustn't forget we're engaged!"

The hands resigned themselves limply to the inevitable.

"I hope you realize, dearest"—the voice became audible again, and Dorothy was surprised to notice how pleasantly caressing Bertie's voice could be—"that you have made me the happiest man alive. I've never wanted anything as I have wanted this, and now—oh, girlie, it's almost unbelievable yet! Tell me again that it's so; that you truly love me!"

Dorothy's eyes opened wide in the darkness. Bertie Temple making love in this magnificent fashion! It was almost thrilling.

"Why, of course I do, silly. You know it without my repeating it over and over as if I had nothing else to say."

"Do what, sweetheart?" mischievously.

Again a suggestion of movement on the other side of the window.

Bertie pressed the captive hands warningly. "Please," he whispered. "She's there, listening. You promised. We'll both be in for it if you fail now."

"Well, then behave!" she retorted under her breath. "Just this once, mind." Then a little louder, but unsteadily, "Do I-I-love you, Bertie," she said.

"Oh, my little girl, my little girl!" he said huskily, holding the hands tighter than ever. "I said I was happy before, but I've never been absolutely so until this minute. Why, Dollie! You remember we were interrupted last night, and you've never let me kiss you. It's 'Yes,' isn't it, dear?" leaning very close.

"Why, Bertie Temple, I should say not! Of all the mean, deceiving advantage taking tricks"— She paused breathless, her voice quivering wrathfully.

But Bertie clung desperately to her hands. "Dollie, don't spoil it all!" in a beseeching whisper. "We'll never hear the last of it."

She sank back weakly.

"Oh! I—I—it's so very new, you know. I'm not accustomed to it yet. You—you are not angry with me, d-dear?"

"Angry with you? Never as long as I"—

"Of course I didn't mean that. But anyway you mustn't surprise me so violently. It might make me l-l-like you less. No, I guess I'd better not let you tonight, just for punishment. No—I—well! If you're going to feel so heartbroken, just one ve-ry tiny one right here," indicating the tip of a rosy ear.

The elaborate performance was hardly concluded when a small, agitated voice came very close to Mr. Temple's own auditory member.

"Bertie! I'm positive I smell fresh cigar smoke! Do you suppose any one is listening round the corner? I shall simply die."

The answer came from an unexpected quarter. Out of the dusk of the low music room window stepped the youthful, immaculate figure of Miss Dorothy's brother Bob.

"Hello, you two!" he greeted genially, but with carefully modulated voice. "I didn't mean to listen more than a minute, but it was too good a chance to learn how. I knew you'd not mind so much, being all in the family. But, seriously, old man, I'm no end glad! Rather have you for a brother than any fellow I know—though I had a suspicion that Dot made a practice of refusing you about once a week. And here's my most brotherly kiss for the maiden—not on the ear, either!" And Bob beamed gleefully on one and then the other, a man who had risen to accept his felicitations with quiet dignity and a girl who stood with both hands pressed to a palpitating breast.

"This will just about sign your release on the Simpkins' question, won't it, Bertie?" continued the garrulous Bob. "By the bye, that cheerful skeleton came tiptoeing into the music room just before you two obscured my outlook and left with obvious reluctance on discovering me. I suppose it's registered to my discredit, but I hadn't the moral courage to resign the window seat in her favor."

Dorothy's hands suddenly covered her face, but not in time to quench a little gasping sound that was not more than half laughter.

Bertie took one step to her side and threw a protecting arm across the bent shoulders. Under that shelter a fluttering little heart was proclaiming: "She did come! It was the truth and not a joke to make me wretched! I could never have married a man who would lie to me!"

"Dot must be weeping to think how cut up old lady Simpkins will be," ventured Bob, "and nervous, I suppose, at being interrupted so suddenly. Never mind, little girl. I'll go right away and never tell a soul. Only she might show brother her new ring—or is it all so very new that the ring hasn't arrived yet?"

"So new that the ring was about to be produced when you appeared," replied Bertie in a very deep voice, taking Dollie's left hand and slipping something very quickly on to her finger.

"Oh!" she cried, with a quaver of delight; then she sat down very abruptly, leaning forward to let the moonlight sparkle on the beautiful stone.

For once in his life Bob showed sufficient discretion to steal noiselessly away.

She sat very still, absently turning the circlet this way and that, watching the flash of changing colors; then, with a shaky little sigh, she slipped it off and held it toward him. "It's very lovely, Bertie. I guess the girl you bought it for won't mind my having it on for a few minutes. Aren't you going to tell me who she is, Bertie? We've been pretty good friends, you know."

Straight and tall he stood before her. "Yes, Dollie, I am going to tell you who she is," he answered slowly, then dropped on one knee and slipped the ring back on the finger from which she had removed it. "She is you, you, you," he whispered, "and no one else in the wide world. May it stay there, my Dollie?"

"Bertie," and her eyes grew luminous with wonder, "do you mean that you still care after I have refused you—oh, I don't like to think how many times? But I never knew how nice you could be."

"You never gave me the chance," he answered happily, "so I had to try strategy."

Not In His Line.

The sexton of a certain parish church would brook no interference with what he was pleased to call his "special duties."

"Every mon to his trade, sez I," he would remark. "Let the passon do the praichin' an' I'll do the rest."

On one occasion the vicar was of the opinion that John was neglecting his duties.

John, who was not wanting in wit, strenuously denied the charge and said that he was 'not goin' to stand no meddlin'" with his affairs.

"But, John," said the vicar, "it behooves everybody to mind his p's and q's."

"Everybody but me," retorted John, refusing to be cornered. "P's an' q's is nowt i' my line. I've enough to do to mind the keys and pews."—London Telegraph.

FELTER'S VACATION.

The Story of a Visit to Germany With High Honors.

Once upon a time the senate restaurant at Washington was managed by a German-American named Felter, who was a renowned caterer to senatorial appetites and of course was popular.

In one of the nine months' congressional vacations Felter concluded to visit his old home in Germany, so he applied to Jim Christy, deputy sergeant at arms, for ocean transportation, which in due time was produced, and Felter started in high glee. He did not know how Christy procured the passes, nor did he care.

When he embarked the captain of the German line received him cordially, but with great dignity assigned him to one of the best staterooms and adorned his cabin with flowers. He had the post of honor at table and was treated as a hero or as a great personage might be treated.

Felter the cook could not understand, but he took all that was offered and made the best of the situation. When the vessel finally reached her destination and the passengers were landed the captain of the ship introduced Felter to the mayor, who awaited his coming and insisted that he make his home in the mayor's residence during his visit. His astonishment increased, but he accepted all of these attentions without asking any questions.

The following day he was banqueted as the guest of the city and was called upon for a speech. To the best of his ability he complied and explained the complex workings of the great republic of which he was a naturalized part, and every utterance was applauded. But Felter was unhappy, anxious to get away and find some old friends who might explain the reason for all this adulation. When the banquet was over an old schoolmate managed to get hold of his hand and begged him to go to his house for the night. This Felter gladly did, although the mayor gave reluctant permission, indicating that it was the next thing to discourteous for Felter to abandon the mayor's home while he was the guest of the city.

As soon as they were alone the friend inquired in German, "Felter, what sort of a game is this you have come over here to play on the folks of the fatherland?"

"I don't understand the game myself, and I wish that you could explain it to me. I am the keeper of the restaurant of the senate and am earning a good living at it—in fact, saving money. But that is no position of high honor, and I don't know what these people are doing all this entertaining for. It is away beyond me."

"Why, the steamship people issued your pass for Senator Felter and announced the coming of the senator on their line, and that's the reason you are thus received—in honor of your alleged rank and station."

"Let's look at the passes," said Felter. And there, sure enough, although he had not noticed it before, Jim Christy had secured passes for "Senator Felter," because in no other way could he have secured them.

Felter left the town early the next day and never re-entered it until he had concluded his visit to relatives, and then he came back just in time to catch the returning steamer before she left her dock. When he returned to Washington the things that he said to Jim Christy were too numerous and too strenuous for publication.—St. Louis Republic.

The Baby Camel.

The baby camel is a curious looking little creature, but one which you would hardly select as a household pet. Like all young beasts, it is playful, in a modified, solemn sort of way, and is as clumsy as it is odd to look upon.

Some one has said that if a camel were rid of its deformity it would be quite a respectable appearing beast. But the hump is in nowise a deformity, and a camel who possessed pride of race would die of shame if such a thing were to happen to him. In other words, he would be a camel freak. And with a baby camel, as his hump grows apace, he, too, becomes unusually proud and consequential.

Odd Russian Custom.

Eight days after a baby is born in Russia its hair is shaved by a priest. This is snipped off in four places on the top of the head to form a cross. The baby's godfather collects the shorn down, pinching it up with wax from the tapers. It is then thrown into the baptismal font. If the little pellet sinks there is great sadness in the baby's home, for the Russians believe that the child will die before a year has passed.

Mutually Beneficial.

"Will you keep my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"No, sir; I'll keep her in a style to which she has not been accustomed."

"All right, my boy. Take her and be happy. Now her mother and myself will be able to put on a little style to which we have not been accustomed."—Houston Post.

What They Seek Here.

"What is the chief product of the United States?" asked the teacher in a European school.

And without hesitation the bright pupil replied:

"Money."—Washington Star.

The Cynic.

"Let me see, a cynic is a man who is tired of the world, is he not?" the young student of language asked.

"No, no, my child," replied the knowing tutor. "A cynic is a man of whom the world is tired."—Pick-Me-Up.

The miserablest day we live there is many a better thing to do than die.—Dalley.

HOMES OF THE SWISS.

Pretty and Distinct In Style, but Have a Lonely Appearance.

Swiss houses impress one almost invariably with a sense of loneliness. Probably this may be attributed to the contrast they present to their surroundings. They are commonly dwarfed into insignificance by the gigantic scenery in which they have been placed. But near at hand they are decidedly pretty, although their architectural style is distinct from any other.

They are rarely painted and seldom ornamented or embellished, save that the boards and shingles are not infrequently cut and scalloped into odd shapes. Sometimes the front of a chalet bears the owner's or builder's name in large letters, followed by a sentiment, a benediction or a prayer.

These chalets are provided with overhanging roofs, on which flat stones have been laid to keep the fierce winds from tearing them off and not because—as an animated tailor's sign, with a monocle, once informed an old lady in my presence—the natives wished to effect a saving in nails.

Various fruits and vegetables are hung under the projecting eaves for shelter, and the firewood is piled high without for future use. The ground floor is generally given up to a stable, where the cattle are housed in the winter, in delightful proximity to the family overhead.

The household treasures are contained in the living room, or gute stube. Here, too, you will find the large porcelain stove that is the center of the family gatherings on the long winter evenings. In the kitchen, of course, the furniture is of the plainest description, usually consisting of a rude loom, a huge fireplace, a table and a few chairs.—Pilgrim.

BEES IN WAR.

Two Instances In Which the Insects Were Used as Weapons.

The beekeeper, holding a number of bees in his hand, said as he led the way through the apiary: "Bees in the past were used as weapons of war. In the siege of Themiscrya, for instance, they played a very important part. The Romans in this siege made mines in the ground, and the enemy, opening the mines from above, threw in upon the Romans bears and other wild animals, together with swarms of bees. That caused the Romans to flee howling.

"Here in my notebook is another account of the use of bees in war. It is an extract from an Irish manuscript in the Bibliotheque Royale at Brussels, and it tells how the Danes and Norwegians attacked Chester and were repulsed, thanks to the use of bees by the Saxons and their allies in the town.

"'The Norwegians,'" read the beekeper, "'sheltered by hurdles, tried to pierce the walls. Then what the Saxons and the Gaedhil did was to throw down large rocks, by which they broke down the hurdles over their heads. What the others did to check this was to place large posts under the hurdles. What the Saxons did next was to put all the beer and water of the town into the caldrons of the town, to boil them and spill them down upon those who were under the hurdles, so that their skins were peeled off. The remedy which the Lochlans applied to this was to place hides on the outside of the hurdles. What the Saxons did next was to throw down all the beehives in the town upon the besiegers, which prevented them from moving their hands or legs from the number of bees which stung them. They afterward deserted and left the city.'"—Chicago Chronicle.

The Squirrel.

A squirrel's natural term of life is from fifteen to twenty years, and in localities where they are little disturbed they multiply with extreme rapidity. Indeed, in the early history of the United States they were so numerous in certain localities as to be almost a plague, and large sums were annually paid in bounty for the scalps. In the west large hunts were organized by the early settlers in order to try to reduce their numbers, as now it is found necessary to do to prevent the jack rabbits from becoming a scourge to the farmers. On these hunts thousands of squirrels wer killed, and yet from all accounts their numbers were not greatly reduced.

A Quick Witted Waiter.

A western congressman says that while he and certain friends were studying the bill of fare in a hotel on the New Jersey coast a mosquito alighted on the card. It instantly lost its life by a quick blow from the man holding the card, its little carcass remaining on the bill. With a smile the man pointed to the remains and said to the waiter:

"Do you serve these on toast here?"

"They're on the bill, sir!" was the witty retort of the waiter.

The Great Difficulty.

"One-half of the world's happiness is solved when a person learns to mind his own business."

"Yes, but it's the other half that causes the most trouble."

"What's that?"

"Getting other people to mind theirs!"—Detroit Free Press.

His Peril.

"Is your husband a criminal lawyer?"

"Mercy, no! But he has to associate so much with those awful men he defends that really I'm sometimes afraid he soon will be."—Cleveland Leader.

Good Preventive Anyway.

"Doctor, isn't there anything I can do for this seasickness?"

"Why, yes. Try farming."—Life.

Credulity is the man's weakness, but the child's strength.—Lamb.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Junior class is an exceedingly bright class.

The Spartans made 43.12 points on their last program.

The Athenians program will be given to-morrow Friday March 17th.

Miss Lulu Fletcher was a visitor of the High School Wednesday morning.

Some of the boys were entertained by Miss Tamlbiing Wednesday noon until 12:30.

The Physics class is now working with experiments. They think it is quiet a relief.

The Civics class took an examination Tuesday afternoon. They all expect to get a hundred.

Wednesday night the report cards were handed out. They were well decorated with red as usual.

The Athenians say that the Spartans always have all theadvantages. Its about time that they should try and obtain some.

One of the very bright, "Sophs" when asked what 1-3 of 45 was had to ponder a while then give up and say, "she did not know."

Tuesday morning one of the Sophmore boys on account of studying so hard, became dizzy and fell over while walking to his seat.

Saturday afternoon March 4th was spent by Mr. Chamberlain and a few High school boys in making vaulting and jumping standards and hurdles.

A collection of 25c a piece will be taken among the high school boys, in the near future for the purpose of buying new articles for field day use.

Wednesday noon a meeting was held in the southwest corner of the assembly room by Mr. Chamberlain and the boys. We don't know what it was about but we think it must have been about the field meet.

Washington School Notes.

Marcus and Fred Schmitz reporters.

We are glad to hear that Nickie Helm is improving.

Inez Hanson was absent from school Monday afternoon.

Wednesday, being Ash-Wednesnay several were absent for church.

Louise Majtres, of the forth grade, has returned after a two weeks absence.

The fifth grade had a test in geography last Monday morning on the British Isles.

Olive Zaiser returned to school Tuesday after a week's absence on account of sickness.

Tuesday the fifth grade had an examination in language and we all thought it was easy.

The four seasons as named by a second grade pupil are: spring, summer, Easter and fall.

The sixth grade has finished its study of North America and have begun the study of United States.

The boys are finding it hard work to keep their hands out of their pockets, on account of those magnetic marbles.

Harry Anderson returned to school Monday after a two weeks absence on account of the sickness of his mother.

Preston Hall is absent on account of sickness. This is the first time he has been absent or tardy since school started and we certainly miss him.

Carl Schmidt, of the third grade met with a serious accident at home. A colt bit his ear causing an ugly wound which will keep him from school.

It is to be understood that the fifth and sixth grades gather these notes each week, so when we say "us" or "we" you will understand who it means.

Among the accidents which occurred last week were these; Albert Kriel received a black eye from a snow ball and Henry Skala received a bloody nose from the foot-ball.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Healy showed us some old money during the history period. It was very interesting to look at. In the collection was a U. S. half dollar dated 1819, some 5, 10 and 15 cent bills and a penny of civil war times.

Mrs. McIntyre visited our school one day two weeks ago. We are sorry that the fact was neglected in our other notes. It is so seldom that we see visitors that we try to see that they get their names in the paper.

The Washington School had a fire drill last week. It was a surprise to all the pupils and altho several classes were at recitation we succeeded in clearing the building of books, wraps and pupils in three seconds over one minute.

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Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

"What furnishing for life should a pupil hope to get from a four-year's high school course," was a question put to the Senior class as a subject for one lesson in English composition. Some of the answers were as follows:

HOW A HIGH EDUCATION FITS FOR LIFE.

Every person that enters into business life without a high school education is greatly handicapped and there is no better preparation, in the reach of every boy and girl, for life's work than a high school education. The course in the grades is only a preparation for high school work. A pupil's first work in high school is to master the easier subjects. Through botany, he learns all of plant life and in physiology, a thorough knowledge of the human body is acquired. A starting in the sciences and languages is made. Thus, as he advances, he increases in wisdom, none of which is obtained without hard study. Arithmetic in its higher branches is learned. A thorough study of our government is given which is one of the chief factors in making a model citizen. Chemistry and physics give a knowledge of the laws of nature and the composition of all objects. The English language is thoroughly learned through the study of latin. Thus, when that person finishes high school, he is well versed in all branches used in a business life.

A person with a high school education is of more value to society and to the world than one with only an education in the grades. No matter where you go, an educated person is looked up to and respected. His moral qualities are of a higher type. Some people believe in taking their children from school when they have finished the eighth grade. They say, "whats the good of their learning latin and the sciences, things which they will never use." There is where they make their mistake. A person with highschool training can think quicker and has a more perfect control over his mental powers than one without that training. If everybody would consider their education complete without a high school education, this nation, in fifty years, could not be considered the most progressive nation in the world as it is now. The present high school pupils of the United States are the future men and women of this nation, and there is no doubt that they will maintain this nation at its present standard.

RALPH HEALY.

A HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION FOR LIFE TRAINING.

The value of a high school course is hardly to be over-estimated.

If a person is not able or does not care to go farther than the high school, he certainly should have that much education if possible.

Our high school system is so thorough and planned with that end in view, that any one will be competent to make his own way in the business world without further training. After a pupil has finished the study of bookeeping and mathematics, he is fitted to fill places, requiring a knowledge of these branches, successfully. In our high school course we study all practical subjects, some of which train the mind to reason things out, while other subjects are for different purposes.

In the high school we receive all of this training and study at comparatively no expense. While if we do not have it, when we enter college, we are required to take a preparatory course which takes in just these subjects and still costs just as much as the regnlar course.

Hundreds of our most useful and successful men and women in the common walks of life have never had any more education than this. But we see how rapidly they have advanced in business and what a great help this training has been to them. While they may not really use many of the subjects they studied the last two or three years in high school still they were benefitted in many ways besides the mere book training.

Most pupils learn self control, perseverance and the power of clear thinking, which certainly aids in after life.

IZA TIBBETS.

(Other essays on this subject will be printed next week.)

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LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. L. Austin, of St. Hilaire, was visiting Red Lake Falls friends today.

Atty. A. A. Miller, of Crookston, was a business caller at this place Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. King expects to go to St. Paul Saturday evening to remain over Sunday.

Henry Kaufer left Monday evening for Henning to visit old friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank St. Marten have been visiting friends at Brooks the past week.

County Treasurer Hansen spent Sunday with his family and friends at Thief River Falls.

Miss Etta Zaiser went to Fertile Monday evening where she has a large music class.

Garceau & Zaiser are introducing the new ladies' negligee shirts in mohair, mercerized and dot effects.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Perham has 1200 people and ten saloons.

Little Falls has 1112 registered voters.

Moorhead is advertising for a city physician.

Virginia has organized a business men's club.

Wadena's expenses last year were $17,000.

Middle River is to incorporate in the near future.

International Falls has organized a large Odd Fellows lodge.

The Little Falls commercial club will give prizes for farm produce.

Kanabec county wants $25,000 for drainage. Polk has already spent $300,000.

The fiercest and most destructive prairie fire in years visited the country about Ellendale, N. D., last week. Thousands of ton of hay and hundreds of head of cattle were destroyed.

A Rosebud farmer by the name of Thos. Thaper, is the champion wolf slayer of Polk county. So far this winter he has succeeded in killing 14 of the carnivorous beasts and has received in bounty $90.

The Northern baseball league will have but six teams this year Thief River Falls failing to make good. The towns represented this year will be Winnepig, Grand Forks, Crookston, Fargo, Duluth and St. Cloud-Brainerd.

The state live stock sanitary board reports a prevalence of glanders among the horses in the timber lands of North Minnesota. During the past week the officers of the board were obliged to kill fifty horses in the lumber camps owing to glanders. The board will during the next few weeks keep a close watch of the condition of diseased horses in the camps and if the disease tends to spread, more vigorous measures will be adopted.

A freak calf was born on the farm of G. E. Pinske, a few miles northeast of Ada, last week. The calf had two fully developed necks and heads. It was dead at the time of birth. The mother of this calf is one of the four that was born, about three years ago, at one time: of which three are still alive. Mr. Pinske states that these cows are full blooded Shorthorns, and are a thrifty trio. A large number of people have seen the calf and say it beats any ten cent museum they have every witnessed.

Notice of Abatement.

Whereas, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of a part of a certain street and a certain alley and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a Plat showing in Red color the part of the street, and alley and public grounds, proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city Clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of the part of said street and said alley and public grounds, upon the ground that the Church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota is the owner of all the property abutting on the part of said street and alley to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said street and alley for the purpose of maintaining a parsonage thereon;

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the regular meeting thereof to be held in the city hall of said city of Red Lake Falls on the 13th day of April A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appeal and be heard.

The part of the street and alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows:

A strip of land twenty feet wide on main street extending from fourth street to fifth street, next adjacent to the West side block one in E. and O. Buse's Addition to the city of Red Lake Falls, according to the Plat thereof on file and of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Red Lake County, Minnesota, and also the alley in said block one.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk this 16th day of March A. D. 1905.

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Farm Machinery

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TROUBLE AT PLUMMER

Young Men arrested try to make their Escape and one is Shot—Are Now in County Jail.

James and Knut Torgerson, of Lambert township, got in trouble at Plummer Monday, and as a result one of the young men has a bullet wound in one of his legs and are both now boarding with Sheriff Linnehan.

It seems the brothers got into a dispute with Julius Pleth over a business deal and threatened to do him bodily harm. Mr. Pleth caused their arrest, and there being no jail at the place they were placed in a box car for safe keeping. They endeavored to make their escape and succeeded in getting out of the car and where making good time down the railway track wnen they were brought to a halt by the constable shooting one of them in the leg.

They were brought before Justice Latta who thought they should give bonds to keep the peace for six months. Being unable to furnish the bond they were brought to this city and placed in the county jail for safe keeping. It is said that the young men are in communication with their father in the hopes that he will come to the rescue.

NEW SERVICE APRIL FIRST.

Work on Great Northern Cut-off to be Rushed.

The Crookston Journal says that Monday morning Roadmaster Regan of the Great Northern passed through the city enroute to Red Lake Falls with a crew of twenty-five track layers to complete the connections of the Great Northern with the Northern Pacific at that point. This will end the long struggle with the treacherous clay bank at that point. All winter long the company has struggled with the problem of making this cut and completing the connections.

A crew also passed through Monday enroute to Ives station where they will open a graval pit at the spur and rush the material to Red Lake Falls for completing the grade and cut. All this activity is the result of the visit of Superintendent Ward to that city recently.

The postal authorities have been notified that the mail service will commence from that city to Greenbush via Dugdale and Red Lake Falls on April 1. A through train will be run and it will go to Greenbush and back daily, being made up here.

The new mail clerks employed will be Z. A. Cadieux and W. A. Onkel in place of W. A. Conway now of the Thief River department.

NEW COLONIZATION COMPANY

Old Settlers Association Formed at Meeting Monday Night to Promote Emigration.

At a meeting held at the city hall Monday evening an "Old Settlers Association" was organized. The object of this organization is to lend a helping hand to all who desire to make this section of the country their home, and to stimulate emigration to this place. An effort will be made to attract desirable people to this county and after interesting them in the country to assist them in every manner possible.

The organizers of the new association are of the opinion that a great many people can be interested in this county, and that as a result of the association's labors a great many new residents will be added to Red Lake county in the near future. It is the association's intention to handle lands without renumeration—selling from land owner to buyer without any commission. The association is not a money-making concern. No salaries or commissions are to be paid anyone. Every effort will be made to help and protect new comers, and a helping hand will we extended to all who desire to make this county their home.

Monday evening's meeting was largly attended and much interest was manifiested in the movement. The following persons were elected officers of the new organization: G. B. Desmairais, president; Dr. I. Lemieux, treasurer; Rev. Father Fayolle, secretary. These gentlemen are old residents of this place and with them at the head of the movement success is an assured fact. They are gentlemen of integrity and honest purposes—just the hands a new comer will feel safe in trusting and confiding in.

Dispelling Fog by Electricity.

A series of remarkable experiments have been concluded by an eminent English physician, who has demonstrated by an ingenious method of his own that he is able to dispel smoke, fumes and fog by electricity. A dense fog was cleared for a distance of 150 to 250 yards by an aerial wire used to project electrical energy into the atmosphere. The value of this invention is tremendous to the shipping world, as great as golden grain belt beer to the western world. Certainly nothing is worth more than health and that's what golden grain belt beer represents. Just try a case and be convinced. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

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JIM and PAUL..

BAND CONCERT.

Program of Concert to be Given Next Tuesday Evening.

For various reasons the band concert next week will be given Tuesday evening instead of Friday, as previously announced. Following is the program:

PART I.

1	Paraphrase…… "Nearer My God to Thee."	Tobane
2	Funeral March……	Chopin
3	Declamation…… "Dan Periton's Ride" Miss Clara Rue.	Anonymous
4	Song…… Male Quartette.	Selected
5	Instrumental Duet……	Selected

PART II.

6	Grand March……	Dr. Walker
7	Grand Selection…… "Martha."	Floton
8	Waltz (by request)…… "L'Estudianting."	Waldtenfel
9	Celebrated "Minuet"……	Paderewski
10	March…… "Brace Up."	Reed

THE LATEST TRUST.

Scheme of Gigantic Organization to Control Prices of Products.

It has been a dream of many men to get a gigantic and complete organization of the American farmers. Many attempts have been made along this line but all have thus far failed. It is now being again attempted by parties in Chicago, and a dispatch from there says a gigantic movement is on foot among the agriculturists of the surrounding states towards the organization of a farmers' federation for mutual strength and benefit.

The movement, which is fostered by a well known Chicago board of trade man, is expected to spread and take in all of the 10,000,000 farmers of the United States.

They will then, working as a unit, possess a power and a force against which nothing can prevail, which will enable them to combat successfully the adverse influences which ara combined against them.

As it is, producers have no voice in determining the price they shall receive for their products, but must accept that offered them at their local station, regardless of the fact that they have to pay the other man's price for what they buy.

The plan is to have the farmers in the various communities unite in a shipping association and ship their products direct to the primary markets.

W. H. Latspeich, president of the new organization, which has headquarters in Somers, Iowa, said:

"It is believed that the ten million farmers of the United States can successfully beorganized beginning in townships. It should be possible to organize thoroughly a township in a week. Then organize all townships in a county, joining them together in counties, counties into states, states into a national organization: then let farmers use their most effective weapon, the ballot, for sending representatives to their legislatures and to the national body, pledged to see that farmers receive their just dues."

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An Acre of Land.

The possibities connected with the intensive cultivation of one acre of land are much greater than most people suppose. The gross return from the average acre of good prairie soil in the west is not far from $10, probably less than more. One acre put into strawberries, onions, celery or early potatoes, to be followed by a crop of turnips, will easily give a gross return of over $150 per acre. Used as a well cared for small fruit and vegetable garden for the farm home it will return any year over $100. Planted to a late potato crop it will for a period of ten years bring in over $50 per acre. The truth is that nearly every man has twice as much land as he can work to advantage and depends upon small returns from a large acreage when he could handle his business with more pleasure and profit if he would try getting large returns from a small acreage.

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FROM ONE WHO KNOWS

Commissioner Demann Gives County Seat Facts and Wants to Know who are "Grafters."

I notice in the Plummer Pioneer of the issue of March 11th that a detrimental statement and cry of graft was made against citizens of the city of Red Lake Falls. Now, I have been a commissioner in Red Lake county from its infancy, with other commissioners, and know from my own personal knowledge that the citizens of Red Lake Falls have not appeared before the commissioners with a request for anything as often as the citizens of Plummer have already done, and further that during the seven years the city of Red Lake Falls has received but $99.00 in the way of improvements of any kind from the county.

The building of the bridge across the Red Lake river was demanded by the farmers north of the city and was put in accordance with the county attorney's opinion and the judge of the presiding district and it was built for $2500.00 less than a similar bridge in Polk county. Commissioner Ole Johnson voted for this measure with others.

Regarding the court house offer of Matt Skala. It is very true that Mr. Skala and Mr. Brady offered the opera house on the north side of the city to be used as a court house for three years free of charge When the commissioners took the matter under consideration with the view of accepting the proposition the parties then withdrew the part of the offer relative to furnishing the building. The estimated cost of furnishing the building as a court house, including building a vault, was estimated at $3000 and it was thought best by the commissioners at that time to continue paying rent for the present building rather than made the change. The cry of graft is all nonsense. All bills against the county have been properly presented and passed on by the county attorney and the full board of county commissioners have always thought that they got full value for all things purchased and paid for.

The rentals of the court house have been as follows: in 1899 it was $357.50, 1900, $477.50, 1901, $537.50, 1902, $679.50, 1903, $598,83, 1904, $490.67, making a total of $3136.50; the city of Red Lake Falls having furnished a free court house for the first two years of the existence of the said Red Lake county. Under the circumstances of having paid the above amount of rent and having a sufficient sum in the court house fund for which a court house could be purchased and the county attorney ruling that such an action was proper, it appeared like a good bargain and business like to purchase the property for $4000.00 than to continue paying rent, and since it was purchased I am convinced it was a good deal for Red Lake county as part of the buildings on this property are now renting for $200.00 which would be 5 per cent on the investment to the county leaving a free court house to the county of Red Lake.

The building has amply accommodated the officers and the court for the past eight years and we have every reason to believe that the building is fully capable of supplying the wants of the county for the next fifteen years without any material improvement over shingling. You people who are crying "Graft":- why aren't you more specific and lay your charges to someone's door and not always be crying "Wolf," "Wolf" "Wolf" when there none to be seen.

WM. C. L. DEMANN.

13 Years of Intense Suffering.

Thirteen years I suffered intensely from rheumatism writes Mrs. Mina Schott, of Marion, Ohio, but Gloria Tonic cured me after using morphine and other worthless drugs for years. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

It will bring rich, red blood, firm flesh and muscle. That what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. Taken this month, keeps you well all summer 35 cents, Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

LETTER FROM ST. PAUL.

The Senior Courier Editor Gives a Few Notes From the Capitol.

St. Paul, March 21, 1905—One of the most interesting men it has been my good fortune to entertain is Mgr. A. Ravoux, the oldest Catholic prelate, both in point of service and of age, in the state of Minnesota. He came to St. Paul in 1841, and assisted Father Galtier, who built the first chapel in the capitol city. Mgr. A. Ravoux in his earlier life saw all the hardships of a missionary priest, and later witnessed the culmination of his hopes and desires in larger measure than is ordinarily alloted to any man. Forty-nine years ago he took Archbishop Ireland and Bishop O'Gorman to France to continue their studies for the priesthood. The former is now one of the most prominent church dignitaries in the world, and the latter is bishop of North Dakota. In 1847 Mgr. Ravoux was driven by Gen. H. H. Sibley to St. Peter to visit a sickbed. At that time there was but one house in St. Peter. Since then St. Peter has had four governors, several congressman and lesser political lights ad infinitum. It makes one think that the great North Star state is still young, when all of its history is within the memory of one man.

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Hon. Herbert Putnam, librarian of congress, was a caller at the state library last Thursday. Mr. Putnam is in charge of the greatest library in the world, and has won his spurs by merit rather than political prestige. Fifteen years ago he was in charge of the Minneapolis public library, going from there to Boston in a similar capacity. Six years ago he was make librarian of congress, and has added much to the scope and usefulness of that great storehouse of knowledge. This reminds me that Red Lake Falls is long on librarians just at present. Two of the Wyer boys—Malcolm and J. I. Jr.—are topnotchers in the profession. The former is in charge of the leading library in Washington state, while the latter is librarian at the university of Nebraska. He is also secretary of the American Library association. Both are sons of J. I. Wyer, president of the First State Bank.

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Paul Berthon dropped in to see me the other day, while enroute from his southern trip. Paul was homesick to see anybody from Red Lake Falls, and even went into ecstacies upon finding me. We made the trip over the capitol together, and on the whole it was a most pleasant occasion for me.

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The traveling men of St. Paul and Minneapolis gave a reception at the Commercial club Saturday evening in honor of Governor and Mrs. Johnson. Nearly a thousand people were present to do honor to the distinguished guests. As usual the Governor was happy in his remarks, and among other thing said:

"I desire to congratulate the traveling men of America to-night on the advancement they have made during the last quarter of a century. Twenty-five years ago the commercial traveler was a pioneer in these parts. He came from the great cities in the East, and it seemed incumbent upon him to show the country fellows what kind of a sport he was. His entire makeup in those days can be summoned up in the two words—good fellow. To-day, however, the traveling man has become so integral a part of all great commercial enterprises that he can no longer make a specialty in conviviality alone. He has become a thinker and is now truly a disseminator of knowledge and good things all over the land."

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Billy Williams, the new labor commissioner, is already making a record in his department. He has made a special investigation of the child labor problem, and in the larger centers many children have been taken out of factories and placed in the schools. Mr. Williams means to make his bureau of real benefit to the people of the state. He has a most competent assistant in E. J. Lynch—a country newspaper man, by the way, hailing from St. James. It is not difficult to run across a newspaper man in the capitol. As though the departments did not furnish a sufficient quota of editors, the legislature is full of them, some of them senators and representatives, other secretaries and clerks.

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The newspaper publishers of the state will be interested in knowing that the law supplements this year will be furnished at the lowest prices ever made. A committee appointed by the editorial association looked into the matter thoroughly and succeeded in getting from the Northwestern Newspaper Union a bid fully thirty per cent lower than the first offer. Much of the credit is due Hon. A. N. Dare, state printing expert, who was secretary of the committee.

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Mrs. King and myself had the pleasure of visiting at the home of John L. Watson, a former resident of Red Lake Falls, last Sunday. Mr. Watson is traveling for the Saskatchewan Land company, one of largest dealers in Canadian real estate. He is getting a handsome salary, and I judge doing a good business.

Beware of Ointments for Catahrr that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from a reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonial free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, March 16, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, March 16, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present except Hennemuth.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were allowed:

Walter S. Booth & Son, city blks	2 59
John Deforge, street work......	4 95

The liquor bond of W. H. Krueger, with Fred Krueger and A. G. Gushong as surties was on motion duly approved.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 22d day of March, A. D 1905.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

Educational Column.

Conducted by E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent Red Lake Falls Schools.

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION.

The advantages derived during High School life are many, which cannot be enumerated in a few minutes, aud to say that one could do so would be an injustice to those who have preceded us and to the many who will follow in the same path.

High School fits one for many future duties which are likely to devolve upon us at any moment. It is at this stage that we acquire the taste for various fields of work, it is here that the scholar lays his plan for future work, and labors with that idea in view. Naturally, we derive a good education, which every citizen of our national government should be proud of.

One gains the power of original and independent thought by the ability to follow out lines of thought suggested by what one reads, and to test reeorded opinions and conclusions by one's own reason.

He acquires the power to think broadly; that is, the ability to grasp the essential points of those vital questions which, daily arising, affect the various interests of the community or the country, and to take a practical view af them in all their ramifications among related subjects. Such a person has a very important element in a good education, and to take such a view is what I mean by thinking broadly.

We also derive ability to form good judgement, as from studying political economy. It involves reflection and comparison. To give an opinion upon a questton one reflects upon related knowledge previously acquired and compares the new question with standards of truth and wisdom already estabtished in his mind.

One also becomes accustomed to the habit of investigating by examining such questions as have a bearing upon the welfare of himself and of his community. Readiness to accept new notions without investigation stamps one as being uneducated.

From a High School course one becomes more accurate and fluent in the use of language. He chooses his own words and uses his own idioms. He moves easily about in its Latin elements and gains by iong experience and wide reading knowledge of the mental inedents of words as well as their artistic effect. He reads not for conscious imitation, but for unconscious absorption and reflection.

During a High School course he also acquires the habit of self restraint which is essential to life and which every one ought to possess. ROSE I. SUTTER.

TRAINING OF A HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION UPON AFTER LIFE.

A High School education gives the best training for after life because our mind has been accustomed to think clearly and directly in many ways. For a person who intends to pursue a professional career, it is most advantageous, that is in leading up to it; for in going to a univeraity or college you follow up in the same line of work.

If a person intends immediately after finishing the high school course to enter upon real life, that is to start some businecs or do work that he can do from what knowledge he has received in high school, tnere ought to be and is in many cases, valuable training and thought received there while taking the four-year course.

Supposing the person wished to teach, he ought to be able to obtain a first grade certificate and get a very good school with fair renumeration.

At any rate a graduate of a high school should be able to obtain work or employment not at hard labor but at something which can be done with his brain to make his livlihood.

The training is of great value to the mind for if he has been taught to think clearly and right he will be likely to do so in other things too. So also in almost any business it will be os great help to them, for we have seen that persons who had a high school education succeed in business while another not having such training will not do so.

As to mathamatics, they are cultivated in all lines as in elementary algebra, plane geomety, higher algebra, senior arithmetic and solid geometry. So also in interpeting literature by Latin and by understanding it. MAYME LINNEHAN.

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney disease, by all druggists, at 50c per bottle.

Settlers's Rates to Points in the Southeast.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month, January to April inclusive the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell one way tickets to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia at very low rates. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Farm Machinery

I have just received a large invoice of dependable farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake county to see me and learn of the many snaps I have to offer before buying. The machinery question is an important item to the farmer and should receive careful thought and consideration. My goods are all standard grades, made to wear and guaranteed in every particular - - - - - - - -

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Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayolle, Rector.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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RUSSIANS DRIVEN FROM TIE PASS

LAST STRONGHOLD IN SOUTHERN MANCHURIA ABANDONED AND RETREAT RESUMED.

Victorious Japanese Are in Hot Pursuit—Gen. Linevitch Is Officially Announced as Successor to Gen. Kuropatkin.

Santoupu, March 17.—The Russian detachments at Tie pass were on March 15 ordered to evacuate their positions, and during the night retired in exemplary order, covering their rear. There had been fighting throughout the day. Before the withdrawal of the Russian forces the military settlement and such of the stores of fuel and forage as could not be removed were set on fire and destroyed.

Abandons Southern Manchuria.

St. Petersburg, March 17.—With the evacuation of Tie pass Wednesday night the Russian army abandoned the last stronghold in southern Manchuria and definitely turned over the section to the Japanese for the campaign of 1905. At least no other strategy is possible for Gen. Kuropatkin, in view of his scanty supplies of ammunition and stores, the shattered condition of his army and the wide enveloping movements which the Japanese have continued almost without a stop since the Rusisan defeat at Mukden.

Linevitch to Lead.

St. Petersburg, March 17.—It is officially announced that Gen. Kuropatkin will be replaced by Gen. Linevitch as commander-in-chief of the Manchurian army.

Kuropatkin Disgraced.

St. Petersburg, March 18.—With the Japanese hanging on the heels and flanks of the remnants of the broken, defeated Russian army, Gen. Kuropatkin, the old idol of the private soldier, has been dismissed and disgraced, and Gen. Linevitch, commander of the First army, is appointed to succeed him in command of all the Russian land and sea forces operating against Japan. The word disgraced is written in large letters in the laconic imperial order gazetted, which contains not a single word of praise, and also disposes of the rumor that Kuropatkin had asked to be relieved. The Russian military annals contain no more bitter imperial rebuke. While it was known that the war council had already decided to supplant Kuropatkin after the Mukden disaster, the decision to confer the task of saving the remainder of the army on Linevitch in the very midst of its flight, although bruited Thursday night, came as a surprise.

The war council, it is also understood, has definitely decided that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky shall continue his voyage and give battle to the Japanese in the forlorn hope of wresting control of the sea from Admiral Togo.

A Race to Reach Harbin.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—Military opinion here on the situation in Manchuria is that the Russian and Japanese armies are engaged in a grand race for Harbin; Kawamura is hastening along the Kirin road, while Nogi is advancing on the west side of the railroad north of Changtufu, while Ogu and Kuroki are harassing Linevitch's army on its flanks and in the rear. The Japanese forces are moving with wonderful rapidity.

Date Fixed for Harbin's Capture.

Harbin, March 20.—The Chinese here are in an excited state and say notification has been received that the Japanese will enter Harbin on April 10.

Japs Occupy Fakoman.

With the Japanese Army in the Field, via Fusan, March 20.—The Russian army continues its northern retreat, the Japanese following. The Japanese have occupied Fakoman, to the northwest of Tie pass.

Place for Kuropatkin.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—It is stated on high authority that at Gen. Linevitch's request the emperor has appointed Gen. Kuropatkin commander of the First army, and that he assumed command Sunday.

Peace Again Urged.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—While Emperor Nicholas, whose word is final, still declines to abandon the prosecution of the war, and the government maintains its ability to continue the conflict, it is stated on good authority that powerful influences, including several of the emperor's own ministers, are now strongly urging that the time has come to indicate to Japan Russia's desire for peace upon a reasonable basis. Should Japan then attempt to impose too onerous conditions, these influences argue that in view of the universal wish to see the bloody conflict ended, Russia's position will be strengthened abroad by the alienation of sympathy from Japan and the situation at home improved when the nation is made to understand that the emperor's pacific proposals have been met with impossible terms.

Must Go to Jail.

New Brunswick, N. J., March 20.—J. F. Cordova, the unfrocked minister who twice eloped with Julia Bowne, of South River, and who was convicted of abandoning his wife and three children and assaulting his wife, Saturday was sentenced to serve four years in prison.

Vesuvius Still Active.

Naples, March 20.—The activity of Mount Vesuvius continues. The desire of tourists to approach the crater, notwithstanding the danger, is so urgent that extra guards have been stationed to prevent their passage. Detonations from the volcano are heard a long distance.

WARNER WINS PRIZE.

Is Elected United States Senator from Missouri, Breaking Long Deadlock.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 20.—After having been in a deadlock since January 18 over the election of a United States senator to succeed Francis M. Cockrell, the legislature at 15 minutes before sine die adjournment Saturday elected Maj. William Warner (rep.), of Kansas City, to fill the contested vacancy. Seven ballots in joint session were taken Saturday in effecting a decision and the closing scenes of the legislature have not been paralleled in the history of Missouri politics. When it became evident that Warner would be the choice, the democrats, who had steadfastly supported Cockrell throughout, locked horns with the republicans, who were split on the caucus nominee, Thomas K. Niedringhaus, Richard C. Kerens and over a score of other nominees, and the assembly chamber became a place of general riot. Efforts were made to stop a roll call on the seventh ballot, several attempted to tear the presiding officer from the chair, and the democrats tried to effect an adjournment without election. The time for sine die adjournment had been set for 3 o'clock by concurrent resolution and as the hour approached the clock was smashed in the melee. Amid an uproar that almost baffled control at times, the seventh ballot of the day was taken, resulting in the election of Maj. Warner. The vote stood: Warner, 91; Cockrell, 83; Niedringhaus, 1. The total vote was 175, making 88 necessary to a choice, and Warner received three votes more than the majority.

Maj. Warner was United States district attorney for the Kansas City district for several years and is well known in political and legal circles. He had been grand commander of the G. A. R. and held many other positions of honor. He was republican nominee for governor in 1895 when William J. Stone was elected to that office.

BATTLE WITH A LUNATIC.

Bay City, Mich., Man Attacked with Butcher Knife and Severely Injured.

Bay City, Mich., March 18.—John White, an employe at the North American Chemical company's plant, was discovered unconscious and bleeding near his work Wednesday night. On recovering consciousness he told a sensational tale of a half-hour's battle with an unknown masked lunatic who attacked him with a butcher knife.

White states that the masked man entered the room where he was working and told him plainly that he was going to kill him. He then produced a butcher knife and took after him. White jumped over large potash pans, followed by his pursuer. Three times the weapon was brought down on the fugitive, once on the fleshy part of his right leg, another time across the left arm and a third stroke cut a large hole in his cap.

White finally made a dash for the door, closely pursued. The man with the mask followed him 300 yards and then slunk away in the darkness.

PRESIDENT IN NEW YORK

Mr. Roosevelt Attends Wedding of Niece—Also Speaks at Two Banquets.

New York, March 18.—President Roosevelt left Washington at 6:55 a. m. Friday on a special train on the Pennsylvania road, and arrived here in the afternoon. He was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb, Dr. C. F. Stokes, of the navy, and N. A. Latta, the president's personal stenographer. In addition, there were in the party two secret service officers and messengers.

In the afternoon the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were the guests of honor at the marriage of Mrs. Roosevelt's niece, Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, and Mr. Franklin Roosevelt. In the evening President Rosevelt attended banquets given by the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick and the Sons of the American Revolution, at both of which he delivered addresses. The president and his party left New York on a special train for Washington about midnight.

Death of Ex-Gov. Luce.

Coldwater, Mich., March 20.—Ex-Gov. Cyrus G. Luce died Saturday at his home here, aged 80 years. He had suffered three years from goiter. He was elected to the Michigan legilsature in 1854, and since that time has held numerous positions of trust and been generally prominent in public affairs.

Sent to Prison.

Cleveland, O., March 16.—William E. Trees, formerly a bookkeeper in the First national bank here, charged with embezzling about $10,000 of the bank's funds several months ago, pleaded guilty in the federal court Wednesday. Judge Tayler sentenced Treese to serve six years in the state penitentiary.

Famous Clown Dead.

Denver, Col., March 16.—Practically penniless, with only his devoted wife to watch and mourn, M. Niblo, famous circus clown and pantomimic, has died in this city, after suffering for months the ravages of tuberculosis.

Seats Bring High Prices.

New York, March 16.—Two seats on the New York stock exchange were sold Wednesday for $83,000 each. This is a new high record price, exceeding the previous highest price, paid a few days ago, by $500.

New President Elected.

Washington, March 17.—Mrs. Frederick Schoff, of Philadelphia, was elected president of the National Congress of Mothers Thursday for the ensuing year.

MANY DIE IN A FACTORY FIRE.

BOILER IN A LARGE SHOE FACTORY IN BROCTON, MASS., EXPLODES.

The Ruin Catches Fire and Many of the Operatives are Slowly Roasted to Death.

Brockton, Mass., March 21.—A boiler in the big shoe factory of R. B. Grover & Co., in the southern section of this city, exploded yesterday, bringing ruin to the factory and other nearby property, and death to many operatives.

The city fire marshal, four hours after the explosion, estimated the list of dead at fifty, and it was believed by the police and those at work at the ruins that as many more had sustained injuries.

Eight buildings were burned, and the loss is $200,000.

The greatest difficulty was experienced in ascertaining accurately the number of dead and injured. An ell of the factory, in which 200 hands were at work, was almost completely wrecked, and many of the men and women had no chance to escape, being carried down in the collapse of the structure, which immediately caught fire.

It may never be known how many persons perished in the wreckage, as no one knows how many persons were in the factory.

The number has been estimated at 400, but Treasurer Emerson said last night he doubted whether there were so many at work.

Two hundred and fifty survivors have been accounted for, and at midnight the remains of fifty-two bodies had been recovered from the ruins, the search being continued all night.

Fragments of human frames which possibly might belong to bodies other than those enumerated, have also been found. Few of the remains have been identified. The head in nearly every case is missing.

ARRESTED.

Two Men are Arrested in Seattle for Horse Stealing in South Dakota.

Sioux Falls, S. D., March 21.—A letter sent the Rosebud Indian agency inquiring as to the whereabouts of a trunk belonging to them, resulted in arrest of two men at Seattle Wash., who are wanted in South Dakota.

The two men, known as Harvey Eads, and W. W. Owen, are charged with having stolen team of horses belonging to S. M. Hauge, register of deeds of Miner county. The team disappeared last fall, and the men were traced to Bonesteel, where all trace of them was lost.

Sheriff Clark of Miner county has been persistant in his efforts to locate the men. Postal cards giving descriptions of the men were sent broadcast throughout the country.

The letter inquiring about a trunk gave the clue. They were arrested, and sheriff Clark is now in the Far West for the purpose of bringing them back to Miner county for trial.

Eads, who is only about twenty-one, worked last summer on the farm of Register of Deeds Hauge.

CASTRO THREATENED.

France Orders Venezuela to Cease Interference with Cable, and Sends Ships.

Washington, March 21.—The French cable complications have reached a crisis and United States Minister Bowen has informed the state department that the French minister at Caracas, by instructions of his government, has notified the Venezuelan government that there must be no further proceedings on its part towards the cancellation of the company's franchise or interference with its property.

Mr. Bowen reports that two French warships have been ordered post haste to Venezuela to act in accordance with the instructions of the French minister. These are the Jurieu de la Graviere and the Duplelx, now in the Carribeau sea.

It is the expectation here that the appearance of these ships at La Guayra will cause President Castro to accede promptly to the demands of the French minister, failing which the minister will place the legation in the care of some other minister at Caracas and go aboard one of the warships, thus severing diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela.

Fire at Dickinson.

Dickinson, N. D., March 21.—Fire, believed to have been of incendiary origin, broke out in the establishment of Mandan Merchantile company, and for a time seriously threatened adjacent properties. The damage is conservatively estimated at $2,000.

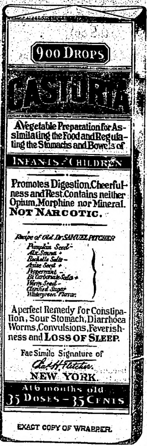
TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, March 20.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.14; No. 2 northern, $1.10; May, $1.12¼. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 45c. Rye—No. 2, 80c. Barley—No. 2, 40c. Flax—$1.30. Butter — Creamery, extras, 27@28c; firsts, 24@25c; dairy, fancy, 22@24c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, March 20.

Cattle — Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.50@4.75. Sheep—Muttons, $5.00; lambs, $6.75.



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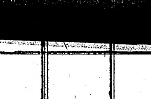

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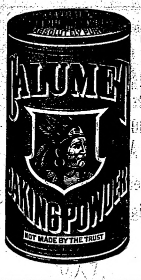

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The state is paying a tidy sum for legislative whitewash committees.

The Dunn and Collins Republicans who are airing their troubles before the committee on public accounts might call in Frank Eddy as a referee.

The St. Paul Dispatch suggests that when the legislature has adjourned we might retain Judge Collins and Bob Dunn as expert accountants to figure up our legislative assets.

The Nolan demurrage bill has passed the house, but if it gets through the senate many of the features beneficial to the small shipper will be emasculated. The common people do not stand much show when the railroad lobby has an opportunity to get in its work.

Colorado is not released from the throes of political turmoil by the recent ousting of the rightfully-elected governor. If the abuse of power by the Republican legislature does not make Colorado Democratic for a great many years to come, the good people out there are of a more forgiving disposition than the ordinary run of humanity.

There is something wrong with protection. You hear this from the old timers of the party of protection and full dinner pail. Yet old Joe Cannon has the base manners to refuse to listen to the thunder against protecting infant industries. These fat infants will have to go it alone before long, however, says the Minneapolis Times.

The "mileage grab" found favor with Congressmen Tawney, McCleary and Davis. All that Steenerson could do was to answer "present," while Bede, Ruckman, Stevens and Volstad failed to answer when names were called. There was but one "no" from the Minnesota delegation and it was cast by John Lind, says the Irish Standard.

The country editor is still invading the places of honor and distinction. Hon. C. F. McDonald, editor of the St. Cloud Times, and retiring president of the state editorial association, was last week chosen department commander of the G. A. R., and Capt. E. F. Barrett, editor of the LeSueur News, is junior vice commander. And both are Democrats!

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Editor Miller of the St. Peter Free Press is explaining the congressional mileage graft, presumably because Congressman Davis voted for the steal. This is one of the instances where our good friend protests too much. The attempted steal is indefensible from any point of view, and no explanation of the legal phase can exculpate the men who voted for the bill. The law is too often used as a cover for iniquity

State Treasurer Block is credited with gubernatorial aspirations, and is said to be laying wires for the Republican nomination. It's a little early for booms. There's another hard winter before the ides of 1906, and frosts are not improbable. However, it can be said in passing that Treasurer Block has a strong argument in his favor—he hailed from St. Peter, and St. Peter people have a habit of getting what they go after. There must be an exception now and then, though, to prove the rule.

The egg and poultry earnings of the United States for the year 1903 amounted to $290,000,000. This sum is more than fourteen times as great as the value of the sugar product of the country for the same year, more than eight times as great as the potato product and the oat product. It is more than one-third greater than the wheat product, about $30,000,000 greater than that of the cotton product and more than $17,000,000 greater than the gold, silver, wool and sheep products combined.

Governor Johnson has definitely decided not to attend the launching of the battleship Minnesota, and he will be represented at Newport News April 8 by his private secretary, Frank A. Day. The Minnesota party including Miss Rose Marie Schaller of Hastings, the sponsor, will leave about April 4, arriving at Newport News the day before the launching. Miss Schaller will be accompanied by her parents, Senator and Mrs. Albert Schaller, Miss Constance Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Day, is one of the maids of honor, and the other will be announced in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Day will both make the trip, and it is possible that several members of the legislature will attend.

The Office Blotter sizes up the railway situation about as well as could be done in the following: "The railroad attitude is curious. Nearly all railroad men hold that railroading is private business over which the government has no control, forgetting that the right to regulate commerce is directly and specifically given in the federal constitution and had been amplified by Chief Justice Marshall in opinions that have now the force of law itself. They also reply that there is no need to regulate rates, as the present schedule is reasonable. This is an evasion of the question at issue. It is not so much the rates as the classifications that shippers complain of. While there may be a reasonable rate there is always an unreasonable classification that nullifies it. Nor are the railroads yet cured of the habit of giving rebates. This the railroads admit, but claim that they cannot help it. The big trusts compel rebates. Here is a case of diamond cut diamond. The railroads by rebates built up such monopolies as the Standard Oil company and now the trusts turn out and rend the railroads. The only trust that can cope with them both is the big public trust known as the government."

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Siverston gave a dinner party last evening in honor of Messrs. and Mesdames W. A. McIntyre and John E. King.

Grace, beauty and wear combine for the excellent result in our sales of the famous shoe for women, the $3.00 Queen Quality.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The fixtures for Wm. Krueger's new saloon arrived the first of the week and have been put in place. The new place will be a neat, modern saloon.

Z. A. Codieux, a former Red Lake Falls boy, is to be one of the new mail agents on the this branch of the Great Northern when the new service is installed.

Miss Mary Erb, who has been sick with typhoid fever, at Minneapolis, is reported as improving right along and it it thought she will soon be in her usual health.

Haus Larson, of Forest City, Iowa, was looking at land in this vicinity a couple of days last week. Mr. Larson is connected with the emigration department of the Northern Pacific railway.

Ralph Converse returned from Crookston Saturday where he has been attending a business college for the past two months. He has accepted a position with the Lewis-Higinbotham Land Co.

The engine of the gravel train while at work here Wednesday got off the track and considerable difficulty was experienced in getting it back on the rails. The new track is not yet in shape for safe traveling.

The J. B. Cigar Co. have put in another table in their pool room. This place has been a popular place of amusement and an additional table was necessary to accommodate the numerous patrons of the establishment.

The Crookston Journal has been purchased by Messrs. Parkard, Kirsch & Rood, and shows commendable improvement under the new management. The new men are practical newspaper men and will make a success of the venture if anybody can.

The special evengelistic meetings at the Presbyterian church will begin next Sunday. These meetings will be conducted by the young women evengelists, Miss Anna Smith and Miss Nellie Read, who are working under the general assembly's evengelistic committee. There will be meetings every night and the public is cordially invited to attend and hear these talented young ladies.

Ms. and Mrs. L. P. Berthon were called upon Monday night to part with their infant child who passed to the beyond that evening after a short illness. It was a sad blow to the parents and their many friends, and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to them in their hour of bereavement. The little one was laid to rest Wednesday, the funeral taking place from St. Joseph's church.

Mrs. Sarah S. Baird, grand master of the Minnesota State Grange, will be in this vicinity next week. She will be at Terrebonne Monday afternoon and at Red Lake Falls Monday [illegible]. All members of the order are urgently invited to be present at these meetings as a great amount of good will be derived from the head officer's visit. The lady members of the lodge are especially urged to be present.

Arthur Mercier received a telegram this morning from Milton, Wash., announcing the death of Joseph Dargan, formerly a resident of Red Lake Falls. Mr. Dargan was married to a daughter of Mrs. Addie Mercier of this place, and previous to going to Washington a few months ago the family lived at Cass Lake. Mr. Dargan was well known in Red Lake Falls and the many friends of the family will be grieved to learn of his death.

Halstad Reporter: While a representative of this paper was talking with a prominent citizen of Red Lake Falls recently in regard to the county seat fight in Red Lake county, he said that there was very little danger of Red Lake Falls losing the county seat as the latter had the advantage of having the court house, and that Red Lake Falls could easily secure a majority of the voters of the county. The fight will probably last several years like all county seat fights, with the result that it will remain just where it is now.

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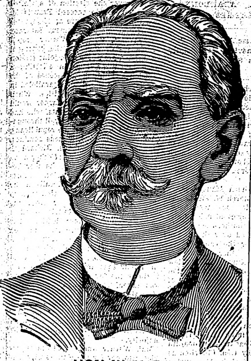

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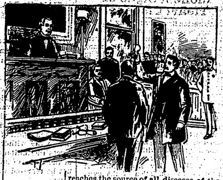

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W. H. Parsons is Ex-State Senator and Ex-Special Judge of the Supreme Court of Texas, also Brigadier-General in Confederate Army. In a recent letter from 925 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., this prominent gentleman says:

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"My numerous friends in Texas, where I have had the honor to command a brigade of her Veteran Cavalry in a four years' war, may accept this voluntary testimonial to the merits of Peruna as a sense of obligation on my part for its wonderful efficacy."—W. H. Parsons.

There is no remedy in the world that meets the conditions produced by la grippe better than the remedy, Peruna. Peruna strengthens as it renovates, soothes while it stimulates, heals as it expurgates. Peruna is not a purgative, or cathartic, or sedative, or stimulant, nor a vegetable or mineral poison. It reaches the source of all diseases of the mucous membranes by its action on the vaso-motor system of nerves.

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Bank Statement.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on March 14, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts			$165,422.19
Overdrafts			1,350.40
Other bonds, stocks and securities			11,768.06
Banking house, furniture and fixtures			6,000.00
Due from banks		$35,327.18	
Checks and cash items		908.21	
Currency	$2632.00		
Gold	2700.00		
Silver	1285.20		
Fractional	112.59	6,729.79	
Total available assets			42,965.18
Total			$227,505.83

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$25,000.00
Surplus fund		5,000.00
Undivided profits, net		3,289.33
Deposits subject to check	$51,222.60	
Demand certificates	3,714.01	
Due banks	3,002.07	
Time certificates	136,277.82	
Total deposits		194,216.50
Total		227,505.83

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss. I, Theo. Garceau, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THEO. GARCEAU Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 20th day of March 1905.

[SEAL] RALPH E. WYER, Notary Public.

Attest: FRANK E. HUNT, A. P. TOUPIN, Directors.

In Dire Distress.

Misery and torture without parallel was the fate of Mr. Chas. Weaver, of Darlington, Wis. He writes: "After taking three boxes of Gloria Tonic my rheumatism entirely disappeared. Previous to taking this remedy I could not sleep nights." Sold by Wm. A. Schreiner.

Do your trading at home instead of patronizing the city department store and you will not only benefit your town but yourself. The time has not arrived when goods are sold below cost and an investigation will show you that the seeming low price on one article is made up many times on others and your home dealers would be glad to fill your bill throughout on the same basis that you pay these outside dealers. The next time you contemplate sending out of town for a bill of goods amounting to any where from $10 to $75 just take it to any reliable firm in town and see if you cannot get the same filled for a like amount, not to take into consideration the fact that the goods will be reliable and that any mistakes will be corrected without question. Your home merchants pay taxes and help build up the community and are entitled to your support.

The Orignal.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Years ago in Minnesota the farmers worked their places with ox teams. Then came a change, a breed of horses small in size was introduced, and the old long horned Buck and Berry disappeared. Later the fine imported Normans and Shires were brought to the state. Now the finest teams one ever saw are driven by this class of people. During the period first mentioned, the farmer rode to town in the winter in a cart or wagon, scantily clothed, shivering and shaking; now he and his family come in to trade wearing fur coats, in a fine surry or other late styles of conveyance, drawn by a magnificent span of roadsters, and with good fur robes and blankets for covering, and they are justly entitled to all these comforts—and we were going to say, to wear a crown of glory on their heads. Glad of it.—Lake Crystal Union.

Perfect Safety

Is combined with convenience in our certificates of disposit.

When you have any sum of money not wanted for immediate use, you can leave it here and we give you a written agreement to pay it back at any time you want it. If you wish to leave it for 6 months or more, we will pay interest upon it.

Yov can draw out a part of it, or all of it, at any time, or turn it over to some other party, if you wish.

5 per cent Interest paid on time deposits.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK

RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

Directors:
A. P. TOUPIN, President; THEO. LABISSONIERE, Vice-President; J. A. DUFFY, Cashier; P. F. POULIOT, Asst. Cashier.

Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

We have bought a large lot of the

Savage 22 Cal. Rifles

that we are offering at

$4.00

also the

Savage 22 Cal. Repeater

than which there is none better at

$13.50

Now Boys get busy, Spring is coming.

22 Shorts	18c
22 Longs	20c
22 Win. Rifle	35c

O'BRIEN BROS.

POPULAR HARDWARE DEALERS

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

ROYAL
Baking Powder
Makes Clean Bread

With Royal Baking Powder there is no mixing with the hands, no sweat of the brow. Perfect cleanliness, greatest facility, sweet, clean, healthful food.

Full instructions in the "Royal Baker and Pastry Cook" book for making all kinds of bread, biscuit and cake with Royal Baking Powder. Gratis to any address.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Smoke the Iron Jaw cigar.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Try the Iron Jaw cigar for your next smoke.

Wm. Erb was down from the reservation over Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Lemieux was at Euclid last week visiting friends.

Mrs. G. H. Tibbetts was a visitor at Wylie the first of the week.

A good cook stove for sale cheap. Enquire at THE COURIER office.

A. M. Anderson was a business visitor at Crookston last Friday.

Banker Davison was over from Wylie yesterday on a business mission.

The wearing of green was quite general last Friday in honor of St. Patrick's day.

Garceau & Zaiser are talking about cravanetts and skirts this week. Read their adv.

Atty. F. A. Grady was at Crookston on professional business the first of the week.

Miss Maud Findeisen came in from her school at Wylie to spend Sunday at home.

If you enjoy an all Havana cigar the Corona will just reach the spot. Ask for a Corona.

Mr. Zachrison is the engineer now in charge of the Great Northern work at this place.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat business caller Monday.

Miss Anna Fortier came in from Gentilly Sunday for a visit with her brother, Joseph.

Perl W. Mabey, one of Thief River's attorneys, was here Tuesday on professional business.

Wm. Stivers, one of Dugdale's business men, was a Red Lake Falls visitor last Saturday.

Miss Carrle Pirath is now working in Bemidji's telephone office.

Call for the Iron Jaw and Corona cigar when you want a good smoke.

J. A. Lang, of Erskine, was a business caller at this plase Wednesday.

You are missing a goood thing if you are not smoking the Iron Jaw cigar.

Mrs. Chas. Bourdon was at Crookston over Sunday the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Nesne,

The many friends of Sam E. Hunt will be glad to learn that he is steadily inproving in health.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Mrs. C. N. Bourdon was at Crookston over Sunday the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. E. Nesne.

Wm. Knight came home for a visit over Sunday. He has been absent several months in the woods.

Anthony Quesnell and family moved to Crookston this week and expect to make that city their home.

Christian Pape and family left the first of the week for Alberta, Canada, where they will live hereafter.

Sam Allard is reported as being quite sick with typhoid. His many friends hope he will soon recover.

The Big Store calls your attention to a new, nobby line of cravanetts in this issue. Look up their adv.

District court will convence in this city next Monday. A short term is looking for by our attorneys.

J. E. Bray went up into Canada last week to look the country over. He is in the Glengarry country.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbors tomorrow evening. All members are requested to attend.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. P. O. Floan Saturday afternoon, March 25th. All are cordially invited.

"Valyu" stands for those new ladies skirts, shirtwaist suits or cravanetts shown by Garceau & Zaiser.

Joe Lemire arrived from St. Peter, Montana, Monday with a car of western horses which he is offering for sale.

Miss Yahr, one of St. Hilaire's school teachers, was a guest of her friend, Mrs. J. E. Argue of this city on Saturday.

Have you tried the Iron Jaw cigar? They are just as good as the man whose picture adorns the box. 'Nuf said—they're good.

The N. P. train Wednesday was several hours late on account of a freight train wreck on the main line Tuesday night.

While at work with the track-laying gang on the Great Northern Tuesday Ed. Lafebre had his hand quiet badly injured.

Farmers are invited to call and see those Acme harrows that have so many friends throughout the country.—S. A. Swanson.

The family and household goods of F. Lecuyre arrived Tuesday. Mr. Lecuyre has purchased the Noel farm west of the city.

J. C. Williams, a prominent business man at Lake Mills, Iowa, was here several days last week looking after business interests.

Clement Brunelle has been appointed time-keeper for the track crew that is at work here on the Great Northern railway.

Its about time to be thinking about that wind mill. I handle the Goodhue mill, guaranteed first class in every particular.—S. A. Swanson.

A new cashier's desk has been placed in Garceau & Zaiser's store. A cash carrier system and other improvements will soon be installed.

Elsewhere in this paper will be found an advertisement of Joe Lemire calling attention to the fact that he has a car of western horses for sale.

J. B. Armstrong returned Wednesday morning from a business trip to Bemidji, Cass Lake, Grand Rapids and other points on the Duluth line.

You would never regret buying a Goodhue wind mill. Easy running, simply constructed, and will last a life time. For sale by S. A. Swanson.

Louis Erickson moved his tailor shop into the building just east of the court house last Saturday. It will make him comfortable quarters.

John E. King accompanied Mrs. King home Wednesday. They are packing their household goods and expect to leave for St. Paul Saturday evening.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice for the week ending March 18 1905: May Fleming, Marton Larson, John Orchard.

The statement of the First State Bank appears in this issue of the COURIER. It shows this popular institution's affairs to be in first class condition.

At the last meeting of the city council no councilman was selected to fill the vacancy caused by M. A. Hattan leaving the city. Action will probably be taken at the next meeting.

VALUE "VALYU"

"VALYU" VALUE

Read this either way—it means the same—the biggest dollar's worth in skirts and Cravanettes possible to produce.

We make statements and prove them with the goods.

"Valyu" skirts are leading the world because they have style and fit and hang to perfection.

"Valyu Garment."

To introduce them in Red Lake Falls we will offer SPECIAL values among them is this new style all wool skirt for

$2.98

Women are preparing for the rainy weather as well as a new nobby spring garment. The "Valyu" Cravanette leads in style, quality and fit. One of our leading numbers go at

$8.50

Ladies' Silk Shirt Waist Suits, the "1905" leader for beauty, all "Valyus." See them.

Ladies' Spring Jackets from
$10.00 down to $5.50

..Garceau & Zaiser..
"THE BUSY STORE"

J. B. Armstong returned Wednesday morning from a business trip to Bemidji, Cass Lake, Grand Rapids and other points on the Duluth line.

The ladies of the "Gilt Edge" club entertained their husbands on St. Patrick's night at the home of Mrs. N. W. Tarrant. All had a royal good time.

The Klondike bridge, which was destroyed last spring, is to be rebuilt in the near future by the city and private subscriptions. Work will begin as soon as the season will permit.

We wish all lovers of a good smoke to try our new brands—the Iron Jaw and Corona. They are of the best tobacco and great care has been exercised in their manufacture.—J. B. Cigar Co.

About fifty people perpetrated a pleasant surprise on Mrs. B. Zaiser last evening, the occasion being this good lady's birthday. Her many friends trust she may see many such happy occasions.

County Treasurer Hansen has been very busy the past week with his settlement. It is a big job to apportion the county's money into the different funds but Mr. Hansen is equal to the task.

Wm. Schuman and family left Monday evening for Adrian where they intend to make their home in the future. Mr. Schuman has been farming in this county for the past three or four years.

The "Merry Crew" club was entertained by H. H. Zaiser Tuesday evening. The young ladies report a delightful time and wish to thank the "Lusher Burns" people for the fine chicken furnished.

Mrs. Joseph Cyr departed Monday evening for Missula, Montana, where she goes in hopes of bettering her health. Her many friends in this city sincerely hope she will be benefited by the change.

Mrs Francis Eastman, formerly a resident of this place, is to be married at her home, Armstrong, Iowa, in the near future. Red Lake Falls friends extend well wishes for her future happiness.

Those new brands of the J. B. Cigar Co.—the Iron Jaw and Corona—are first class in every respect and you will find them an excellent smoke. Insist upon getting them when you call for a smoke.

The largest national bank note issued is $1,000, and 24,000 of these are out-standing, and 93,500 fifty-hundred-dollar notes. If any of our delinquent subscribers are in possession of one or more of these bills they should not hesitate to present one to pay their subscription with. We will guarantee not to faint or runaway.

The Acme harrow is head shoulders above all competitors. An investigation will convince the most sceptical that all we say about them can be verified. See the Acme before buying.—S. A. Swanson.

Thos. LaBissoniere's auction last Tuesday proved a success in every way and the property brought good prices. Mr LaBissoniere is getting ready to move next week to Idaho where he will engage in business.

Mrs. Lutz and daughter arrived from St Paul Wednesday and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. B. Zaiser, for a few dsys. Mrs. Lutzs husband is the advertising manager of the Milwaukee railroad at St. Paul.

The S. Nauman home was the scene of a right royal time Wednesday evening when the Lusher Burns and Merry Crew clubs took possession of the house. Dainty refreshments were served and a most pleasant evening spent.

Among the accidents which occurred to the track-laying crew on the Great Northern Tuesday was the injury to one of Angus Campbell's feet. One of his toes was badly injured and will prevent him from work for some days.

Aug. G. Obernalty, of Henderson, Minn,, treasurer of Sibley county, was the guest of his old friends, A. G. Groshong and James Blake, yesterday. He is an old personal friend of these gentlemen and they enjoyed his visit here very much.

$10,000 is what W. L. Douglas offers to any one who can disaprove their statement of making more men's high grade shoes than any other shoe factory on earth. New tan Russia calf oxfords, Philadelphia toe, price $3.00 at Garceau & Zaiser's.

Great care should be used by those who have been in the habit of walking over the Great Northern bridge hereafter. Extra trains are very numerous on account of the work at this place and there is on telling when train will be crossing the bridge.

The first of the gravel for the Great Northern work at this place arrived on Monday and a large force of men were put to work immediatly surfacing the track. The steel is all in place but it will take two or three weeks to get the track in condition for train service.

There will be a basket social at the school house in district No. 112, Garvias, three and one-half miles east of this city, Saturday evening. A literary and musical program of merit is promised those who attend and all are invited to be present. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment will be used for library proposes.

The Kruse brothers, John, Will and Fred, who have been farming near Wylie the past two years, were in the city Monday and left that evening for their former home in central Iowa where they will make their home in the future. They have sold their land in this county.

E. B. Howes and Percy Oehler, who were here several months in the employ of the Great Northern Ry. Co., left Tuesday for York, N. D., where they will continue their labors for the company. The young men made hosts of friends while in this city who were loath to see them leave.

Sheriff Linnehan has a boarder from Thief River Falls who was bound over to the grand jury for stealing two chickens. Isn't this making it a little strong? Thief River is posing as the tax payer's friend but such actions as this does not lead one to believe they are practising what they preach.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Sivigny left Monday evening for North Yakima, Washington, where they will make their home hereafter. This worthy couple have been residents of this section for a great many years and have hosts of friends who regret their departure but will wish them happiness in their western home.

The J. B. Cigar Co. calls your attention to two new brand of cigars they are about to place on the market in this week's COURIER. Mention is also made of their pool room. This firm is enjoying a lucrative business and well merits the good will of all lovers of a good smoke and a pleasant evening's entertainment. Look up their large adv. on the last page of this paper.

County Treasurer Hansen spent Sunday with his family at Thief River Falls. The family has been quarantined for scarlet fever for some weeks and the time limit was to expire last Saturday, but another child came down with the disease Friday so the family will be compelled to remain in quarantine another three weeks. The family will move to this city as soon as the quarantine is lifted.

At a meeting held at the city hall Saturday evening twenty or thirty young men about town signified their intention of taking up music, and a large class of beginners will be started soon on the different band instruments. Prof. Onstad will take hold of the new class immediately and it is thought a large number of new members to the band will be added in the near future. Red Lake Falls bids fair to have the largest as well as the best band in the Northern country.

Fine box [illegible]

Palmer
GARMENT

If you have waited for SPRING CRAVANETTES you need not wait any longer. Our line of

Palmer Shower-proof
...Coats...

is ready for your inspection. These goods are made by tailors, artists in their trade, and not by rubber coat makers. The prices range from

$8 to $18

Also a complete line of cheaper garments in the rubbered cloths, $3 to $8.

Our KUPPENHEIMER Cravanettes for men are also in. Good dressers will surely be interested in these, $15, $17 and $17.50.

You can depend on the fit, the fabrics, the workmanship and you will not find such qualities at lower prices.

THE BIG STORE
Theo. LaBissoniere Prop.

To get good results buy the BUTTERICK patterns

Palmer
GARMENT

SSS THE BEST TONIC

When the system gets debilitated and in a run-down condition it needs a tonic and there has never been one discovered that is the equal of S. S. S. It is especially adapted for a systemic remedy, because it contains no strong minerals to derange the stomach and digestion, and affect the liver and bowels. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks selected for their purifying and healing qualities, and possesses just the properties that are needed to restore to the body strong robust health. When the blood becomes impure and clogged with waste matters and poisons the body does not receive sufficient nourishment and suffers from debility, weakness, sleeplessness, nervousness, loss of appetite, bad digestion and many other disagreeable symptoms of a disordered blood circulation, and if it is not corrected some form of malignant fever or other dangerous disorder will follow. S. S. S. builds up the broken down constitution, clears the blood of all poisons and impurities and makes it strong and healthy. The nerves are restored to a calm restful state, refreshing sleep is had again, the appetite returns and the whole system is toned up by this great remedy. S. S. S. is a blood purifier and tonic and acts promptly in this run-down depleted condition of the system. Book on the blood and medical advice furnished by our physicians, without charge.

I have used your S. S. S. and found it to be an excellent tonic to build up the general health and give tone and strength to the system. I have used other things highly recommended, but S. S. S. did me more good than everything else combined. As to its tonic properties it gives a splendid appetite, refreshing sleep, and the system undergoes a general building up under its invigorating influence.
548 Woodland Ave., Warren, O. MRS. KATE BECK.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

What is it you intended to have done before spring?

Clean out the poultry house, renew the nests, whitewash the walls and boxes—get ready for business.

An agriculture paper says you can destroy the morning glories on your farm by plowing a path right after a rain.

Kansas is to engage in the refinding of oil, Illinois will operate a packing plant and Minnesota is to engage in the manufacture of reapers.

An old lady of Lynn, Mass., who has just passed her hundredth and third birthday, attributes her longevity to total abstainancy from gossip.

The farmer has no more right to put a piece on the plow that somebody else made then the man that made the plow has to put a piece on he crop the plow cultivates.

Mrs. Theodore Sutro says American women are far more beautiful of form then the Vanus de Milo. Well she probably knows that the public will have to take her word for it.

The statisticians are still glorying in the wonderful wealth of the farmers, reckoning him up into the billions and billions, Ought not so wealthy a person be able to put a price on what he owns? Hey?

The Phillipine Island exports mostly to this country, hemp fiber to the value of $16,000,000 last year. This fiber formed the basis of most of the cordage—rope, binding twine and the like—which is used here.

A farmer once said to us: "The moon has everything to do with fresh meat. Sausage made from pork killed in the dark of the moon will decrease and dry up 25 per cent, while that killed in the light of the moon will expand nearly one third." What do yon think about it?

The best and safest investment for the young man of today is land. Its income can be figured almost as readily as that on government bonds, and it is bound to increase in value greatly, as the area of good land is limited and the uses of which the grain is being put are being multiplied.

Mr. Wilson of the Department of Agriculture is a good figurer. He has it that the U. S. hen laid 20,000,000,000 eggs last year. To count them at 50 a minute, and working eight hours a day, would take him 1893 years, and then he would get turned out of the union for counting overtime. The eagle may soar and scream in America but the hen lays it all over him.

Twenty-five thousand sea turtles penned in an inlet of the sea near Orlande, Florida, where they breed and are fattened for the New York market is what two men are getting very busy about just now, and who are planning to ship twenty thousand of these curious creatures to another eastern market, where they are considered a great table delicacy, and will bring the sum of fifteen dollars each.

Here are some facts that might be painted over every door in the barn lot: Young stock should be kept growing. It should be kept thrifty. Keep the feed boxes clean and see that the food is eaten by the animal to which it is given. Clean the lot where playful animals run—old drags, mowers, plows, etc. It is cheaper to keep things out of the way then to doctor up a wounded colt. A mind that will think, and an energy that will do, are worth money in the barn lot.

A western railway has undertaken to solve the nuisance of the snow blockades in the winter by planting evergreen trees alongside the cuts on its right of way. From what we have noticed of the work of trees in connection with drifting snow we should think that trees planted along a right of way which is usually a hundred feet in width would do more harm then good, being too near the track. They would do admirable work, however, if planted a distance of five or six rods from the track.

One of the most paying crops, where a man wishes to put a good bit of labor on a small piece of land is onions. I have always made a profit them and often a good profit. They will do well on almost any land, but of course will do best on good rich land. A yield of 30 bushels per acre is about an average, but I have had them up to 750 bushels per acre and have known of cases of even bigger yields. Price onions in the store now and you can figure out for yourself what there is in it.

There is nothing small about Uncle Sam in matters of serving his people. A two cent stamp carries a sealed letter to any place in the United States or Canada. One price to everybody. The humblest individual who may not write more than one letter a month pays the same price as the big concern that uses thousands of them daily. No discount for large quantities. The same invariable rates should govern railway transportation—"square deal for everybody." This is what the public has the right to expect and it will be satisfied with nothing less.

THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Thedford's Black-Draught comes nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health than any other medicine made. It is always ready in any emergency to treat ailments that are frequent in any family, such as indigestion, biliousness, colds, diarrhœa, and stomach aches.

Thedford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently summon the doctor. It is as good for children as it is for grown persons. A dose of this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and when taken as directed brings quick relief.

DANVILLE, ILL., Dec. 23, 1902.
Thedford's Black-Draught has been our family doctor for five years and we want no other. When any of us feel badly we take a dose and are all right in twelve hours. We have spent lots of money for doctor bills, but get along just as well with Black-Draught. IRA H. BADER.

Ask your dealer for a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and if he does not keep it send 25c. to The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. and a package will be mailed to you.

THEDFORD'S BLACK DRAUGHT

Women's Kidneys.

Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculair to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, heacaches, puffy or dark circles under the eves, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Homeseekers' Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month sell tickets at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisianna, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

Washington School Notes.

Marcus and Fred Schmitz reporters.

Little Marie Garceau visited the second grade last Friday.

Earnest Patnaude visited the second grade Monday.

Some of the boys have begun to make mud marbles.

Parnard and Peter Felvo were absent Monday.

St. Patrick's day was celebrated by some of the pupils by wearing green ribbon.

The pupils have been spending their recesses lately washing and sand papering their desks. As a result we have many white desks in the room.

The sixth grade has began reading a series of references in connection with their history.

Gisela Helm has been absent for a week or more on account of sickness.

Our athletics have had a rest because of the snow and muddy weather.

Marie Garceau and Annie Patnode have begun school in the primary department.

Mr. Healy took his own room Wednesday morning on account of Mrs. Chemberlain's temporary sickness.

The sixth grade received their test papers in geography. The highest mark was 97 and the lowest 30.

For the remainder of the year it will be required of fifth and sixth grade pupils of our school to take home their books in whatever lesson they have failed in during the month. It is hoped that parents who read these notes will see to it that their children put forth an extra effort and does at least a half hour of study at home. It is only by making the work in the grades, so we may have a good high school.

We have had a change in readers, both grades having Harpers. For our "Chinese Reading" we have special readers dealing with history.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lung.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs, and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

A Sad Prospect.

A Gotham railroad magnate recently has been passing around among his friends the following clipping from a North Dakota newspaper:

"It is reported that one of Harvey, N. D., fastidious newly married ladies kneads bread with her gloves on. This incident may be somewhat peculiar, but there are others. The editor of this paper needs bread with his shoes on. He needs breed with his shirt on. He needs bread with his pants on, and unless some of the delinquent subscribers of this "old rag of freedom" pay up before long, he will need bread without a damn thing on and North Dakota is no Garden of Eden in the winter time."

All Mothers Know

the great danger to babies in bad fits of coughing. Gloria Lung Balsam will stop it almost instantly, so don't be without it. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Death rate in Chicago and New York.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Something to think of.

When you are traveling you fell more comfortable if you know that every precautions is taken for your protection. The famous North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago is operated by the block system, the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway in connection with the C. R. I. & P. Railroad will run a through tourist sleeping car every week ts San Francisco. Leaving Minneapolis at 8:00 p. m., St. Paul

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Cosy Compartments.

The privacy of the home will be enjoyed in the cosy compartments on the NORTH-WESTERN Limited. Ladies especially will appreciate the many little conveniences provided on this famous train—every night Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago.

BADGER.

Frederick Dubuque was a busines caller at O. Robillard's Monday.

Eugene Montreial called at the Joseph Ducharme home Sunday eveniug.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Robillard entertained a few of their friends Sunday.

Ovila Robillard and Peter Lachance each hauled a load of hay for Damasse Lachance Monday.

Mrs. Evaugelist Quesnell called at the home of her ill mother, Mrs. A. Jolly, Sunday afternoon.

Masters Theodore and Albert Ducharm of Perrault station were visitors at this place Monday afternoon.

Miss Bertha Quesnelle and sister Zelia were guests of the Missess Annie and Aurore Ducharme Sunday afternoon.

Mesrrs. Joseph Ducharme and Michael and Evangeliste Quesnelle had their fire wood sawed by Louis LaCouriciere last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. E. Quesnelle and daughters, Bertha and Zelia, and Mrs. Chas. Perrault, of Perrault station, visited at Joseph Ducharme's Monday.

Messrs. Adelard Champsan, Eli St. Ives and Napoleon Clement and Misses Nora Clement and Anna Quesnelle spent Sunday evening at the home of Cleface Cadieux in Terrebonne.

Thos. LaBissoniere held an auction sale at his farm last Thursday. He and his family are stopping with his parents at Red Lake Falls for the present, but expect to leave in a week or so for Twin Falls, Idaho, where he will engage in business.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

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Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 6th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathilda A. Hall deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mathilda A. Hull deceased, late of the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Andrew P. Hanson.

It is Ordered, That six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Further Ordered, That the 7th day of September, 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 6th day of March A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT
Judge of Probate

Notice of Abatement.

Whereas, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of a part of a certain street and a certain alley and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a Plat showing in Red color the part of the street, and alley and public grounds, proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city Clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of the part of said street and said alley and public grounds, upon the ground that the Church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota is the owner of all the property abutting on the part of said street and alley to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said street and alley for the purpose of maintaining a parsonage thereon;

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the regular meeting thereof to be held in the city hall of said city of Red Lake Falls on the 13th day of April A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appeal and be heard.

The part of the street and alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows;

A strip of land twenty feet wide on main street extending from fourth street to fifth street, next adjacent to the West side block one in E. and O. Buse's Addition to the city of Red Lake Falls, according to the Plat thereof on file and of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Red Lake County, Minnesota, and also the alley in said block one.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk this 16th. day of March A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN.
City Clerk.

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 11th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Clement deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Napoleon Clement the Executor of the estate of John Clement deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 11th day of March A. D, 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Order of Hearing on Petition for License to Sell Land.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } ss.

In Probate Court.
Special Term March 11, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Herman Bischoff, deceased.

On reading and filing petition of Theresa Bischoff as administratrix of said estate, representing among other things that said Herman Bischoff at the time of his death was seized of certain real estate which is described in the petition herein, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate to pay the debts and legacies, and expenses of administration of said estate, and that it is the best interests of said estate and all persons interested therein that said real estate be sold; and it appearing by such petition that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of the administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, legacies and expenses of administration, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate, and that it will be for the best interest of said estate and of all persons interested therein that the real estate described in the petiton herein should be sold:

It Is Ordered that all persons interested in said estate be and appear before this Court on Saturday the 8th day of April A. D. 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County and State, then and there to show cause, if any there be why license should not be granted to said Theresa Bischoff, administratrix to sell real estate according to the prayer of said petition.

It Is Further Ordered that this order be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County and State.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 11th day of March A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

W. A. McINTYRE
Attorney for Petitioner
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Order for Hearing of Petition for Discharge of Admistrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre as Administrator of said estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree in said matter of said estate, and with the terms and conditions of all other decrees and orders of this Court in said matter, and has paid over to the distributees and persons named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded in said final decree, and praying that he as such Administrator of said estate, and the sureties on his bond, be discharged from all liability by reason of said trust and the administration of said estate.

Now, therefore, it is ordered, that said petition be heard by this Court at the Probate Court Office at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and it is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks immediately prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 9th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court. N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate, Red Lake County, Minn.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District

Joseph Helm Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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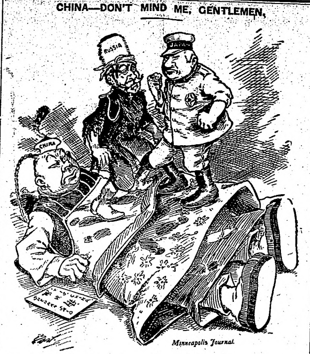

Minneapolis Journal.

TWENTY-FOUR MEN KILLED IN A MINE

TEN LOSE THEIR LIVES BY EXPLOSION OF GAS IN A WEST VIRGINIA COLLIERY.

A Second Explosion Occurs While a Party of Brave Men Are Exploring the Mine on a Mission of Rescue, and Fourteen More Are Killed.

Charleston, W. Va., March 20.—As the result of a horrible explosion of gas in the Rush Run and Red Ash mines near Thurmond Saturday night, 24 men now lie stark in death in the two mines. Ten of these were killed in the explosion Saturday night, and the other 14 were a rescuing party who entered the mine Sunday morning to take from the mines the charred and blackened remains of their fellow workmen. These latter were killed by a second explosion and the after damp. The first explosion was caused by a "naked" flame coming in contact with the gas. The flames leaped from the drift mouth and set fire to everything in reach that was not blown from harm's way by the force of the explosion. The big fan that furnished aid in the mine was so damaged that it was several hours before it could be started again.

Brave Men Enter Mine.

After it had been put in working order, a rescue party was formed and about 20 men entered the mine in search of the bodies of those who had perished at the first explosion. The men explored the mines for two or three hours, putting up brattices so that pure air should follow them wherever they went. Finally some of them came out and reported that the others were too careless in going forward faster than the good air was being supplied carrying at the same time a "naked" light.

Fourteen More Killed.

At 3:45 another awful explosion occurred, caused by the gas coming in contact with the "naked" flame of a miner's lamp, and 14 more souls were souls were launched into eternity. This explosion was not so forcible as the former, but the more awful in its effects and was followed by a shorter, thinner tongue of flame followed by a silence so deadly that it seemed physically painful, and darkness impenterable. Mine Inspector Edward Pinckney arrived on the ground and took charge of the rescue work. The second explosion again damaged the fan, and Mr. Pinckney will allow no one to enter the mine until it is working properly and a draught of fresh air is running through the mine. When this is done he will lead the rescue squad himself.

Train Wrecked.

Hammond, Ind., March 20.—Erie railroad train No. 7, known as Pacific express, while running at the rate of 60 miles an hour, near Winfield station, Sunday morning, plunged down a 20-foot embankment, injuring 12 people, two of whom may die. The wreck was caused by the auxiliary reserve reservoirs under the engine cab dropping into a switch frog which caught the front trucks of the tender. The engine remained on the track, but six cars toppled over and rolled down the embankment.

Flour Mills Kept Busy.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 18.—Heavy flour orders from Japan continue to pour in on Minneapolis milling companies. One of the big companies Thursday received an order for 20,000 sacks, and a second order Friday for the same number, both consignments clearable from the Pacific coast in April and May. Manager Crocker, of this company, stated that every mill the company owns is running full blast. This includes a big mill at Buffalo, N. Y., and mills at Louisville and St. Louis.

New Trial for Nan Patterson.

New York, March 16.—Nan Patterson will be put on trial once more to answer a charge of murdering Caesar Young, the wealthy bookmaker. This decision was reached Wednesday, and it was announced at the district attorney's office that the second trial of the case would begin April 10.

DEATH OF GEN. HAWLEY.

Connecticut's Famous Soldier and Statesman Passes Away in Washington.

Washington, March 18.—Gen. Joseph R. Hawley, for nearly 24 years United States senator from Connecticut, died at ten minutes of 2 o'clock this morning at his residence in this city. Death came peacefully after a stupor lasting with but slight interruptions since Wednesday afternoon. At his bedside when the end came were Mrs. Hawley, her three daughters and Maj. Hooks, for a long time messenger to the committee on military affairs of the senate. The remains will be taken to Hartford, Conn., for interment, but the time for funeral services has not been fixed. It is possible that a public funeral may be held in the senate chamber.

Active Career Ended in 1902.

Gen. Hawley had rallied only occasionally and then for very brief intervals from the state of coma into which he fell Wednesday afternoon. There was then a slight sign of recognition of the members of the family and until Thursday night took small amounts of nourishment. Since then, however, nothing had passed his lips. He gradually failed until the end came. Gen. Hawley's active career in the senate came to an end in December, 1902, when failing health compelled him to relinquish his legislative work. In February of 1903 he was in the senate chamber for a short time, that being his last visit to the capitol. He was 78 years old.
ville, N. C., October 31, 1826. He studied and practiced law in Hartford, Conn., from 1850 until the civil war broke out. He entered the Union army as a captain and left the military service in 1868 with the grade of brigadier general and brevet major general. He served as governor or Connecticut, delegate to the republican national conventions of 1872, 1876 and 1880, and was president of the United States centennial commission from 1873 until the completion of the centennial exposition in Philadelphia in 1876. His congressional career began in 1872, when he was elected a representative to the Forty-second congress. He took his seat as United States senator March 4, 1881, and was a member of that body until the close of the last congress. On March 11 last he was placed on the retired list as a brigadier general.

France and Venezuela.

Washington, March 18.—France has officially informed the United States of the action of the Venezuelan government against the French Cable company which she regards as highhanded and intimates that French patience is rapidly being exhausted by the conduct of affairs in Venezuela. It is probable that the French ambassador will confer with President Roosevelt next week for the purpose of learning the policy which this government proposes to follow in Venezuela, so that the French government may adopt a similar line, if possible.

Named for Senatorship.

Nashville, Tenn., March 16.—Gov. James B. Frazier was Wednesday afternoon nominated by acclamation in joint democratic caucus for United States senator to succeed the late Senator Bate. The nomination is equivalent to an election. Gov. Frazier will be succeeded in the gubernatorial chair by John I. Cox, of Sullivan county, the present speaker of the state senate.

Killed His Playmate.

Philadelphia, March 20.—While a half dozen boys were playing "Indian" in the woods at Mount Airy, a suburb of this city, Warren Carr, aged 16 years, was shot dead with a rifle in the hands of James Hawthorne, aged 17 years, who thought the weapon was not loaded.

An Honor to the President.

Madison, Wis., March 18.—The assembly on Friday honored President Theodore Roosevelt by passing a bill for the creation in Taylor county of a town which shall bear his name.

Tennessee Bank Robbed.

Petersburg, Tenn., March 17.—The vault in the Bank of Petersburg was blown open Thursday and all the cash taken. The amount stolen is reported to be $7,000. The burglars escaped.

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COURT IN SESSION.

The Court House a Scene of Activity This Week.

District court convened Monday with Judge Watts presiding. A number of cases were continued or settled the first day, while others will be heard before the Judge at a special term in May. Two or three cases will be tried in Chambers at Crookston.

The first jury trial was held Tuesday. It was a well-drilling dispute in which G. B. Peterson and Julius Hannem were plaintiffs and John H. Fallstad defendant. A verdict was returned in favor of the plaintiffs and they received a judgment for $55.00. Wednesday the jurors listened to the evidence and arguments in the case wherein A. O. Ludvig was plaintiff and Herman Schultz defendant. This controversy was also over the drilling of a well on the defendant's farm. The defendant was the victor in this contest.

This morning the case of State vs. Peter Rocheford was taken up. The defendant is charged with stealing goods from a Great Northern car at Thief River Falls something over a year ago. This case will end the jurors duty for the term, and it is expected they will be able to leave for their homes this evening.

The grand jury was sworn in Tuesday and began their labors immediately. It is said no bill was found against Gardner, the alleged Thief River Falls chicken thief. The jury is said to be investigating the shooting of John Danielson by Officer Cernousek at Thief River Falls some months ago.

Among the attorneys from out of town who have attended court here this week are: A. A. Miller and Martin O'Brien of Crookston; H. W. Lee, Chas. H. Schellback and P. W. Maybe, Thief River Falls; J. K. Hanney, St. Hilaire; J. H. Bosard, Grand Forks.

Joe Trigg's Sayings.

A Dakota man aged 98 recently proved up on a homestead claim in Dakota after a five years' residence, and yet there are husky young chaps hanging around pool and bar rooms depending on their old dad for a living.

The Garfield report does not show why a four-shoulder roast costs a Chicago consumer 23 cents a pound when taken from a 5-cent steer, and this thing both the consumer and the producer are going to find out before they get through.

The net profit to state of Minnesota on the binding twine made by the convicts at the Stillwater penitentiary during the past year was $75,000. This pretty conclusively proves that it is more profitable for the state to put a criminal to work making rope than it is to buy the rope wherewith to hang him.—Iowa State Register.

Health and Success.

The question of success is recognized in America to be intimately connected with health as shown in a clean, attractive personal appearance and a pleasant personality. This idea has becomes so firmly fixed in the minds of business men that we find many of them devoting several hours each day to exercise, and the necessary attention to their physical needs with this object, only, in view. This tendency has developed golden grain belt beer, the health producer and nerve tonic. It means perfect health, good temper and ultimately a larger measure of success. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

FOR SCHOOL LIBRARY

Basket Social in Gervais a Big Success.

The basket social at the school house in dictrict number 112, Gervais, last Saturday evening was a success in every particular, and was attended by a large crowd of patrons of the school and by several from Red Lake Falls. $25 was realized as a result of the evening's entertainment and the teacher, Wm. J. Harlow, is to be congratulated upon the success of the occasion, both from a money and entertaining standpoint. The money realized from the entertainment will be used for library purposes. County Superintendent McAnulty was present and spoke briebly upon the benefits of a library and complimented the school upon the fine showing it had made.

It may be of interest to patrons of our schools to know that the state legislature has recently appropriated $10,000 for school library purposes. The money is to be had for the asking but the school district must show that they are doing something for themselves before the state fund is available. If a district raises $20 the state will give a like amount, which is enough to secure a very creditable start for a library. It is to be hoped other teachers about the county will follow Mr. Harlow's example and make an effort to secure a first class library in every school in the county.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

GONE TO HER REWARD,

Grandma Spillane Passes to the Great Beyond.

The death of Grandma Spillane occured Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, after several days illness with the la grippe.

Mrs. Spillane had made her home in this city with her son, W. T. Spillane, for several years, and by her kindly manner and sunny disposition made scores of friends who join in extending sympathy and words of condolence to the bereaved family. All who knew her feel that they have lost a dear and kind friend and her death is mourned throughout the city.

Mrs. Kate Spillane was born in Ireland 68 years ago. She had been a resident of this country for a great many years and leaves two sons to mourn her death, W. T. Spillane of this city and Charles Spillane of Olean, N. Y. Two sisters and a brother living in New York also survive her.

The funeral services were held from St. Joseph's Monday morning, a large number of friends gathering to pay their last respects to the memory of a kind, lovable woman.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our mother.

W. T. Spillane and family.

Is This Treason?

Brown's Valley Tribune: A great many people have arrived at the conclusion that there is no more need of a state senate or a U. S. senate than there is for a fifth wheel on a wagon.

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A BIG SUCCESS.

Tuesday Evening's Band Concert a Good One.

The band concert for March was given at the Metropolitan opera house Tuesday evening. The band nembers were well rendered and received the hearty approval of the large audience present, Prof. A. Onstad pleased the audience with a violin solo, and demonstrated that he was a master of this instrument as well as the clarinet.

A recitation by Miss Clara Rue was a pleasing number and the young lady made many friends by her clever performance. Miss Nellie Reed took the house by storm with her vocal solo, and was called upon to respond to an encore. A male quertette composed of Messrs. Healy, Nauman, Onstad and Marshall rendered a most pleasing number which was heartly appreciated by the audience. The concert as a whole was a good one and reflected credit upon the promoters of the affair.

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LADY ARTISTS.

Clever Game being Worked on Northern Pacific Trains.

The secret service officials of the Northern Pacific have been endeavoring to locate some clever pickpockets who have been operating on trains and have had their headquarters in Fargo. The officers have about concluded the work is being done by young women who make frequent trips west from St. Paul, some times as far as Fargo. It is said they work the racket of traveling unaccompainied and unfamiliar with the ways of the world. Some gallant traveling man or gay old passenger seeks to relieve the young woman from embrassment and is touched for his watch, pin or money, and then insists pickpockets did the work while he was crowding into the car or at the depots.

Reform Should Begin at Home.

Minneapolis Journal: The Review of Reviews has calmly taken up the matter of reforming the senate. It says:

We have no charges at all to make; but, in the calmest possible way, we would suggest to good citizens in the different states that they ask and answer for themselves several questions: (1) Is their own state represented by senator, one or both of whom are looked upon at Washington as the tools of private interests? (2) If they are under such suspicion, to what extent is the suspicion justifiable? (3) Are the senators from their state the very best men who could be sent to Washington? (4) If they are not, how can good citizens organize to defeat the special interests, that in so many states, of recent years, have managed to dictate the election of of United States senators?

As Dr. Shaw is so close a friend of the president, these questions may seem to be almost "inspired."

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There is no better or cheaper way to grow hogs than to pasture them on alfalfa. One acre will pasture from 10 to 20 hogs.

There is no difference between being burnt out once or moving three times, so the old saying goes, and it still "goes" with us.

Dunkards from Eastern States have bought 2,000 acres of farming land in Glenn county. California, and will settle there with their families.

Eighty-four million pounds of sugar reached New York from the West Indies and South America in one day last week. Louisiana should take notice.

A small city boy was much astonished to see the cow milked again in the morning. "Well," he said, "I thought you emptied her all out last night."

It is always better to have a flock of sheep on a farm then a mortgage. In fact, the sheep will help to drive a mortgage off the farm just the same as they will the weeds.

Do not dispise your plodding, dustcovered neighbor, my young gilt-edged farmer; he may work long and hard at his trade and on pay-day draw more money then you earn in a half a year.

Hens like to lay in rather dark nest, the opening from which is hidden from view. If box nests with the opening toward the wall are placed in the poultry house, very few hens will steal their nests in out-of-way places.

You wont find many horses entirely free from blemish.

The government distributes bacteria so you can inoculate soil for clover, alfalfa, soy beans, or cowpeas. White to A. F. Woods, Washington, D. C., and state which crop you wish to grow and you can get the bacteria that will aid in growing that crop.

How do our farmers account to themselves for the fact that hardly ten per cent of their grain grades number two, when they sell it and yet ninty-five per cent of the grain going out of Chicago grades number two. Our farmers are certainly dead easy.

It isn't exactly healthy for a team to be rushed through every day of the week ahead of the plow or harrow, then be hitched up to a buggy on Sunday and driven all over the neighborhood in search for "a good time" for a drive. Remember it isn't "a good time" for a team.

Nearly every farmer hand thinks that he is receiving the smallest wages of any branch of labor. However, the hand that is getting $25 per month with board, washing and the keeping of his horse, is better paid then the bookkeeper, the clerk or the tradesman who gets $50 per month and has to pay his boaad and laundry out of this.

It is queer what difference a collar makes in a man's appearance. The other day a medium weight business man came down town, wearing a very low lay-down collar. Someone asked him, "Jim have you been sick? You look pretty peaked." The next day he wore a high stand-up collar, and somebody else said: "Jim you are getting fat." He is now confirmed in his relief that the secret of a man's physique is in the length of his neck.

Texas is not only destined to make rice so cheap and plenty in this country that, as in China, it will supersede wheat as the staff of life, but it is also to become the greatest silk producer in the world. To this end a great Japanese colony of silk growers is about to be planted in southwestern Texas. A splendid tract of land has been procured and already the first installment of Japanese, consisting of 200 skilled silk growers, are on their way and will be ready to go to work during the coming summer.

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending Saturday, March 25:

Ole Simonson to H O Rallog, se ¼ and se¼ ne¼ sec 34-154-44	$4000 00
J W Wheeler to L L Zenor, e½ ne¼ and e½ se¼ sec27-150-43	3200 00
Carrie J Kordale to P G Otterness, land in secs 32, 33-150-43	5800 00
Geo Turnville to J J Norachek, lots 25, 26, blk 25, Knox's add Red Lake Rapids	100 00
Chas Fellman to E O Hanske, lot 17, blk 26, St Hilaire	225 00
Minnesota Loan and Trust Co to Bovey-Shute Lumber Co., lot 12, blk 2, Plummer	75 00
F X Horn to J P Peterson, lots 9, 10, blk 25, Porter's add to Thief River Falls	70 00
W A Funk to Mina Law, ne¼ sec 27-153-44	2500 00
Ole O Nesja to G Grarmm, n½ lot 2, blk 1, P Meehan's add Thief River Falls	100 00
A Stenseth to F X Horn, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, blk 25, Porter's add Thief River Falls	1 00
Natty Anderson to Geo Larson, lot 8, blk 4, Hemmingson's add Thief River Falls	40 00
Halvor G Rollog to Ghas J Johnson, se¼ and se¼ of ne¼ sec 34-154-44	4400 00
Johan Wedual to Ole Weduel, lot 5 sec 19 and lots 8, 9, sec 40-155-41	26 48
J A Duffy to Anne Sieff, lots 1, 2, blk 9, Plummer	750 00
Andrew Stensof to R A Lee, lots 11, 12, blk 16, Thief River Falls	400 00
Grant Van Sant to F J Parker et al, ne¼ 17-150-44	2900 00
Vensal Kasper to J P Enstad, e ½ sw¼, lots 3, 4, all in 18-153-45	1600 00
Emily Quesnell to T J Morinville, se¼ 3-150-44	2600 00
D E Vaudrin to Mchts State Bk Red Lake Falls lot 15, blk 13, Kretzschmar's add Red Lake Falls	100 00
Casper Olson to D P Hagen, lots 16, 17, blk 16, Red Lake Rapids	500 00

The Colonel's Waterloo.

Colonel John M. Fuller, of Honey Grove, Texas, nearly met his Waterloo, from Liver and Kidney trouble. In a recent letter, he says: "I was nearly dead, of these complaints, and, although I tried my family doctor, he did me no good; so I got a 50c bottle of your great Electric Bitters, which cured me. I consider them the best medicine on earth, and thank God who gave you the knowledge to make them." Sold and guaranteed to cure, Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Kidney disease, by all druggists, at 50c per bottle.

The County in General

St. Hilaire's new council is organized for the year's business.

Thief River Falls will make an effort to hold a county fair the first week in August.

The new bridge recently built north of Plummer is said to be an exceptionally strong one.

F. S. Hallat, a wrestler of some renown, is at Thief River Falls trying to get on a match with some of the local sports.

John Ulvied, a reservation settler, broke his leg at Thief River Falls one day last week while unloading his household goods.

Dennis Martz, a young man of St. Hilaire. was taken to Crookston recently to be operated upon for appendicitis. He is getting well.

Cole Rice, of Wyandotte, killed the largest timber wolf of the season recently. The pelt measured five feet eight inches in length.

The letting of contracts for carrying mail between Plummer and Garnes and Lillo has been postponed by the postal authorities until April 7.

The Edwards-Wood Co's bucket shop at St. Hilaire was closed last week on account of a lack of business. The manager went to Crookston.

H. L, Dudley, known to all Red Lake county printers, has decided to leave Cass Lake and has accepted a position with the Crookston Journal.

Plummer will hold a special election April 4th to vote on the proposition of becoming a seperate election district and becoming seperate in all things from the town of Emardville.

Miss McGregor, one of Thief River's popular school teachers, was taken to a hospital in St. Paul recently to be operated upon for appendicitis. Dr. Bockman and a trained nurse accompanied her to the city.

Ralph Green, of Equality township, returned from Wahpeton, N. D., where he was called by the illness of a sister. She died before Mr. Green arrived and he remained for several days, attending the funeral and settling up her affairs.

A man from Fertile lost a gold watch at Plummer last fall and thought someone had stolen it. It was picked up last week by a Plummer citizen and it was found not much the worse for being out in the snow all winter.

Beware of Ointments for Catahrr that Contain Mercury,

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Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N.G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F.S.

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WARSAW UNDER A REIGN OF TERROR

BOMB IS THROWN INTO A POLICE STATION AND SEVEN PERSONS ARE INJURED.

While Baron von Nolken, Chief of Police Is En Route to Scene, He Is Wounded by Bomb Thrown Into Carriage—Czar Marked for Death.

Warsaw, March 27.—A bomb was thrown into the carriage of Baron von Nolken, chief of police of Warsaw, at eight o'clock Sunday evening. It is reported that the baron was severely wounded. The attack on Baron von Nolken was the result of an elaborate conspiracy of the revolutionary party. Shortly before eight o'clock Saturday night an elegantly dressed man went to the police station at Praga, a large suburb of Warsaw, on the other side of the Vistula, and threw a bomb into a room of the station, wounding seven persons, two of them dangerously. The man started to run away, but was caught by the captain of the station. He was found to be a Jew, but his identity has not yet been discovered. He was wounded. A telephone message was immediately sent to Baron von Nolten at the city hall, informing him of the outrage.

Policeman Killed.

Baron von Nolken, accompanied by a police official, took a carriage and started immediately for Praga. When passing the castle where the governor general resides a man standing on the pavement threw a bomb at the carriage. Baron von Nolken, who was sitting on the side nearest the assailant, received the full charge of the bomb, while his companion escaped unhurt. The coachman was thrown from his box and the carriage was smashed. Baron von Nolken was removed to the city hall and doctors were summoned, who found he had received injuries on the head, neck, arm and leg which are believed to be serious.

Police Chief Injured.

Meanwhile the police official accompanying Baron von Nolken saw the bomb thrower fleeing, and pursued and caught up with him, but the criminal proved the stronger and tore himself away. Another policeman fired twice after him, without result. Later a man was found dead in Sowia street, who proved to be a plain-clothes policeman who was seen pursuing Baron von Nolken's assailant. The police believe that the latter turned on the policeman and shot him dead. A girl who was passing the spot when the bomb was thrown was wounded by splinters, and had to be taken to the hospital.

Baron von Nolken is very unpopular. He is hated by the masses of the Polish population, who hold him responsible for the sanguinary suppression of the disturbances here at the end of January. He has been here only a year, having come from St. Petersburg, where he was chief of the mounted division of the police.

Czar Marked for Death.

St. Petersburg, March 27.—It is openly stated among the workmen that the fighting wing of the social revolutionists has passed sentence of death on 30 high personages, the list being headed with the name of the Grand Duke Alexis and ending with that of the emperor and bearing also the name of the dowager empress. Eighty bombs were found by the Warsaw police hidden in a grave in the cemetery. The news of this fact has caused the greatest concern here.

MRS. CHADWICK PAID USURY

Cleveland Woman Declares It Cost Her 50 Per Cent. to Get Money from Financiers.

Cleveland, O., March 27.—The examination of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick in bankruptcy proceedings showed that she practically paid money lenders 50 per cent. interest for every dollar she received. She declared her total indebtedness would not exceed $750,000, that of this sum, borrowed from various persons, she had received but $517,000, leaving $233,000 for commissions to the money lenders. In enlarging on this declaration, she said the note for $190,800, held by Herbert D. Newton, of Boston, represented but $78,000 in money actually received. In addition to the Newton transactions, Mrs. Chadwick said she paid James A. Friend, of Pittsburg, $75,000 for a loan of $150,000, and W. A. Coons, of New York, $24,000 for a loan of $109,000.

Mexican Ambassador Dead.

Washington, March 25.—Senor Don Manuel de Azpiroz, Mexico's first ambassador to the United States, died Friday at the Mexican embassy at 4:55 p. m., surrounded by the members of his family. Although a sick man since last fall the ambassador's death was due to a relapse caused by exposure on inauguration day.

Was Once Speaker of the House.

Auburn, N. Y., March 24.—Theodore M. Pomeroy, speaker of the house at the end of the fortieth congress, died here Thursday in his eightieth year. He was a member of the banking firm of William H. Seward & Co. and first vice president of the American express company.

Mother and Son Perish.

Sioux City, Ia., March 23.—Mrs. Harland Newton, of Shelton, Neb., and her nine-year-old son John perished in a fire here Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Kneebone. The fire was caused by a gasoline stove.

POWDER EXPLODES.

Disaster in an Indiana Coal Mine Causes a Loss of Six Lives.

Princeton, Ind., March 23.—Six miners dead and four injured, two probably fatally, is the result of an explosion in the mine of the Princeton Coal & Mining company Wednesday afternoon. The dead are: Hudson Weatherly, aged 30, married; Edmond Geiser, aged 23, single; Albert Geiser, 21, single; Harry Taggart, 46, single; William Biggs, 38, married; George Dill, 46, married.

The injured are: John Dill, son of George Dill, aged 20, single, seriously burned and will probably die; William Jones, aged 58, married, seriously burned and will probably die; Joseph Ward, aged 47, married, will recover; General Cole, aged 37, married, will recover. Of the dead, all but Dill were dead when found in the mine. Their bodies were rescued two hours after the explosion, the delay being caused by the inability of the rescuers to combat the afterdamp. The five injured, including George Dill, who later died, were brought to the surface 30 minutes after the explosion. They were found heaped together in an unconscious state.

The cause of the disaster is not known, save that it resulted from a powder explosion. The miners were making their blasts previous to leaving the mine, and the greater part of the miners had ascended. Whether it was a premature shot or an overcharge is not known now, nor is it known who fired the shot.

RUN ON A BANK.

Depositors of Institution in Cincinnati Demand Funds—Over $200,000 Paid Out.

Cincinnati, March 27.—With a crush that took the doors of the Union Savings & Trust company's bank off their hinges a panic-stricken army of depositors crowded into the institution Saturday morning shortly before the time for the opening of the bank. All day the run continued and by one o'clock (when the bank closed for the day) more than $200,000 in small amounts had been paid out. The run has been developing for the past two days, assuming enormous proportions and developing many dramatic incidents. A half dozen women depositors were crushed into unconsciousness in the crowd and were removed to the city hospital. More than 50 fainted while trying to squeeze up to the paying teller's desk and a number were robbed of their all by pickpockets who mingled in the crowd just after they had taken it from the bank for fear of loss.

FIVE MEN DROWNED.

During Heavy Fog Yawl Capsizes Near Charleroi, Pa., with Fatal Results.

Charleroi, Pa., March 24.—During a heavy fog Thursday William Higgins, a ferryman at Lock No. 4, attempted to row five men across the Monongahela river in a skiff. When in midstream the ferryman lost his way, and the boat was carried over the dam and capsized. The occupants were thrown into the swollen stream, but before their call for assistance could be answered they were swept out of sight. Several hours later the ferryman's yawl was located over a mile below the dam, but none of the bodies have been recovered.

THE LAST RITES.

Remains of the Late Mrs. Stanford Committed to the Final Resting Place.

Stanford University, Cal., March 25.—The body of the late Mrs. Jane Stanford, who recently died at Honolulu, now rests in the Stanford mausoleum between the bodies of her husband and son, near the institution of learning that bears their name. Before the final commitment of Mrs. Stanford's body to the stone sarcophagus simple services were held in the great Memorial church erected by her in loving memory of her husband. The church was filled with thousands of people from all over the state, who came to pay their tribute of respect.

Acquitted.

Pomeroy, O., March 27.—The jury in the noted county treasury robbery case returned a verdict of not guilty in the trial of Treasurer T. J. Chase. The trial grew out of the robbery of the county treasury of nearly $15,000 last September, in which Chase claimed he was held up by masked men and robbed.

Aged Seminole Chief Dies.

South McAlester, I. T., March 27.—Hulputta Micco, chief of the Seminole Indians, died here, aged 75 years. Micco served in the federal army during the civil war with a band of his tribesmen. He became a Baptist minister several years ago, although he could not speak a word of English.

Eight Killed in Landslide.

Semlin, Hungary, March 27.—A great landslide occurred here Sunday. A squadron of soldiers who went to the rescue of a buried woman suffered severely, eight of their number being killed and 19 injured.

Killed by a Street Car.

Burlington, Ia., March 27.—Mrs. W. H. Schwiering, the wife of the presiding elder of the German Methodist church, was run down and instantly killed by a street car here.

Veteran Retires.

Washington, March 22.—Col. Allen Smith, Sixth cavalry, has been retired, with the rank of brigadier general.

DEMOLISHED BY A TORNADO.

THE LITTLE TOWN LOUISBERG MINN., IS ALMOST WIPED OFF OF THE MAP.

Eight are Injured, Two Seriously. Many Buildings are Razed, Elevators Wrecked.

Appleton, Minn., March 28.—A cyclone traveling north struck Louisburg at 6:30 last evening. Every business house was either totally demolished or badly damaged.

Eight persons were injured, two may die. Physicians from Appleton and Madison are caring for them.

The Injured.

Tom Winger, bruised and injured internally; may die.

Minnie Winger, badly cut.

Jennie Winger, aged seven, probably fatally hurt.

Johnie Winger, knee hurt and otherwise injured.

Paul Paulson, aged 65, head bruised, may die.

Bennett Bergeson and Roy Beedle, badly bruised, but lives, saved by having crawled under a pool table.

Fred Moen, head badly bruised.

The heaviest loosers are the Hennepin Lumber company, lumber yard and machinery; Northwestern Elevator company; Philley & Beedle, hardware, and Tom Winger, restaurant.

The Luthern church was demolished and only two houses escaped untouched. The depot was damaged and several cars were blown off the track.

Many people from the neighboring towns are inspecting the ruins in the darkness. It is believed much damage was done outside of the town.

Rumors tell of several elevators being demolished along the line of the storm, which took a northwesterly path. The elevators are undoubtedly those situated along the Breckenridge branch of the Great Northern road, which runs from Watertown, S. D., to Benson, Minn.

The storm swept down upon the town suddenly, the atmosphere having been heavy and the wind changing rapidly, left the villagers little time to prepare for the devastating wind.

Louisburg is 115 miles from Breckinridge, and 163 miles from the Twin Cities via the Wilmar-Benson route of the Great Northern. The exact origin of the strorm could not be located but it is suppored that it was somewhere in southwestern Minnesota or northwestern Iowa.

Upon receiving word of the misfortune of the neighboring town, several physicians at Appleton, eight miles from Louisburg set out to give aid to the sufferers, being carried on a hand car.

Heavy Storm at Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., March 28.—A heavy electrical storm, the first of the season, occurred last night, followed by a heavy rainfall.

The rain is generally regarded as timely to put the soil in proper shape for seeding, which it will delay for a few days.

FIGHT WITH BURGLAR.

A Burly Burglar is surprised in Hotel and He Puts up an Ugly Scrap.

Minneapolis, March 24.—A giant midnight prowler, surprized by the proprietor, the clerk and a guest, while he was burglarizing the kitchen and dining room of the Windom hotel, 119 University avenue, SE, fought his way to liberty with a large butcher knife, and escaped only after he had inflicted three painful wounds upon Robert Shaver, the clerk, who with the proprietor, and the guest engaged in a desperate encounter with the prowler.

Shaver has knife wounds in his hip, right hand and left arm, which necessiated the taking of nine stitches by an East Side doctor. The proprietor, William McKee, has a bruised hand, while the guest, Charles McWha, who is a meet wagon driver, escaped uninjured. The burglar has a welt somewhere on his head from a padlock which McKee threw at him, and his clothing is soaked with the blood of the clerk.

Seeding Begun.

Fargo, N. D., March 28.—Seeding is general in many sections of the state. All the farmers seem to have been convinced that spring has arrived. The soil in the Red River valley is in good condition and everything is favorable. Farmers who had the nerve to seed when the thaw came the latter part of February, seem to have made a hit, as the grain is growing finely. It will be able to secure a better root and will stool better than other seeded grain.

Many farmers seem to fear a dry season, and the more enterprising are spreading as much of a dustbed on top of the grain as possible to retain the moisture. Many will roll their wheat after the dragging and seeding.

Found Jewels.

Chaska, Minn., March 28.—Men at work here tearing down the old brick walls of the county jail, under the courthouse, to make a coalbin, found six diamond rings, a gold watch and a pearl necklace, hidden in the brick wall of a cell.

Tornado in Kansas.

Eldorado, Kan., March 28.—A tornado struck the business portion of this city last night, injuring several persons, one fatally, and wrecking a hotel and school house.

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SAY, you Thief River fellows, what's the matter with Editor Latta of the Plummer Pioneer? He got through last week without abusing Red Lake Falls and her people. You better go down and "fix him."

FRANK EDDY announces in his inimitable Sauk Centre Herald that a country editor grins with oulish glee when he receives a kick for not supporting home institutions written on a letterhead printed in Chicago.

RUSSELL SAGE announces that he saves one-fourth of his income. Rigid economy like this has enabled Russell to keep the wolf from the door for several years, and he ought by this time have enough laid by to cover funeral expenses.

THE legislature is billed to adjourn April 18. and last Saturday was the last day for the introduction of bills. Nearly nine hundred bills have been presented, and unfortunately a good many of them will become laws that had better been killed. At the rate we are going Minnesota will soon suffer from too much legislation rather than too little.

REPRESENTATIVE SIMONS has introduced a bill making safe-breaking at night burglary in the first degree. This measure would be a great relief to merchants in towns too small to afford banking facilities. By the way, our representative has introduced a number of meritorious measures this session, and is recognized as one of the strong conservative members of the house.

EDITOR SJOBLON, in his Minneapolis Telegram, pertinently says that "an edit'or is a public benefactor—but the editor owner has space for sale. That is his stock in trade. He must sell it—and at a price—in order to get money for paper, wages and other expenses—just as the merchant must see that his stock is turned into income for rent, salaries, insurance, taxes, light and fuel bills."

COMMISSIONER GARFIELD'S report that the packers realizing a profit of but 90 cents a head, or 2 per cent, upon their cattle, is denied by Cuthbert Powell. an expert at Kansas City, who claims that instead of a paltry profit of 2 per cent, it is $7.41 a head, or 15 per cent, and that this profit is turned over every two to four weeks—twelve to twenty-four times a year. Mr. Powell bases his claim as to profits upon figures that seem incontrovertible. Garfield is too easy and innocent, says the Fairmont Sentinel. He was a tenderfoot and a stranger among the packers and they took him in.

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IT isn't any fun to read the Thie River Falls papers anymore. They have about run out of abuse for Red Lake Falls and have become very tame. In all their ranting about the county seat controversy they have not offered one argument why the court house should be moved, but have been "billin' over" with abuse for Red Lake Falls and hollering "Graft" at the top of their voice. They have not endeavored to show who the "grafters" are but content themselves with making the charge in a general way. The people of the county have got next to their little game and their loud talk will have no effect upon the average thinking citizen of the county who has the welfare of the county at heart. Blow your bugles, fellows, no one hears you.

IN JOINT DEBATE.

Colorado in the West matches Delaware in the East. Indeed the Western corruption of citizenship and government is more brazen and cynical. There have been corrupt bargains over the election of senators in Delaware, but these are common in all states. Legislatures are considered a fair field for buying and selling. But we cannot recall, in Delaware or any other state, so shameless a bargain as that by which the governorship of Colorado has been turned over to a man who was not even a candidate for it before the people.—Minneapolis Tribune.

We can easily agree with the Tribune's general conclusions, but would like to refresh its memory with regards to turning over the governship to a man who was not a candidate before the people. Didn't this very thing happen in enlightened Minnesota in 1895 when Knute Nelson resigned the governship to accept the United State senatorship?

Just think of it. Over 3,000 Minnesota high school graduates fell down on a 60 per cent examination in writing, spelling, grammar and geography. In the old fashioned district school pupils learned but a few things—but as a rule they learned them well.—Winnebago City Press News.

There is no question but what there is a great lack of thoroughness in the work of the common branches in the schools to-day, and the trouble in our opinion is just here: Men are chosen as superintendent of our high and graded schools who for the most part have never had any experience in grade teaching, and as a result, for fear of displaying their ignorance in that particular, they dodge the grades and leave them entirely at the discretion of the teacher who is too frequently inexperienced, or inclined to permit her pupils to skim along in a go-easy way. In every school where the superintendent devotes his entire time to the high school and steers clear of the grades, it will be found that pupils cannot pass the state examinations in the common branches, Unless the head of the school is right on this important question of thoroughness in grade work, the best of results will not be accomplished.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

THE COURIER knows little about the Tribune's charge of incompetency on the part of high schools superintendents. and is inclined to disagree, because the average superintendent is a university graduate, and well versed in schools technics. Nevertheless, many of the high school graduates turned out are lacking in the basic educational essentials. The foundation must be secure or the superstructure will fall. A boy or girl must know how to spell, read and write, and be versed in the rudiments of grammar in order to have a foundation for higher educational work. It is an injustice to the school, to the pupils and to the community that so many of our high school "graduates" are misnomers. There is a responsibility for this condition and it ought to be placed.

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The Minneapolis Journal has made arrangements to publish the original Sherlock Holmes detective stories and the popular fiction is now rnnning in that paper. They are being published at the rate of one a week and each one fills an entire page. Each one is a complete story in itself of how the great detective solved some strange and inexplicable crime mystery. The author of these thrilling stories, Conan Doyle, is perhaps the most famous of English story-tellers, and he first won fame by these very stories.

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Just Among Ourselves

Edited by the New Boss and an Ax

One of our citizens remarked the other day when he saw Hank W. Lee playing a game of cards that he hoped Hennery had found his game, as he was not a success at the rest of the "games" he had tried to play upon the people of Red Lake county.

Speaking of revival meetings reminds us of a time down in Northern Iowa when similar meetings were being held. The meetings were taking place while a warm county campaign was in progress. Upon being asked by the evaneglist if he was ready to work for Christ a Swede said, "No I tank I vork for Steve Bunt. He ben gude man fer me." Bunt was elected.

Hopeful Hortense: When a young man calls on you plug up the door and windows to make escape impossible and then fasthen him tightly to the mantel piece with a clothes line. After that you can keep him easily by applying chloroform to his face every few hours. If you persevere in these gentle attentions you'll have him so tame he'll eat out of your hand in a very short time.

County Treasurer Hansen is about as fine a looking "brutal tax gatherer" we ever saw. One would never suspect he was the fiend Hennery Lee of Thief River has pictured him to be. The public is not to be deceived however, as Judge Tarrant has placed a placard in a prominent position in the treasurer's office calling attention to the fact that it is the home of the "brutal tax gatherer."

A southern paper remarks: "The peculiar white substance which sifted down from the upper ether in this community yesterday, and which caused much astonishment and speculation, is known in far northern latitudes as snow." Yes, dear brother, and the odoriferous fluid which percolated through the anatomical labyrinths of a number of our citizens last Saturday evening, causing a revolutionary disarrangement of their mental equilibrium, is known in sunny southern latitudes as tonsil varnish.

Wee Harry Ives of the St. Hilaire Spectator has bought an automobile. Holy smut, a country editor owning a choo choo wagon! How does he expect to collect any subscription money when he is riding around like a millionaire. He says its only a half grown one-four horse power-but that does not make matters any better. He says its one of these little red devils—where you pour in the gasolene in one end and it leaves a bad taste in your mouth after it goes by. Say it will be a heap of fun next summer to see Harry down on all fours trying to make the exhaust pipe fit into the packing of the rear tire. He will be sorry then he tried to get ahead of the rest of the newspaper boys of the county.

Washington School Notes.

(Henry Skala and Lloyd Moran, reporters.)

Robert and Laura Poirier were absent Tuesday.

Anstrid Kindseth is absent because of sickness.

Miss Norby was necessarily called home last Saturday.

The janitor removed the storm windows and storm shed last week.

Gisela Helm has returned to school after a three week's absence.

It has been given out that visiting day will be the coming Saturday.

Nickie Helm has returned to the second grade after a two month's absence.

Dore and Clara Bourdon were absent three days on account of sickness.

The sixth grade has began the study of the New England states in geography.

Since warm weather came the pupils have not had their lessons as well as usual.

Carl Buse met with an accident on Wednesday which caused him to be late for school.

Grace Moran, who it will be remembered broke her arm some time ago, is back to school again.

Wednesday morning the fifth and sixth grades had no recess because the pupils voted not to have any.

Mr. Healy took his own room Monday morning with the intention of keeping it but Miss Iddings is not yet strong enough to take up her work at the high school, so he had to return there on Tuesday.

CATARRH THE MOST DANGEROUS OF ALL CHRONIC DISEASES.

"Pe-ru-na is a Blessing to Those Troubled With Catarrh," Says United States Senator Corbin.

Ex. U. S. Senator
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Gentlemen---"The use of Peruna has been a blessing to those troubled with catarrh. So many of my acquaintances have been cured and benefited by its use that its curative qualities should be generally known. I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best remedy yet discovered for that disease."---D. Y. Corbin, 916 Chicago Opera House, Chicago, Ill.

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Hon. D. Y. Corbin, is ex-United States Senator and cousin of Adjutant General Corbin of the United States Army. Judge Corbin is one of the best known lawyers in Chicago and stands high professionally and socially. The above endorsement coming from such a man cannot help but add weight and importance to the thousands of testimonials from the humbler walks of life.

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A book on the cure of throat and lung diseases, and catarrh in all stages and varieties, sent free to any address by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

"My Life Hung by a Mere Thread, Pe-ru-na Cured Me."

Mrs. Sarah Smart, 276 Hayward St., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:

"I can't tell in words how low I was. My life hung by a mere thread. I was waiting for months to die.

"My trouble was consumption or bronchitis. I suffered no pain when I was low, but coughing and breathing kept sapping what little strength I had. I could not eat, sleep or even lean back on a chair. I was a mere skeleton. I said to my husband, 'I can't last much longer.' My neighbors say they do not know how I ever recovered. It was almost a miracle.

"I took your medicine but three months, when I could do my housework and washing, and have been doing it ever since. Now I am able to do anything. You would never think I had been troubled with such a serious illness. I shall always keep your medicine in my house."—Mrs. Sarah Smart.

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Mrs. R. L. Aulich, Vice President American Genealogical Association, 604 H street, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

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If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Mrs. Chamberlain returned to his room.

Library night was last Friday. We hope to change the books in our library soon so that the pupils will have different ones to read.

A number of boys from room three are spending their recesses in Mr. Healy's room studying. These boys are paying the penalty for "cutting up" during Miss Norby's absence.

The fifth and sixth grade pupils are working to have all red marks removed. To do this we intend to take our books home and study at least one half hour on the subject in which we failed. We hope that our parents will make us study, "lest we forget." Perhaps those who don't have children in school will not know what red marks are. If a pupil gets below 75 per cent in any subject it is put down on the report card in red ink. These are what we are trying to get rid of.

In Dire Distress.

Misery and torture without parallel was the fate of Mr. Chas. Weaver, of Darlington, Wis. He writes: "After taking three boxes of Gloria Tonic my rheumatism entirely disappeared. Previous to taking this remedy I could not sleep nights." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

An Essay on Man.

A smart school girl is said to have written the following essay: "Man is a two legged animal that chews tobacco and walks on the forged end. Most men are born: I never heard of but one that was not, and he was made out of mud, just as a sample. Man's life is full of disappointments, Peruna and cob pipes. He goes forth in the morning like a lion and leaves the wood for his wife to chop, and in the evening he sneakth home with his pants ripped and the heel gone, and raises cain about hard times. He has the grippe on road-working day and walks twenty miles to a circus. He will chase a jack rabbit four miles through the snow, then borrow a neighbor's horse to ride half a mile to the post-office. He will tell you just what to do in case you have the smallpox or yellow fever, then send ten miles for a doctor when he takes the colic. Say a man is greasy and dirty and he gets on the prod, but say he is slick and full of grit and it pleases him. Man's day and man's dollars are numbered and his system is filled with gall.

F. I. WHITNEY PROMOTED.

General Passenger Agent of the G. N. to be Advanced.

As the result of the retirement of Francis B. Clarke from the active supervision of the office of general traffic manager of the Great Northern, the affairs of the office will be divided between the passenger and freight departments.

W. W. Broughton, who has been general freight agent, will assume to-day the duties of freight traffic manager, and F. I. Whitney, who for many years has been general passenger agent of the company, will assume charge of the passenger traffic, with the title of passenger traffic manager, The jurisdiction of J. C. Eden, assistant general traffic manager with headquarters at Seattle has been extended over the entire line. Hithertofore Mr. Eden had charge only of the traffic on the west end.

Mr. Clarke still retains the title of general traffic manager of the road, although he has not been actively connected with the railroad for a year and a half.

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Crookston Times: Dr. Watson of Red Lake Falls, chairman of the republican central committtee of Red Lake county and one of the active, wide awake business men of Red Lake Falls, arrived in this city Sunday morning from a trip to the twin cities and expected to catch the Sunday stage overland to the Falls. He overslept, however, and had to make the trip across the country later in the day with a livery rig. Dr. Watson reports the 'Falls" as enjoying prosperity this spring despite the county seat fight started by Thief River Falls some time ago.

We have bought a large lot of the

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Smoke the Iron Jaw cigar.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

You havn't taken down your stove, have you?

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson now has a telephone in his residence.

O. K. Lee, of McIntosh, transacted business at this place Tuesday.

Call for the Iron Jaw and Corona cigar when you want a good smoke.

Jas. O'Neil, of Thief River Falls, was here a couple of days last week.

Editor Haislett of the Gazette will make a trip to the cities next week.

You are missing a goood thing if yon are not smoking the Iron Jaw cigar.

Mrs. Ed. L. Healy was at Thief River Falls over Sunday visiting friends.

Dr. N. M. Watson was at Minneapolis and St. Paul the later part of last week.

Miss Anna Sutter has been visiting friends at Crookston and Warren the past week.

The Busy Store has an adv. this week telling you about some 'valyus' in spring goods.

Editor Ives of the St. Hilaire Spectator was a county seat visitor the first of the week.

The Great Northern is expected to change the train service on this division next Sunday.

Miss B. Norby returned this morning from Detroit where she had been visiting friends and relatives.

Superintendent of Schools McAnulty has been visiting the schools in the eastern part of the county this week.

Miss Ara Kankel came up from Fertile this morning and will take painting lessons again from Mrs. I. D. Converse.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Victor Knight returned to Big Forks the first of the week after visiting several days here with his numerous friends.

W. Bergstrum, of Forest City, Iowa, was in the city the first of the week consulting the Sortedahl Land Co. in regard to acquiring some of the good land in Red Lake county.

Try the Iron Jaw cigar for your next smoke.

Prof Onstad was at St. Hilaire Monday evening.

Joe Patnode was at Grand Forks several days last week.

Father Ansgar was at Thief River Falls over Tuesday night.

Arthur Zaiser was at Crookston over Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Alyce Boyd visited friends at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Salley spent Sunday with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Wanted.—A bright girl to learn typesetting. Call at THE COURIER office.

St. Mary's society will meet with Mrs. John Deutschman, Thursday, April 6.

Frank Person will leave next week for St. Charles where he will make his home.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman was down from Thief River Falls last Saturday on business.

W. A. Schrieter was called to Thief River Falls Tuesday on a business mission.

M. O. Sortedahl went to Otter Tail county the first of the week on a business mission.

If you enjoy an all Havana cigar the Corona will just reach the spot. Ask for a Corona.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Game Warden Elliot has moved his family into the house recently vacated by M. A. Hatten.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Asselin and children, of Crookston, visited Red Lake Falls friends over Sunday.

Arthur Holberg came over from Grand Forks last week for a few days visit with his numerous friends in this city.

S. Simons, of Clear Lake, Iowa, was here the first of the week looking over the conntry with a view of investing in land.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. King left the first of the week for St. Paul and will make that city their home for the next two years.

Have you tried the Iron Jaw cigar? They are just as good as the man whose picture adorns the box. 'Nuf said—they're good.

O. L. Larson, one of the prominent farmers of Sanders township, was a county seat visitor Saturday. While here he purchased some farm machinery.

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—SEE—
S. A. SWANSON

Farmers are invited to call and see those Acme harrows that have so many friends throughout the country.—S. A. Swanson.

The Grand View saloon started in business Saturday. Mr. Krueger has a fine place and will no doubt do his share of business.

Miss Eugenie LaBissioniere left Tuesday for North Yakima, Wash., where she will remain for some time visiting friends and relatives.

Berthon & Armstrong call your attention to a new line of summer clothing they have just received in this week's issue. Read their adv.

Miss Grace Iddings has so far recovered from her illness as to be able to be out again. She will resume her school duties next week.

You would never regret buying a Goodhue wind mill. Easy running, simply constructed, and will last a life time. For sale by S. A. Swanson.

Rev. Gilchrist, of Crookston, was a visitor in this city this week. He is the new pastor-at-large for the Presbyterian church for this district.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract, go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Does your headgear bother you? If so so tay a Lanpher hat. Wear and up-to-dateness are its strong arguments. $3.00 at Garceau & Zaiser.

A large party of young people went to St. Hilaire Sunday on the gravel train and had a good time taking in the sights of that place for a few hours.

Otto Zaiser celebrated his birthday Monday evening by entertaining a number of his friends at his home. A pleasant time is reported by those present.

Sam Allard, who has been quite sick the past week or ten days, is reported as on the mend. This will be welcome news to his many friends about the city.

Z. A. Cadieux is in the city visiting relatives and friends. He will be one of the mail clerks on this division of the Great Northern in the near future.

For ball or street wear is where the Queen Quality shoe for women shows its true character of grace and durability. $3.00 and $3.50.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The characteristics of a good shoe was never shown to better advantage then in the W. L. Douglas spring shoe styles for men. $3.00 and $3.50 at Garceau & Zaiser.

We have had all kinds of weather the past week. A thunder storm Monday night and a snow storm yesterday. But it is to be expected at this time of the year.

Station Agent Tracy of the Great Northern announces that the next sailing of the steamship "Minnesota" from Seattle to the Orient will take place April 29.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice for the week ending March 25, 1905: E. C. Kennedy, Peter Westerland, Maxin Champagne and Oliver Corough.

We wish all lovers of a good smoke to try our new brands—the Iron Jaw and Corona. They are of the best tobacco and great care has been exercised in their manufacture.—J. B. Cigar Co.

Miss Margaret Peble, who has been one of THE COURIER force for sometime past, who will leave the later part of the week for Grand Forks where she will make her home hereafter.

Louisburg, a town of 400 inhabitants in Lac qui Parle county, heads the list for cyclones for this season. One visited that place last Monday evening. No one was killed but several badly injured.

Miss Ida Poessel, who has been teaching school at Plummer the past winter, closed her term last week and has returned to this city. She leaves this week for Mentor where she will have charge of the school.

A special train on the Great Northern was here one day last week. All the high officials of the road were on the train and were on a tour of inspection. The new work at this place was thoroughly looked into by the party.

The south room of the Boughton building is being put in shape for Miller Bros., who will move in as soon as the room is ready. They have ordered a combination pool and billiard table and will run it in connection with their barber business.

Supreme Fashions

are shown when the "V a l y u" Garments are shown.

"V a l y u" Garments are Leaders in Style, Fit, wear and Lowest in Prices . . . .

The Rainy Season is here and "V a l y u" Cravanettes are here. They possess the durability, style, fit and make-up. Garments in all prices from $15.00 down to

$8.50

Spring Jackets

We are now in a position to show you the Jackets of the Season—the "V a l y u s" Among them is an all-wool Covert, Venetian, fancy stitched, satin-faced Jacket for

$2.98

"VALYU" SKIRTS

We are still receiving new Skirts in all shades, styles and prices. A fine wool suiting Skirt, fancy stitched, a good $5.00 value, OUR PRICE, $2.98

..Garceau & Zaiser..

"THE BUSY STORE"

Editor McDonald of the Thief River Press was a county seat visitor Monday and found time to drop into the COURIER office for a little visit.

Its about time to be thinking about that wind mill. I handle the Goodhue mill, guaranteed first class in every particular.—S. A. Swanson.

While at work in his butcher shop last Satuday J. H. Blake met with an accident to one of his hands, cutting two fingers very badly with a sharp knife.

H. F. Larson, of Hoople, N. D., arrived in the city this morning and will remain a few days looking after his farm property in Emardville township.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allard, Miss Anna, has been very sick the past ten days but is reported as improving nicely at this writing.

Mrs. Dr. Gendron, of Grand Rapids, is in the city the guest of her sister, Mrs. N. J. St. Aubin. Her many friends in this city will be glad to see her again.

Thief River News: Mrs. C. C. Jackson was down to Red Lake Falls last Friday to attend a farewell party given by Mrs. Marshall for Mrs. John E. King.

Thos. LaBissoniere and family left for Tuesday their new home in Idaho. Their many Red Lake Falls friends wish them happiness and prosperity in their western home.

Those new brands of the J. B. Cigar Co.—the Iron Jaw and Corona—are first class in every respect and you will find them an excellent smoke. Insist upon getting them when you call for a smoke.

The Acme harrow is head shoulders above all competitors. An investigation will convince the most sceptical that all we say about them can be verified. See the Acme before buying.—S. A. Swanson.

Peter Roering, one of Lambert's prosperious farmers, was in the city this week serving as a grand juror. He found time to drop into THE COURIER office for a few minutes pleasant chat. He reports every one in his neighborhood as being ready for the spring work.

Wm. Holberg returned last week from Minneapolis where he has been at St. Luke's hospital for several weeks, undergoing treatment for one of his legs. He is at work again at Garceau & Zaiser's store but expects to return to the city in a week or two to finish his treatment.

The pile driver crew, who have been here for the past two months, expect to finish their work this week and will return to the cities where the most of the men have their homes. They are a jolly, honest lot of men and have made many friends since being in the city.

The rain the first of the week put a stop to spring work for the time being. The ground was in excellent shape for seeding before the rain and is to be hoped the wet weather will not last long. Everything points to a most prosperous season in the Red River valley. The season is far in advance of that of the country to the south of us.

Red Lake county has a new resident in the person of James Nelson, who arrived with his family from Russell, Lyon county, last week. The family will make their home in Lake Pleasant township and start out under the most favorable conditions. The Ed. L Healy Land Co. was instrumental in getting this most excellent family to locate in our midst.

The following graceful lie comes from an enterprising Montana newspaper: A farmer in Gallatin county raised 1,000 bushels of popcorn and stored it in his barn. The barn caught fire, the corn began to pop and filled a ten acre field. An old horse in the neighboring pasture had defective eye-sight, and thinking it was snow, laid down and froze to death.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Charles Gardner, of Thief River Falls, was bound over to the grand jury by Judge Bishop for stealing two chickens valued at fifty cents. It will cost the county fifty dollars or more. Yes, Harry, but you know Thief River is the taxpayer's friend. Moving court houses and sending men to the grand jury for a trivial offense don't count.

Engineer McMilligan, who ran the first Great Northern train into this city, and who has been a familiar figure on our streets every day for several years, will be missed by his numerous friends after next Saturday. His run will be changed and he will probably go through from Crookston to Greenbush when the new train service is inaugurated. Here's hoping he may find time to drop off occasionally and greet his many friends.

Armstrong (Ia) Journal: Friday forenoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Horswell, east of town, occurred the marriage of Chas. S. Pendleton and Frances A. Eastman, Rev. Slessor officiating. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present. The bride is well known to most of our readers and needs no introduction. The groom was for many years a resident of Kossuth county, and is now the owner of a large ranch near Burlington, Colo., which will be their home. The good wishes of a host of friends go with them.

Miss Anna Smith and Miss Nellie Reed, evangelists, arrived in the city Saturday and began their special meetings at the Presbyterian church Sunday. Miss Smith is a fluent and entertaining talker and her addresses are listened to with deep interest by those who have had the pleasure of hearing her. Miss Reed is a talented and sweet singer of unusual ability and her singing is a great help in the work the young ladies are engaged in. The ladies are fast making friends in the city and their visit will no doubt be the means of doing great good for the work they have taken up.

Crookston Journal: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rieck, of Red Lake Falls, were in the city Friday attending to matters of business. They said that the roads between Red Lake Falls and Crookston were not bad this side of Gentilly but were rather muddy on the other side. Mr. and Mrs. Reick have sold out their farm there and will leave for Waseca, where they will make their future home. They have farmed near Red Lake Falls for seven years but are getting old and wish to return to their old home in Waseca county to make their home again among their old friends.

Bound hand and foot and gagged, the maiden was put into the gunnysack, and, unable to move or scream, felt herself being carried down a flight of stairs, put into a buggy and then driven down the street. Inaffectually she tried to release herself from the gag. Alas! she was bound too securely. Finally the conveyance stopped. She was again carried into a building, fainting and gasping for breath; the sack was taken from her head. The villian, still masked, took the gag from her mouth, his eyes gleaming like coals of fire through his black mask, released her and hissed through his tightly clenched teeth: "There, my pretty bird, scream and yell as loud as you like, no human ear will ever hear you. You are in my power. Do you hear? Totally within my power!" "Where am I?" she gasped. "In a store that never advertises," was the cruel response. "Alas! Alas!," she moaned. "No power on earth can save me; no one will look for me here," and the poor girl fainted.

The National Highway to California is via "The Overland Route." If you contemplate a trip to this pleasure-seekre's paradise, this route offers you the highest degree of comfort and luxury, with no additional cost and a great saving of time and expense. Fast trains. Smooth roadbed. Fine equipment. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific. Every day from March 1 to May 15, tickets will be sold via this route at $25 from Missouri River, good in tourist sleepers. Double berths, $5.75. Inquire of E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A., Union Pacific, Omaha, Neb.

Tablets at the COURIER store.

ECZEMA A FLESH FIRE

Those afflicted with Eczema know more than can be told of the suffering imposed by this "flesh fire." It usually begins with a slight redness of the skin, which gradually spreads, followed by blisters and pustules discharging a thin, sticky fluid that dries and scales off, leaving an inflamed surface, and at times the itching and burning are almost unbearable. While any part of the body is liable to be attacked, the hands, feet, back, arms, face and legs are the parts most often afflicted. The cause of Eczema is a too acid condition of the blood. The circulation becomes loaded with fiery, acid poisons that are forced through the glands and pores of the skin which set the flesh aflame. Since the cause of the disease is in the blood it is a waste of time to try to cure it with local applications; the cause must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. has no equal as a remedy for Eczema; it enters the blood and forces out the poison through the natural channels, and builds up the entire system. The skin becomes smooth and soft again, and the Eczema is cured. Cases that have persistently refused to be cured under the ordinary treatment yield to its purifying, cooling effect on the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

Eczema made its appearanee on my left limb the size of my thumb in 1893, and spread until it was large as my hand, burning, itching and paining me, and for which I could get no relief, until seeing the other cures advertised by you I wrote and secured the advise of your physicians, commenced S. S. S. and it cured me.

Mayetta, Kan. J. H. SPENCE.

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

LETTER FROM ST. PAUL.

The Senior Courier Editor Gives a Few Notes From the Capitol.

St Paul, March 28, 1905—Governor Johnson's veto of the Horton bill has been the chief topic of interest about the capitol for the past several days, and there are various guesses as to what the legislature will do with it. It will be remembered that one of the first bills introduced at this session was the measure by Senator Hiler Horton taking control of the capitol out of the governor's hands and vesting it in the board of capitol commissioners. By fair-minded it was conceded to be a petty scheme to take away a little patronage from the Democratic executive and make a few more places for the Ramsey county Republican organization. An effort was made to line up the full Republican strength for the obnoxious measure. but this was unsuccessful. In the house the bill was passed by a very small majority, and then after a number of amendments had been adopted. It is hardly probable that the house will now vote to over-ride the veto. The governor's message is a strong and forceful paper, and is commended on all sides. He says in part:

"I cannot acquiesce in the implication that the governor of the state, chosen by a majority of the people of state, is incompetent to discharge the duties of his office, as applied to this particular instance, I am constrained to herewith return senate file No. 4. A bill for an act to provide for the care and maintenances of the new state capitol,' and to appropriate money therefor,' without my approval. I would recommend that the legislature provide a sufficient appropriation to cover the cost and maintenance of the capitol; to provide for the appointment by the governor of a superintendent of capitol building and grounds, and authorize the governor to provide for such other employes as may be necessary. I would especially urge in this connection that for all employes where technical knowledge and ability is required, that a civil service rule be applied in order that this class of help might not be changed with varying administrations for political purposes.

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Hon. Cleve Van Dyke, executive clerk in the governor's office, has come in for a good share of baninage of late. Some three weeks ago he inadvertently gave it out that he was going down town to take a bath. Of course Frank Day heard of it, and the occasion afforded a most delightful opportunity for playful raillery. Cleve was called up by phone, and Frank proceeded to read him out of the Democratic party, declaring that he had violated one of the time-honored traditions of Jeffersonian simplicity, and that his refrehensible conduct demanded the most severe censure. Of course Cleve couldn't understand what it was all about or why Secretary Day's ire should be aroused, until it was explained that the breach of Democratic faith and precedent consisted in taking a bath! However, it happened on this occasion that the bath-tub fixtures were not properly adjusted, and Cleve burned one of his feet so badly that he was obliged to go to the hospital. Frank now tells Mr. Van Dyke's friends that it must have been Cleve's first fall from grace, as it is apparent he didn't know how to use a bath-tub. On this assumption his error was excused, and he has been restored to full fellowship in the Democratic party.

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The capitol is open on Sundays, and thousands of St. Paul and Minneapoiis people take advantage of the opportunity to visit the handsome marble edifice. It is estimated that fully 15,000 people were here last Sunday. There seems to be no dimiunation in the number of persons who want to inspect the seat of state government.

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The spring term of the supreme court commences next Tuesday, April 4, and the judicial arm of the government will take on a busy appearance. The sumptious supreme court chamber is now completed, with the exception of the hanging of three of LaFarge's celebrated paintings. Four of these pictures are provided for at a cost of $40,000. One is now in place, and this represents the "Moral and Divine Law." It illustrates Moses on Mt. Sinai receiving the tablet of stone containing the ten commandments from the angel, The other three will typify the development of law.

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Probably the handsomest room in the building is the governor's reception room. The wainscot of this room is of oak, elaborately carved, and ornamented in dull gold. The walls above wainscot, and the ceiling, are heavily gilded. A painting by Mr. F. D. Millet, "The Treaty of Traverse Des Sioux," and one by Mr. Douglas Volk "Discovery of the Falls of St. Anthony by Father Hennepin," are to be placed at the east ends of this room. Four other pictures, depicting Minnesota's part in the Civil War, are to be placed in the four large panels.

TAKE WINE OF CARDUI AT HOME

Are you a sufferer?

Has your doctor been unsuccessful?

Wouldn't you prefer to treat yourself—AT HOME?

Nearly 1,500,000 women have bought Wine of Cardui from their druggists and have cured themselves at home, of such troubles as periodical, bearing down and ovarian pains, leucorrhœa, barrenness, nervousness, dizziness, nausea and despondency, caused by female weakness.

These are not easy cases. Wine of Cardui cures when the doctor can't.

Wine of Cardui does not irritate the organs. There is no pain in the treatment. It is a soothing tonic of healing herbs, free from strong and drastic drugs. It is successful because it cures in a natural way.

Wine of Cardui can be bought from your druggist at $1.00 a bottle and you can begin this treatment today. Will you try it?

In cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, The Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Women's Kidneys.

Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculair to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, heacaches, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Homeseekers' Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month sell tickets at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia. Iowa, Kentucky, Louisianna, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill. a18

Where are We At?

It used to be that a country editor had certain inalienable rights, among which were drinking as much and as often as his friends would buy, immunity from arrest, etc., etc., but in these degenerate days all his ancient privileges have been taken away and he is but little better than a slave or a worn-out politician. Witness the fate of the Wilmont Initiator. He went to the Hub last Monday, and not being aware of the strength and fierceness of Worthington bug juice, innocently took on too much of it, and was pinched by the cruel mioons of the law. Tuesday morning he was taken before Justice Dow, who fined him $10.00 and costs, amounting in all to $13.66. Thus, brethren, has the editorial prerogative gone glimmering, and all that is left of our whilom liberties is a cipher with the circle erased. Henceforth we must drink nothing stronger than pop or buttermilk, or which of us is safe?--Adrian Democrat.

Cured Hemorrhages of the Lung.

"Several years since my lungs were so badly affected that I had many hemorrhages," writes A. M. Ake, of Wood, Ind. "I took treatment with several physicians without any benefit. I then started to take Foley's Honey and Tar, and my lungs are now as sound as a bullet. I recommend it in advanced stages of lung trouble." Foley's Honey and Tar stops the cough and heals the lungs. and prevents serious results from a cold. Refuse substitutes. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Why Defeat Him?

Albert Lea Standard: That there is an increasing number of impartial and independent Republicans in this state, Republicans of manhood, intelligence and courage, and who with patriotic sincerity consider the welfare of their country and the state superior to the restricted and arbitary allegiance to their party—and can thus do justice to honest and public servant even though not their political complexion, is a admirably exemplified in the following editorial from the Albert Lea daily Tribune of March 8.

Editor Luce says: "Some of the simon pure Republicans of last autumn are worrying lest Gov. Johnson be a hard man to defeat, but if he proves what is wanted in the state why defeat him? The steel trust, the Standard Oil monopoly and the pine timber thieves must not be permitted to dictate who shall or shall not be governor, even if they have the able assistance of the mergerites. If Gov. Johnson continues to perform his duties satisfactorily and vetoes some of the legislative woodchucks when they reach him, he will earn the gratitude of the state and he will be "a hard man to defeat."

All Mothers Know

the great danger to babies in bad fits of coughing. Gloria Lung Balsam will stop it almost instantly, so don't be without it. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Death rate in Chicago and New York.

During November and December, 1903, one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Something to think of.

When you are traveling you fell more comfortable if you know that every precautions is taken for your protection. The famous North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago is operated by the block system, the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California.

The Chicago Great Western Railway in connection with the C. R. I. & P. Railroad will run a through tourist sleeping car every week to San Francisco. Leaving Minneapolis at 8:00 p. m., St. Paul

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CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Cosy Compartments.

The privacy of the home will be enjoyed in the cosy compartments on the NORTH-WESTERN Limited. Ladies especially will appreciate the many little conveniences provided on this famous train,—every night Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A girl gets over blushing about the time she ought to begin.

It's very careless to kiss your wife as if you thought she wasn't.

No matter how late in the morning a man comes home his wife thinks he ought to look in the closet to see if a burglar is there.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don,t get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief. and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at all druggists price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., has more graduates working in that city as stenographers and book-keepers at a good salary than all other business colleges combined and offers $100 to anyone who will prove the contrary.

Why not get it

when you get sure relief from a violent cough? Gloria Lung Balsam will do this every time. It is made of honey, tar, wild cherry, etc., and is the best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The Skill of the American Housewife in Bread Making is due to Yeast Foam. It makes good Bread from any flour.

Yeast Foam is the yeast that took the First Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition, and is sold by all grocers at 5c. a package—enough for 40 loaves. Our book "Good Bread" free.

NORTHWESTERN YEAST CO.
CHICAGO, ILL.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corporation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances: which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.

Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m30m4

Notice of Abatement.

Whereas, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls. praying for the vacation of a part of a certain street and a certain alley and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a Plat showing in Red color the part of the street, and alley and public grounds, proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city Clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of the part of said street and said alley and public grounds, upon the ground that the Church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota is the owner of all the property abutting on the part of said street and alley to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said street and alley for the purpose of maintaining a parsonage thereon;

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the regular meeting thereof to be held in the city hall of said city of Red Lake Falls on the 13th day of April A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appeal and be heard.

The part of the street and alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows;

A strip of land twenty feet wide on main street extending from fourth street to fifth street, next adjacent to the West side block one in E. and O. Buse's Addition to the city of Red Lake Falls, according to the Plat thereof on file and of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Red Lake County, Minnesota, and also the alley in said block one.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk this 16th. day of March A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE, ss:

In Probate Court,
Special Term, March 11th 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Clement deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Napoleon Clement the Executor of the estate of John Clement deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 8th day of April, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 11th day of March A. D, 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Order of Hearing on Petition for License to Sell Land.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.

In Probate Court.
Special Term March 11, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Herman Bischoff, deceased.

On reading and filing petition of Theresa Bischoff as administratrix of said estate, representing among other things that said Herman Bischoff at the time of his death was seized of certain real estate which is described in the petition herein, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate to pay the debts and legacies, and expenses of administration of said estate, and that it is the best interests of said estate and all persons interested therein that said real estate be sold; and it appearing by such petition that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of the administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, legacies and expenses of administration, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate, and that it will be for the best interest of said estate and of all persons interested therein that the real estate described in the petiton herein should be sold:

It Is Ordered that all persons interested in said estate be and appear before this Court on Saturday the 8th day of April A. D. 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County and State, then and there to show cause, if any there be why license should not be granted to said Theresa Bischoff, administratrix to sell real estate according to the prayer of said petition.

It Is Further Ordered that this order be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County and State.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 11th day of March A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

W. A. McINTYRE
Attorney for Petitioner
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m16-30

Order for Hearing of Petition for Discharge of Admistrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF RED LAKE.

In Probate Court:

In the matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre as Administrator of said estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree in said matter of said estate, and with the terms and conditions of all other decrees and orders of this Court in said matter, and has paid over to the distributees and persons named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded in said final decree, and praying that he as such Administrator of said estate, and the sureties on his bond, be discharged from all liability by reason of said trust and the administration of said estate.

Now, therefore, it is ordered, that said petition be heard by this Court at the Probate Court Office at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and it is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks immediately prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota,

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 9th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court. N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate, Red Lake County, Minn.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake

District Court,
14th Judicial District

Joseph Helm Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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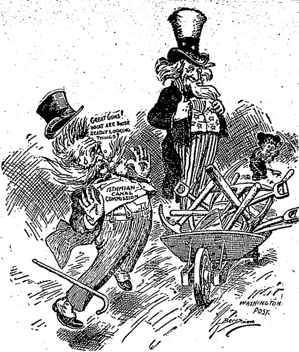
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A WESTERN JUDGE DECIDES AGAINST COL. W. F. CODY IN HIS SUIT.

Famous Defendant Is Roundly Scored for Heaping Indignities Upon His Wife in Return for Her Fidelity and Devotion.

Sheridan, Wyo., March 24.—The district court here has refused the petition of Col. William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) for a divorce. Judge R. H. Scott delivered an opinion of considerable length, reviewing the allegations and evidence and giving his conclusions. An exception to the ruling of the court was noted by Judge H. S. Ridgley, attorney for Col. Cody, and his request for 60 days for filing a petition for a rehearing was granted. The motion for a new trial will be argued at the next term of court and in case this is denied Cody's attorneys will take the matter to the supreme court of Wyoming.

Charge of Poison Disproven.

Judge Scott, in his opinion, said:

"The first cause of action in this case is the charge of poisoning on December 26, 1900, or some time prior thereto. The evidence wholly fails to support this issue, but shows the defendant was trying to rescue the plaintiff from a state of intoxication and administered no poison, but remedies which she deemed beneficial to him. His inability to speak on this occasion did not come from these remedies, but came from his excessive use of intoxicating liquors at the banquet board, and was as humiliating to the defendant as to the plaintiff."

Judge Scott also found that the charge of unbecoming actions on the part of the defendant toward the colonel's guests was not proven; that there was evidence that she had ever threatened her husband's life.

Tribute to the Wife.

"She was an over-indulgent mother and wife, who always took pride in his success and always looked forward to his home coming, and made great preparations to receive him," said Judge Scott. "She entertained his guests with cordiality. She did not use profane language. The poisoning of his pet dogs was accidental. She never spoke disrespectfully of him to his friends or guests. She always accompanied him to the depot on his departures and was there to receive him on his return. In her home she has a large statute of him in the hall; in her bedroom she has his portrait done by a famous painter on her stand, and her dishes were stamped and etched with his portrait. Such in brief is the character and conduct of Mrs. Cody extending over a long period of married life.

Husband Scored.

"In return for this wifely devotion the plaintiff has been cruel to her and heaped indignities upon her. Even if it were true that the defendant had at times been impatient with him, and such impatience has been considered as indignities, it is also true that she has had much to contend with. There are some allegations in the answer that are not sustained by the evidence. From the evidence it does not appear that the plaintiff was so addicted to gambling as to impair his business abilities or trustworthiness. He did not use intoxicating liquors in such quantities as to interfere with the transaction of his business."

Held on Serious Charge.

New York, March 25.—Francis P. Magoun, of the banking and brokerage firm of Magoun Bros. & Co., of Wall street, which failed a few years ago, was held in $10,000 bail for examination in the Tombs police court Friday on a charge of grand larceny.

Wisconsin Centenarian Dead.

Baraboo, Wis., March 23.—Michael Clifford is dead at Reedsburg, aged 102 years. He was born in Ireland and located in Milwaukee in 1834, where he lived for 20 years.

DEATH OF JULES VERNE.

Famous Novelist Passes Away at Amiens, France—Short Sketch of His Career.

Amiens, France, March 25.—Jules Verne, the famous novelist, died here Friday. His family was at his bedside.

Verne was born at Nantes in 1828. Like many other famous authors, he began his career by studying law, but he found this profession not congenial and began to gratify his taste for writing. At that time the stage offered the best inducements to a young author, and he wrote plays and librettos, and for a time was secretary of the Theater Lyrique. In 1868 he published his "Five Weeks in a Balloon," and this decided his future. He had discovered his power to combine in the form of a story daring flights of the imagination with the operation of the laws of nature.

He rewrote his stories many times, having made ten copies of the manuscript of one book before he got it to his satisfaction. For 37 years he wrote an average of two stories every year. His most popular books are "A Journey to the Center of the Earth," "Around the World in Eighty Days," "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," "The Mysterious Island," "Michael Strogoff" and "From the Earth to the Moon Direct in Ninety-Seven Hours, Twenty Minutes; and a Journey Around It."

BEEF TRUST INQUIRY BEGINS

Judge Humphrey Urges Utmost Secrecy in Investigation in Chicago.

Chicago, March 23.—Instructions were delivered to the special federal grand jury by Judge Humphrey, in the United States district court, Wednesday. Within 15 minutes after the jury retired the first witness appeared before the body and the sweeping investigation of the packing combine was under way. Judge Humphrey's charge had been carefully prepared to cover every detail of the inquiry. He first impressed upon the jurors the solemnity of their office as jurors and the grave importance of the task they were about to take up.

He told them they were to probe charges of violations of federal statutes and to leave no stone unturned to get at the truth. Finally he charged them to preserve secrecy outside the grand jury room and talk to no man upon the subject of their investigations. A. G. Hoffman, of Mendota, was appointed by Judge Humphrey as foreman. The jury then retired and began their deliberations.

SNUBS UNCLE SAM.

President Castro, of Venezuela, Refuses to Arbitrate Issues with United States.

Washington, March 25. — Minister Bowen cabled the state department Friday from Caracas that President Castro had flatly refused to arbitrate the pending issues between Venezuela and the United States. President Castro denied that Venezuela had questions pending with the United States, and declared the case of the New York & Bermuda Asphalt company must remain in the courts. The administration will take no action in regard to the reply which President Castro of Venezuela made to Minister Bowen. The matter was fully discussed at the cabinet meeting, and it was determined to allow the matter to await developments. It can be said positively that no determination was reached which would involve drastic action on the part of the American government.

Fire Is Costly.

St. Louis, March 27.—The freight depot of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, located in the center of its immense freight yards in the southern part of the city, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday, together with 17 refrigerator cars, the property of the St. Louis Refrigerating Car company, of which Adolphus Busch is the president. The total loss is estimated at $125,000.

Four Drowned.

Rockledge, Fla., March 27.—Four persons were drowned by the capsizing of a rowboat in Banana river, near here, during a squall.

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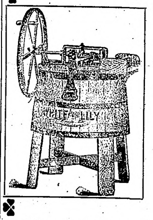

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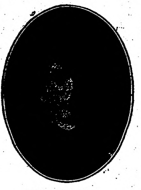
REMAIN ANOTHER WEEK.

The Misses Smith and Reed to Conduct Meetings Another Week.

Miss Anna Smith and Miss Nellie Reed, the evangelists, are meeting with great success in their work in the city. The services are largely attended and nearly fifty persons have decided to begin the Christian life.

In response to an earnest petition to allow the young ladies remain another week the church authorities have extended the time of the meetings to next Wednesday night, instead of closing to-night, as is usual in these evangelistic campaigns. Miss Smith will speak Sunday both morning and evening.



MISS ANNA SMITH.

The sermon tomorrow evening will be on "Excuses." Miss Smith is a speaker of extraordinary charm and tact, speaking easily and simply and attracts both old and young. She has had wide experience in Christian work and uses this experience very effectively.

Miss Reed but recently begun gospel singing and so has not fallen into any of the common faults of evangelistics singers. She has a rich, pure voice, which is combined with an attractive personality and rare dramatic power.

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We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

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DISTRICT COURT DOINGS.

Mills of Law Grind out Justice to Those who are Interested.

Last Thursday evening the jury on the Peter Rockford case returned a verdict of not guilty. Young Rocheford was accused of breaking into freight cars at Thief River Falls.

Friday the evidence in the case of Andrew P. Erickson vs. John Grady, administrator for the Ole Hannen estate, was heard. The court will hand down its decision at a later date. The evidence in three other cases were submitted and decisions were withheld until a future date. Court adjourned to meet on Wednesday of this week.

Yesterday Judge Watts resumed his labors and heard the evidence in the case of Peter Engelstad vs. the board of County Commissioners. Arguments in the case are to be submitted by brief. Court adjourned to meet May 16th, at which time several important cases will be tried.

Science and Manufacture.

American manufactures have received so much praise lately that a little adverse criticism will do no harm. A noted English chemist says American manufacturers and business men have given too little attention to the progress made by science and that, in this respect, the English and the Germans have far excelled them. This, however, does not apply to the manufacture of golden grain belt beer in which we lead the world. It has taken years of careful study and thought to perfect this brew, but today you get it in all its purity and healthfulness, without doubt the most perfect food tonic ever produced. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson Crookston.

NEW SERVICE MONDAY,

Great Northern Said to be Planning to Start New Trains.

The new train service on the Great Northern via Tilden will start next Monday. Assistant General Supt. Brown, Supt. T. Jinks of the northern division and chief Engineer Jackson passed through Crookston Tuesday morning in their private cars enroute to Greenbush upon a trip of inspection which will probably be the final one prior to the change in the train service which is scheduled for next Monday morning and if possible trains will be sent over the new route at that time. The condition of the sink hole at this place may prevent the passage of trains unless a sudden termination of the trouble is affected this week by the employees of the road. But officially the change in train arrangement will begin Monday morning next.

Nothing could be learned this week as to the exact plans of the company for the extension in this section this summer, but the fact that several trips have been made over the northern division by the officials during the past few weeks and that rumor continues to have it that the extension will be made this season is considered as evidence that considerable work will be done.

The meeting of Roseau county and Northern Minnesota merchants and business men called for the purpose of promoting the interests of that section will take up the railroad question and will do all that it can to ascertain exactly what the intentions of the Great Northern are regarding building operations in northern Minnesota this summer.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

BELIEVES IN CHRISTIANITY.

William J. Bryan Expresses Faith in the Nazerene.

The following extract is taken from the recent lecture of W. J. Bryan delivered at the Plymouth church in Minneapolis:

"The feeling, among many educated people is that religion is for the ignorant; and of late years it is the sentiment among the cultured class that they have outgrown the use of religion. Religion is not a feeling that is for the exclusion of any one particular class of people nor as it is sometimes misconstrued, a feeling of fear, but it is the consciousness that there exists an infinite being and this is a belief that cannot be outgrown.

I sometimes feel, said he, that scientists in attempting to figure out the history of the world from examining the rocks never looked at the stars. As a boy I read that the Lord created the heavens and earth, and I determined to make my stand there, and until the scientists could go further back than that, my faith would remain unshaken. A God who can make the earth can do anything he wants with it, and the chain of evidence that appears to give another conception of the creation of the earth can just as well be a part of his scheme of creation as it was possible for Christ to preform miracles. If primarily we possess faith we can believe in these miracles and then we can know that everything is possible.

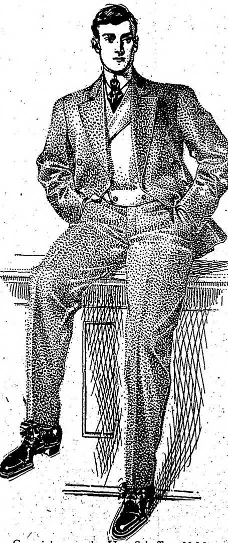
Another element of doubt, he says, arises with many people because they fail to see why Christ should have given up his life for us. They aver that it is inconsistent and unnecessary that any man be called upon to give up his life for another; that the result can be attained without resorting to such an extreme. One can well say to this that not in the world's history was there ever a great reform possible unless it was carried out by men who were willing to give their lives for principles that they valued more than life. The most powerful beliefs that are a part of our religion are based upon sacrifices. There are some people who would have it appear that they did not believe in the christian religion, but will admit that such a person as Christ probably existed. They will not believe, however, that he was of divine origin. To prove the divinity of Christ I would not prove it by a miracle. I would take his life here on earth and the gospel that he preached than let you ask yourself whether he was human or divine. No philosophy has ever been given to the world that can approach the grandeur of principles which was expounded in his sermon on the Mount."

SHOT AN EAGLE.

Crookston Man Gets a Prize with His Gun.

Last week Al Leyman of Crookston made a killing which was well worth nothing. He was driving along the shores of Lake Julia, near Buena Vista when he saw a large bald eagle, flying towards him. The eagle did not appear to be frightened and finally lit on a branch of a tree some distance ahead of him. Mr. Leyman had with him a 38 calibre Colt's and drawing this he brought down the bird with one shot.

This bird is one of the largest which has ever been killed in the state and is a treasure. It is being stuffed at a taxidermists and will be kept by Leyman who considers it a prize. It measures seven feet from tip to tip of its wings and is beautifully marked. Mr. Leyman always goes well armed and frequently has fine shots while going through the woods.



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A good farmer on poor land will get more satisfaction out of it than a poor farmer on rich land.

While we should profit by the experience of others, we should try to be a little original ourselves.

Fruits grown in China are usually inferior in flavor, but superior to American in keeping qualities.

Canada wants Russian farmers to settle in the Dominion. They are talking of giving each family fifty acres.

Ever hear of a man beeng knocked sensible? That's the way the old fellow told it, and sometimes it takes a good sharp rap to make some men sensible.

The best plan of farming is to raise a variety of crops. Grow everything you feed, and sell it mostly in the form of live stock, using the fertilizer to build up the farm.

There are no less than 540 agricultural societies scattered over Servia, which distribute modern agricultural machinery and implements among the farmers. These societies have a central office at Belgrade.

The genuine full-blood, pure-bred, thoroughbred scrub farmer never likes high-class stock, fine varieties of fruits, a pretty, home, a varied bill-of-fare, or improved premises. To him any old thing is good enough.

It pays to study one's horses. They are too valuable to be injured or permanently disabled wilfully or ignorantly. It costs to buy horses, and not many of us cannot afford to spoil them, and even if we can it is wicked to do so, if we can help it.

When the broom becomes shorter on one side, and the ends of the straws get sharp as needles, just dip it into hot water, trim evenly with the shears, and the scratchy broom will do considerable more service in the house, and afterward at the barn.

Every farmer ought to know about collodion. It is just the thing to close up a cut and keep it closed until it heals. Will stand washing. Get it at the drug store. Do as we say; court-plaster is no good in comparison. Never mind if it smarts a little when first put on.

Isent it a spectacle when the richest class in the country must go obsequiously with something to sell and say "what'll you give?" and then turn around to the fellow behind the counter and say, "What'll you take?" If you fellow up high persists in making the farmer so rich, get out of his way and let him do business.

The goverment in South Australia has advanced more than one and a half million dollars to assist in purchasing wire-netting fences, the principal and interest to be paid back by installments, as a protection against the rabbits. A stern necessity, no doubt, but rather hard on bunny to be fenced off the earth

Down in North Carolina, near Edenion, says an exchange, there is a man who probably grows as many potatoes as as any grower in America. His name is Makely, and last season he grew and shipped 60,000 bushels of potatoes. It took 400 barrels of seed, aad more than 100 tons of fertilizer to produce the crop. Many of the potatoes grown in the locality are sold as "New Bermudas," and are said to be really better than the genuine Bermudas,

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Brain Leaks.

Prayer is a petition, not a mandamus.

Dividing the swag does not lessen the crime

Splurging around is not a sure sign of earnestness.

The man who goes gunning for trouble never runs short of ammunition.

Some people conjure up trouble and imagine that they are bearing heavy crosses.

The chief trouble about thinking twice before acting once is that some other fellow is liable to jump in and seize the opportunity about the time we begin on the second thought.

The reform that begins in the home is usually a reform based on a solid foundation.

The consecrated Christian has a purse easily opened at the call of distressed humanity.

It is easy to cheer the winner, but that does not materially help along needed reforms.

Some men spend so much time in getting ready to die that they make a dismal failure of life.

The man who feels like doing something foolish generally has his excuse all framed up in advance.

We know men who exhaust their cheerfulness at the office and turn on the trouble faucet at home.

True happiness consists largely in getting what you actually need, not in getting what you think you want.

The man whose honor can be satisfied only with blood usually has an honor that needs a disinfectant.

When a man has learned to get along with what he has he has learned the first lesson in getting along.

Classic music is the kind that most of us encore for the purpose of hearing the performers render something we like.

Some men never learn the difference between fame and notoriety, and some men are forever mistaking reputation for character.

Many men have achieved a reputation for philanthropy because they gave back the collar button to the man from whom they stole a shirt.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 61 years old." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Wolf Bounties.

Wolf bounties for the last month show that the business of killing of wolves in Minnesota is becoming scientific and lucrative. The returns from the counties of the money paid out for bounties indicate that the persons who make a practice of slaughtering wolves for the bounties are able to distinguish a full grown wolf from a cub, and rarely kill a cub, which bring only $1, when by leaving it at large for a few months it will bring them $7.50.

A list of warrants drawn by the state auditor shows that out of 560 applications for bounties there were only fifteen cubs, all of which were killed in Todd county. The report shows $4,096 was paid out for bounties during the month.

Todd county had 118 applications and received $787.50; St. Louis 52, $390; Goodhue, 31, $233.50, Filmore 42, $315. Ramsey had one and Hennepin does not appear on the list.

No Fakirs Allowed.

The Minnesota state fair management has joined Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri and Illinois in a movement to bar bearded women, snake charmers, muscle dancers, fakirs of all sorts, in fact all monstrosities from future fairs.

Representatives of the state organizations were in session in De Moines. They plan to form a circuit for the betterment of those organizations to compose it.

The decision to bar fakirs is said to be the culmination of a movement started two years ago. The scheme has been accepted by the six managements and will become effective next year.

More Swamp Land.

Minnesota is about to get another allotment of federal swamp lands located within the state borders. The selection of 43,127 acres of federal lands located in Kittson and Roseau counties has been allowed by the surveyor general for the government, and is duly approved by the state auditor's department. The papers will now go to the governor who in turn will request that a patent be granted by the United States land commissioner at Washington, to the state of Minnesota. This selection is made under the swamp land grant provisions of the old law of 1860.

The Child's Friend.

J. W. Olson, in a circular letter sent out to the county and city superintendents of schools, calls attention to the fact that April 2 is the hundreth anniversary of the birthday of Hans Christian Anderson, and suggests that his name be commemorated in some way by the school children of the state. The state superintendent says in his letter:

"April 2, 1905, should be a day memorable to childhood the world over. It is the centennial birthday of Hans Christian Anderson, 'the friend of the children,' whose tales charm and interest them as they charmed and interested their mothers and fathers before them."

Can't Get to Work.

Newly appointed boiler inspectors in half of the districts of the state have found barren honor up to the present time. They have received commissions from the governor bearing the great seal of the state, but they have been unable to get to work inspecting boilers and, more important still, collecting fees.

The reason for the trouble is that over half of the inspectors whose terms of office expired at the close of last year have refused to turn over the records of their office to the newly appointed inspectors.

Activity in the Range.

As the season advances and the beginning of navigation approaches, the preparations for a record-breaking ore output increase. Mine after mine that has been idle for more or less time gets into shape for production, and as fast as men are found they are set at work. More and more stripping contracts are let upon the Mesaba range, and more and more do the developments indicate that the year will see the total ore moved up to 30,000,000 tons.

News Notes.

Dr. G. H. Bridgeman preaches the baccalaureate at the state farm school.

The annual commencement exercises are held at the state farm school.

The St. Paul baseball team will begin spring practice at Cincinnati.

The executive committee makes preliminary arrangements for the saengerfest.

The street car company pays into the St. Paul treasury $80,000 to be used for the erection of a pavillion at Bemo park or the widening of Sibley street.

Three small orphans, children of the late Mrs. Otto Brosius, were rescued from the burning home of William Fane, Minneapolis.

Congressman David says rivers and harbor appropriation insures a six-foot channel for the Upper Mississippi.

The state labor commissioner's report shows that St. Paul sells $1,500,- worth of junk each year.

The Minnesota Farmers' Exchange holds its first annual meeting at the old capitol.

Colonel Samuel Lowenstein, a prominent St. Paul politician, died at his home there.

A high school building to cost $36,000, a Luthern church costing $20,000, will be built at Rushford and Mrs. Harriet Stevens will erect and donate to the Ladies' Guild of the Emmanuel church a handsome building to be used for guild purposes.

Feel tired, no appetite, cannot sleep, work or eat? That's spring tiredness and will disappear at once if you take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichel.

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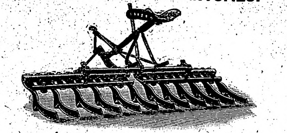

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TAKES FIRST STEP TO CLOSE THE WAR

RUSSIA NAMES NEGATIVE CONDITIONS UPON WHICH PEACE MAY BE CONCLUDED.

Leaves Japan to Decide Whether She Can Accept Them—President Roosevelt Has Not Been Asked to Assist in Ending Hostilities.

St. Petersburg, March 30.—It is announced that a step in the direction of peace actually has been taken. Russia has indirectly made known to Japan the negative conditions upon which peace may be concluded, namely no cession of territory and no indemnity, leaving Japan to determine whether negotiations can be begun upon that basis. No reply from Japan has yet reached the Russian government. Russia thus avoids the attitude of suing for peace or actually submitting proposals. Having been apprised of Russia's position Japan has two alternatives, either to decline absolutely to open negotiations on such a basis or indicate her own attitude. If the negotiations are opened Russia probably will be prepared to make broad concessions on collateral issues.

Not Yet Asked.

Washington, March 30.—Neither Russia nor Japan have asked President Roosevelt to assist them in ending the war. So far as the Washington governmen is aware Emperor Nicholas has not yet weakened in his announced decision "to prosecute the war to the bitter end." From the outset of the war the president has taken the position, as has been repeatedly announced by Secretary Hay, that he will do anything in his power to assist Russia and Japan to a peace basis when his services shall be acceptable to the belligerents. But it is authoritatively stated that no official of the Washington government is ambitious to pose as the mediator between the czar and mikado.

Japan Won't Accept.

London, March 31.—Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, declared that he had no information in regard to the announcement that Russia had indirectly made known to Japan the negative conditions on which peace might be concluded, namely no cession of territory and no indemnity, leaving Japan to determine whether peace negotiations could be begun upon that basis, but he said unreservedly that the terms then mentioned could not even be considered, and added: "A cession of territory and an indemnity are the only points negotiable, as Japans ante bellum demands have already been secured by Japan."

M. Takahashi (the Japanese special financial commissioner) in an interview said: "The war cost between $250,000,000 and $300,000,000 the first year, and it is estimated that it will cost $350,000,000 during the present year. It would be unprecedented in the history of great wars that no indemnity and no territory be given up by the vanquished."

Peace Not in Sight.

Washington, April 1.—M. Jusserand, the French ambassador, is of the opinion that peace is not in immediate prospect between Russia and Japan. He so expressed himself after a visit to President Roosevelt Friday, to bid him good-by before the president goes on his southwestern trip, and said that both combatants at this time appeared to be bent on continuing hostilities for a satisfactory adjustment of their difficulties. He added that he did not talk with the president on the subject of mediation, and he did not believe that the Washington government had yet concerned itself officially in any movement looking to a cessation of the war. It was learned, however, that the prospects of peace were discussed at length.

A New Proposal.

St. Petersburg, April 3.—According to the peace reports circulated on the Bourse Saturday Russia will cede the southern portion of the island of Sakhalin, in the North Pacific off the east coast of Asia, used as a Russian convict settlement, to Japan, and agree that Manchuria and Korea are permanently outside a Russian sphere of influence, and the eastern Chinese railroad will be turned over to Japan for cession to China or an international syndicate upon a consideration of $125,000,000, which Japan will accept in lieu of indemnity.

Invites All Nations.

Washington, March 30.—The president has issued a proclamation inviting the nations of the earth to be represented by their military organizations and naval vessels at the celebration to be held in the vicinity of Jamestown, Va., from May 13 until November, 1907.

Unveiling Postponed.

Washington, March 31.—The equestrian statue of Lafayette, the work of Paul Bartlett, will not be ready for the fete on July 4, which was planned by the Lafayette memorial commission, and the event has been postponed until 1906.

Resigned.

Alton, Ill., March 31.—Rev. Dr. Stanley A. McKay has resigned as president of Shurtleff college, a Baptist institution of this city. The resignation was accepted. The reason assigned is growing cares of the institution.

Admission Price Fixed.

Portland, Ore., April 1.—Fifty cents has been fixed as the general admission price to the Lewis and Clarke exposition. Commutation books will be sold at reduced rates.

Bold Robbery.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 31.—Two thieves stole diamonds valued at $3,000 from the jewelry store of John S. Allen, on the ground floor of the Guaranty Loan building.

BANK IS CLOSED.

Defalcation by Employes of Nearly $100,000 Causes Trouble to Lorain, O., Institution.

Lorain, O., April 1.—As the result of an aggregate defalcation of almost $100,000 by three employes, the Citizens' savings bank, the oldest concern in the city, has closed its doors. The decision was reached by the directors after a long session Thursday night. At the usual time for opening the doors of the bank Friday there were several hundred depositors on hand ready to draw their money should the opportunity present itself. The crowd was made up for the most part of foreigners. Posted upon the door was a notice which read: "This bank closed for business. The affairs of the bank have been placed in the hands of T. F. Fancher as assignee."

President Honecker, of the bank, stated Friday that the defaulting employes had agreed to turn everything of value they possessed to the bank. Mr. Honecker declared that he believed the depositors would receive every cent due them. From authoritative sources it is learned that the exact sum of the shortage in the funds of the bank is $97,000. To offset this the three defaulting employes carried indemnity bonds in favor of the bank aggregating $40,000, and in addition have turned over real estate and other property to the bank to the value of $12,000, leaving the net loss to the institution $45,000.

PRESIDENT TAKES VACATION

Will Be Absent from Washington for Several Weeks—To Hunt Game in Colorado.

Washington, April 3.—President Roosevelt left Washington this morning on a long trip to the west and southwest. He will be absent from the capital for nearly two months. One of the chief objects of the trip, which the president long has had in mind, is the reunion of his Rough Rider regiment of the Spanish-American war, which is to take place at San Antonio, Tex., next Friday, and for which an elaborate programme of exercises has been arranged. There will be a number of brief stops en route to San Antonio, where the president will make addresses. Leaving San Antonio, there will be a brief stop and address at Fort Worth, which will terminate the public part of the trip, following which the president is to go hunting in the Panhandle of Texas and later in Colorado. All arrangements have been made whereby the president will keep in touch with public affairs both during his railroad ride and while hunting, so that he will be enabled to pass on all matters requiring his attention. The president is looking forward with keen pleasure to his long vacation.

HITS ARMOUR OFFICIAL.

Thomas J. Connors Indicted for Interfering with Witness in Meat Inquiry.

Chicago, March 29.—Thomas J. Conners, general superintendent for Armour & Co., and the right-hand man of J. Ogden Armour in the management of his packing industries throughout the United States, was indicted by the special federal grand jury Tuesday on a charge of interfering with witnesses who had been summoned to testify in the beef trust inquiry. Mr. Connors was arrested at his residence, No. 3124 Michigan avenue, and taken to the Monadnock building. He appeared before Chief Clerk C. A. Buell of the United States district court, who released the prisoner on $5,000 bonds. The sureties were Edward Tilden, president of Libby, McNeill & Libby, and Alfred R. Urion, general counsel for Armour & Co. Mr. Connors was the first to feel the strong arm of the government since the beef inquiry began, but it is understood that others are in danger of arrest on the same charge.

Off for a Cruise.

Washington, April 1.—Mrs. Roosevelt and three of her children, Miss Ethel, Kermit and Archie, left Washington Friday night at 8:40 o'clock on the Atlantic Coast Line Florida special for Jacksonville, Fla. At Jacksonville they will board the yacht Sylph for a cruise of some days. They do not expect to touch at any ports and will be on the water practically all the time in the vicinity of Jacksonville. Mrs. Roosevelt and her children will return to Washington in about ten days.

Death of a Jurist.

Joliet, Ill., April 3.—Judge Charles B. Garnsey died here after an illness extending over many months. An ulcerous growth on his cheek bone and complications resulting therefrom caused his death. Garnsey was one of the three judges of the Twelfth judicial circuit, and one of the best known lawyers in northern Illinois.

A Remarkable Record.

Laporte, Ind., March 30.—Daniel Shaw, an ox driver in Chicago in 1837, and who served 68 years as a justice of the peace in this county, his record believed to be without precedent in the United States, died Wednesday afternoon, at the age of 91 years.

Betrayed His Trust.

Boston, April 1.—Charged with the larceny of $8,500 from the estate of which he has been trustee for over ten years, Charles M. Reed, a lawyer, 60 years old, was arrested Friday and held at the city prison in default of $10,000 bail.

Dies Suddenly.

Bloomington, Ill., April 1.—Dr. E. C. Hewett, for 15 years president of the Illinois state normal school, died suddenly Friday. He was 77 years old.

FORTY MINERS ARE ENTOMBED.

TERIFFIC EXPLOSION BLOWS MOUTH OF MINE HIGH INTO THE AIR.

Fatal Accident at Zeigler, Ill., Follows a Long and Bitter Labor Disagreement.

Benton, Ill., April 4.—A terrific explosion of gas entombed forty miners yesterday in Joseph Leiter's mine at Zeigler.

At midnight the number of dead was estimated at thirty-four, wounded five.

Up to this hour fifteen dead bodies have been taken out.

Besides these bodies three were removed alive but with fatal injuries.

The explosion, it is supposed, was due to the fact that the Leiter miners are not worked on Sunday, thus allowing gas to accumulate in the lower workings.

When between thirty-five and sixty-five miners had descended into the mine yesterday to resume work, an explosion blew the mouth of the mine high into the air.

One of the steel cages was blown to the surface from the bottom of a five hundred foot shaft.

The shock of the explosion was felt at Benton, twelve miles northwest of Zeigler.

A teamster driving along a road half a mile from the mine was covered with falling cinders, and debris covered the floor of the wagon half an inch deep.

One miner was killed and four were severely injured at the mouth of the shaft in which the explosion occurred.

The work of rescue was begun at once by miners who were arriving when the explosion took place, but the main shaft was demolished so that rescue work has to be carried on by way of the air shaft.

The rescue party find it difficult to work in the mine owing to the absence of a proper fan to purify the mine air.

All the bodies found show no marks of injury, indicating death by asphyxiation. All but four of these found worked in the shaft by numbers and their names have not yet been ascertained.

The bodies are so blackened that identification is difficult.

Last night thirty-one coffins, accompanied by an undertaker, arrived in Zeigler.

A Queer Condition.

Paynesville, Minn., April 4.—This village is enjoying the unique experience of not being able to receive mail from St. Cloud, the county seat, a distance of thirty-one miles, with having the same brought here by way of Minneapolis over the Soo line instead of over the Great Northern railway and from that station as heretofore.

The postoffice department has set a price that it will be pay for the transportation of mail from the Great Northern station, two miles away, to the postoffice, but no one has yet been found willing to carry the mail for that price. A local bus driver has named a price at which he will carry the sack but the department refuses to pay his price.

New Evidence.

New Ulm, Minn., April 4.—The presence of Dr. G. R. Koch's attorneys in this city has renewed interest in the case, which is to be retried at Mankato this month. Questioned as to what the defense would have to offer, Mr. Abbott said: "We have without question a very strong case. We have added new evidence that makes the case such that there can be no question as to an acquittal for Dr. Koch. Aside from this, we have had detectives at work on clues that are much more conclusive than the one that led to the arrest of Dr. Koch."

Maniac May be Firebug.

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Washington, April 4.—The personnel of the new isthmian canal commission is as follows:

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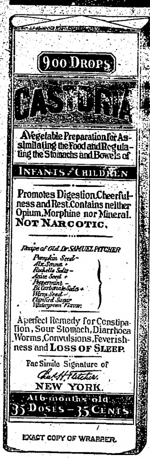
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St. James Journal: St. Paul's "scrubwoman" statesman is now resting on his hard earned laurels. As a reward for his brilliant party services, he should be given the republican gubernatorial nomination in 1906, when the people will reward him according to his deserts.

Fairmont Sentinel: A bill has been introduced by Senator Stephens of Crookston, to create a new state office of weed inspector at a salary of $1,200 per year. If an inspector could be created who would see to it that the farmers got busy before the weeds did there would be no need of a weed inspector.

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." All druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

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A great proportion of women have some catarrhal weakness which has been called by the various doctors she has consulted by as many different names. These women have been treated and have taken medicines, with no relief, simply because the remedies are not adapted to catarrh. It is through a mistaken notion as to the real nature of the diseases that these medicines have been recommended to them.

If all the women who are suffering with any form of female weakness would write to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, and give him a complete description of their symptoms and the peculiarities of their troubles, he will immediately reply, with complete directions for treatment, free of charge.

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Mrs. Louise Westbrook, No. 9 East Columbia St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary of the West Side Lotus Club, writes:

"For several years I suffered with leucorrhœa and painful menstruation, which was followed by general debility, until I was but a wreck of myself. Thanks to Peruna I am a well woman to-day."—Louise Westbrook.

Miss Jessiemene Westland, No. 767 [illegible] Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Deputy of Detroit Independent Order of Good Templars, writes as follows:

"Peruna has been a blessing to me and gladly do I indorse it. For two years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach. I lost flesh and grew thin and emaciated, nervous and exhausted, so that I could neither work or enjoy life. I began taking Peruna and can now eat and enjoy everything I eat. I have been well over a year now."—Miss Jessiemene Westland.

Miss Alice Dressler, of No. 1313 North Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows concerning Peruna:

"I was suffering from catarrh of the throat and head. One of my college friends, who was visiting me, asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh, but restored me to perfect health."—Alice Dressler.

Miss Mamie Groth, Platteville, Wis., writes:

"I have for several years suffered with frequent backache and would for several days have splitting headaches. Several of my friends advised me to take Peruna and I asked my physician what he thought of it. He recommended it and so I took it and am entirely without pain of any kind now."—Mamie Groth.

In a recent letter from No. 2 Grant Ave., Denver, Col., Mrs. Ida L. Gregory writes:

"Some six years ago my husband suffered with nervous prostration, and advising with a friendly druggist he brought home a bottle of Peruna. His health was restored from its use, his appetite was increased and restful sleep came to him."—Ida L. Gregory.

Miss Florence Murphy, No. 2703 Second Ave., Seattle, Wash., writes:

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MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

The senate kills the anti-cigarette bill.

The senate passes the rattlesnake bounty bill.

The house passes the Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill.

J. J. Strapp is acting chief of the St. Paul fire department.

The Northern Pacific plans to make many improvements this season.

The New York fish commission wants some of Minneseta's albino trout.

A house bill makes the food commissioner the chief oil inspector.

The state labor bureau would like to enforce the child labor law in St. Paul.

The state food department issues a warning about cherries in cocktails.

St. Paul clubwomen are beginning to plan for the biennial next year.

A delegation of Illinois legislators visits the twine plant at the Stillwater prison.

The state labor department will make an inspection of the flour mills.

Four troops of cavalry are expected at Fort Snelling within a short time.

Two Harbors holds the Minnesota health record.

Miss Beatrice Billing, of St. Paul, wins the young woman's oratorical contest at Hamline.

This year the state school of agriculture will graduate the largest class in its history.

John Sullivan, of Duluth, lies in a critical condition as a result of drinking eye-wash by mistake for medicine for rheumatism.

The Stickney school building at South St. Paul shows signs of collapse and is abandoned.

The directors of the St. Paul Saengerfest association are willing to contribute $3,000 to the fund for an auditorium.

Supt. Olsen says that the officials of many rural districts buy gold bricks when they purchase school supplies.

The saloon of Chester Howe, in the village of Grasston, was destroyed by fire, with its contents. Loss, $1,500, partly covered by insurance.

Henry C. Scholber, of Hamline university, won first prize in the annual oratorical contest of the Intercollegiate Prohibition association at the school of agriculture.

Winona is to furnish some blooded stock with which to replenish the depleted stock farms of Japan.

Ada, the county seat of Norman county, is wrought up over the finding of a babe seven days old on the streets at midnight.

Dr. George S. Todd, of Lake City, has been appointed by Governor Johnson a member of the state board of dental examiners.

The school children of St. Paul, under the supervision of the Thursday club, succeeded in planting and bringing alive through the first season, 14,000 fruit trees. This record for 1904 has aroused much enthusiasm for the work this year and preparations are well under way to break the record.

Thieves stole $34,056 worth of property in St. Paul during the past year, according to the annual report of the police department. All but $6,600 worth of the stolen goods was recovered.

Governor Johnson cannot attend the launching of the Minnesota because the legislature will be in session at the time, so now it is proposed to send a committee from the legislature to do the honors.

The tenth biennial report of the state dairy and food commission has just been issued. It shows an increase during 1905 of 111 creameries and 17 cheese factories.

Addison Haines, long a resident of Howard Lake and manager of the Central Lumber company, died from the effect of an overdose of laudanum administered by himself.

The South St. Paul city council decides to abandon its effort to secure a gross earnings tax from the street car company.

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Heron Lake News (Rep.): The Horton bill, which provides that the capitol commission shall retain control of the capitol, seems to have precipitated a party fight. Gov. Johnson vetoed the bill and now the legislature proposes to pass it over his head. There is no political sense or common decency in taking the control of the building from the governor's hands and those who are practicing such small politics ought to be doing something to earn their salary instead of haggling over such matters. The News hopes Gov. Johnson will win out and retain control of the capitol building during his term of office. He is practically responsible for the care of the property anyway.

St. James Journal: St. Paul's "scrubwoman" statesman is now resting on his hard earned laurels. As a reward for his brilliant party services, he should be given the republican gubernatorial nomination in 1906, when the people will reward him according to his deserts.

Fairmont Sentinel: A bill has been introduced by Senator Stephens of Crookston, to create a new state office of weed inspector at a salary of $1,200 per year. If an inspector could be created who would see to it that the farmers got busy before the weeds did there would be no need of a weed inspector.

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." All druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 13 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. — J. C. AYER CO., Lowell. Mass.

for

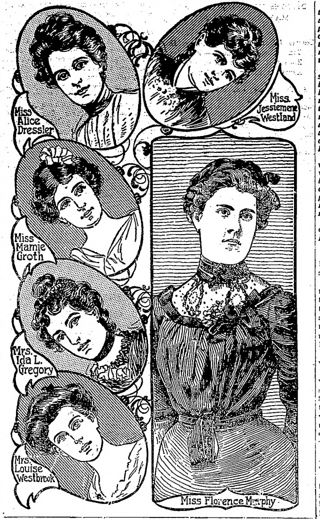
The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

VERY TRYING TO WOMEN

Are the Peculiar Ills Brought on by Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs.

(Pe-ru-na is a Tonic Especially Adapted to Their Peculiar Diseases.)



Catarrh is a very frequent cause of that class of diseases popularly known as female weakness. Catarrh of the pelvic organs produces such a variety of disagreeable and irritating symptoms that many people—in fact, the majority of people—have no idea that they are caused by catarrh.

A great proportion of women have some catarrhal weakness which has been called by the various doctors she has consulted by as many different names. These women have been treated and have taken medicines, with no relief, simply because the remedies are not adapted to catarrh. It is through a mistaken notion as to the real nature of the diseases that these medicines have been recommended to them.

If all the women who are suffering with any form of female weakness would write to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, and give him a complete description of their symptoms and the peculiarities of their troubles, he will immediately reply, with complete directions for treatment, free of charge. "Health and Beauty," a book written especially for women, sent free by Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Alice Dressler, of No. 1313 North Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows concerning Peruna:

"I was suffering from catarrh of the throat and head. One of my college friends, who was visiting me, asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh, but restored me to perfect health."—Alice Dressler.

Miss Mamie Groth, Platteville, Wis., writes:

"I have for several years suffered with frequent backache and would for several days have splitting headaches. Several of my friends advised me to take Peruna and I asked my physician what he thought of it. He recommended it and so I took it and am entirely without pain of any kind now." —Mamie Groth.

In a recent letter from No. 2 Grant Ave., Denver, Col., Mrs. Ida L. Gregory writes:

"Some six years ago my husband suffered with nervous prostration, and advising with a friendly druggist he brought home a bottle of Peruna. His health was restored from its use, his appetite was increased and restful sleep came to him."—Ida L. Gregory.

Miss Florence Murphy, No. 2703 Second Ave., Seattle, Wash., writes:

"I suffered for over a year with female trouble, and although I tried several physicians none of them seemed to be able to help me permanently.

"It only took a little over three bottles of Peruna to make me well and strong. I never have backache, headache or bearing down pains any more."—Florence Murphy.

Mrs. Louise Westbrook, No. 9 East Columbia St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary of the West Side Lotus Club, writes:

"For several years I suffered with leucorrhœa and painful menstruation, which was followed by general debility, until I was but a wreck of myself. Thanks to Peruna I am a well woman to-day."—Louise Westbrook.

Miss Jessiemene Westland, No. 767 [illegible] Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Deputy of Detroit Independent Order of Good Templars, writes as follows:

"Peruna has been a blessing to me and gladly do I indorse it. For two years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach. I lost flesh and grew thin and emaciated, nervous and exhausted, so that I could neither work or enjoy life. I began taking Peruna and can now eat and enjoy everything I eat. I have been well over a year now."—Miss Jessiemene Westland.

MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

The senate kills the anti-cigarette bill.

The senate passes the rattlesnake bounty bill.

The house passes the Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill.

J. J. Strapp is acting chief of the St. Paul fire department.

The Northern Pacific plans to make many improvements this season.

The New York fish commission wants some of Minneseta's albino trout.

A house bill makes the food commissioner the chief oil inspector.

The state labor bureau would like to enforce the child labor law in St. Paul.

The state food department issues a warning about cherries in cocktails.

St. Paul clubwomen are beginning to plan for the biennial next year.

A delegation of Illinois legislators visits the twine plant at the Stillwater prison.

The state labor department will make an inspection of the flour mills.

Four troops of cavalry are expected at Fort Snelling within a short time.

Two Harbors holds the Minnesota health record.

Miss Beatrice Billing, of St. Paul, wins the young woman's oratorical contest at Hamline.

This year the state school of agriculture will graduate the largest class in its history.

John Sullivan, of Duluth, lies in a critical condition as a result of drinking eye-wash by mistake for medicine for rheumatism.

The Stickney school building at South St. Paul shows signs of collapse and is abandoned.

The directors of the St. Paul Saengerfest association are willing to contribute $5,000 to the fund for an auditorium.

Supt. Olsen says that the officials of many rural districts buy gold bricks when they purchase school supplies.

The saloon of Chester Rowe, in the village of Grasston, was destroyed by fire, with its contents. Loss, $1,500, partly covered by insurance.

Henry C. Scholber, of Hamline university, won first prize in the annual oratorical contest of the Intercollegiate Prohibition association at the school of agriculture.

Winona is to furnish some blooded stock with which to replenish the depleted stock farms of Japan.

Ada, the county seat of Norman county, is wrought up over the finding of a babe seven days old on the streets at midnight.

Dr. George S. Todd, of Lake City, has been appointed by Governor Johnson a member of the state board of dental examiners.

The school children of St. Paul, under the supervision of the Thursday club, succeeded in planting and bringing alive through the first season, 14,000 fruit trees. This record for 1904 has aroused much enthusiasm for the work this year and preparations are well under way to break the record.

Thieves stole $24,956 worth of property in St. Paul during the past year, according to the annual report of the police department. All but $6,000 worth of the stolen goods was recovered.

Governor Johnson cannot attend the launching of the Minnesota because the legislature will be in session at the time, so now it is proposed to send a committee from the legislature to do the honors.

The tenth biennial report of the state dairy and food commission has just been issued. It shows an increase during 1905 of 111 creameries and 17 cheese factories.

Addison Haines, long a resident of Howard Lake and manager of the Central Lumber company, died from the effect of an overdose of laudanum administered by himself.

The South St. Paul city council decides to abandon its effort to secure a gross earnings tax from the street car company.

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An Australian Postmaster

writes: "Six boxes of Gloria Tonic cured my wife of a case of rheumatism from which she suffered 8 years." L. L. Rathman, P. M. Caloote, South Australia. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

We have bought a large lot of the

Savage 22 Cal. Rifles

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Now Boys get busy, Spring is coming.

22 Shorts 18c
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Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuit home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the house wife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Smoke the Iron Jaw cigar.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

P. B. Gaass has a new adv. in this paper. Look it up.

Rev. S. Palm, of Middle River, was in this city Wednesday.

County treasurer Hansen was at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Miss Laura Lizee began a term of school south of the city Monday.

County Superintendent of schools McAnulty went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

C. L. Dobner, of Thief River Falls was a Red Lake Falls visitor one day last week.

Miss Maud Findeisen is at home this week for a vacation from her school duties.

S. A. Swanson is building a machine shed to the north of his business building.

K. G. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, transacted business at this place Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss May Waterman, of Ada, has been in the city this week the guest of Mrs. J. L. Tracy.

Jas. A. Wilson, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor the latter part of last week.

The Big Store announces some special bargains in this issue of the Courier. Look up the adv.

Atty. P. W. Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was among those who transacted business here last week.

Miss Margaret Peble left Saturday for Grand Forks where she will make her home in the future.

Mrs Joseph Schusser, went to Theif River Falls the first of the week to visit her friend Mrs. Pat Roark.

L. A. Melgaard, cashier of the Citizens State Bank at Thief River Falls, was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Miss Josie Kaus, who has been teaching school at Hallock, arrived in the city Saturday for a week's vacation.

Mrs. Katherine Greshner and daughter, of Fertile, were here Tuesday looking after farm property north of this city.

Miss Rachel Taylor arrived from Thief River Falls Saturday where she has been teaching school. She has a weeks vacation.

Harry Healy was a Grand Forks visitor over Sunday.

J. D. Taylor went to Warroad Friday of last week.

Mrs. Tibbitts went to Wylie Wednesday for a few days visit.

Ed. L. Healy was at Crookston last week on a business mission.

Wm. Stivers, of Dugdale, was a visitor to this city Tuesday.

K. R. Killand, of St. Hilaire, transacted business in this city Monday.

The ice in the river started to move Monday, the earliest for some seasons.

L. C. Cadieux, of Terrebone, was calling on numerous freinds here Tuesday.

Wm. Lee left Saturday for Thief River Falls where he will work in the saw mill.

Chas. Knox, one of Theif River's land boomers, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Section Foreman Kehoe of the Great Northern was at Crookston the first of the week.

Henry Westphal left Monday evening for Seattle, Wash., where he will make his home.

C. Havens arrived from Carroll, Iowa, this week and will make his home on the Hattan farm.

Dr. J. E. Argue was at St. Hilaire the first of the week on his regular monthly professional visit.

M. W. Converse, of Euclid, was in the city over Sunday the guest of his brother, I. D. Converse.

Miss Dolly Pettingill, of St. Hilaire, has been a guest of her friend, Mrs. J. E. Argue, this week.

Berthon & Armstrong call your attention to their new line of spring clothing in this week's issue.

Anton Lawrence went to St. Hilaire Saturday and will work in the saw mill at that place the coming season.

The Busy Store has a new adv. this week calling attention to the many bargains they have in new spring goods.

S. A. Swanson, county agent for Acme harrow, made a shipment to Wm. J. Murphy, at Thief River Falls, last Saturday.

A business man,s shoe should have the lines of fashion outside and the lines of the foot inside—in a nutshell what the Douglas shoe has.—Garceau & Zaiser.

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Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

If you are in the habit of „loafing around town" don't fail to hear Pastor Knox's address to men on "Four Roads to Ruin."

Miss Olga Wetzel, a former teacher in our schools, arrived in the city Saturday from Grand Rapids and is a guest of the Spillane home.

Mrs. E. Hamry went to Shelly, Minn., last Friday being called to that place by the announcement of the serious illness of a sister.

Michael Schusser, of Bemidji, is in the city visiting his mother and brother. He is now shipping clerk for the Crookston Lumber Co.

The pile driver crew that was employed here for several months left last week for St. Paul, having completed their labors at this place.

Miss Lena Cyr, of Cass Lake, has been in the city this week visiting friends. She will leave the latter part of the week for Washington.

Hon. L. C. Simons and family returned home last Saturday. They have been making their home at the Ryan hotel, St. Paul, the past winter.

Editor Ives of St. Hilaire was a business visitor at this place Wednesday. He reports the automobile as being ready for a hard season's work.

H. L. Frankberg, of Grand Forks, visited old friends at this place the first of the week. Mr. Frankberg was one of the pioneer merchants of this city.

Rev. H. W Knox will have something to say about the treating habit as the great cause of drunkeness in his address to men at 3.30 P. M. Sunday.

Wiley Tindolph, of Thief River Falls, was in the city yesterday visiting old friends. He recently returned from Cuba where he spent the winter.

Word was received the first of the week that the salary of our postmistress has been increased $100 per year, making the salary now $1,600 per year.

M. O. Sortedahl was called to Thief River Falls Tuesday by the news that his nephew, S. Rice, was seriously ill. He drove to Wylie to catch his train.

Clem Brunelle was at Grand Forks last Saturday and Sunday where he went to consult Roadmaster Jenks in regard to work on the Great Northern at this place.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice for the week ending April 1st 1905: Miss Badfed, Allec Benoit, Mary C. Hederson and Henry Wechofe.

Miss Catherine Pirath arrived home Saturday from St. Hilaire for a week's vacation. She will return to that city next week to resume her duties as school teacher.

Leo Spillane, who has been a member of THE COURIER force for some time past, left Monday evening for Grand Rapids where he will work in a printing office.

Editor Haislett of the Gazette left Wednesday evening for Souix City, Iowa, where he will visit a brother for a few days. He will also put in a day or two in the cities.

Made for a queen, an American queen, because its make-up is strictly up-to-date and made to wear well—the Queen Quality shoe for women shown by Garceau & Zaiser.

J. F. Casey, who had charge of the construction work on the Great Northern railway at this place, left for his home at Moorhead Tuesday, having completed the work here.

If you like to swap stories with the boys which you would be ashamed to tell at home, be sure to hear the Sunday afternoon address to men and boys on "Four Roads to Ruin"

While working about the elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. this afteanoon James Hance cut a tendon on the third finger of his right hand.

An address to men at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday afternoon at 3.30 by the Pastor on "Four Roads to Ruin" Special Music by a male quartette.

Raney Bray accompanied his aunt, Mrs. G. Moran, to Crookston last Friday and will visit that city for several days. Mrs. Moran was a guest of her brother, J. M. Bray, of this city for two weeks.

W. Sandtrock, of St. Paul, was in the city the first of the week the guest of his old friend and schoolmate, A. L. Reichert. Mr. Sandtrock represents the musical instrument firm of W. J. Dyer & Co., and has many friends in this city who are always pleased to have him call.

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Large assortment turn collars Linen Embroidered	.25	Embroideries or Insertions number 2 go at	.11½
Large assortment turn collars Silk embroidered	.30	Black Sateen Petticoats with large flounce ruffle	1.00
Large assortment turn collars Hardinger embroidered	.25	Ladies' Muslin Drawers hemstitched flounces	.25
New Buster Brown belts	.25	Ladies' fancy hose in black and tan or red and tan, per pair	.25
Childrens' School Hose all sizes 25 and	.15	Ladies' Muslin Petticoat double ruffle	.50

Fine Cravenette cloth 26 inches wide .50

..Garceau & Zaiser..

The man who does not advertise,
We write him up in verse,
Because when one writes poetry,
It isn't nice to curse.—Sauk Centre Herald.

Don't play marbles for keeps, or "penny ante" but come and hear Mr. Knox show how these develop the gambling instinct. Presbyterian Church at 3.30 P. M. on Sunday.

Misses Maggie Rose, Algina Guillmette and Bridgetta Connaughty went to Dugdale Monday evening. The young ladies will all teach school near that place the coming spring.

Marcus Johnson arrived in the city yesterday and will remain a few days looking after business matters and visiting old friends. He but recently returned from an extended trip in the East.

Break up the habit of borrowing your neighbor's paper and get one of your own. Your neighbor that you borrow of may like to read his paper just when you have it. Did you ever think of that?

If you know what we don't know and don't tell us, how do you expect us to know what you know so as to tell your neighbors what you know and we don't know? Let us know what you know and we'll tell everything we know to everybody ye know and then everybody will know what you know and we know don't you know.

Major Chas. H. Mix was the sucessful candidate for mayor of Crookston at the election held this week. There were four candidates in the field, Mix winning out with a plurality of 19. G. S. Chesterman, the republican candidate was the nearest competitor. E. M. Walsh and J. E. Morrisey, both well known in this city, were candidates for aldermen but were defeated.

P. O. Floan received a telegram last Thursday announcing the serious illness of his father who lived in Goodhue county. Mr. Floan left that evening for his old home and reached his destination only two hours before the death of his father occured. The funeral was held Tuesday. Mr. Floan's parents were early the early settlers of that section, being among the first to move into the country.

BADGER.

Walter Quesnelle accompanied by Annesy Crompe, of Brooks visited at the home of E. Quesnelle's Sunday.

Louis St. Yves and family spent Thursday evening at M. Quesnell's last week.

Miss Rosana LaBissoniere of Red Lake Falls has been sewing a few days of last week at E. Quesnell's, and is at present visiting at her sister's Mrs. M. Quesnell.

The farmers say its rather discouraging to see this kind of weather. But "keep cool" and you will see that in a week or so everything will be as nice as can be.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Laurent and daughter visited with Terrebonne friends Sunday after mass.

Mr. E. Quesnell drove to Red Lake Falls Tuesday and was accompanied home by Jos. Lachance who will finish Mr. Quesnell's house.

Louis Quesnell and sister Alice drove to the Falls Wednesday on business.

Tuesday was a fine day so most all the Badger people drove to the Falls to do their shopping.

Louis St. Yves and son Ed. drove to Crookston Tuesday on business matters.

Mr. Frederick Dubuque moved his family to Crookston last week where he will make his future home.

Mrs. Charles Haven and Mrs. F. M. Berry and children arrived at the home of Roy Walker last week. Mr. Haven and Mr. Berry came only Monday with the stock and furniture. They expect to make their future home here. Mr. Haven is an uncle of Mrs. Walker and Mr. Berry is a brother of Mrs. Walker. This makes the Badger people look gay to see all the people that rush this way, but there is a good reason why they come here, its because the good land and all the pleasures that is to be had is always at beautiful Badger.

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GOOD BLOOD
TELLS ITS OWN STORY

And tells it eloquently in the bright eye, the supple, elastic movement, the smooth, soft skin, glowing with health, a body sound and well, an active brain, good appetite and digestion, refreshing sleep, energy to perform the duties and capacity to enjoy the pleasures of life. The blood is the most vital part of the body; every organ, muscle, tissue, nerve, sinew and bone is dependent on it for nourishment and strength, and as it circulates through the system, pure and strong, it furnishes to these different parts all the healthful qualities nature intended. When, from any cause, the blood becomes impure or diseased, it tells a different story, quite as forceful in its way. Itching, burning skin diseases, muddy, sallow complexions, disfiguring sores, boils, carbuncles, etc., show the presence, in the blood, of some foreign matter or poison. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Contagious Blood Poison and Scrofula, are effects of a deeply poisoned blood circulation. These may either be inherited or acquired, but the seat of trouble is the same—the blood. S. S. S., a purely vegetable blood remedy, cleanses and purifies the circulation and makes it strong and clean. Under its purifying and tonic effects all poisons and impurities are expelled from the blood, the general health is built up, all disfiguring eruptions and blemishes disappear, the skin becomes soft and smooth and robust health biesses life. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison and all diseases of the blood are cured by S. S. S. Book on the blood and any medical advice, free of charge. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

The Minnesota world's fair commission makes its report.

The earnings of railroads in Minnesota last year show a decrease.

St. Anthony Park will ask for $60,000 to extend the sewer system.

C. E. Bullard, commissioner of Itasca Park, says the park is well cared for.

The new capitol will not be dedicated for some time.

The state labor commissioner is trying to reduce truancy.

F. W. Gosewisch is elected president of the State Bowling association.

The officers of the Northwestern National Life Insurance company of Minneapolis agree to resign.

The independent oil dealers estimate that lower freight rates in oil would save the people of Minnesota $275,000 a year.

The Italians of the cathedral parish, St. Paul, organize and will secure a church of their own.

The Minnesota Art society announces the prize winners at the state art exhibit at Winona.

T. I. Hove was appointed postmaster at Kiester, Faribault county, Minn., vice Albert H. Fasel, resigned.

The council at Windom has fixed the saloon license at $2,500 for each saloon, and there will be three.

The new city directory of Minneapolis contains 2,845 Olsons.

Will F. White, formerly with the Fargo Northern league team, has been signed by the St. Cloud-Brainerd club as playing manager. Contracts are also being closed by Manager Reilly for some fast players.

Peter Nentzling, a Great Northern fireman, who was badly hurt in a wreck at Osakis several months ago, has been compelled to undergo an operation for the amputation of a leg.

Telephones are to take the places of telegraph operators at the Milwaukee road stations at Millville, Hammond and Zumbro Falls.

The Coe Commission company has made no opposition to the proceedings in bankruptcy filed by certain creditors of that company.

All legal formalities in securing to the United States government additional property at Fort Snelling for a rifle range have now been completed.

Leroy Woodruff of Faribault, aged seventeen years, was accidentally shot while driving to the river after some canoes left near Scott's mill.

Governor John A. Johnson "slipped a cog" in proclaiming April 21 as Arbor and Bird Day. It has since been discovered that this date is Good Friday, so, the governor now changes the date of Arbor and Bird Day to April 28.

F. D. Orff, architect, is preparing plans for a high school to be erected at Fosston, Minn. The structure will cost something like $25,000.

Claus Olson today was appointed pastmaster at Gossen, Polk county, vice Halvor S. Aasen, resigned.

The religious element of Duluth is up in arms against what it deems a wholesale disregard for the Sunday closing and other state and city laws.

The Stearns County Agricultural society has decided to hold a racing meet at Sauk Center on July 4 and 5. The county fair will be held Sept. 13, 14 and 15.

Plans to make the Minneapolis workhouse self-supporting, and even a paying investment for the city are being considered by the board of charities and corrections.

Florence Kellogg, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kellogg of Goodhue, was seated near the stove, when her dress caught fire. Her clothing was burned through to the body and all the hair on the back of her head was burned off. She will recover.

Revival meetings have been conducted by the Congregational and Methodist societies at Lake City for four weeks and many new members are being received into the churches.

A 15-year-old son of Mons Langren of Battle Lake accidentally shot his younger brother in the arm while they were hunting. The bullet broke the arm, and the wound may prove serious.

Twenty-four ring-necked pheasants Saturday reached the Willow Brook hatchery, St. Paul, and will be kept there for breeding purposes until some of the birds can be placed in the woods of the state by the game and fish commission.

St. Henry's Catholic congregation of Perham will build a church this year to cost approximately $30,000. Several wealthy members of the parish have contributed and a large portion of the estimated cost already has been subscribed.

Edward Gallager and Harry Vosberg, charged with breaking into Nutting's store at Faribault, on the night of March 17, have been held to await the action of the grand jury.

A large gathering of farmers was held at Rush City, at which steps were taken to raise $20,000 for the construction of a starch factory.

John Koterba, aged twenty-three, died at Sauk Center of lockjaw. The young man has lived there all his life with his parents. Several days ago he ran a rusty nail into his foot, and not thinking the wound serious, he did not have it attended to by a physician. When symptoms of lockjaw appeared medical aid was summoned, but to late to save him.

In the teeth of a blinding northwest gale blowing at the rate of forty miles an hour, forty passengers boarded the famous aerial ferry at Duluth and made the initial trip on that structure.

BLACK-DRAUGHT
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School District Notice.

WHEREAS, A petition duly signed and the signatures thereto duly acknowledged, has been duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 2d day of March A. D. 1905, asking for the formation of a new school district to be composed of the following described territory, to-wit:

The south one-half of sections 32 and 33 in township 154 North, of Range 42 West and all of sections 4, 5, 8 and 9, in township 153 North of range 42 West, and the petitioners furthermore represent:

(1st) That there are seventy-eight persons now residing within the boundaries of said proposed new district, and no other or greater number; and that there are twenty-two children of school age residing therein. That no organized school districts will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

(2d) That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that said petition be heard by this Board at the session thereof, commencing on the first day of May, A. D. 1905, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the County Auditor, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of this order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition and by the County Auditor mailing to the Clerk of each of said school districts a copy of this order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing, and that a copy of said notice be published twice in the following named newspaper, to-wit: The Red Lake Courier.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
[Seal] County Auditor, and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is Hereby Given That a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 1, 2, 3, 11 and 12 and all that portion of section 10, 13, 14, 15, 23 and 24 lying North of Red Lake River all in Township 153 North, of Range 42 West in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Fifty (50).

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Eighteen [18].

Fourth—That no existing organized School Districts will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Furthered Ordered, That a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as The Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said County and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this Second day of March A. D. 1905.

By the order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: The east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 7, 8 and 9 of section 9, the south one-half of section 10, the south one-half of section 11, the south one-half of section 12, all of sections 13, 14 and 15, the east one-half of the northeast quarter, and the east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 6, 7, 8 and 9 of section 16, lots 3, 4 and 5 of section 21, the east one-half of section 22, the east one-half of the northeast quarter and the east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 3, 4, 5, 6, of section 122, and all of sections 23 and 24, in Township 154, Range 43, in the township of North in said Red Lake county, state of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is seventy five (75)

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is twenty (20).

Fourth—That no existing organized school district will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said board, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court house in the of City of Red Lake Falls at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By I. O. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

School District Notice.

Whereas, A petition duly signed and the signatures thereto duly acknowledged, has been duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1905, asking for the formation of a new school district to be composed of the following described territory, to-wit:

All of section 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30 and 31, and the north one half of section 32 and 33, all in Township 154 North of Range 42 West. And the petitioners futhermore represent:

That there are Thirty-six persons now residing within the boundaries of said proposed new district, and no other or greater number; and that there are Fifteen children of school age, residing therein. That there are in existing school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is ordered that said petition be heard by this Board at the session thereof, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905 at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of this order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition and by the County Auditor mailing to the Clerk of each of said school district a copy of this order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing, and that a copy of said notice be published twice in the following named newspapers, to wit: The Red Lake Courier.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
Attest JAMES E. FORD
(Seal) County Auditor, and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

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School District Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein discribed and who are entitled to vote of school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 13 all of section 23, all of section 24, all of section 25, and the south one half of section 14 in township 150 North of range 43 West, being the Township of Terrebonne in Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Also the south one half of Section 18, the northwest quarter of section 18, the north one half of section 19 the south-west quarter of section 19, the Northwest quarter of section 30, the South one half of the South west quarter and the south one half of the south east quarter of section 17 and the north one half of the North west ¼ and the north one half of the north east quarter of section 20 in township 150 north of Range 42 west in the township of Poplar River in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Sixty-seven.

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Twenty-three.

Fourth—That the school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district are School District No. 79 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Ninety-five and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is three; also school District No. 141 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Forty eight and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new districts would take therefrom is thirteen; also school district No. 7 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Seventy-seven and that the number of children of school age which the organizaton of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is five Also school district No. "36," and that the number of children of school age residing therein is fifty-nine and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is two.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the second day of May A. D., 1905, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Further Ordered, That a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as The Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said County and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON
Chairman of said Board.
[Attest.] JAMES E. FORD
(Seal.) County Auditor and Ex offico clerk of th Board.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corparation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.
Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m30m4

Tax Judgment Sale.

PURSUANT to a real estate tax judgment of the district court, in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, entered the twenty-third day of May, A D 1905, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, remaining delinquent on the first Monday of January, 1905, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall, on the second Monday, being the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, and county of Red Lake, Minnesota, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties and costs in said judgment, and on which taxes shall not have been previously paid.

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) Auditor Red Lake Co., Minn.
Dated at Red Lake Falls this 4th day of April, A. D. 1905.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 22, all of section 23, all of section 24, all of section 25, all of section 26, and all of section 27; the north one-half of section 36, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the north one-half of the southwest quarter and lots 2, 5, 6 and 7, of section 36; the north one-half of section 35 and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter and lots 1, 5, 8 and 11, of section 35 and the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter and lots 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 10 of section 34, all in Township 152 North, of Range 41 West in said Red Lake county, state of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is thirty (30).

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is eighteen (18).

Fourth—That no existing school district will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the second day of May, A. D. 1905, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is Hereby Given That a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit.

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of sections 1 and 12 the East one half of section 2 and the North-east quarter of section 11 in Township 153 Range 43, being the Township of Rocksbury, also all of section 6, 7 and 18 and the West one half of section 17 in Township 153, Range 42, in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Forty-five.

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Fifteen (15).

Fourth—That the school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district are School District No. 165 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is twenty-six and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is none; also School district No. 221 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is twenty-eight and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new district would take therefrom is none.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the first day of May, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD.
(Seal) County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board.

Order for Hearing of Petition for Discharge of Admistrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OP RED LAKE.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased:

On reading and filing the petition of Rock Lefebvre as Administrator of said estate of Noe Lefebvre, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully complied with all the terms and conditions of the final decree in said matter of said estate, and with the terms and conditions of all other decrees and orders of this Court in said matter, and has paid over to the distributees and persons named in said final decree all moneys, funds and property to them awarded in said final decree, and praying that he as such Administrator of said estate, and the sureties on his bond, be discharged from all liability by reason of said trust and the administration of said estate.

Now, therefore, it is ordered, that said petition be heard by this Court at the Probate Court Office at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day; and it is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks immediately prior to said day of hearing, in the RED LAKE COURIER, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 9th day of March, A. D. 1905.

By the Court. N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate, Red Lake County, Minn.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District
Joseph Helm Plaintiff }
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant }

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
m23a27 Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Order of Hearing on Petition for License to Sell Land.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term March 11, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Herman Bischoff, deceased.

On reading and filing petition of Theresa Bischoff as administratrix of said estate, representing among other things that said Herman Bischoff at the time of his death was seized of certain real estate which is described in the petition herein, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate to pay the debts and legacies, and expenses of administration of said estate, and that it is the best interests of said estate and all persons interested therein that said real estate be sold; and it appearing by such petition that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of the administratrix to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, legacies and expenses of administraion, and that it is necessary to sell all of said real estate, and that it will be for the best interest of said estate and of all persons interested therein that the real estate described in the petiton herein should be sold:

It Is Ordered that all persons interested in said estate be and appear before this Court on Saturday the 8th day of April A. D. 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County and State, then and there to show cause, if any there be why license should not be granted to said Theresa Bischoff, administratrix to sell real estate according to the prayer of said petition.

It Is Further Ordered that this order be published once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the RED LAKE COURIER a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County and State.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 11th day of March A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
W. A. McINTYRE
Attorney for Petitioner
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m16-30

Notice of Abatement.

Whereas, a duly signed and verified petition has been duly presented to the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls, praying for the vacation of a part of a certain street and a certain alley and public grounds hereinafter described, which petition is accompanied by a Plat showing in Red color the part of the street, and alley and public grounds, proposed to be vacated, which petition the said city council has ordered to be filed with the city Clerk, and which petition prays for the vacation of the part of said street and said alley and public grounds, upon the ground that the Church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota is the owner of all the property abutting on the part of said street and alley to be vacated, and desires to use that part of said street and alley for the purpose of maintaining a parsonage thereon;

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that said petition will be heard by the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the regular meeting thereof to be held in the city hall of said city of Red Lake Falls on the 13th day of April A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which time and place all persons interested are notified to appeal and be heard.

The part of the street and alleys and public grounds by said petition requested to be vacated are as follows;

A strip of land twenty feet wide on main street extending from fourth street to fifth street, next adjacent to the West side block one in E. and O. Buse's Addition to the city of Red Lake Falls, according to the Plat thereof on file and of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Red Lake County, Minnesota, and also the alley in said block one.

Dated at the office of the City Clerk this 16th day of March A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN.
m16a6 City Clerk

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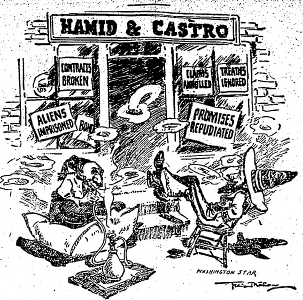

THE TROUBLE TRUST.

MORE BLOODSHED IN CITY OF WARSAW

POLICE BREAK UP A SOCIALIST DEMONSTRATION AND FIRE INTO CROWD.

As Result of Fusilade Four Men Are Killed and Forty Wounded—Bomb Thrown in Street at Lodz Tears Off Feet of Official.

Warsaw, April 3.—A serious conflict occurred at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening in Dzika street, where a Jewish socialist society, known as the Bund, had organized a demonstration. The police which came to disperse the gathering fired into the crowd, killing four persons and wounding 40 others. The trouble began when, under the pretext of holding a memorial meeting for a late Jewish socialist leader, a crow of over 1,000, mostly Jews, carrying red flags, marched into Dzika street and was met by a mixed police and military patrol of 20 men. The police declare the socialists fired revolvers at them, the leaders inciting the mob to attack the patrol, which thereupon fired several volleys into the crowd. Four men were killed and 40 wounded. The crowd removed all but nine of the wounded, two of whom were women. These were taken to the hospital. It is expected that two or more of the wounded will die. The dead and wounded were all Jews. The police made many arrests. Other disturbances are reported to have occurred. The streets had been patrolled throughout the day, the authorities having anticipated trouble.

Uneasiness in Warsaw.

Conditions here are causing much uneasiness and nervousness. Hand-printed proclamations have been found in the streets, warning the public against walking near government buildings and other places, as bombs would be thrown in these quarters. Several parents whose children are attending school in defiance of the school strike have been warned by letter to withdraw their children, as the school buildings would be blown up.

Injured by Bomb.

Lodz, Russian Poland, April 3.—Police Commissioner Szabalovicz, of the Second district, was seriously injured Saturday by a bomb which was thrown at him in the street.

The police commissioner had been summoned by telephone to come to the office of the chief of police, and started on foot, followed by a policeman. The former noticed at the corner of Konstantinowsk and Zawarski streets a poorly-clad man carrying a basket. As Szabalovicz approached the man suddenly hurled a bomb, which exploded with terrific force, blowing off the commissioner's feet and severely wounding him in the breast. It is feared his injuries will prove fatal. .

Engine Hurled Into Canal.

Utica, N. Y., April 3.—A local passenger train on the West Shore was derailed near Fort Plain Saturday. The locomotive broke its couplings and plunged into the canal, about 40 feet below the track. The engineer, George Wilkinson, of Utica, and the fireman, F. J. Wright, of Little Falls, were killed. Their bodies were buried under the engine. The express messenger, John Hines, was severely hurt. No passengers were injured.

Drastic Cigarette Bill Passed.

Madison, Wis., March 30.—The Wisconsin senate Wednesday, after a long debate, passed the Evans anti-cigarette bill. The bill, which absolutely prohibits the sale or manufacture of cigarettes or cigarette paper, has already passed the assembly, nad now goes to the governor.

Enormous Immigration.

New York, April 1.—Immigration to this country, through the port of New York for the month of March reached unprecedented figures, the total arrivals numbering 97,000. Last year for the same month the arrivals were only 47,877.

Robbed of Big Sum.

Tiflis, April 3.—As the station master at Kutais was driving to the local treasury accompanied by an armed escort he was attacked by four armed men, who overpowered the escort and robbed the station master of $3,000.

FATAL PISTOL DUEL.

Man Kills His Sister's Husband and Afterwards Takes His Own Life.

Malone, N. Y., April 1.—Summer Hazen, a bridegroom of a week, and John Hall, his wife's brother, are dead as the result of an exchange of pistol shots at Hall's home. When Hall learned that Hazen and his sister were to be married he warned Hazen that he would resort to violence if necessary to prevent the ceremony. Nothing came of the threat and the newly-married couple, believing that the trouble had blown over, started Thursday evening for a visit to the bride's brother's home. They had hardly crossed the threshold before Hall drew a revolver and sent a bullet into his bother-in-law's body. As Hazen fell he whipped a revolver from his own pocket and returned the shot. Hall then left the house and was supposed to have run away. Shortly after, however, he broke a pane of glass in the bedroom window where Hazen was lying and, shoving his rifle barrel through the window, shot Hazen again. The coroner and an officer were summoned, and upon their arrival in the evening the coroner stumbled over the body of Hall in the driveway near the barn, with his head blown nearly off, having committed suicide.

AN IOWA TRAGEDY.

Farmer Suspected of Murder and Fearing Arrest Kills His Two Daughters and Himself.

Des Moines, Ia., April 3.—Michael Nelson, a farmer living near Poplar, Audobon county, killed his two daughters, aged 10 and 13, and then committed suicide. The murder was discovered when county officers summoney by the neighbors broke open the door of the house. The two girls were found in bed, each with a bullet hole through the head. They had been murdered apparently as they slept. On the floor lay the body of Nelson, his rifle at his feet. Nelson has been suspected by the authorities of the murder of Francis Richardson, a wealthy money lender, who disappeared seven years ago and whose body has never been recovered. An effort was being made to learn where the body could be found through the instrumentality of a spiritualist, and it is believed that Nelson, fearful that the blame might be laid at his door, killed his daughters and himself rather than face the charge.

Shot Through the Heart.

Des Moines, Ia., April 3.—A special from Moulton, Ia., says: The body of Frank Ogden, a young farmer living near here, was found Sunday morning in the yard of Claude Whistler, with a bullet through the heart. Whistler has disappeared. Ogden and Mrs. Whistler were sweethearts before her marriage to Whistler.

Fire Kills 1,000 Chickens.

Chicago, April 3.—By the burning of George Willard's poultry house, Ninety-eighth street and Erie avenue, 1,000 chickens were killed. The building, a three-story frame structure, was destroyed in a few minutes, and none of the fowls got out. Willard declared the blaze was the work of incendiaries. The loss was $2,500.

Snowslide Fatal to Four.

Ouray, Col., April 3.—Four men were killed and 11 others carried away in a snowslide at the Bankers' National mine. All of the 11 have been accounted for. The men were asleep in the bunkhouse when the slide occurred.

Four Killed.

Branchville, S. C., April 3.—As a result of a serious wreck on this division of the Southern railway Sunday, a few miles below Branchville, near a small lumber station called Badham, four persons are dead.

Simplon Tunnel Opened.

Rome, April 3.—The Simplon tunnel, the longest in the world, was inaugurated Sunday morning, when from the Swiss and Italian sides the first trains passed through, meeting at the center.

Aged Editor Dies.

Anamosa, Ia., March 30.—Edmond Booth, editor of the Anamosa Eureka, who claimed to be the oldest editor in the United States, is dead. He was born August 24, 1810, in Springfield Mass.

Truths that Strike Home

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Washington School Notes.

Millie Schlesinger was sick last week.

Edward Beaulieu was absent last Friday.

The fourth grade had a test in Geography.

Robert and Laura Poirer were absent Monday.

Clara Bourdon is absent because of sickness.

JackStodes is the game the children play now.

Friday the second grade had a test in arithmetic.

The second grade has begun the study about birds.

The fifth grade have begun to review their history.

The fifth grade are now begining the study of Africa.

Let every one remember that Friday is library night.

Emma Klos returned to school after a months absence.

Mr Healy took charge of his own room again Monday morning.

The first and second grades received their report cards Monday.

The B class of first room will finish their reading books this week

The first room is looking for the Easter vacation and for the rabbit to come.

Miss Norby returned to Red Lake Falls and took charge of her room last Thursday morning.

The percentage of attendance for Feb. was poor. In the fifth grade it was 95.06 and the sixth 91.83.

Tuesday afternoon Mr Healy brought the sixth grade five new history reference books which we like very much.

Miss Yohr, the eighth grade teacher and Miss Cathrine Pirath the second and third grade teacher of St.-Hilaire visted the Washington school on Tuesday.

Mr. Healy started a new book last week, called Julian Mortuner by Harry Castlemon and the childern were bound to have him read over time last Friday because it was so interesting.

A few red marks were removed this last month. Keep at it and before the end of the year we will have them all removed. Let every one take a book home and study some outside of school.

Mr Healy had a whip under his coat and just as he was writting on the blackboard it fell down. This made all the childen laugh and he laughed himself and said I was not going to use it on any of you and he put it away.

All Run Down

THIS is a common expression we hear on every side. Unless there is some organic trouble, the condition can doubtless be remedied. Your doctor is the best adviser. Do not dose yourself with all kinds of advertised remedies—get his opinion. More than likely you need a concentrated fat food to enrich your blood and tone up the system.

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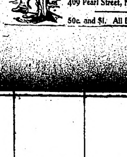

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Alexandria Post News: Secretary of the Senate Langum has figured out to a nicety that the poorest paid official in the state is the member of the legislature who, for 106 days of servic, receives but $530. He estimates the expenses of a legislator at $420, allowing $200 for hotel bills, $100 for election expenses and another hundred for incidentals, leaving a balance of a trifle over one hundred dollars as a reimbursement for time expended in public service. This demand for an increase in the salary of representatives from $500 to $1000 is but an echo of a cry heard all along the line, in the nation and in the state, for higher salaries and greater fees. It is heard in congress, in the legislature and in every department of official life, and has become so general that it challenges the attention of the American people. Truly the teachings of Wagner's little volume, The Simple Life, are needed in American life today. We have no doubt but that the honest legislator receives little enough for his services but we have never known the position to go begging for a man to fill it.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, March 30, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall March, 30th 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present except Hennemuth.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge, street work	$ 9 90
Narcisse Gamasche, do	75
Onizime Rue, do	1 50
A. Bisson, do	1 20
Louis Noel, do	1 95
Zaiser Bros., Livery	5 50
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., for street lamps for month of March 1905	111 16

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS,
President.

Approved this 5th day of April, A. D. 1905.

Attest. J. A. DUFFY,
Mayor.
A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Fifty-four and 25-100ths Dollars, which became due on the 22nd day of March, 1905, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Michael Phelan and Permelia Phelan, his wife, mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 22d day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 14 of Mortgages on pages 308 and 309. And whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage not already paid, to-wit the sum of Ninety Dollars and twenty-five cents, did become due and payable, and the said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, having duly elected to declare the whole of said sum due and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due, and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 22nd day of March, 1905, together with the further sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1905, the said sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars being for interest paid by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under and pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars executed by said Mortgagors to one Louise T. Mellen, default having been made by said Mortgagors in the payment of said interest, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (ne¼ se¼) and Lots numbered four (4) and five (5) of Section Thirty two (32), in Township 152 North of Range 41 in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of May, 1905, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and said debt of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars with the interest on said amounts as hereinbefore stated, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, the same being hereby stated to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 5, 1905.

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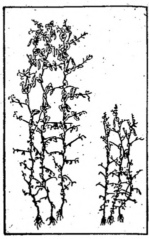
FARM GARDEN

CATCH ON, BROTHER.

Practical Farmers Tell of Crops Quadrupled by Bacteria.

Dr. George T. Moore, who perfected the American pure culture method of distributing the nitrogen fixing bacteria that live on legume roots, has submitted to the department of agriculture a report which brings all the testimony on soil inoculation in this country completely up to date. A very interesting feature of it is the record of reports from practical farmers in nearly every state of the Union of their experience with the artificial cultures. These reports cover alfalfa, red clover, peas and practically all the other legumes. An example is this: J. T. Campbell of Hartstown, Pa., on field peas, "Where the soil was inoculated the result was marvelous—four times as great as where there was no inoculation. Nodules one-half inch in diameter." See the first cut.



CANADA FIELD PEAS.
[Inoculated and uninoculated.]

As to red clover, C. O. Barclay, Adam's Basin, N. Y., says: "I never had as good success with clover seed before. It looks as if every seed germinated. I have failed for the past three years."

Walter W. Law, Briarcliff Manor, N. Y., says of inoculated alfalfa: "Good stand. I never could get any to take before."

A. Murray, Halstead, Kan., says: "The alfalfa inoculated could not have done better. I think inoculated alfalfa is as good at one year old as uninoculated is at three years old."

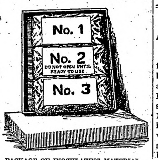
Several of Dr. Moore's own statements will be in the nature of a surprise to many farmers. He remarks that the legumes can flourish in a soil that is practically devoid of nitrogen. The explanation is that owing to the direct effect of the nodule forming bacteria these plants are supplied with a source of nitrogen not available to most plants.

Dr. Moore also says it is possible for nitrogen fixing bacteria to penetrate the roots of plants and be of decided benefit without the formation of nodules or any external evidence of their presence. Further information is:

The use of German nitrogen has not been a success.

There is but one species of legume organism. The difference in the infective power of bacteria from different hosts is due to slight physiological variations which can be broken down readily by cultivation.

The nitrogen is fixed by the bacteria in the nodule and becomes available by the action of the plant in dissolving and absorbing the combined nitrogen in these organisms.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The Wool Clip.

The wool clip of the United States for 1904, according to the annual estimate of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, aggregates 291,783,032 pounds in the grease. This is equivalent to 123,935,147 pounds scoured, the smallest output since 1900. The total value of the clip is placed at $64,940,959, the highest for several years. Montana led in the production of wool, with a total of 87,773,000 gross pounds; Wyoming came second, with 29,450,000 pounds; New Mexico third, with 17,825,000 pounds. Other states with upward of 10,000,000 pounds were Idaho, Oregon, California, Utah and Ohio. The clip shows a gain of 4,333,000 pounds over last year in the grease, but a decrease of 431,000 pounds scoured wool.

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"Where are the drafters to come from that are now so eagerly sought by buyers at all the horse markets?" asked Mr. H. G. McMillan before the Iowa state farmers' institute. At the same time answering his own question, Mr. McMillan said that the supply of heavy mares is very limited. Farmers who owned good mares a few years ago sent them to market because they believed that the days of profitable horse breeding had passed. As a result of this unwise policy, before an adequate supply of drafters can again be grown for market draft mares will have to be produced first from which to raise the supply in the future. This will take years to accomplish, so that it may be reasonably expected that the price of draft horses will continue firm for years.

Good Returns In Colts and Farm Work.

While pure bred stallions have been selling in many cases at seemingly high figures, pure bred draft mares can yet be obtained at a very reasonable figure. The Iowa or Illinois farmer who owns one hundred or one hundred and fifty dollar land cannot make a better investment than to buy a pair or two of pedigreed draft mares. At the price at which such mares are now selling, if given proper care, they will bring in a larger return on the investment than any stock that can be placed on this high priced land.

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Tablets at the COURIER store.

A WHISTLER PICTURE.

The Dramatic Manner of Its Finish and an Anticlimax.

Whistler was one day visited by a foreign artist, an old acquaintance, with whom Whistler had not as yet quarreled. He was received with genuine cordiality, and, artist-like, he ran round the studio looking at everything. One small picture seemed to charm him especially, and he said, "Now that is one of your good ones." "Don't look at it, dear boy," said Whistler airily, "it's not finished." "Finished!" said the visitor. "Why, it is the most carefully finished picture of yours that I have ever seen." "Don't look at it!" persisted Whistler. "You are doing injustice to yourself, you are doing injustice to my picture, and you are doing injustice to me!" The visitor looked bewildered, when Whistler, in a theatrical tone, cried out: "Stop! I'll finish it now!" Then he procured a very small camel's hair brush, fixed it on a long and slender handle, mixed a little speck of paint on his palette, dipped the tip of his brush into it, and then, standing off from his picture and with the action of a fencer with his rapier, he lunged forward and touched the picture in one spot with his pigment. "Now it's finished," said he. "Now you may look at it." This was all highly dramatic, and indeed very well acted, but, as in the case of some stage plays, the final act of Whistler's performance proved to be an anticlimax. The foreign artist took his leave, but, finding that he had left his umbrella behind him, called for it next day. The servant, recognizing him, told him that Mr. Whistler had gone out for the day, but invited him to go to the studio and seek his umbrella. He went there and found it, but also took the opportunity of having one more look at the picture which had been "finished" for his special benefit the day before, and then he saw that the little dab of wet paint which Whistler had so dramatically put on he had afterward scrupulously wiped off again!—Frederick Keppel in The Reader.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and a loving favor rather than silver or gold.—Solomon.

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THE PETITION HELD UP

Thief River Fall's County Seat Petition Peacefully at Rest in Auditor's Safe.

An order of the district court has stopped Thief River Falls in its mad course, and the gloom in that saintly city is so thick that several people have been buried alive in it—notably one Alex Sweaas and his co-adjutors. Alex arrived in our peaceable city Monday night armed with a short postmaster and a six foot slugger, and accompanied by the mayor of Thief River to act as umpire. The famous long advertised, long-looked for county seat petition arrived on the Tuesday morning train, and was met by Sweaas and his army, who solemnly escorted it to the court house, which Mr. Sweaas don't want but must have. Here, with a fitting, mournful speech, as one parting forever from an old friend, Mr. Sweaas delivered it to Auditor Ford, while the army solemnly pounded the floor with his number sixteens and the legal post office department looked wise.

The petition contained about 2,006 names, a large proportion of which were undecipherable. As the law requires that before filing the petition the Auditor must ascertain that it complies with the legal requirements of form, number of legal voters signing it, etc., Mr. Ford referred it to County Attorney Germo, who at once gave it his attention and put in some good hard work in examining and deciphering it. Many signatures appear to have been made by the same hand, one is known to be that of a dead man, some are duplicates of each other, some are made by boys under age, some by residents of Dakota, some are plain forgeries, many are signed by a cross only, with no witness to the mark, and as the whole thing consists of thirty-one separate petitions, each of which must be given thorough examination, the county officials are to be congratulated on the fact that they finished the work in the afternoon instead of taking until the next day for it.

But at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon a complaint and a large number of affidavits showing crookedness on the part of Thief River Falls were presented to Judge Watts at Crookston, and he signed an order forbidding the County Auditor to file the petition or call any meeting of the County Board until the further order of the Court, setting a time of hearing on April 22d.

At five o'clock this order was at Red Lake Falls and was served upon the County Auditor. As the fateful papers were handed to the Auditor Br'er Sweaas, who up to this time had considered himself a general at least the equal of Napolean, collapsed. A hat, supposed to be his, was afterward found in the cellar. The army snorted three large snorts and fell into "innocuous desuetude." The post office department dropped its under jaw several inches and refused to be comforted. The famous petition was pigeonholed in the Auditor's safe where we trust it may rest in peace.

In the injunction suit brought many sworn affidavits are made by parties who signed the petition showing that whiskey and money was used to improperly obtain signatures. One or more of these affidavits are made by persons who helped Thief River Falls circulate the petition and ought to know. A strong showing of crooked work on the part of Thief River is made, and when the case actually comes to trial with witnesses, such a nest of rottenness will be disclosed as will thoroughly disgust the honest people of Red Lake county with the crooked city up-river.

The first hearing on the 22d will, ofcourse, only be on affidavits and not a regular trial, and it is probable that either party will appeal to the Supreme Court.

Visiting Day for Parents.

Since the Christmas vacation we have been saving samples of work done by the pupils in all grades, We now have quite a collection of papers and other work in all branches. This work does not represent the result of many re-writings of the same paper after repeated corrections by the teacher, but is a fair sample of the work actually done from day to day by the pupils of our school.

We are now planning to display this work in the first and second grade rooms in the Lafayette building so that the parents may have an opportunity to see what we are doing. The work will be displayed in grades and marked. The north side and the south side will complete, and each grade will complete the other for the best display. The work will be put in place Saturday of this week and the building will be open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons of vacation week. We want you all to come and see our display. It will encourage the children to do better work. Don't wait until Saturday but be sure and come on one of the three days. E. W. CHAMBERLAIN, Supt.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

SECURES CONTRACT.

Geo. Chatel Lands Big Grading Contract.

Geo Chatel arrived home Tuesday morning from Devils Lake, North Dakota, where he had been to look over some grading the Great Northern railroad is going to have done the coming summer, and he was successfull in landing a big batch of work on the new strip of road and will, during the next few weeks start his men and teams westward to begin operations. The contract secured by Mr. Chatel is an exceedingly large one and will keep him busy the greater portion of the summer. Mr Chatel says the railroad activity in North Dakota this summer will be something wonderful and that railroad workmen and teams out of work will not have the slightest excuse in the world for being so.

In the Love League.

Clerk Perrault has issued the following licenses to wed since the first of the month:

Joseph L. Myren, of Garvias, and Miss Helma Gilbertson, of Emardville; Andrew O. Feragen and Miss Elizabeth Hitterdahl, Norden; Thos. Deach and Miss Minnie Kuprod, of St. Hilaire.

Lost in Terrebonne.

Special to the Courier.

Terrebonne, April 12.—Some of the Terrebonne citizens were amused last Saturday afternoon to see a young couple from Red Lake Falls out hunting (?) for blueberries or jack rabbits, or something or other, about one and one-half miles north of the village. The young man had better take a driver along the next time to watch the horses while he and his lady friend go hunting.

The Courier for stationery.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

As Seen by the Only Committee Clerk Who Ever Resigned.

Editor A. M. Greeley, of the Big Fork Compass, who served as a clerk in the legislature during the early part of the session, gives some of his impressions of that body in the last issue of his interesting paper:

The legislature is a body of workmen that works as if the boss were away.

The legislature meets every two years—that is as often as the state could stand it. It meets to pass appropriation laws and to pass the hat for St. Paul.

Whenever there is a surplus in the state treasury, which needs exercise, the governor may call an extra session.

A session of the legislature cannot live over ninety working days, Sundays, holidays, adjournments, washdays, invalidsdays, paydays, and cold days are extra. Therefore, there are but 90 days in four months, according to the men who get paid $5 for every day that comes along.

The chief duties of the members are to answer to roll call; listen to the demands of state institutions and to kick for higher wages for themselves. If it were not for their mileage, every member would resign. He could not afford to be away from the capitol so much, were the railroads less generous.

Some members work earnestly and faithfully. They want to be elected again,

The senate is called the "upper house," the house of representatives is called the "lower house," but both are on same floor. The employes constitute the "third house" and the officers are commonly designated "bug house." The newspaper reporters do not belong to any house—they were sent to the stable

The senate is supposed to be the more dignified body, but that was before it fired its imaginary state fireman.

Most of the present members eat Norway herring and lutfisk, but the English language is sometimes heard in debate.

The chaplains also pray in English, although Greek would serve as well. If the chaplains were paid by the job instead of by the day, the gospel might "report progress." As it is, the chaplains pray day by day, and lack of result does not discourage them.

The daily prayer is the only measure that is allowed to pass without debate or amendment.

The lower house is made up of lawyers and newspaper men with just enough farmers added to make a quorum. The senate is not as large in membership, consequently, has fewer farmers.

The lieutenant-governor presides over the senate, as that body could not furnish a single member with hair on his head, A baldheaded man would not dignify the chair.

The presiding officer of the lower house has the title of speaker. He is called "speaker," because his decisions speak louder than words. The thud of the gavel is the only eloquence there that cuts many ice.

The legislature is misunderstood by the general public. It is not as lazy or as vile as commonly painted. While the ambulance is seldom called to carry away a member overcome with work, neither is the patrol wagon kept busy. While some may be fond of poker and pretzels, it is not true that when the legislature adjournes the dives and breweries begin spring housecleaning. The fact is, most of the members were obliged to work so hard for election that they have little energy left for the pursuit of labor, sport or woodchucks. To say the least, the legislature is no worse than a similar body of citizens anywhere, excepting perhaps the penitentiary.

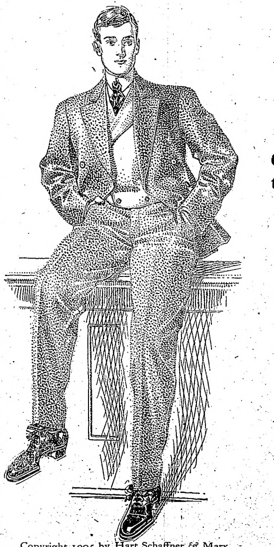
Three Thieves in Trouble.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman came down from Thief River Falls Saturday evening with three young men who had been sentenced to fifteen days in the county jail. It seems the young men stole a trunk out of one the hotels of that city in an endeavor to helf a young woman out of paying a board bill. They were arrested and proven guilty with the above result.

Clean Up Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all residents to clean up all back yards and alleys and remove all manure and refuse of all kind. All derbis, except dead animals, can be moved to the rear of Lou Kaufer's residence. All dead animals must be removed to the burial ground near the old saw mill and be buried. This matter should be attended to at an early date as this is an early spring and warm weather will arrive soon.

J. C. WILKINSON,
Health Officer.



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Millard Filmore was the son of a New York farmer, and his home was a humble one. He learned the business of a clothier.

James Buchanan was born in a small town in the Alleghany mountowns. His father cut the logs and build the home in what was then the wilderness.

Abraham Lincoln was the son of a wretchedly poor farmer in Kentucky, and lived in a log cabin untill he was twenty-one years old..

Andrew Johnson was apprenticed to a tailor at the age of ten years by his widowed mother. He was never able to attend school, and picked up all the education he ever had.

Ulysses S. Grant lived the life of a village boy, in a plain house on the bank of the Ohio River.until he was seventeen years old.

James A. Garfield was born in a log cabin. He worked on the farm until he was strong enough to use carpenter's tools, when he learned the trade. He afterward worked on a canal.

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William McKinley's early home was plain and comfortable, and his father was able to keep him at schaol.
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A man may be content with his lot without being satisfied with his condition.

The crosses that we make for ourselves are not the ones that win us crowns.

The man who wants to profit by wrongdoing is never at a loss for an excuse.

Men who would scorn to cheat in business have no hesitancy in cheating in politics.

Grafters are in the minority. The majority is equally to blame for not putting a stop to it.

Some men secure credit for philanthropy by publicly contributing to the conscience fund.

On the journey of life a man never loses any time by stopping to help some one make a new start.

Did you ever see any one look quite as foolish as the boy who smokes a cigaret because he thinks it makes him look like a man?

A lot of Christians who imagine that they could die for their religion haven't nerve enough to pray with a Salvation Army band on a street corner.

The man who grumbles the most about his food while at the family table is usually the man who eats heartily at a free lunch with a fork that a hundred other men have used before him.

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physcians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., has incurable comsuption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Comsumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure," Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and $1.00 bottles at all druggist, Trial bottle free.

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Musical Fish.

Lake Batticaloa, Ceylon, has the probably unique distinction of being the home of a musical fish. The sounds emitted by these are said to be as sweet and melodious as those which can be produced by a series of aeolian harps. Crossing the lake in a boat, one can plainly distinguish the pleasant sounds. If an oar is dipped in the water the melody becomes louder and more distinct.

A Pencil Tombstone.

A German pencil maker, deceased, has over his grave a gigantic stone representation of half a lead pencil set as a tombstone. It is of red sandstone, with a core of graphite eight inches in diameter.

Lager Beer.

Lager beer was so called because when first made it was stored for months before it was used on a "lager," or frame, in a cool cellar.

Wreckers' Debauch.

The wreck of a ship from Spain strewed the coast of England for six miles near the mouth of the Mersey with oranges, citrons, grapes and barrels of port. Most of the people of a neighboring village were intoxicated for several days.

Pitt's North America.

A correspondent of the London Times calls attention to the fact that William Pitt said, "America, Canada and Louisiana are the countries on the continent of North America."

Keeping Wedding Cake.

It is said a loaf of wedding cake was once kept six years without any appreciable diminution of its flavor. It was packed in a tin box with an inch of granulated sugar all around it. The box was then wrapped in strong paper and kept in the attic.

Scientific Robbers.

A gang of thieves at Arad, Austria, cut off the electric light during a murder trial and robbed judge, counsel and jurymen.

Whales, Porpoises and Dolphins.

Neither whales, porpoises nor dolphins can be correctly described as fish, though they were till comparatively recently considered of the finny tribe. They are in the same class of creatures as the rhinoceros and gorilla—the mammalia. They cannot be at all correctly described as fish.

Columbus' Voyage.

It may be of interest to some to know that, according to his own account, Columbus was 33 days and 5 hours in crossing from Spain to San Salvador.

A Cemetery Inscription.

In an old Virginia cemetery there is a weather beaten tombstone bearing this inscription: "I await my husband, May 26, 1840." "Here I am, Dec. 14, 1861." Some joker had read the inscription and added with a pencil, "Late, as usual."

Passports In Egypt.

Tourists in Egypt are supposed to be provided with passports, but the law is not strictly enforced. A visiting card suffices.

An Optimist.

The following peculiar advertisement recently appearing in the London Times testifies a human optimism: "Married lady, with five children (husband's income very small), wishes to be adopted by very wealthy old lady or gentleman (without relatives), who would pay for children's education and provide for their future. Replies," etc.

China's Trade Guilds.

Canton, China, boasts of over seventy trades guilds. These guilds have fine halls and spacious courtyards, where their members meet daily and discuss the affairs of their respective trades and other matters.

Business to the Last.

It is asserted by the London Globe that a methodical and business-like bank clerk in a country branch forwarded a letter to the following effect to the head office: "Greatly regret to inform you I died this morning of pneumonia. John Smith,. per James Brown."

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 61 years old." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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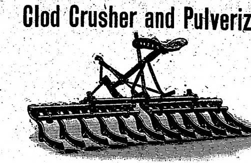

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MINE EXPLOSION COSTS MANY LIVES

DISASTER DUE TO ACCUMULATED GAS OCCURS IN COAL SHAFT AT ZEIGLER, ILL.

Thirty-Seven Bodies Recovered, and Coroner's Jury Says Forty-Three Were Killed—Explosion in Cartridge Factory Kills Three.

Carbondale, Ill., April 5.—Thirty-seven bodies of miners who lost their lives in the gas explosion at the mine of Joseph Leiter at Zeigler Monday have been recovered, and it is supposed several more bodies are in the mine. The exact number of dead will probably not be known for several days, at least not until the mine has been divested of the gas and persons are permitted to enter. Among the dead is William Atkinson, state mine examiner for the Seventh sub-district, who lost his life in an attempt to perform his duties as mine inspector, and who died while trying to reach the bodies of those who were entombed.

Accumulated Gas Cause.

The belief is that the gas which accumulated over Sunday, owing, it is alleged by W. D. Ryan, secretary of the United Mine Workers of America, to the fact that the miners did not know how to deal with fire damp, and that the mine was full of it.

A cage was resting at the mouth of the shaft to allow a force of mechanics to enter the mine. J. L. Wood, of Cleveland, O., was stepping on the cage when the explosion occurred. He was killed outright. The flames, leaping out of the shaft, burned several others, all of whom may recover. An overcoat worn by one of these workmen was torn from his back and carried to the top of the tipple, 100 feet away. A six ton cage was blown 500 feet from the bottom of the shaft to the tipple. A miraculous escape from death was experienced by a workman on the air shaft. The concussion hurled him 60 feet into the air, and he fell outside the stockade, 75 yards away. Besides a few slight bruises he was not injured.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

Zeigler, Ill., April 6.—Afterdamp, due to an explosion of blasting powder set off by persons as yet unknown, caused the death of 43 miners at Joseph Leiter's coal mine on Monday, April 3, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury as returned Wednesday.

Three Killed in Explosion.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 5.—In a terrific explosion that blew to pieces one of the brick buildings of the Union Metallic Cartridge company shortly before the close of the day's work Tuesday, three men were instantly killed. The only man in the building at the time, John Meary, was blown through the roof, with a great mass of debris, and came down dead. Two helpers, Michael Hurley and William Bayliss, working near the building were also killed. The explosion occurred in the dry house, where primer caps are dried on long steam pipes. In some manner one of the caps was discharged and the explosion followed.

FOUR DIE BY GAS FUMES.

Woman and Three Children Asphyxiated in New York Tenement House.

New York, April 7.—Thre children and an aged woman were killed and half a score of tenants in a tenement house here were made unconscious Thursday by gas escaping from a stove.

The dead are: Mary Rogers, aged 75; Kate Clark,, aged 12; Helen Clark, aged ten; Elizabeth Clark, aged seven. The children slept in a front room of their home with Mrs. Rogers, who was in the employ of their father, Samuel Clark, janitor of the house. In a rear room slept Mr. and Mrs. Clark and a small son. When Clark arose at five a. m. Thursday he detected a strong odor of gas. He entered the children's room and was almost overcome. Making his way back to his own room, he discovered that his wife and son were stupefied. He then called for help. The gas had made its way through the building and persons in many other apartments were either stupefied or already unconscious. A policeman who heard Clark's cries broke into the room where the children and old woman were and raised a window. He then discovered that all were dead. An examination of the gas stove showed that the pipe had broken during the night. It is supposed that it broke from the force of the gas. Physicians were called to treat the persons in the house.

Caution to Ministers.

Newark, N. J., April 8.—Young ministers were cautioned by Bishop Joseph F. Berry, of Buffalo, in the Newark conference of the Methodist church Friday to talk sparingly of women and to make their pastoral calls in the evening when the wife was surrounded by her husband and children. The bishop declared that the afternoon call on women of the congregation, when they were likely to be alone, should be frowned upon.

Makes Record Run.

Boone, Ia., April 7.—Engineer Wared, of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad, has broken a record on the Eastern Iowa division of that road, by driving his engine from Clinton to Boone, a distance of 202 miles in 189 minutes.

Killed His Stepfather.

Benton, Ill., April 7.—Parker Atkins shot and instantly killed his stepfather, Albert Rea, at Zeigler. The trouble arose over a board bill.

DEATH WAS PREFERRED

WOMAN TAKES POISON RATHER THAN BE ARRESTED.

Accused of Shoplifting Mrs. Moore of Minneapolis Admits Guilt and then Kills Herself.

Minneapolis, April 11.—Apprehended by detectives who had come to arrest her, and surrounded by quantities of stolen goods of which she was charged with being the thief, Mrs. W. J. Moore last night committed suicide in her apartments at 1222 Washington avenue south.

The woman is a widow, having resided in Minneapolis but a few months. She has a son living with friends in St. Paul. Unable to stand the disgrace of her crimes being brought to light, and with imprisonment staring her in the face, the woman drank carbolic acid almost in sight of the detectives who had come to her rooms to take her into custody, and fell dying at their feet.

From all the facts that were brought to light by her tragic death, it appears that she has been engaged in systematic scheme of shoplifting in practically all of the large department stores of the city.

When Detective Crummy and Brown of the Central detail and Officer Shaft of a local store appeared, she at first stoutly maintained her innocence. When their search brought to light a large quantity of valuable goods that were identified, she then addmitted her guilt.

Her transactions, she told the officers, had been going on for several months and included many of the department stores in the city. Her method was to go into one of the stores and select and order a quantity of merchandise.

THE CHICAGO STRIKE.

Rioting Marks the Attempt to Move Goods—The Police Have a Strenuous Time.

Chicago, April 11.—The force of police guarding the Montgomery Ward freight caravans doubled yesterday in anticipation of rioting by sympathizers with the firm's striking teamsters and garment makers.

Scenes of violence marked the first attempt to move freight from the Montgomery Ward building. The police were compelled to use their clubs freely. Three wagons, headed by two patrol wagons and accompanied by 75 policemen, started for the Rock Island freight sheds. The caravan was followed by nearly 1,000 persons. Numerous missiles were thrown along the line of march.

While the wagons were passing the approach to the Polk street viaduct the crowd began to shower stones, boards and the like. While the police charged the mob, the procession of wagons was halted. A way was finally cleared with clubs.

The police had a serious time at the Lake Shore freighthouse, where wagons were loaded with merchandise consigned to Montgomery, Ward & Co. Teamsters friendly to the strikers believed the wagons would attempt to pass Polk and La Salle streets, and formed a deliberate blockade at that point.

Wreck in Kansas.

Kingsley, Kan., April 11.—Twenty or more passengers were injured in a collision of the Chicago express and California limited trains on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad last night.

Both trains were eastbound. No. 8, the Chicago express, was standing at the station, the rear of the train about 200 feet west of the building, when No. 4, the limited, crashed into it at high speed.

The engine of the second train plowed into the last Pullman sleeper of the other train, demolishing it.

Killed in Lodge.

Little Rock, Ark., April 11.—While Ebenezer Runyan was being initiated by the local lodge Knights of Pythias at Felsenthal, Ark., he was shot and instantly killed.

Chas. Filler, an officer of the lodge was officiating at the initiation and it is said used a revolver which in some way had been loaded, although it was supposed to contain blank cartridiges. The bullet entered Runyan's brain. The lodge broke up in consternation.

Man Burned to Death.

Winnipeg, Man., April 11.—A Winnipegger named Captain Jones was burned to death at Humbolt station by the destruction of a hotel building under construction by the Humboldt Hotel company. A restaurant owned by J. Cummings was also destroyed.

Jones lost his life in an endeavor to save his effects.

Wheat Corner Collapses.

Chicago, April 11.—May wheat said to be cornered by Eastern parties was in a tottering condition on the Chicago board of trade yesterday.

The price fell to $1,14, a decline of 3 cents from Saturday.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, April 10

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.10; No. 2 northern, $1.05; May, $1.07¼. Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 45c. Rye—No. 2, 78c. Barley—No. 2, 38c. Flax—$1.38. Butter.—Creamery, extras, 27@28c; firsts, 24@25c; dairy, fancy, 22@24c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, April 10

Cattle — Steers, $3.50@4.00; cows, $3.00@3.50. Hogs—$4.50@4.75. Sheep—Muttons, $5.00; lambs, $6.75

OVER 200 KILLED IN CITY OF MADRID

SUDDEN COLLAPSE OF A NEW WATER RESERVOIR IS CAUSE OF DISASTER.

Hundreds of Workmen Buried in the Debris—Fifty Dead Bodies Recovered—It Is Said 236, All Dead, Still in the Ruins.

Madrid, April 10.—Four hundred persons were killed or injured Saturday by the collapse of a new water reservoir in course of construction. Fifty bodies have already been recovered. An exact estimate of the casualties is still impossible. It is stated that there were 236 men in the lower part of the reservoir, all of whom were killed. The prince of the Asturias, the war minister, the governor of Madrid, and a representative of the king have gone to the spot to superintend the work of rescue. Troops sent to the scene are engaged in helping the sufferers and recovering the bodies of the dead. The catastrophe caused a profound sensation throughout the city. All work was suspended, and the people flocked to the scene.

King Supervises Relief Measurer.

King Alfonso was shooting at Carabanchel when he heard of the disaster, and immediately repaired to the scene. His arrival was the signal for ovations from the crowds. The king was deeply moved, and insisted upon personally supervising the relief measures. Working parties gradually removed the debris, and recovered the mutilated bodies, fragments of flesh and limbs.

Insipient demonstrations were directed against those held to be responsible for the disaster. Processions of women carrying black flags paraded the district in which the disaster occurred. A great crowd marched to the center of the city and forced the merchants to close their establishments as a sign of mourning. The markets were all shut and business was entirely at a standstill.

Pitiful Scenes.

Many heartrending incidents and painful scenes are reported. Ten of those who were rescued alive have gone mad. A huge crowd stood around the scene throughout the night watching the attempts at rescue in the light of huge electric lamps. Some of the injured have died. One body was recovered from the ruins during the night, but none later. Seven hundred workmen are engaged in clearing the debris. During the day students and workmen paraded the streets collecting money for the families of victims of the disaster. The public is contributing freely.

STANDS FOR "OPEN DOOR."

Germany Outlines to United States Her Policy with Reference to Morocco.

Washington, April 6.—Germany on Wednesday clearly outlined to the United States [illegible] Moroccan policy. Acting under instructions from Berlin, Baron von Speck Sternburg, the German ambassador, called at the war department and left with Secretary Taft a memorandum to this effect:

Germany stands for the "open door" in Morocco as in the the far east, and for the preservation of the status quo, and for the safeguarding of the commercial and trade interests not only of Germany, but of all trading nations of the world.

Secretary Taft, without committing this government on the subject, thanked the ambassador and promptly forwarded the memorandum to President Roosevelt. Germany makes no mention of France in the memorandum; nor does she request an expression of views by the United States.

Justice for Sixty-Five Years.

Kingsbury, Ind., April 8.—Daniel Shaw, for 65 years a justice of the peace in Laporte county, is dead at his home here. One notable feature of the long service of 'Squire Shaw was that he had been in the office from the time that he entered the county. In early days he drove a team of oxen between Michigan City and Chicago, carrying the produce of the region in which he lived.

Eight Are Dead.

Roanoke, Va., April 10.—While tamping powder in a blast at the Ardway limestone quarry near Allisonia, the blast was accidentally discharged, causing the explosion of two other blasts that had been set near by. Seven negro laborers and one white man were killed and two others were so badly injured that there is little hope of their recovery.

Choked to Death.

Lincoln, Ill., April 8.—Charles B. Strawn, aged 49, a prominent stockman and breeder and well-known in central Illinois as a live stock auctioneer, died at his home east of Lincoln from strangulation. He choked on a piece of steak cooked for him by his wife for a late supper.

Enjoying Themselves.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 8.—The president's yacht is anchored off St. John's bluff, several miles below this city, where Mrs. Roosevelt and her children are enjoying the fishing. A fine catch is reported.

Gets Big Order.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., April 10.—The Japanese government has ordered 500,-300 gunstocks from a manufacturer in Cedar Rapids.

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WE haven't heard of any Republican babies being named for Senator Horton.

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THE Windom Reporter girls say that all things do not come to the country merchant who waits. The majority get them by advertising.

THE board of control is no longer guardian of the university and normal schools, and there is great rejoicing at the institutional towns.

APRIL 28 has been designated by Governor Johnson as Arbor day. The schools and public generally are asked to appropriately observe the day.

SOME of the legislators have learned the artful habit of "dodging." A man afraid to go on record is too much of a moral coward to deserve political preferment.

THE overwhelming victory for municipal ownership in Chicago will go a long way toward convincing the American public that this sort of socialism is popular.

DID anyone really expect the legislature to enact an anti-pass law? A good many of the lawmakers would rather give up their salary rather than their railroad passes.

EX-CONGRESSMAN EDDY is responsible for this: If the men and women of the world were separated by a wide, swiftly flowing river, the death among females by drowning would be something frightful.

How unfortunate, observes the Duluth News-Tribune, that when the weather gets just right for pitching horseshoes there's more than sixteen hours' work a day for a fellow to do. Things are not arranged quite right in this world.

THE Redwood Gazette gives Speaker Clague credit for manipulating the passage of the Horton bill over the governor's veto. It is a doubtful honor, not likely to be extensively used in Mr. Clague's campaign for gubernatorial preferment.

EVEN the exingencies of a county-seat fight do not keep the Thief River factions from showing their teeth and knocking off chips. According to their own story it would not be safe to trust either crowd with responsibility for the county government.

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STATE AUDITOR IVERSON is unfortunate in having his name connected with the investigations and reports of the public accounts committee. There is no particular complaint of Iverson's management, but the unpleasant notoriety of the past few weeks will go a long way toward frosting any further political ambition he may harbor.

THE signature of the governor will in the future be necessary to the legality of any deed for land sold at sales of unredeemed state lands. The Murray bill, passed by the house recently, provides that the notice of sale must be given for at least three weeks in a newspaper in the same county where the land is sold. The governor is named as the official who is to sign the deed, instead of the county auditor, as under the old law. The terms relating to redemption by persons claiming interests in the land remain unchanged by the Murray bill.

IF the 1904 crops were equally divided every man, woman and child in the United States would receive one barrel of flour, 200 eggs, 140 quarts of milk, more than half of which goes into butter; one bushels of apples and two one-half bushels of other fruits and berries; three bushels of potatoes, two bushels of carrots, parsnips and turnips; eleven head of cabbage and half as much lettuce; cucumbers and Cauliflower; twenty eight bushels of corn, usually in the shape of beef, pork and poultry, besides seventy pounds of cotton, six pounds of wool for clothes and enough leather for two pair of shoes. Did you get your share?

THE new battleship Minnesota was christened Saturday morning at Newport News, Va. Hon. Frank A. Day, representing Governor Johnson, delivered the chief address on this occasion, and a comparison of the old frigate Minnesota with the splendid battleship bearing the name of the commonwealth gave opportunity for plenty of elogiums on the great empire west of the Father of Waters. The half-century of growth and development marks the change from a wilderness to one of the great states of the greatest republic the world has ever known—the change from infancy to maturity. The simile is apt. The state of Minnesota today is as unlike the Minnesota of fifty years ago as the giant ironclad is unlike the wooden frigate that of other generation.

Exchange Echoes.

Norwood Times: Gov. Johnson's veto of the Horton bill, is all right. He will be commended for this more than for any other executive act. The capitol commission ought to be compelled to turn this building over to the state. It is not theirs. It is ours and we paid for it. The commission spent $5,000,000, and that is quite enough. Let the state have it now. The laws already give the governor control of the state building and he ought to insist on it, even if it took the militia to clear the way.

St. Cloud Times: The dual identity of Dr. Jekyli and Mr. Hyde is but child's play compared to the czar as originator of world peace in the Hague convention, and the czar obstinately refusing to stop one of the most hopeless and sanguinary wars in recent history.

Mankato Free Press: Now we are confronted with the information, right from the bat of Secretary Wilson, that bread will become a luxury. After a while pancakes will be among the things that a poor man cannot afford.

Cheated Death.

Kidney trouble often ends fatally, but by choosing the right, medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." All druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

The Story of Two Hogs.

Fairmont Sentinel: That a Colfax paper says that "William Hentico last Wednesday evening at Lamb's resturant ate 28 bananas, smacked his lips and declares the last one tasted just as good as the first." That's nothing. Chester White, of Knoxville, ate 14 ears of corn, two pumpkins and a bucket of swill, and was able to rub his bristles against the fence and grunt.

Hack, Hack Hack.

A chronic cough can now be instantly relieved by Gloria Lung Balsam, a new preparation of wild cherry, [illegible] tar, [illegible] Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

LEGISLATURE NEAR ITS END

The 1905 Session Expires Next Tuesday—A Few Remarks on the Work of That Body.

St. Paul, April 12—The legislature has but a few more days of life. The session expires by constitutional limitation next Tuesday. It is too early, of course, to speak of the work accomplished for the reason that many of the important measures have not been finally acted upon. The more prominent measures before the session are the code and the Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill.

The code will be passed, probably today, in some form. There were 1,500 amendments tacked on in the house and nearly 1,000 in the senate, and at this writing it is in the hands of a joint conference committee, with good prospect that an early agreement will be reached. The code has been a veritable "old man of the sea" from the beginning of the session. Few of the members are satisfied with it, but after wrestling with the proposition all winter the Republican majority feels that it must be passed in self-defense. After spending $85,000 of the people's money in having the code revised and wasting almost an entire session in discussion, the members are afraid to defeat it and attempt an explanation of the extravagance. Were it not for this feature I believe the legislature would prefer to see the code killed. Of course there is danger in passing the code. No one seems to know just how much new law has been introduced by the commission nor how many "woodchucks" it contains. The next five years promises to afford plenty of business for the lawyers and looking at it from any standpoint the revision will prove an expensive piece of legislation.

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The demurrage bill is in troubled waters. It passed the house easily. Everybody expected it would, and the country members at heart in opposition did not care to invite criticism from their constituents. They preferred to "put it up to the senate" and in that body a battle royal is in progress. The attorneys and lobbyists of every railroad in the state are at the capitol every day, and a most strenuous fight is being made. The senate is not as close to the people as the house, and half of the membership have another legislative session to serve before the expiration of their terms. Probably half of the remainder have no further ambition in a political way, so that it is easy for the senate to favor the corporations. I am not so sure that the demurrage bill is a good law. It will work injustice to the railroads in many instances, and many shippers would receive what amounts practically to substantial rebates. But the country people want the bill passed, and there is trouble in store for those who oppose it. However, I venture the prediction that the measure will never become a law. When the railroads and corporations insist that the state senate shall defeat a bill they have a subtle method of enforcing their demands. This has been the history of the senate for a quarter of a century, and the leopard doesn't change its spots in the twinkling of an eye.

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The senate finance committee and the house appropriations committee have been busy during the past two weeks listening to the plaints of officials and state institutions. Everybody wants more money, and it is not an easy task to divide the loaf satisfactonly all around. The state is growing, and the departments have more work than formerly. Then several institutions—notably the university, the St. Cloud normal and the Owatonna hospital have suffered the loss of buildings by fire. The omnibus bill will be reported today or tomorrow, and doubtless many of the departments and institutions will be disappointed at the amount of their allowances.

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A bill was introduced Saturday in both the senate and house for a constitutional amendment taking the appointment of state librarian out of the governor's hands and vesting it with the supreme court. It is presumed that this change will take the library out of politics, but, whether or no, it will at least make the tenure of the librarian longer and more secure. A librarian ought first of all be a business man, and it is only through experience and familiarity with the library that he can give the best service. And then it is expecting too much of any librarian to imagine that he can give the best service when his term of office is co-incident with that of the governor. The proposed change has the hearty approval of Governor Johnson, the supreme court and the bar association. The action of the legislature is problematical.

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This office has been favored with calls from a number of Red Lake county people during the past week. Dr. Geo. Tupper, chairman of the Democratic county committee, was here Tuesday. On Wednesday Miss May Blasing, formerly assistant principal of the Red Lake Falls high school, was here and spent the day with Mrs. King and the children. Miss Blasing is now principle of the Milaca schools. Sam Haislet of the Gazette dropped in yesterday for a short stay. Sam had been to Sioux City on a visit to his brother. Last week I saw Editor and Mrs. Packard of the Crookston Journal, County Attorney Maybury of Crookston, and a number of other northern Minnesota people.

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The public accounts committee finished its investigation of the state auditor's office last week, and the result was conflicting majority and minority reports. The majority admitted that the law had not always been observed, but praised the auditors for violating the statutes as regards the timber trespasses and mining leases. Whitewash was demanded and given in liberal portions. The minority report was rejected by a vive voce vote. No one cared to go on record as opposing the minority or defending the majority report, and yet the political exigencies of the occasion demanded this action. Not a word was said on the floor of the house in support of the majority report and the Republican members were evidently anxious to avoid a debate on the merits of the proposition. The powers-that-be in the majority party demanded vindication, and it was given grudgingly and apologetically. Politics, thy name is Insincerity, and thy ways are the ways of the Arab!

J. E. K.

The County in General

Several business changes took place at Thief River last week,

The town board of Emardville has laid out a new road leading into Plummer,

Thief River Falls is having a monkey and parrot time over school matters.

Plummer is to have a lock up of its own. The contract has been let for the building.

The St. Hilaire and Thief River saw mills began operations for the season this week.

Ole Hemsted, who has spent the winter at Plummer, has gone to North Dakota to work at the tailoring trade.

Plummer's council is very busy these days getting the town laws in proper shape for the goverment of a successful city.

Andrew Johnson is now chairman of the board of supervisors of Emardville township, in place of H.H. Finrow who resigned.

Ole J Johnson has been appointed Justice of the Peace at Plummer to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of Erick Iverson to qualify.

The Soo installed a new train service Monday' The fast trains from Winnipeg to the twin cities are said to be most elegantly equipped.

The settlers in town 153-42 have changed the name of the town from Big Bend to that of Smiley. The change was made necessary by these already being a Big Bend township in the state.

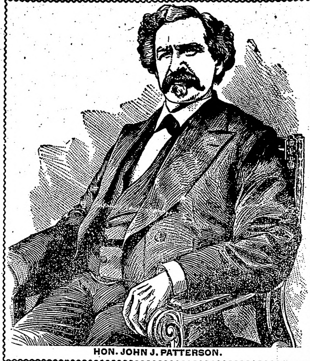
The special election held last week to vote on the proposition to separate the village of Plummer from the township of Emardville was very one sided the vote standing 23 to 0 in favor of such separation.

Pity the Poor Millionaire.

Adrian Democrat: John D. Rockefeller recently donated $100,000 to the Foreign Missionary Society, and the ministers of Boston insist that the gift be rejected because the money was dishonestly acquired by the Standard Oil King. Poor Rockfeller! His hair has all fallen out, his stomach won't act and he can't give his money away.

UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM SOUTH CAROLINA

Recommends Pe-ru-na---Other Prominent Men Testify.



HON. JOHN J. PATTERSON.

Hon. John J. Patterson, Ex-United States Senator from South Carolina, in a letter from 37-8 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"As quite a number of my friends have and are using Peruna as a catarrh cure with beneficial results, I feel that I can safely recommend it to those suffering from that disorder."---J. J. Patterson.

Commodore Nicholson of the U. S. Navy.

Commodore Somerville Nicholson, of the United States Navy in a letter from 1837 R Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., says;

"Your Peruna has been and is now used by so many of my friends and acquaintances as a sure cure for catarrh that I am convinced of its curative qualities and I unhesitatingly recommend it to all persons suffering from that complaint."—S. Nicholson.

U. S. Minister to Guatemala.

Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter, U. S. Minister to Guatemala, and ex-member of Congress from Kentucky, in a letter from Washington, D. C., writes:

"I am fully satisfied that your Peruna is an efficacious remedy for catarrh, as I and many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—W. G. Hunter, M. D.

Well known men of dignity and prominence in the United States endorse and recommend Peruna for catarrh.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Look for Big Business.

Land men now feel assured that this is to be a record breaking year in the land business of this vicinity. The question has been settled by the weather man in Iowa, Wisconsin and Illinois. During the past month or two these states have experienced very bad weather.

People returning from Illinois report snow and rain there, and say the farmers are not nearly as far along with their work as they are in Iowa and Wisconsin, while in those states they are way behind the Red River Valley. The entire spring has been so backward that the farmers are disgusted and looking to get out of that country.

Will Interest Many.

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidney are deranged. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organ so they will perform their functions property. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney cure is taken in time. A. L. Reichert.

Is it Possible?

Duluth News-Tribune: There is a tone of cheerfulness all over the state that means a most prosperous year. Confidence is the backbone of trade, and optimism is a good tonic at any time.

Frightful Suffering Relieved.

Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at all druggists, guaranteed.

Perfect Safety

Is combined with convenience in our certificates of disposit.

When you have any sum of money not wanted for immediate use, you can leave it here and we give you a written agreement to pay it back at any time you want it. If you wish to leave it for 6 months or more, we will pay interest upon it.

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Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

Seven Doctors Agree.

Mr. Jacob Sexauer, of Fountain City, Wis., writes: Gloria Tonic cured me of rheumatism after suffering 33 years and after seven Doctors agreed that I was incurable. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The National Highway to California

is via "The Overland Route." If you contemplate a trip to this pleasure-seekre's paradise, this route offers you the highest degree of comfort and luxury, with no additional cost and a great saving of time and expense. Fast trains. Smooth roadbed. Fine equipment. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific. Every day from March 1 to May 15, tickets will be sold via this route at $25 from Missouri River, good in tourist sleepers. Double berths, $5.75. Inquire of E. L. Lomax G. P. & T. A., Union Pacific, Omaha Neb.

An Australian Postmaster

writes: "Six boxes of Gloria Tonic cured my wife of a case of rheumatism from which she suffered 8 years." L. L. Rathman, P. M. Caloote, South Australia. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

We have bought a large lot of the

Savage 22 Cal. Rifles

that we are offering at

$4.00

also the

Savage 22 Cal. Repeater

than which there is none better at

$13.50

Now Boys get busy, Spring is coming.

22 Shorts............18c

22 Longs..............20c

22 Win. Rifle........35c

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Most
Important

The manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder have had 40 years of scientific experience.

Every method of bread-and-cake raising has been exhaustively studied in this country and abroad.

The result is a perfect product in Royal Baking Powder. There is no substitute for it. The purity and efficiency of Royal Baking Powder have been commended by the highest authorities of the world.

These facts mean two important things to all housekeepers:

First: that Royal Baking Powder is healthful and makes wholesome food.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

School vacation next week.

H. H. Zaiser was at Crookston Monday evening.

M. O. Scrtedahl was at Theif River between trains Wednesday.

Samuel Gibeau was a business visitor at Grand Forks Tuesday.

Father Ansgar was at St. Hilaire Tuesday where he conducted services.

H. L. Viegel left this morning for Greenbush and other points on the Great Northern.

Rev. Knox preached a sermon to men Sunday afternoon which was largely attended.

O.G Clay, right-of-way agent for Great Northern, was a Red Lake Falls visitor over Monday night.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbors tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present.

The farmers are busy seeding this week.

Lifeinsurance men have been thick in this city this week.

Garceau & Zaiser have a new adv in this paper. Look it up.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Bray were at Crookston over Monday night.

Sam Lepeard, Wylie's hardware dealer, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Ten or twelve men left here this week for up the river to take part in the log drive.

Postmaster Dupont and wife of Terrebonne were Red Lake Falls visitors Saturday.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Davison at Wylie last Thursday.

Wm. Holdberg will leave tomorrow for St. Paul where the plaster cast will be taken from his leg.

Henry Allard, of Grand Forks, is in the city attending his father, Sam Allard, who has been very sick.

Edward Verslays, who lived on the Hattan farm, has left these parts for the southern part of the state.

The First State Bank tell of the advantages of a bank account in this week's paper. Look up their adv.

The Big Store announces some big shoe bargains in this week's adv. You will find it on the local page.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufer were at Thief River Falls Tuesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Murphy.

Miss Olga Wetzel returned to Grand Forks Sunday morning after a week's visit here with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Sortedahl spent Sunday at Thief River Falls with Mr. Rice, who is still very sick.

Dr. N. M. Watson went to Crookston last evening to be present at the operation on Sam E. Hunt for appendicitis.

The wind blew down the smoke stack of the old saw mill one night last week wrecking what was left of the building.

Berthon & Armstrong are talking about those big inducements they are offering in summer clothing in this week's adv.

I. D. Converse left Monday evening for Cass Lake where he has accepted a position as foreman of a newspaper office.

A large crowd of young people enjoyed a hand car ride Sunday evening over the new track of the Great Northern.

Congressman Steenerson has been advised by the post office department that among the new post offices established in the valley recently is one in Red Lake county. It is to be called Brankelberg and Oliver H. Langlie is the post master. The office was opened for business April 5th.

Personal Mention.

Mayor D. B. Bakke, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Monday night.

Alex A. Sweaas of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Robt. K. Lee, of Thief River Falls, was a conuty seat visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Postmaster Ira C. Richardson, of Thief River Falls, passed through the county seat Monday evening on his way to Crookston. He arrived here Tuesday morning for business at the county seat.

Attorneys Grady and McIntyre transacted business a few minutes at Crookston Tuesday afternoon.

Mayor D. B. Bakke, of Thief River Falls, returned home Tuesday morning.

Alex. A. Sweaas, of Thief River Falls, returned home Wednesday morning.

Robt. K. Lee, of Thief River Falls, returned home Wednesday morning.

Postmaster Ira C. Richardson, of Thief River Falls returned home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Dan Paul, of Grand Fork's arrived in the city Saturday and will stay for a while with her brother, Sam Allard.

Misses Dolly Pettengill and Cora Yahr, of St. Hilaire, returned to that place Saturday after spending a week here with friends.

A string quartette is to be organized by members of the band and some excellent music may be looked for in the near future.

Miss Catherine Pirath returned to St. Hilaire Saturday to resume her school duties after a week's vacation at her home in this city.

Miller Bros. have installed a pool table in the rear room of their barber shop. It will no doubt prove a popular resort for lovers of the sport.

The choral union met Monday evening at the opera house. Our singers take great interest in these meetings, which are proving to be beneficial.

Ralph Converse received a flattering offer the first of the week from a printing concern at Aitkin and be will probably accept the position.

The ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laciousierre, living in the south part of town, fell out of bed the other morning while at play and broke her right arm between the elbow and wrist. The injured member was set and the young lady is doing nicely at present.

The Busy Store's Happy Buyers

Are happy Because the BUSY STORE offers the biggest value for every dollars worth purchased.

Here are a few of the many values offered this week for cash prices —

Choice apples, different kinds per box	1.00	Fine Cravenette Cloth 36 in. wide per yard	.50
Malta Vito 15c values for	10	Ladies fine black hose good quality	.09
Good Challies fast color per yard	.05	Good oil window shades 6 ft. long	.25

Unbleached muslin .05½

Garceau & Zaiser

Mrs. Geo McConnell and daughter returned to their home at Thief River Falls Wednesday morning after several days visit here with the Ed. L. Healy family.

Peder E. Bjerkley, who lives on the east line of the county, was in the city Monday on business connected with an estate of which he is the administrator.

Perrault station people want the Great Northern trains to stop at that place. It would make it easy for them to reach Crookston and points south on the Great Northern.

Carleton College, Northfield, has just issued its annual catalogue and it is a work of art. This school has been steadily growing and is now one of the best in the west.

The weather has been unusually cold this week, but it has been the means of drying out the ground and when warm weather does set in the farmers can get right to work.

Ed. L. Healy was at the twin cities last week. He returned Sunday via. Tilden walking the distance from that place. He says the Great Northern's new track is in good shape for walking.

John Suchomel arrived from Brownton this week and will work his farm six miles east of this city this year. He has owned the place for three years but has never worked it himself.

A bouncing baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Prudhome in Gentilly township one day last week. As she is the first girl in the family she has received a royal welcome.

T.G. Brunelle has purchased a new bass horn and will hereafter have the pleasure of blowing a first class instrument. "Shorty" is to be commended for the interest he takes in the band and its success.

James Hance, who injured his hand severely last week while at work in the Red Lake Milling Co's elevator, is recovering rapidly from the accident and expects soon to be able to use the injured hand.

Rev. I, T. Aastad, of Theif River Falls, will hold services in the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon and also at 7:30 in the evening. Scandinavians are cordially invited to attend.

P. O. Floan returned Tuesday morning from Forest City, Iowa, where he closed a deal whereby the Sortedahl Land Co. became the owners of a steam laundry. They traded a piece of Red Lake county land for the business.

A. D. Dufault, formerly of Red Lake Falls but now in business at Crookston, and J. B. and Bazille Dufault, of Gentilly, returned this morning from Atwater, Minn., where they attended the funeral of their uncle, Emmet Dufault, who died last Friday.

A meeting was called for one evening last week for the purpose of organizing a gun club but it was not attended by enough to do anything with the project. It is a question whether there are enough followers of the sport to have an organization this year or not.

The many friends of Sam Allard will be glad to learn that he is resting easy to-day and has improved somewhat the last two or three days. Sciatic rheumatism was responsible for a set-back the first of the week, but if no new complications arise he will soon recover from his severe sickness.

Sam E. Hunt went to Crookston Tuesday evening and will be operated upon to-day for appendicitis. His father went over last evening to be present during the ordeal. Sam is in good shape physically for the operation and his many friends expect him to recover rapidly and soon be at home again.

Father Ansgar has placed a merry-go-round near St Mary's church this week. It is of a new design or patent, and is what is known as the "air-ring." It will hold seven people at one time and is said to run very easily and smooth. It will no doubt prove a source of much pleasure to the young people during the summer months.

The Misses Smith and Reed closed their special meetings at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. They went to Theif River Falls where they will hold meetings for a couple of days, and from that place they go to Little Falls for a two week's campaign. The meetings at this place were attended by large crowds each night and a great amount of good was accomplished.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Nauman will be sorry to learn that they have decided to leave this country. They are packing their household goods and will leave for Freeport, Ill., Saturday. Mr. Nauman has been tendered a very flattering offer by one of the big dry goods stores of that city and for that reason they leave this place. Mr. and Mrs. Nauman have made many friends in this city and the surrounding country who will be sorry to have them leave but all will wish them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

1905 will mark the reappearance of the seventeen year locust. This is the prediction at least. The seventeen year locust is an insect that makes its appearance once every seventeen years. They were here in 1854, again in 1871, then in 1888, and are looked for again this season. The locust is a large insect and when a number of them are lodged among the leaves of a tree they send forth a chorus of chirps that fills the air with a deafening noise. The locust are not particularly injurious to vegetation nor are they poisonous as some have supposed. Their advent will be looked for with interest.

If you want to buy a farm, sell farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

SHOE VALUES

EVERYBODY will soon be looking for shoes. We quote below some cxceptionally good values in footwear. While some of these are quoted at very low figures all have dependable quality. We positively will not handle a shoe that has not dependable quality. We have no "whitewashed" shoes—poor shoes highly polished. Our cheap shoes have the quality but are not as well finished as our better ones.

Infants shoes from......	25c 50c
Childs kid, solid flexible sole 5 to 8....................	60c
Same, 8½ to 11............	90c
Same, 11½ to 2............	$1.25

These shoes will wear.

Budd's or Little Giants	$1 $2.00

There is nothing better made than these.

Boy's Shoes

Solid stock in kid or box calf guaranteed.............	$1.50

Our $2.00 and $2.50 gaades will show the same styles as our men's fine shoes.

Ladies Shoes

St. Cecelia, $3.50; Narraimo, $3.00 Saranac, $2.50 down to $1.38 for a solid, dressy shoe.

We challenge competition on our $1.38, $1.50 and $1.75 lines.

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King in style, price and quality. Good dressers should investigate.

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Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

SCROFULA A Disease We Inherit

The tainted blood of ancestors lays upon the shoulders of innocent offspring untold suffering by transmitting to them, through the blood, that blighting disease, Scrofula; for in nearly every instance the disease can be traced to some family blood trouble, or blood-kin marriage which is contrary to the laws of nature. Swelling, ulcerating glands of the neck, catarrh, weak eyes, sores, abscesses, skin eruptions, white swelling, hip disease and other deformities, with a wasting of the natural strength and vitality, are some of the ways this miserable disease manifests itself. The poison transmitted through the blood pollutes and weakens that health-sustaining fluid and in place of its nutritive qualities fills the circulation with scrofulous matter and tubercular deposits, often resulting in consumption. A disease which has been in the family blood for generations, perhaps, or at least since the birth of the sufferer, requires constitutional treatment. S. S. S. is the remedy best fitted for this. It cleanses the blood of all scrofulous and tuberculous poisons, makes it rich and pure and under the tonic effects of this great blood medicine the general health improves, the symptoms all pass away, there is a sure return to health, the disease is cured permanently while posterity is protected. Book on the blood and any advice wished, furnished by our physicians, without charge.

Scrofula appeared on the head of my little grandchild when only 18 months old, and spread rapidly over her body. The disease next attacked the eyes and we feared she would lose her sight. It was then that we decided to try S. S. S. That medicine at once made a speedy and complete cure. She is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease to return.

150 S. 5th St., Salina, Kan. MRS. R. BERKLY.

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Manufactures at the Fair.

One of the important features of the state fair of 1905 will be the department of Minnesota Manufactures. This year the exhibit will be broadened in order that all Minnesota manufacturers may take space and exhibit their products, although preference will be given for "live exhibits," that is, exhibits showing process of manufacture, either of the entire article or of some part of the goods exhibited.

This decision is the result of a recent conference between William E. Lee, superintendent of the manufactures building, and a committee of the Northwestern Manufacturers' association.

The association will co-operate with Mr. Lee in bringing out a good show, and it is expected that the building will be well filled with interesting and instructive exhibits. No charge is made either for space or power, and each exhibitor will be furnished with free admission to the fair grounds for himself and the person in charge of the exhibit. At night the building will be well lighted, and it is expected that no less than 250,000 people will visit it during fair week. This will offer an exceptional opportutity to manufacturers to bring their goods to the attention of the people of the Northwest.

A New Industry.

A business comparatively new to northern Minnesota is the getting out of ship's timber for the building of ocean vessels at Atlantic points. The industry started but a few years ago in this state and is increasing with each year, because timber of the proper sort is lacking in the states to the east. E. C. Edgerly, representing a shipbuilding firm at Auburn, Maine, says:

"We do not bother with the mast and regular long construction timber, but devote our attention to getting out corner braces and for this purpose it is necessary to use the roots of trees, the main trunk, aside from a foot or two at the butt, not being called into use at all. Tamarack is best suited for the purpose, and as the stumps of trees are as suitable as the trees themselves, provided the roots are intact, there is an almost unlimited field here in Minnesota for us to work in. All we have to do is to follow in the tracks of the tie cutter and use what they leave. The stump, or a portion of it; is taken from the ground, and the crooked piece is then hued into shape, later being hauled to a railroad and shipped to Auburn, Maine, where it goes through a planning mill and is made ready for the market."

Miss. Agnes Westley
816 Wells Street
Marinette. Wis.

816 Wells Street,
MARINETTE, WIS., Sept. 25, 1903.

I was all run down from nervousness and overwork and had to resign my position and take a rest. I found that I was not gaining my strength and health as fast as I could wish, and as your Wine of Cardui was recommended as such a good medicine for the ills of our sex, I bought a bottle and began using it. I was satisfied with the results from the use of the first bottle, and took three more and then found I was restored to good health and strength and able to take up my work with renewed vigor. I consider it a fine tonic and excellent for worn-out, nervous condition, and am pleased to endorse it.

AGNES WESTLEY,
Sec'y, North Wisconsin Holland Society.

Secure a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui and a 25c. package of Thedford's Black-Draught today.

WINE OF CARDUI

To Raise Lake Level.

The Itasca state park commission, composed of the governor and the attorney general, had a conference with Mr. Bullard, superintendent of the park. A number of the property owners on the lake had asked to have the level of the lake raised so that they could float their logs. Mr. Bullard stated that the lake is now considerably below its normal level and to raise it eighteen inches would do no harm to the state reservation. There is a dam below the lake and the level can thus easily be raised. The application was granted.

Killed by Cars.

Miss Mary Harmel, daughter of Carl Harmel, a farmer, residing five miles north of Faribault, was instantly killed by the southbound Chicago Rock Island passenger train.

Miss Harmel was walking beside the track when the train approached. The engineer gave his signal, but when the train was within twenty feet of the young woman she stepped onto the the track. She was thrown about twenty feet and instantly killed.

Work of Burglars.

While the family were attending grand opera in the Twin Cities a gang of burglars entered and plundered the residence of A. D. La Due in Luverne. Over 100 pieces of solid silverware, a beaverskin coat and a ladies' seal jacket were among the booty. The robbery was committed last week.

The raid, it is believed, was made by an organized gang which of late has committed frequent depredations in that vicinity.

News Notes.

The freshmen and sophomores at Hamlin university go on a strike.

Several consignments of "sake," the Japanese wine, have been received at the local custom office for Minneapolis persons.

The St. Paul bowlers won nearly half of the cash prizes offered at the state bowling tournament in Minneapolis.

Stephen E. Sullivan of St. Paul was discharged from bankruptcy in the Utnied States district court by Judge Lochren.

The senate passes the house bill to remove the university and the normal schools from the board of control.

The state dairy commissioner starts a campaign against dairymen who put water in milk.

The St. Paul Roosevelt club will celebrate the president's birthday anniversary by giving a dinner on Oct. 29.

C. H. Graves of Duluth, the newly appointed minister to Norway and Sweden, will leave for Washington on April 17, and will said from New York for Stockholm on April 27.

Owing to the fact that the measures of economy will be necessary to raise enough money to recruit nine new companies in Minnesota before 1909, under the provisions of the Dick bill, recently passed by congress, national guard officials are considering the plan of shortening the period of encampment of each regiment at Lake City this year to eight days instead of ten days.

Private Cars.

The rolling palaces of today are expensive luxuries. A private car costs from $18,000 to $30,000. Of course everyone cannot have a private car but the compartments on North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago are cozily arranged and the privacy of the home is enjoyed.

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 11th 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Elfrida Anderson of the County of Red Lake representing, among others things, that Peter John Andersod late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to S. J. Swanson granted:

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARR

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School District Notice.

WHEREAS, A petition duly signed and the signatures thereto duly acknowledged, has been duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota; at a session of said Board held on the 2d day of March A. D. 1905, asking for the formation of a new school district to be composed of the following described territory, to-wit:

The south one-half of sections 32 and 33 in township 154 North, of Range 42 West and all of sections 4, 5, 8 and 9, in township 153 North of range 42 West, and the petitioners furthermore represent:

(1st) That there are seventy-eight persons now residing within the boundaries of said proposed new district, and no other or greater number; and that there are twenty-two children of school age residing therein. That no organized school districts will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

(2d) That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that said petition be heard by this Board at the session thereof, commencing on the first day of May, A. D. 1905, at 1 30 o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the County Auditor, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of this order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition and by the County Auditor mailing to the Clerk of each of said school districts a copy of this order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing, and that a copy of said notice be published twice in the following named newspaper, to-wit: The Red Lake Courier.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
[Seal] County Auditor, and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is Hereby Given That a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 1, 2, 3, 11 and 12 and all that portion of section 10, 13, 14, 15, 23 and 24 lying North of Red Lake River all in Township 153 North, of Range 42 West in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Fifty (50).

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Eighteen [18].

Fourth—That no existing organized School Districts will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Furthered Ordered, That a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as The Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said County and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this Second day of March A. D. 1905.

By the order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: The east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 7, 8 and 9 of section 9, the south one-half of section 10, the south one-half of section 11, the south one-half of section 12, all of sections 13, 14 and 15, the east one-half of the northeast quarter, and the east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 6, 7, 8 and 9 of section 16, lots 3, 4 and 5 of section 21, the east one-half of section 22, the east one-half of the northeast quarter and the east one-half of the southeast quarter and lots 3, 4, 5, 6, of section 122, and all of sections 23 and 24, in Township 154, Range 43, in the township of North in said Red Lake county, state of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is, seventy five (75).

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is twenty (20).

Fourth—That no existing organized school district will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said board, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court house in the of City of Red Lake Falls at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By J. O. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

School District Notice.

Whereas, A petition duly signed and the signatures thereto duly acknowledged, has been duly presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 2nd day of March A. D. 1905, asking for the formation of a new school district to be composed of the following described territory, to-wit:

All of section 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30 and 31, and the north one half of section 32 and 33, all in Township 154 North of Range 42 West. And the petitioners futhermore represent:

That there are Thirty-six persons now residing within the boundaries of said proposed new district, and no other or greater number; and that there are Fifteen children of school age, residing therein. That there are in existing school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is ordered that said petition be heard by this Board at the session thereof, commencing on the first day of May A. D. 1905 at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of this order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition and by the County Auditor mailing to the Clerk of each of said school district a copy of this order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing, and that a copy of said notice be published twice in the following named newspapers, to-wit: The Red Lake Courier.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD
(Seal) County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

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School District Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein discribed and who are entitled to vote of school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 13 all of section 23, all of section 24, all of section 25, and the south one half of section 14 in township 150 North of range 43 West, being the Township of Terrebonne in Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Also the south one half of Section 18, the northwest quarter of section 18, the north one half of section 19 the south-west quarter of section 19, the Northwest quarter of section 30, the South one half of the South west quarter and the south one half of the south east quarter of section 17 and the north one half of the North west ¼ and the north one half of the north east quarter of section 20 in township 150 north of Range 42 west in the township of Poplar River in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Sixty-seven.

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Twenty-three.

Fourth—That the school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district are School District No. 79 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Ninety-five and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is three; also school District No. 141 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Forty eight and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new districts would take therefrom is thirteen; also school district No. 7 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is Seventy-seven and that the number of children of school age which the organizaton of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is five Also school district No. "36," and that the number of children of school age residing therein is fifty-nine and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is two.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the building of any existing school district.

Now, Therefore, It is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the second day of May A. D., 1905, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is Further Ordered, That a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as The Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said County and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON
Chairman of said Board.
[Attest.] JAMES E. FORD
(Seal.) County Auditor and Ex officio clerk of th Board.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corparation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eigthly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.
Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Tax Judgment Sale.

PURSUANT to a real estate tax judgment of the district court, in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, entered the twenty-third day of March, A D 1905, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, remaining delinquent on the first Monday of January, 1905, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall, on the second Monday, being the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, and county of Red Lake, Minnesota, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties and costs in said judgment, and on which taxes shall not have been previously paid.

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) Auditor Red Lake Co., Minn.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this 4th day of April, A. D. 1905.

School District Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit:

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz: All of section 22, all of section 23, all of section 24, all of section 25, all of section 26, and all of section 27; the north one-half of section 36, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the north one-half of the southwest quarter and lots 2, 5, 6 and 7, of section 36; the north one-half of section 35 and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter and lots 1, 5, 8 and 11, of section 35 and the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter and lots 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 and 10 of section 34, all in Township 152 North, of Range 41 West in said Red Lake county, state of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is thirty (30).

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is eighteen (18).

Fourth—That no existing school district will be affected by the organization of the said proposed new district.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the second day of May, A. D. 1905, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected thereby, and a copy thereof served on the Clerk of each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board,

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd., 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
Register.

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 10th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Ole H. Haaven, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Haaven the Administrator of the estate of Ole H. Haaven deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate of the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Monday the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 10th day of, April A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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School District Notice.

NOTICE is Hereby Given That a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, and setting forth, substantially, the following facts, to-wit.

First—That the correct description of the territory desired to be embraced in the proposed new district is as follows, viz; All of sections 1 and 12 the East one half of section 2 and the North-east quarter of section 11 in Township 153 Range 43, being the Township of Rocksbury, also all of section 6, 7 and 18 and the West one half of section 17 in Township 153, Range 42, in said Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.

Second—That the number of persons residing in the above described territory is Forty-five.

Third—That the number of children of school age residing in the above described territory is Fifteen (15).

Fourth—That the school districts affected by the organization of the said proposed new district are School District No. 165 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is twenty-six and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new school district would take therefrom is none; also School district No. 221 and that the number of children of school age residing therein is twenty-eight and that the number of children of school age which the organization of said proposed new district would take therefrom is none.

Fifth—That the said proposed new district does not include the school building of any existing school district.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered, and notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon the said petition will be had at a meeting of said Board, commencing on the first day of May, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

It is further ordered, that a notice of said hearing be posted in one public place in each of said districts so affected at least ten days prior to said time herein set for hearing said petition; and that said notice be forthwith twice published in the newspaper known as the Red Lake Courier which is printed and published in said county and is hereby designated as the legal newspaper for publishing the same.

Dated this second day of March, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of said Board.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District
Joseph Helm Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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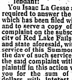

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Fifty-four and 25-100ths Dollars, which became due on the 22nd day of March, 1905, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Michael Phelan and Permelia Phelan, his wife, mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 22d day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 14 of Mortgages on pages 308 and 309. And whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage not already paid, to-wit the sum of Ninety Dollars and twenty-five cents, did become due and payable, and the said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, having duly elected to declare the whole of said sum due and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due, and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 22nd day of March, 1905, together with the further sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1905, the said sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars being for interest paid by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under and pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars executed by said Mortgagors to one Louise T. Mellen, default having been made by said Mortgagors in the payment of said interest, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (ne¼ se¼) and Lots numbered four (4) and five (5) of Section Thirty two (32), in Township 152 North of Range 41 in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of May, 1905, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and said debt of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars with the interest on said amounts as hereinbefore stated, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, the same being hereby stated to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 5, 1905.

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W. A. McIntyre,
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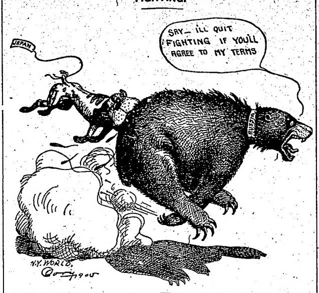
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Earthquakes Destroy Entire Cities—Loss of Life Will Be Between 50,- and 100,000—Whole Kangra Valley Is Devastated.

London, April 8.—Fifty thousand lives lost in one district alone and many thousands in other portions of the Punjab is the awful result of the recent earthquake in India. Towns have been razed, ancient and historic buildings made a mass of wreckage, and a population of hundreds of thousands offer up prayers against a repetition of the shocks. Amid all this horror men, women and children are starving, and unprotected from the weather huddle on the bleak and desolate hillsides, fearing death at any moment from another earth convulsion.

Disaster Almost Beyong Belief.

Fragmentary reports of the dreadful catastrophe have reached Lahore and thence sent here. Piecing these reports together it is impossible not to reach the conclusion that the greatest disaster of modern times, exceeding the horror of Mount Pelee's eruption, has befallen India.

The whole Kangra valley in the Jullinder section of the Punjab has been devastated. The town of Kangra, in the same district, a thriving city with a population of 50,000, is reported wiped out, scarcely a soul escaping.

The whole town of Palampur, containing about 5,000 inhabitants, has been leveled to the ground and not even a hut is left standing.

Three Missionaries Killed.

A telegram received by the Churtu Missionary society reports that three of the society's representatives at Kanray—Rev. H. F. Rowland, Mrs. Daueble and Miss Lorbeer—were killed by the fall of the mission house during the recent earthquake. All the other missionaries in Punjab are believed to be safe.

It now appears that 400 of the Seventh Gurkhas were killed at the Dharmsala cantonment by the collapse of a stone barrack building in consequence of the recent earthquake. In addition, 20 members of the First battalion and 50 members of the Second battalion of the First Gurkhas were killed, while it is roughly calculated that from 20 to 30 per cent. of the native population of the surrounding villages were killed. In addition to the Europeans already reported killed at Dharmsala, seven children of Europeans are said to have perished.

Relief Steps Taken.

News comes from Simla, the summer capital, and where Viceroy and Lady Curzon are now staying and which sustained some slight damage from the earthquake, that the viceroy, aided by Lady Curzon, has begun active steps to relieve so far as possible the destitution and suffering.

Communication by road and railway is practically cut off and the supplies at Simla are all that can be had for some time. These are inadequate, but are being distributed to the best possible advantage. Unless stores arrive from Calcutta and other Indian centers the death roll of the earthquake will be augmented by thousands claimed by famine, fever and cold.

Disease Causes Many Deaths.

New York, April 8.—Seventeen deaths from cerebro spinal meningitis were reported during Thursday in Greater New York, making a total for the week thus far of 82. An average of 25 developing cases has been reported daily.

Illinois Jurist Dead.

Quincy, Ill., April 7.—Judge Ira M. Moore died Thursday, aged 71 years. He was a member of the Illinois general assembly for six years and was author of Moore's digest of Illinois and a number of other legal works.

Estate Valued at $1,756,328.

New York, April 7.—The gross value of the estate of Andrew H. Green, "the father of Greater New York," who was shot and killed by a negro named Wilson on November 13, 1903, has been placed by appraisers at $1,756,328.

PRESIDENT IN THE SOUTH

Attends Reunion of Rough Riders at San Antonio Tex.—Warm Welcome Everywhere.

San Antonio, Tex., April 7.—After an eventful trip across a large portion of Texas, President Roosevelt arrived in San Antonio at 8:39 o'clock Thursday night. When the special train bearing the president reached the station he was greeted with cheers from thousands of throats and the lusty "hurrahs" of his old comrades in arms, the famous Rough Riders of the Spanish American war, who are holding their annual reunion near the crumbling walls of the historic Alamo, could plainly be heard above the din. A cordial welcome was given to the president at Waco, where he spoke briefly. Austin was reached at two o'clock and President Roosevelt was met at the depot by Gov. Lanham, Lieut. Gov. Neil and a committee of 30 citizens and members of the Texas legislature. The entire party were placed in carriages and driven to the state house, where President Roosevelt made two speeches, one in the hall of representatives and the other on the lawn. The president was taken for a drive over the city.

San Antonio, Tex., April 8.—With the city covered with patriotic emblems, a display of flags of all sizes, likenesses of the president in many windows and the streets and plazas filled with cheering throngs of people, Theodore Roosevelt could not mistake the hearty welcome accorded him in San Antonio Friday. Enormous crowds of people greeted him along the route of the procession from Fort Sam Houston to Alamo plaza, where an address of welcome was delivered and a response made. He attended the reunion of his old regiment of Rough Riders, and in the evening was guest at a banquet given by the Business Men's club.

Frederick, Okla., April 10.—President Roosevelt is a hunter now. The public part of his trip ended Saturday when he reached here. This will be the headquarters and base of supplies of the president while hunting wolves in the big pasture reserve in Comanche county. The president's hunting outfit arrived at Frederick last week. It contains all that is needed to make it comfortable for man and beast. The party at once will go into camp, which is pitched in the middle of the reserve which occupies 480,000 acres. The arrangement of the camp is in charge of the soldiers from Fort Sill. A detachment will patrol the pasture lines during the time the president is hunting, and only the presidential party of from 12 to 20 men and the necessary help will be allowed in the reserve during that time. The president's trip will be resumed on Thursday, when the train will start for western Colorado, to which point the president will go for the purpose of finding larger game than abounds on the Red river in Oklahoma.

Fire Fighter Dead.

Chicago, April 8.—William H. Townsend, who was first assistant fire marshal until a few weeks ago, when he was placed on the retired list, died Friday of Bright's disease, from which he had long been a sufferer. Marshal Townsend had been on the fire department for more than 30 years, and had a notable record for bravery, having saved many lives.

Stanford Estate $7,000,000.

San Francisco, April 6.—It is now known that Mrs. Jane Lathrop Stanford left an estate valued at $7,000,000. According to Mrs. Stanford's will $3,125,000 is to go for legacies and bequests. This will leave a residue of not less than $3,875,000, all of which, by the terms of the will, is to go to swell the funds of the Stanford university.

Girl Gets Hero Medal.

Des Moines, Ia., April 6.—For her heroism in saving the life of a companion skater from drowning last winter, Miss Lavina Steele, formerly residing at Coon Rapids, recently appointed assistant state librarian, is in receipt of a Carnegie medal for her brave rescue.

Train Kills Two.

Ardmore, I. T., April 10.—Moses Simmons and Miss Mary Pearer, young people, were killed at a railway crossing here Sunday, their buggy being struck by a freight train.

Home Again.

Washington, April 10.—Mrs. Roosevelt and her three children who have been away on a short cruise in Florida waters, returned to Washington Sunday.

EDISON'S TRIUMPH.

An Incident In the Great Inventor's Start In Life.

Dr. Norvin Green, for many years president of the Western Union Telegraph company, once said that but for the dullness of himself and his assistants Thomas A. Edison might never have obtained the confidence and support of the great corporation. Edison had been trying for months to induce the officials to take up some of his inventions until they began to regard him as a bore.

He went to the main office one day and was greeted by Dr. Norvin Green and the other officials with sneering smiles. Dr. Green said: "Mr. Edison, we are unable to get into communication with Albany, and a large amount of important business is in peril. I suppose that since you know more about telegraphy than all of the rest of us combined you can locate the difficulty."

Whether Edison noticed the sneering tone or not, he quietly answered, "I can locate it inside of two or three hours, sir."

Dr. Green and the others laughed outright, one of them saying, "Edison, you have now fully demonstrated that you are a crank."

Edison never smiled or addressed a word to the speaker, but looked at Dr. Green and said, "If I locate this difficulty in two or three hours, will you take up my inventions and give them honest consideration?"

"Yes, I will," said Dr. Green, "and I will do it if you succeed in two days."

It was a very simple thing, and yet Edison was the only one who had the comprehensive mind to think of it instantly. He did not tell them for many years afterward how he accomplished the feat, but he did it inside of one hour.

Edison went to the main offices, where he was known as an expert operator, and called up Pittsburg. He asked for the best operator there, naming him, and then told the Pittsburg man to call up the best man at Albany and direct him to telegraph down the line toward New York as far as he could and report back to Edison as soon as possible. Inside of an hour Edison had this telegram:

"I can telegraph all right down to within two miles of Poughkeepsie, and there is trouble with the wire there."

Edison went back to the office of the president and gravely announced that if a train should be sent to Poughkeepsie with materials for the work they would find a break in the line just two miles on the other side of Poughkeepsie and could repair it that afternoon.

They begged him to tell how he had found it out, and he replied:

"By knowing more about telegraphing than all of you put together, as Dr. Green has said."

They located the break, repaired it, and Dr. Green took up Edison's inventions, and that was Edison's great start in life.—Youth's Companion.

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Let the boastful man have his own way. He won't listen to you anyway.

The only way to tell a love story, after all, is in kindness and good cooking.

It is too late to congratulate some people after they have been married as long as a week.

A great many people have consciences that would require an alarm clock to wake up.

Artificial roses never appear to so poor an advantage as when they bloom on a girl's cheeks.

Come to think of it, if you hate any one don't you hate his laugh more than anything else about him?

A pessimist is one who sees the time ahead when he will break with a friend and therefore tells the friend nothing. An optimist sees only eternal friendship and tells the friend all.—Atchison Globe.

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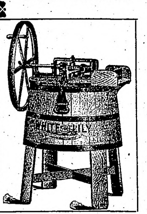

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LOCAL NEWS.

Henry Kaufer has placed a cash register in his barber shop.

J. K. Hannay, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller at this place Saturday.

Joseph Patnode was at Grand Forks several days last week visiting relatives.

Miss Mabel Hannay, of St. Hilaire, visited friends at this place last Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Sieff went to Minneapolis last week where she will receive medical attendance.

Miss Rachael Taylor left Saturday for Hallock where she will teach school the coming spring term.

Clem Brunelle went to Wapeton, North Dakota, Saturday where he will act as time keeper for the Great Northern railway.

Miller Bros. have moved into their new quarters in the south side of the Boughton building. It makes a pleasant place of business.

Hon. L. C. Simons was here over Sunday with his family. This will be his last week of legislative duty, the legislature to be adjourned next Tuesday.

The new train Monday morning attracted a large crowd at the Great Northern depot. Every one wanted to see what a through train on this road looked like.

Frank Persons departed last week for St. Charles where he will engage in business. He shipped his stock of confectionery to that place and will engage in that business in his new location.

Mrs. Louise A. Witt left Friday evening of last week for Minneapolis. After a two week's visit in that city she will go to her home in Washington. She had been in this city all winter visiting her father, Ernest Buse, and family.

A library of 180 volumes has been installed in the chapel of St Mary's church. It is a well selected library and is much appreciated by those who have taken advantage of the opportunity to secure good books. It is well patronized.

The new time card on the Great Northern went into effect Monday morning. The passenger train now leaves Crookston at 8 o'clock in the morning, arriving here at 9:25. On the return trip the train arrives here at 5:25, getting into Crookston at 6:45. The freight arrives here from Crookston at 8:55 a. m., returning in the afternoon at 3:40. The freight will back from St. Hilaire to Wylie each day, this constituting the train service of that town.

Ed. L. Healy received word Tuesday morning that he had been appointed a member of the executive committee of a newly organized immigration association for the Red River Valley counties of Minnesota. This organization will endeavor to interest people in this section and will be composed of land dealers of several counties in this section. Advertising matter and descriptive literature will be sent out setting forth the advantages of the Red River Valley. Mr. Healy is authorized to appoint an auxilliary committee in this county to help in the work. The next meeting of the association will be held at Crookston April 18th, at which time the organization will be perfected.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

SEED TIME

The experienced farmer has learned that some grains require far different soil than others; some crops need different handling than others. He knows that a great deal depends upon right planting at the right time, and that the soil must be kept enriched. No use of complaining in summer about a mistake made in the spring. Decide before the seed is planted.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Emma Allard, Clara Marchand and Harry Garceau, Editors.

The Athenian's will give their last program Friday, April 14.

Emma Allard has been absent this week on account of her father's sickness.

The Political Economy class took an examination Wednesday afternoon.

The pupils are all looking forward with pleasure to their spring vacation next week.

Don't forget the Senior play, "The Silent Detective," which will be given April 28th.

The Physics class wonder when Mr. Chamberlain's week will expire in teaching that subject.

A new committee was appointed the first of the week by Miss Tambling to keep the reference table in order.

The Juniors are thinking of giving up their banquet on account of two of their worthy members quitting school.

The Physics class has been quite fortunate lately, nearly a week having passed and they have not had to stay after school.

Miss Guynor McConnell and Miss Ida Tandberg, of the Thief River Falls high school, were visitors of our school last Friday.

A great deal of "rubbering" has been done of late by the High School pupils on account of the Great Northern trains passing just south of the building.

Mr. Chamberlain witnessed a light base ball practice by the High School boys Friday afternoon and the boys are wondering if he thinks the prospects are good for a winning team this year.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

Washington School Notes.

The third grade won the banner.

The fifth grade has begun the study of Asia.

Leah Porter returned after several days of illness.

The fifth grade history review has been very successful.

Thomas Payment is absent a few days on account of work.

The fifth grade have won the banner for the month of March.

The boys of the Washington school were playing ball Wednesday.

The sixth grade are maping out Burgoyne's Invasion in history.

Mr. Chamberlain came Monday afternoon and stayed for a short time.

Last week was an eventful week judging it by the number of visitors.

The fifth and sixth grades have received their March report cards.

Miss Josephine Kaus and Miss Pettingale visited our school Thursday,

There will be no notes in the paper next week because it is vacation.

We expect the fifth grade of the Lafayette school to visit us Wednesday.

Several changes has been made in the spelling classes of the second grade.

The C class of the second grade has caught up with B class in reading.

The sixth grade did not have any spelling for two days on account of their extra work.

Miss Rachel Taylor and Miss Katie Berthume visited our Washington schools, Wednesday.

Many pupils of the sixth grade had to stay after school for their language last Thursday.

The sixth grade got back their history note books and some were disappointed with their marks.

Dr. Wilkinson was in the Washington forenoon to see if the children had the itch, and about ten pupils of the whole school were sent home.

Our building is heaving and settling as the frost is leaving the ground. The front door will almost pass the jamb at present and many cracks are widening.

Tuesday morning the door of the school shut by the wind while Marcus Marshall was out and he had to come in again through Miss Morby's window.

We are looking forward with great interest to the vacation which begins this Friday. We all will be glad of the rest and better able to work harder when we get back.

We all have received our report cards now and know by the red marks where we have failed the past month. Let every one take that book home and study so as to erase it.

The Abstract Business.

J. E. Ford, County Auditor,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir:—I have noticed in some of the papers of this county that P. B. Gaass advertises as a bonded abstracter. I wish to ascertain if Mr. Gaass has filed a bond as an official abstracter and if it has been accepted by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County.

S. A. Swanson.

Mr. S. A. Swanson,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir:—In reply to your favor of this date, inquiring whether Mr. P. B. Gaass has filed a bond as official Abstracter in Red Lake County and if same has been accepted by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, I beg leave to state that no such bond has been filed in my office or accepted by the Board of County Commissioners, nor do the records of my office show that Mr. Gaass has ever been appointed as Official Abstracter for this county.

Yours very truly,
James E. Ford,
County Auditor.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Perham is to have a sash and door factory.

Crookston is to have an agricultural college.

Warren is to have a new and up-to-date hospital.

Todd county recently received $9,000 cash school money.

Fosston will build a $15,000 school house the coming summer.

The M. & M. Cattle Co., a Norman county concern, has failed.

Otter Tail county is securing a number of factories this year.

A woodsman dropped dead in one of Northome's saloons one day last week.

A young tarantula was found in a bunch of bananas at Hendrum recently.

Bemidji wants a mayor and Beltrami county a board of commissioners.

Moorhead's council has fixed the liquor license at $1,000 for the coming year.

The Wadena and Crookston youngsters recently indulged in a spelling match in which Wadena won.

Fergus Falls has a civic improvement league which will improve the appearance of that city this spring.

A resturant man at Alexandria was recently fined $600 for having sixty partridges in his possession.

Preparations are being made for a big time at the fireman's tournament to be held at Blackduck next June.

Fertile has got robins and blue-jays and meadow larks and ducks and just knows that spring has come.

The Middle River Pioneer says that town is experiencing a boom and big things are predicted for the future.

Blackduck is in an uproar over the last election. Two factions in the town are at loggerheads and trouble is brewing.

The Queen City Concert company, a Crookston organization, has been touring surrounding towns. It is a ladies quartette and they have met with big success.

Several Wadena citizens have invested in automobiles lately and great times are looked for the coming summer.

Parties who were catching fish with nets at Maple Lake were arrested last week by the game and fish warden. They paid their fine and were released.

Ada had a ball game Sunday in which all the local players participated. Three judges selected the best players in the bunch who will represent that town the coming summer on the diamond.

Bemidji's council is tied up in a knot over who is to be mayor of the town. Just now a fellow isclaiming the honor who also is a councilman and street commissioner, and says he is looking for more.

Holding that the decision of election judges in towns and villages is absolutely final, Judge Watts has decided the McIntosh election case against the application for recount made by Ole E. Narveson, a saloon man of that place, who alleged irregularities and mistakes in the recent village election held there. McIntosh will be dry during the ensuing year as a result of the judge's decision.

A Thousand Dollar's Worth of Good.

"I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain," says A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O. "I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick-dust-like substance and now I have no pain across my kidneys and feel like a new man. It has done me $1000 worth of good." Foley's Kidney Cure will cure every form of kidney or bladder disease. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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Raise 1,200 to 1,300-pound mares for the farm and 1,500 to 1,600-pound horses for sale.

If a man is going to raise 50 or more pigs a year he can pay $40 or $50 for the boar that will sire these pigs.

With a telephone in the house, a buggy in the barn, a rural mail box at the gate, the problem is solved—how to keep the girls and boy on the farm.

A western mule raiser says two mules can be raised until 3 years old on the same feed as one steer. The steer will be worth $60 to $75; the mules from $250 to $300.

The farmer who does his best, always and everywhere, is the one who does most to lift up his country, state and township. The roots of good goverment are deep down among the good farmers of the country.

Money is not made on our farms very rapidly, and never without plenty of good hard work, which is the reason why so many young men dodge the farm if possible. The successful farmers will accumulate money slowly. but safely and surely. and he will furthur always see to it that his soil is not depleted, but rather made more productive each year.

It is said that the inhabitants of New York eat an egg apiece every day in the year, which makes a total of 1,405,250,000 in the twelve months. And among our population there is at least one woman who eats only eggs laid by young hens. She has a standing order with a leading commission house for two dozen a week and pays a fancy price for them, averaging about a $1 a dozen the year ronnd.

An exchange offers the following wholesome advice to farmers who employ help on the farm: "Keep on the right side of your hired man. Treat him well so long as he is in your employ, and if he does not deserve good treatment, or respond to it, do not keep him. A good hired man will appreciate good usage and kind favor and pay for them by the extra amount and better quality of his service. It is courtesy to treat all men decently. In the case of your hired man it is also policy economy. Be liberal with, not only at the table. but give him occasionally a spare day for amusement and recreation. Any intelligent hired man will work harder and preform his labor better when he feels that his employer appreciates well doing."

The farmer should feel proud of his profession, as it is one of the most useful and necessary occupations. He does not sit on the ragged edge of doubt as to the permanency of his position. No master has a mortgage oe his labor or his products. He is a king among men, and his home is the abode of contentment. He studies the laws of nature and derives maintenance from her bounteous stores. When times are hard, and laborers are clamoring for work, he has plenty of business to occupy his time, If the farmer commences with small capital his investment is sure to increase for the earth often rewards the husbandman a hundredfold. The proper management of small undertaking leads to larger enterprises. The well-tilled farm produces abundantly, and the farmer always has a surplus to sell, that makes him independent even in strenuous times. The farmer is the foundation of the commercial prosperity of the country.

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Passed the Horton Bill.

Fairmont Sentinel: The time for the legislature to adjourn draws near, and what has been done for the general good?

A New Era in Trains Pacific Transportation.

The Great Northern Steamship Company in placing in service between Seattle, Wash., and Yokohama. Nagasaki, Kobe, Shanghai and Hong Kong, the magnificent American built steamships the "Minnesota" and the "Dakota" a new era in transportion facillties between the United State and the Orient. These magnificent steamships with their superior facilities in handling immense freight cargoes and the luxurious appointments for passenger travel has given an impetus to our oriental trade. The North Pacific Route to the Orient is rapidly becoming the popluar one and now that the two palatial steamships, "Minnesota" and "Dakota" have been put in commission, there is no question but that o further greater increase in our trade with the Orient as well increased passenger travel to Asiatic ports will be inaugurated. The first sailing of the "Minnesofa," in addition to carrying the largest cargo to the Orient ever carried by any ship in the world, as well as an extensive passenger list, augura well for the future.

The "Minnesota" will sail on its next voyage to the Orient on Saturday April 29th and it will not be amiss to say here that the excellence of her passenger accommodations will be heralded to the travelling public of the United States by all who enjoyed the pleasant voyage across the Pacific on her first trip, as furnishing the acme of travel comfort. The fact that the superior accommodations of the Great Northern Steamship Company in connection with the comfortable journey afforded by the Great North Railway to Seattle, the sailing point of the "Minnesota," will make this route the popular one from occident to Orient.

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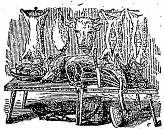

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SUICIDE AT ST. HILAIRE

N. Shannon, an Aged Man, Becomes Dispondent Over Loss of Job and Hangs Himself.

N, Shannon, a resident of St. Hilaire, committed suicide early Wednesday morning by hanging. It seems Mr. Shannon had been employed at the saw mill at that place and for some reason was discharged. Having a large family the loss of his position caused him worry and preyed upon his mind until he became dispondent and to end his troubles he employed the above method. He was a man 69 years of age and was the father of a large family.

It was noticed yesterday morning that he was unusually quiet upon arising but the family paid but little attention to his condition, little thinking what was upon his mind. Before breakfast he went to the barn to do the chores accompanied by a young son. After doing various odd jobs he went up into the hay loft to throw down hay for the cow, telling his son to go into the house for breakfast. The boy obeyed his command and when, after a reasonable time, the head of the house failed to appear a search was made for him. An older son upon entering the hay loft found his father hung to a rafter of the build ing.

It was a great shock to the family and tho deed caused a great amount of excitement in the town. Coroner Belair of this city was notified of the ocourence and left immediately for the scene of the tradegy.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

GETTING READY FOR BUSINESS.

Farmers' Creamery Will Begin Operations May First.

The farmers creamery at this place is being overhauled and the machinery and everything connected with the manufacture of butter is being put in first class shape for the season's business.

A competent buttermaker in the person of H. A. Blaisdell, from Janesville, Minn., has been secured and everything points to a most successful season. J. B. Demereau has been elected manager of the concern and John Grady will act as secretary. The business of the creamery will be in competent hands and no doubt the men at the head of the movement will make a financial success of the undertaking.

The creamery will begin the season May 1st and is to be hoped that our farmers will become interested in the business and do all they can to make it a success in every particular. A good sized cream check has been the salvation of many a farmer, and when our farmers fully appreciate the value of the dairy they will not hesitate to help the movement at every turn. Be among the first to show that you know a good thing when you see it.

A Poor Rule to Follow.

An exchange gives the following receipt for stocking the penitentiary: When your boy doesn't want to go to school let him loaf; when he gets into mischief and your neighbor reports it to you, curse your neighbor in the presence of your boy, but do not reprimand the boy. When he gets a little larger and purloins something of value and you find it out, just laugh at it and let it go; when he gets into something that calls him to the justice court and he is found guilty, pay the fine, curse the court, the jury and everyone connected with the matter, pity the boy and you will soon have a splendid candidate for the pen.

WANT RED LAKE FALLS BAND

Blackduck Desirous of Securing our Musical Organization for Fireman's Tournament in June.

Blackduck wants the Red Lake Falls band to furnish the music for their firemen's tournement in June. L. P. Roudenne a prominent business man of that place was in the city Wednesday evening and after hearing the band play several selections he expressed a willingness to engage the band if satisfactory terms could be reached.

Mr. Roudenne was appointed a committee to look Northern Minnesota for a band for the tournament and this place was the first stop made. After hearing the band play he said he would look no further, as he knew from experience that our band was the best to be had in this section of the country. Mr. Roudenne was at one time leader of the famous St. Cloud band and is an authority on bands and band music. Words of commendation coming from one so well posted in music mean something and the boys can well feel proud of the complimentary things the visitor said to them Wednesday evening.

Mr. Roudenne was not prepared to find a band of so large a membership, and said he expected to see an organization of ten or fifteen players of the ordinary stripe. To say he was most agreeably surprised mildly expressed his feelings. He wants the entire band to be at his town in June and it is only a question of expense whether the band will be engaged or not. The band management is figuring with Mr. Roudenne and there is every reason to believe that a contract will be signed within a few days. Red Lake Falls may well feel proud of having the first call for so important an engagement and being selected as the best band in Northern Minnesota.

Blackduck is preparing for the best time ever held in Northern Minnesota. Plenty money has been raised to insure a most successful meeting. Everything possible is being done for the comfort and welfare of the fire boys while visiting that city, and several new features will be pulled off during the tournament. A large number of prizes will be awarded, there will be several free attractions, and the town will be turned over to the visitors during their visit. The best tournament ever held in Northern Minnesota is confidently looked for.

We learn that late this afternoon an agreement was made and that Red Lake Falls will furnish the offiaial band for the tournament.

BADGER BOY HURT.

Master Fred Hudson Meets With Serious Accident.

Special to the Courier.

Badger, April 19, 1905.--Master Fred Hudson met with a serious accident Sunday evening, while at play with some other boys at the home of M, Quesnell. The youngsters were throwing sticks at one another and one of the little boys threw a stick that struck Master Fred in the eye. A most painful wound was made, but it is thought the sight will not be impaired. His little companions immediately took him home after the accident and every thing was done to make the little sufferer comfortable. His playmates are much concerned about the affair and hope he will soon be able to be out again.

The Courier one year, $1.

COW BECOMES MAD.

Cow Bit by Dog Developes Hydrophobia and is Killed.

A cow belonging to Alphonse Roi, living in the southwest part of the city, was bitten by a dog a few days ago and it was found necessary to kill her Tuesday morning. Mr. Roi's dog acted queerly some days ago and the owner becoming suspicious tied it up and afterwards shot it, but not before it had bitten one of his cows. Mr. Roi immediately tied the cow securely in the barn and awaited developments. Monday night hydrophobia developed in a severe form and the cow became unmanageable. During the night she broke off both horns and it was a hard matter to get anywhere near her. Tuesday morning Health Officer Wilkinson was called to look at the animal and it was decided to kill her immediately.

BEGINS WORK.

E. X. Chatel Goes to York, N. D., With Men and Teams.

E. X. Chatel left Monday evening for York, North Dakota, where he has a big job of grading for the Great Northern railroad. Twenty-one men and five car loads of horses and grading tools were taken from this place and Mr. Chatel will hire addition help and teams when he gets the work under way.

He expects to have enough work to keep him busy until it freezes up next fall, as there is to be something over two hundred miles built by the railway company on this one contract this season. Mr. Chatel will be at home off and on during the summer but expects to put in the most of his time where his men and teams are at work.

Stationery at the Courier office.

ELECT TEACHERS FOR SCHOOL

School Board Engage Competent Instructors for the Coming Year.

At a meeting of the board of education Monday evening the following teachers were chosen to teach in our schools the coming year: E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent; Lee E. Healy, Ellen B. Brady, Henrietta Hennemuth, Pauline A. Nieland, Mrs. J. J. Doe, Alice Coughlan, Bertha Norby, Daisy Veits and Eugenia DeKay. Miss DeKay is the only new teacher, the balance of the force having been employed in the schools for some time past. Miss DeKay hails from Grand Forks and is said to be a teacher of merit and well qualified for the work. She will be in the primary department.

Superintendent Chamberlain is to receive a substantial increase in salary, as are all the old teachers with the exception of Mrs. Doe who is already receiving the limit. Mr. Chamberlain and his excellent corps of assistants are to be congratulated upon the good work they are doing and it must be a source of great pleasure to them to know that the board and the public in general appreciate their able services.

There are two highschool and one primary teacher to be employed yet, and it is thought another teacher will have to be chosen in place of Miss Viets, who it is said will not accept the position again. The board expects to meet in about two weeks at which time the vacancies will be filled.

Watch for the big minstrel show band.

BERTHON & ARMSTRONG
MEN'S AND BOYS' LEADING OUTFITTERS

Next Sunday is Easter

Easter, the glad season of birds and blossoms. Eastertide and springtide give hint that change of one's apparel is in order.

THE SEASON'S BEST AND LATEST GOODS ARE HERE

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No shoe stock can be more complete. Men's new shoes in patent leather, velour, box calf, Russia tan at

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Boys and little gents shoes at $1.60, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00

REGISTERED

Men's Easter Hats

Roswelle and Haws new derbies, $3.00.

Largest line of Stetson hats in the city at $4.00 and $5.00.

Boys' and Children's Suits

Two piece short pants confirmation suits, blue and black cheviots and serges

$2.50, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00

All the new styles of spring suits in the latest weaves—$3, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00.

Easter Novelties in Furnishing Goods

Easter neckwear, including the newest creations of the foremost eastern makers........ 75c 50 25

Easter shirts—New and exclusive patterns of perfect shirts.. $2.00 1.50 1.00 75c

Easter gloves—Full line of gloves—gloves that fit and wear right........... $2.00 1.50 1.00

Collars, Underwear, Umbrellas, Fancy Vests.

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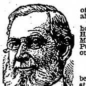

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There are many ways to make money and to make it honestly, but there is but one way to save it, and that is to spend less than you make.

Wm. E. Curtis estimates that along the Gulf coast there are 25,000,000,000 acres of timber land or about 60 per cent of the entire timber land of the country.

The earth contains a quantity of salt equal to one-seventh of its weight The salt is dissolved little by little, and hence the saltness of the ocean is increasing.

It is said that the world needs a two-billion bushel wheat crop every year. The day is far distant when wheat should sell below a dollar per bushel in this country.

The South needs more farmers, One great trouble in this country is that a large percentage of the people who might be fairly good farmers think they were intended by nature to achieve distinction in the cities.

How often we have seen in farm papers some one complaining that he is very much troubled with ragweed in his pasture and greatly annoyed to know what to do with it. Now if he will cut it just at the right time and stack it up he will have as good hay as grows, unless it is alfalfa, then fed to cattle or sheep. The only trouble is cutting at the proper time. If any farmer will cut it before it begins to get course and the stem wooy, and turn cattle to the ragweed stack and the timothy stack, he will learn the value of this neglected forage crop.

As nearly as can be determined, more than $200,000,000 have already been spent in the United States for constructing irrigation canals and reservoirs for the distribution of water and for preparing land to receive irrigation water. Over 10,000,000 acres are to-day being watered and something like 15,000,000 acres more can be watered by the ditches already constructed. The cost of this irrigation may seem large, but returns justify the expenditure. In 15 states and territories the very existence of life depends upon the ability to use river and flood water for growing crops. And the farmers are not the only ones benefited. Cities like Denver, Colorado Springs, Salt Lake, Los Angeles. were created by and dependent upon irrigation. And there are still millions of acres to be watered and numerless cities to be developed by the application of water to the soil of the West.

Just to be good, to keep life pure from degrading elements, to make it constantly helpful in little ways to those who are touched by it, to keep one's spirit always sweet and avoid all manner of petty anger and irritability—that is an idea as noble as it is difficult,—To illustrate: The breakfast was ready but the hope of the family was not; the sister home from boarding school called from the foot of the stairs: "Willie, the Orient is ablaze and our morning reflections awaits your presence." No reply being heard the mother takes her place and calls: "William, you lazy dogskin, get up this minute and come to breakfast." And still there was no answer where upon the man stepped to the stairs and merely said "Bill!" "Coming, Sir!" was the instant response and in three minutes a united family sat at the table.

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physcians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., has incurable comsuption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Comsumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure," Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and $1.00 bottles at all druggist, Trial bottle free.

Real Estate Transfers.

For week ending April 15:

John F. Schick to J. W. Muir, sw ¼ se¼ s½ sw¼ and nw¼ sw ¼ 30-152-45	$4000 00
W. E, Brown to First National Bank of Storm Lake, land in Secs. 14-150-41, 19.32-150-43, 19, 11-152-44	40000 00
Chas, Helm to Ole Ameson. land in se¼ sw¼ 33-154-43	300 00

Pirating Foley's Honey and Tar.

Foley's & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remecy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It containe no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Here After Horses.

Fertile Journal: J. S. Kelly was here from Hawley Monday, as advertised in last week's paper, and succeeded in purchasing a number of good horses for the St. Paul market. Mr. Kelly says there is a scarcity of horses in Iowa and the southern part of this state and buyers are looking to this part of the state to supply the demand. A few years ago it was just the reverse.

Don't neglect that Cough.

Because its a nature's warning of coming trouble such as Asthma, Consumption, Pneumonia, Croup, etc. Gloria Lung Balsam will instantly relieve all throat, lung and bronchial trouble. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

'Twas Ever Thus.

St. Peter Free Press: The legislature is having a sweet old time over the Nolan demurrage bill, with the chances that the railroads' will win out in the end.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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A wonderful spring tonic. Drives out all winter impurities, gives you strength, health and happiness. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichert.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

It is said Mrs. Astor wore nearly $300,000 worth of diamonds at the ball recently given by her.

Mme. Patti will sing at a concert in St. Petersburg for the benefit of the Russian wounded. She made her first great success in that city.

Miss Jessie A. Voorhees, daughter of Dr. Edward B. Voorhees, director of the New Jersey horticulture experiment station, holds the position of horticulturist and is doing very efficient work.

Mrs. Alfred Chapin of New York is believed to own the finest collection of black diamonds in the country. Most of Mrs. Chapin's sable gems came from the province of Bahia, Brazil, and nearly all are of exceptional beauty.

Miss Mary Gillette of Stowe, Vt., is the possessor of an heirloom that is deserving of mention. It is a sampler that was worked in the year 1700 by Mary Kingston, who afterward became the mother of General Greene of Revolutionary fame.

Lady Rachel Byng, daughter of the Earl of Stratford, conducts a school for millinery for gentlewomen, where a training is given both for those who wish to start in business for themselves and others whose only interest is to make their own hats.

Mrs. Ingeborg Nelson, mother of United States Senator Knute Nelson of Minneapolis, is over ninety years old, but is still in good health and spirits and passes much of her time carding and spinning wool, an art which she learned as a child in the mountains of Norway.

INDUSTRIAL ITEMS.

Peru exported last year 8,000 tons of cotton, while Brazil produced nearly 300,000 bales.

The lumber output of the mills in the Minneapolis district alone last year was 718,230,481 feet.

Mexico and the United States together furnish about 72 per cent of the silver output of the world.

The art of coloring wood has made great progress in Sweden. The dye is forced under heavy pressure into the wood and replaces the sap to a length of thirteen feet.

The deepest working coal mine in Great Britain is at Pendleton, Manchester. Here coal is now being got at a depth of 3,483 feet below the surface. The deepest mine in the world is in Belgium, coal being got at a depth of 3,773 feet below the surface.

LEWIS-CLARK FEATURES.

"Hit the trail" is to be the slogan of the Pacific northwest in connection with the Lewis and Clark centennial.

The American inn at the Lewis and Clark centennial, which will be erected on the exposition grounds, will contain more than 600 guest rooms.

The new building for the Lewis and Clark centennial, made necessary by the demands for exhibit space, will contain 90,000 feet of floor space.

The project of a camping ground, to be located on the hills behind the Lewis and Clark exposition, is being agitated. Those favoring the project argue that farmers and ranchers will want to drive to Portland during the fair and camp out and that eastern people will enjoy the novelty of a few days of tent life.

TRAIN AND TRACK.

The American Mechanic says that in railroad building the crossties now cost twice as much as the rails.

The guards of the London, Tilbury and South End railway have received orders to refuse in future to accept tips from passengers.

In 1834 one of the leading railroads of the United States printed on its time table, "The locomotive will leave the depot every day at 10 o'clock if the weather is fair."

At last the Prince of Montenegro has ordered that a railroad be built throughout the principality to connect with the trunk line of the Servian state railways. The line will be one meter gauge, and work will be commenced in the early spring.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The king of the Belgians is one of the largest landed proprietors in the world. In addition to his thousands of acres in Africa and in Belgium, he owns two estates of considerable extent in France.

Queen Wilhelmina, in appointing a Roman Catholic, the Jonkherr Van Green, as her private secretary, puts one of that faith in a responsible position in the royal household for the first time since the reformation.

The kaiser, it is said, is himself his son's riding master. In the riding school the emperor takes off his coat and stands in the middle of the ring, armed with a long whip. He is a severe instructor, with no mercy for either horse or rider.

JEWELRY JOTTINGS.

Bonbon baskets in colonial design of pierced silver come in larger sizes for fruit.

Green and rose gold are combined in a signet ring set with a diamond on either side.

Flower pins with fancy heads of gold or gold and precious stones are a convenient device for fastening flowers to the dress.

More dignified in effect than the delicate chains de la reine, or necklaces, are the strikingly beautiful collars in which bars of large stones connect strands, network or elaborate designs of small stones closely set.—Jewelers' Circular-Weekly.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 61 years old." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Feel tired, no appetite, cannot sleep, work or eat? That's spring tiredness and will disappear at once if you take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month, 35cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Reichel.

Homeseekers' Excursions.

The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month sell tickets at one fare plus $2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisianna, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Wisconsin. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer. G. P. A. Chicago, Ill. a18

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Train No. 6 leaving Chicago at 9;15 p. m., daily has through vestibuled sleeping cars for Ft. Wayne, Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, New York and intermediate points, arriving at York City early the second morning.

Rates always the lowest. Write, phone or call on nearest ticket agent, or John Y. Calahan, General Agent, Nickel Plate road, No. 114 Adams Str. Room 298, Chicago. Chicago Depot, La Salle and Van Buren Sts.

Settlers's Rates to Points in the Southeast.

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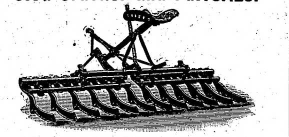
LEAVENED BREAD

Has Been Man's Constant Mainstay From Time Immemorial.

Some writer has said that "The first miller emerging from his savage state, with no thought save hunger, plucked the wheat from the stock, and, using his teeth for millstones, ground the first grist for a customer who would not be denied—his stomach." Thus gaining experience by test in the food line, it would be only natural for this miller to lay up a quantity of grain against an hour of need. Just when he commenced grinding his wheat in the rude stone mortar and moistening the flour preparatory to baking it in the ashes of his camp fire, and just when it was found that an old piece of dough in a fresh batch made it better or "leavened" it, is beyond the reach of historians. Certain it is that though the principle was the same thousands of years ago as it is to-day, it has remained for the makers of Yeast Foam to supply a yeast with all the true leavening powers minus the properties that produce sour, "runny" or soggy bread. This is the yeast that took the first grand prize at the St. Louis Exposition, and revolutionizes the bread making in every home where it is used because much better bread can be made with it from any flour.

Yeast Foam is purely vegetable, being made of the best malt, corn, hops and other healthful ingredients. The factory is also the cleanest and best equipped in the world. This yeast is the only kind that preserves in the bread all the delicious flavor and nutritive value of the wheat. The bread made with it is always sweet and wholesome and stays moist until used. Forty loaves of bread can be made from one 5c package. The makers of Yeast Foam are giving out a new book called "Good Bread; How to Make It." This little book, invaluable in its way, has twenty-six illustrations in colors, and tells how to make all kinds of bread, biscuits, buns and rolls, as well as containing other recipes which will be found invaluable in the home. The way of preparing the different recipes is very clear and comprehensive. The book will be sent free to any one sending their name and address, with a request for same, to the Northwestern Yeast Company, Chicago, Ill. Every woman who bakes should secure a copy.



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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

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SQUADRON OF ROJESAVENSKY DEFINITELY LOCATED AT KAMRANH BAY.

TOKIO GOVERNMENT ASKS EXPLANATION

Claim Is Made That Neutrality Has Been Violated—Complications Are Feared—Japanese Fleet Waiting to Give Battle.

London, April 18.—The Russian squadron has been definitely located in Kamranh bay, a French port about 200 miles from Saigon, Cochin China, according to advices from Hong-Kong, and the point has been raised whether France has violated international law by permitting the use of its ports to a belligerent squadron engaged in offensive operations. Japan wants to know, and, according to advices here, the Japanese minister at Paris has been instructed to make an immediate request for an explanation.

When Rojestvensky spent several weeks in Madagascar waters Japan complained to France that neutrality was being violated. France, in response, denied that the Russian fleet was within the territorial waters of France, and therefore no action could be taken in the matter.

France's Reply Awaited.

Now the same question comes up again, and the reply of France is being eagerly awaited in Tokio. If France denies that the Russians are within the territorial waters of France, then Japan will have the opportunity to make an immediate attack without violating the neutrality of France.

Rojestvensky put into Kamranh bay April 12 for the purpose of coaling and revictualing, preparatory to sailing north. The squadron, 48 hours later, was still there, with Japanese boats reported to be lying in wait for them to come out, in order to give battle.

At least part of the Japanese fleet has also been located in that section, as the capture of a number of Russian colliers is reported in a dispatch from Saigon. The composition of this fleet is unknown, as is the actual whereabouts of Togo. It is thought, however, that the boats close to the road of Cochin China are part of a flying squadron under Admiral Uriu, and consist of several fast cruisers and a large number of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers of the class that did such daring and effective work around Port Arthur.

Japanese Are Alert.

This section of the Japanese navy is doubtless in close communication with the remainder of the fleet either by wireless or dispatch boats, so that it is extremely likely that the Russians upon departure from Kamranh bay will be intercepted as they proceed north, as there will be no port before Vladivostok in which the warships can take refuge.

Serious complications are not impossible that may involve both France and Great Britain as the result of the stay of the Russian fleet in Kamranh bay. That these contingencies were in a measure anticipated is seen in the departure several days ago from Hong-Kong of several British warships bound in the direction of Cochin China. At the same time a number of French warships which had been cruising in Asiatic waters unexpectedly put into Saigon. The Dutch squadron is also in the vicinity, presumably for the purpose of enforcing neutrality, while American warships are cruising in the vicinity and going as far north as the Philippines.

Time Limit Is Up.

Tokio, April 18.—It is calculated here that the Russian squadron arrived at Kamranh bay at noon April 12 and therefore had been occupying the port 48 hours when seen at noon April 14.

The information received regarding vessels of the Russian squadron being seen at Kamranh bay April 14 reached Tokio Monday and was given to the public through a brief communication from the navy department. The news was a surprise because it was generally doubted that France would permit the use of her ports to a belligerent squadron engaged in offensive operations. The Japanese government is silent on the subject of its intentions, but it is expected that it will make immediate representations to France. The response of France is eagerly awaited particularly as to whether France admits the squadron is within territorial waters. France denied that the Russian squadron was within territorial waters when off Madagascar. If she denies it in this instance it will give Japan an opportunity to attack the Russian vessels without violating France's neutrality. Many people continue to believe the Russian squadron will speedily leave Kamranh bay and continue its voyage northward.

Battle Reported.

London, April 18.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Hongkong says a small naval engagement between the Russians and Japanese is reported. No details are given.

Heard Firing.

Hongkong, April 18.—The steamer Telemachus reports that she heard firing 150 miles north of the Natuna islands at 3:20 o'clock on the afternoon of April 12.

Preparing for Finish of Journey.

St. Petersburg, April 18.—The news that vessels of the Russian squadron have put into Kamranh bay, north of Cape Padaran, off the east coast of Cochin China, bears out the statements contained in these dispatches a week ago to the effect that Admiral Rojestvensky probably would seek shelter off that part of the Cochin-China coast, and there coal and make his final preparations before embarking on the final stage of his journey. No definite information is obtainable as to the length of the squadron's stay at Kamranh bay, or whether the warships have already sailed, the admiralty, even if it knows, being naturally silent on this point.

Expect No Battle at Pescadores.

A high-placed admiral has expressed the firm conviction that Admiral Togo would not give battle near the Pescadore islands, Formosa straits. He said: "It would be a great tactical error to concentrate his squadron 800 miles from Japan, and run the risk of having Rojestvensky slip by, when by remaining in home waters Rojestvensky must come to him in order to reach his only base—Vladivostok. All the Tokio dispatches about the proclamation of martial law in the Pescadore islands, and the probable presence of a Japanese squadron in Formosan waters are sent as blinds. We do not know Rojestvensky's plans. He has worked them out himself, and knowing the admiral as I do his own flag captain was probably in the dark when he entered the China sea. We have complete confidence in Rojestvensky's resourcefulness. He labors under disadvantages so far as the speed of his vessels is concerned, but the reports of the condition of his ships and crews, and the latter's skill in gunnery, as shown by their target practice, are better than we considered possible, and we firmly believe he has more than a fighting chance of whipping Togo in an open fight."

SERIOUS CUTTING AFFRAY.

One Man Dead in Minneapolis and Two Badly Injured as Result of a Drunken Quarrel.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 18.—John Pardula, aged 28 years, is dead in the morgue, and Peter Stopa and George Pardula, a brother of the dead man, are in the City hospital as a result of a cutting affray. All of the men are Polish and neither of the two in the hospital can speak English. They refuse to discuss the affair. The three with three others had spent Sunday evening together drinking, in a boarding house on Marshall avenue northeast. As they were leaving the place early Monday morning a quarrel started and knives were freely used. The two men in the hospital are badly slashed and the dead man had a knife wound in his right lung. A third was also slightly hurt. The men in the hospital are under arrest as also are John Dzleadzina, Jack Tamashak and Peter Wzzos.

The hallway of the house and the sidewalk in front of the house is washed in blood, showing that a terrific struggle took place in the darkness.

EDUCATORS TO MEET.

National Association to Hold Annual Session at Asbury Park and Ocean Grove.

New York, April 18.—With the president of the United States as the chief guest, and leading educators from all sections of the United States among the speakers, the next general session of the National Educational association which will be held in Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, N. J., next July, promises to be the most notable in the association's history. The meetings will begin Monday, July 3, and continue five days. An elaborate programme has been completed.

Two Perish by Fire.

Otis, Mass., April 18.—George McMahon, of Westfield, and Joseph Barrett, of Manchester, Conn., both young men, were found burned to death early Sunday morning in the ruins of a shanty occupied by an Italian known as "Johnny George," in Otis. The origin of the fire is a mystery, and there is some suspicion of foul play, although one explanation is that the men, returning to the shanty late, built a fire and went to sleep and the building caught fire from an overheated stove.

Woman Must Hang.

Philadelphia, April 18.—By a vote of 5 to 2 the supreme court Monday decided that Mrs. Catherine Danz must hang for the murder of her husband, William G. Danz. George P. Hossey, a colored voodoo doctor, has also received the death sentence for the part he took in the murder of Danz. Danz died under peculiar circumstances, and a post-mortem examination of the remains revealed the fact that he had died of arsenical poisoning.

Must Return for Trial.

Washington, April 18.—The supreme court of the United States Monday, through an opinion of Justice Brown, affirmed the decision of the New York federal court refusing to grant a petition for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of John A. Benson, who is resisting removal to the District of Columbia for trial on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with land frauds on the Pacific coast.

Law Held Unconstitutional.

Washington, April 18.—In an opinion by Justice Peckham, the supreme court of the United States held to be unconstitutional the New York state law making ten hours a day's work and 60 hours a week's work in bakeries in that state. Justices Harlan, White, Day and Holmes dissented, and Justice Harlan declared that no more important decision had been rendered in the last century.

Depot Burned.

Durand, Mich., April 18.—Fire which broke out late last night destroyed the Grand Trunk union depot here, in which are located the general offices of the road's division west of Port Huron. The building was valued at $125,000, and was a new one, having been dedicated only last October.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Fee Incomes.

The income of the various fee offices in the state are as follows:

The governor's private secretary received fees for the years of 1903 and 1904, aggregating $8,873, and in addition a yearly salary of $1,500, making an annual compensation of $5,936.50. While this is nearly a thousand a year more than the governor receives, it is less than the office had been supposed to pay, which was all the way from $7,000 to $10,000 a year.

The clerk of the supreme court, who has been supposed to pocket $10,000 a year or more, received $7,717 in 1903 and $7,443 in 1904, out of which he paid the remainder of the staff of his office, leaving him a little over $4,000 net income.

The net income of the surveyors general of logs and lumber for the principal districts are ascertained by the committee as follows:

Minneapolis district	$6,706
Duluth district	6,614
Stillwater district	3,887

No other offices were investigated, everything else being either insignificant or else practically on a salary basis.

The fees of the public examiner amount to $600 a year from the examination of St. Paul city accounts, and $170 a year from building and loan associations, which in addition to his $3,500 salary, make an annual income of $4,270 for the head of the department.

Big Fire.

The Palace livery barn, one of the largest establishments of its kind in the state at Luverne, together with 27 horses and livery equipment, was destroyed by fire. The fire was discovered a few minutes after it started, but spread so rapidly that only six horses and a few buggies were taken out.

The barn was located only fifty feet from Manitou hotel, recently constructed at a cost of $35,000, and for a time it was feared this and all surrounding buildings were doomed. The absence of wind was what saved a widespread conflagration. Plate glass windows across the street were broken and solder on galvanized iron copings on the buildings across the street was melted by the intense heat.

State Census.

Governor Johnson has signed the state census bill and preparations will be made at once for numerations by Secretary of State Peter E. Hanson. Quarters will be selected on the second and third floor of capitol, probably in some of the legislative committee rooms, for a corps of clerks. There will be some 3,000 enumerators named on recommendation of senators and representatives. In towns of 5,000 and over, they will receive $2 a hundred names; In towns of less than 5,000 and not more than 5,000, $2.25 a hundred names; in sparcely settled rural districts 2½ cents a name.

Beat the Ordinance.

The ordinance prohibiting the giving of free lunches by saloonkeepers of Winona was declared invalid by a jury in the case of Alex Artz, declaring him not guilty of the offense. A peculiar defense was advanced. The ordinance provides that the saloonkeepers shall not give away lunches for the purpose of increasing the sale of liquors. By the testimony of three physicians it was shown that a person who ate a lunch would not drink so much, and the jury acquitted the defendant on this technicality.

Refused the Piano.

A gift of a $2,000 mahogany piano for the governor's reception room in the new capitol was refused by Gov. Johnson. S. W. Raudenbush of St. Paul made the offer and said the piano would be constructed especially to conform with the design of the other furniture in the magnificent reception room.

Gov. Johnson said he had no authority to accept the gift as he is not custodian of the capitol building and has no control over the furniture or other equipment of the building.

Suicide.

John Bishop of Gull Lake, one of the old-time residents, died from strychnine. He formerly conducted the Bishop ranch at Gull Lake, one of the most popular summer resorts in Northern Minnesota. It is thought he had brooded over financial matters, having recently disposed of his land and belongings about Gull Lake. He leaves several children, but the wife died several years ago.

News Notes.

Timothy Doyle, twelve years old and living with his parents in St. Paul, had his right leg lacerated at the knee and ankle by a bulldog.

Lewis Auster was discovered dead in a barn of J. H. Sullivan, at Lakeville.

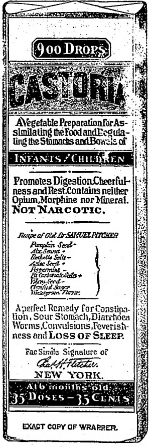
The passenger steamer Fountain City was launched at Stillwater. Miss Irene Hanks, daughter of one of the owners, Benjamin Hanks of South Stillwater, christened the boat, using the traditional bottle of champagne.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Hamre celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day at Faribault.

The independent oil dealers of the Twin Cities carry their fight against the Standard Oil company into the Dakotas.

The Turtle river drive of logs, which will aggregate 25,000,000 feet, will be started in a few days. The logs were landed by the Blakeley & Farley company near the village of Farley. It is estimated that 250 men will be employed on the drive, which is expected to reach Cass Lake July 1.

Out of seventy-four candidates who appeared before the state board of pharmacy for examination, but thirteen assistant pharmacists passed.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THERE is a growing suspicion that the state university is getting into politics, and that its demands for appropriations are enforced by covert threats of "getting even."

THE Kansas City Star thinks somebody should call Mr. Rockefeller's attention to the fact that J. M. Graft is manager of the independent oil company at Osafatomie, Kansas.

THE Chicaago Examiner says a tariff may as well be put on coffee as it is the only article of an American breakfast that is not taxed directly or protected by a tariff barrier.

A WRITER in the Prison Mirror remarks that the young man in Minnisota who sows wild oats is often sent to the Stillwater institution to make twine with which to harvest his crop.

IF the bill becomes alaw, says the Fairmont Sentinel, allowing the gamblers to take possession of the state fair the newspapers will give the association a lot of free advertising that the management will not like.

THE Thief River Press is reminded that there is a manifest difference in quoting from the records of a court and making unfair and unwarranted charges that are not supported by a scintilla of evidence of any sort.

THE Minneapolis Journal's correspondent says the corporations have Senator Knute Nelson marked for slaughter. If the senior senator has been particularly aggressive in his opposition to the corporations he has been exceedingly careful to keep the fact away from his contituents.

THE Beltrami county officials seem to be reaping the whirlwind. For a dozen years they have looting the treasury, and the dear taxpayers has been footing the bills. The cleaning up of this bunch of arch-grafters will have a wholesome effect and give added confidence in the public examiner's bureau.

FROM the tone of Fred Schiffman's testimony we gather that his job as state oil inspector was hardly worth the trouble, says the St. Peter Herald. He says that altho the receipts of his office were about $31,000 a year, he had only $13,600 left after paying his deputies and other expenses. Then, to crown his woe, he says he had to made a divy with the "oil board" and his dismal countenance says plainly that they were a terrible greedy lot of grafters.

As predicted the Nolan demurrage bill was killed by amendments in the senate which took away every remedial feature. The author did not recognize the bill when it was returned to the house, and moved that it be indefinitely postponed. If the corporation are not to dominate legislation in the next session about half of the members of the senate must be asked to remain at home.

ACCORDING to the St. Peter Herald since the first of the year State Insurance Commissioner O'Brien has turned $319,237 in fees into the state treasury. Under the old order of things a large percentage of this would have gone to the commissioner, but in the face of this there were a number of broad-gauge republican legislators who expressed themselves in favor of placing him on a salary of $2,400 per annum. The saving he has already made to the state naturally causes one to ponder upon the size of the campaign contributions paid by the ex-commissioners.

MINNESOTA IN BATTLE.

The state capitol commission has awarded commissions to artists for the four additional paintings for the governor's reception room, as follows:

"First Minnesota at Gettysburg," to be painted by Rufus F. Zogbaum.

"The fourth Minnesota Regiment at Vicksburg," to be painted by F. D. Millet.

"The Second Regiment at Missionary Ridge," to be painted by Douglas Volk.

"The Fifth, Seventh, Ninth and Tenth Regiments at the Battle of Nashville," to be painted by Howard Pyle.

Two of the artists have already done or at present doing work for the new capitol. Douglas Volk's painting, "Discovery of the St. Anthony by Father Hennepin," has been placed in the west end of the governor's reception room.

F. D. Millet's painting, "The Treaty of Traverse Des Sioux," was reported by Architect Cass Gilbert to be nearly completed. It will be placed in the east end of the room.

Each painting will be purchased from the artist at a cost of $6,000.

The Story of Two Hogs.

Fairmont Sentinel: That a Colfax paper says that "William Hentico last Wednesday evening at Lamb's resturant ate 28 bananas, smacked his lips and declares the last one tasted just as good as the first." That's nothing. Chester White, of Knoxville, ate 14 ears of corn, two pumpkins and a bucket of swill, and was able to rub his bristles against the fence and grunt.

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LEGISLATIVE SESSION ENDS.

Some of the Results Achieved by the Minnesota Lawmakers This Year.

The thirty-fourth biennial session of the Minnesota legislature ended at noon today, amid the usual din and confusion. The real work of the session was finished last night, as according to law no bills could be passed after 12 o'clock Monday night. However, both house met today to pass resolutions, vote gratuities and say good-byes. The gratuities, by the way, are not so numerous this year as usual, the only persons receiving cash tokens of esteem being the telephone girls and newspaper reporters.

The closing session of the house was marked by the usual uproar and confusion. The legislators were boys at play for the time-being. Paper balls, baskets, mats and books were thrown back and forth and pandemonium reigned supreme. This is a time-honored custom, and perhaps a little festivity on an occasion of this kind can be excused.

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There has been little beneficial legislation accomplished. Most of the deserving bills in which the country districts are interested were killed either in committee or on the floor. W. A. Nolan's reciprocal demurrage bill was defeated in the conference committee. Senators Hawkins, Horton and Stone declined to compromise to any extent whatever and the house conferees would not accept the amended bill, Representatives Nolan, Washburn and Klein standing firm in the attitude that the senate bill would not give relief. These facts being reported to the two bodies the measure was finally killed, the house members indefinitely postponing the senate so-called substitute and accepting their defeat in good grace. The representatives of the shippers announced that they will begin an agitation at once favoring the enactment of a Nolan bill two years from now. It would seem that their first work should be in getting Dr. Osler busy with the senate.

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Among the bills defeated during the last hours of the session was H. F. 884, Pollmer. This permitted the manufacture of binders, mowers and rakes in Stillwater prison. The vote was 32 to 19. Another bill killed was S. F. 9, Peterson. This provided for a convention to revise the state constitution. S. F. 461, Stephens, was disposed of in short order, almost everyone voting against it. This provided for the eradication of noxious weeds in the state. One of Representative MacKenzie's bills, H. F. 243, was also killed. This increased the length of the contracts of teachers in independent school districts. Still another bill by Senator Stephens, S. F. 414, was killed. This was to have done away with justices of the peace in villages.

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The Laybourn senate bills designed to abolish grand juries caused filibustering in the house, and a demand that they go to the foot of the calendar aroused those who would do away with the grand jury system. Led by Representative Dowling they succeeded in sending several other measures to the foot of the class. However, the opponents of the grand jury abolishment bills had their way in the end, and all of these measures were put to sleep at the foot of the calendar. Representative Simons worked hard during the session to defeat the Laybourn bills and took a prominent part in the debates. The corporation managers in the legislature probably know by this time that the country people do not want the grand jury system abolished.

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The legislation affecting Red Lake county most vitally are the bills appropriating money for new bridges, $1,200 having been secured by Representative Simons for this purpose, of which $700 will be applied toward the erection of a bridge across the Red Lake river in Louisville, $300 for the Plummer bridge, and $200 for the Lost river bridge.

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The new code was finally adopted, and will go into effect March 1, 1906.

J. E. K.

Hack, Hack, Hack.

A chronic cough can now be instantly relieved by Gloria Lung Balsam, a new preparation of wild cherry, honey, tar, etc. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Owatonna Chronicle: The haste with which the legislature passed the new code resembles the hurry of the small boy which leads him to dump the whole armful of wood into the wood box, at once, helter skelter and some on the floor. In both cases a desire to finish a tiresome job and get away to play seems to explain the rush. Meanwhile it may be for the people to repent at leisure.

Albert Lea Standard: The Minneapolis Tribune puts the case in this emphatic way—"The snap caucus stinks in the universal nostrils of Minnesota. It has been the despair of good citizenship for many years. It smells to heaven itself since the last election. The people are sick of it. Other states get rid of it with state primaries, without cumbering themselves with direct nominations. We could do so, did not a bunch of politicians seize upon every effort to extend or improve the primary law to restore or preserve the old abomination." And yet a republican legislature, which could find time and energy to change a law of the state which had existed since it was admitted to the union, and discredit the governor in order to grab a few minor spoils in the capitol building, does not hesitate to repudiate the popular demands, and refused to provide for an extension of the primary election system!

Brown's Valley Tribune: The present legislature, at least in the minds of a great many people, will not take a place in history as one above the ordinary in good deeds done, and there is a very strong sentiment that it will fall below the average. When a majority of the state senators with their pockets bulging with free coupon books from telephone companies, voted the other day against the bill to premit village ownership of telephone exchanges, they displayed their little, narrow-minded selfishness, which in a very large measure has marked their deliberations throughout this session. There was no good excuse for the defeat of this measure.

St. Cloud Times: Texas Republicans are complaining because so many Democrats are to be guests at the banquet to be tendered to President Roosevelt at Dallas. A banquet attended only by Texas Republicans would be too exclusive to look anything like a popular welcome to the nation's chief executive.

Warren Register: The result of the recent Chicago municipal election should serve as a warning to the traction companies of the country, many of which are generally believed to have been paying enormous dividends on watered stock for some years. If they wish to continue in the business, they will be reasonable; otherwise, the people affected may decide to take the operation of their properties into their own hands.

The County in General

St. Hilar's saw mill is running night and day.

Plummer has a new butcher shop that is a model of neatness and equipment.

R. H. Aimer has been in the blacksmith business at St. Hilaire for twenty-two years.

St. Hilaire's band now has a membership of twenty-four. They practice three evenings a week.

W. C. Brown, of Plummer, is somewhat of a bicyclist. He recent rode from that town to Red Lake Falls and return one afternoon.

On Sunday, April 2d, the confirmation of a class of eleven took place at the Jorgenson school house in Lillo. It was the largest class ever confirmed at that place.

Thief River Falls school board cannot agree on who is to be their superintendent of schools the coming year. The board is equally divided, two candidates having three votes each.

Thief River held a mass meeting one night and shook hands with themselves and told each other what angels they were when it came to county seat removals.

The Great Northern's new train service nearly puts Wylie out of touch with the outside world. A freight train backs up from St. Hilaire and remains about ten minutes each day. Wylie citizens certainly have a kick coming.

J. G. Winkjer, state dairy inspector, was at Plummer recently looking over the creamery at that place. He pronounced it the best arranged and equipped creamery he had seen in Northern Minnesota.

A tramp stole a railroad bicycle up near Winnipeg and was making for Minneapolis on the Soo when he was waylaid at Thief River. A Thief Riverite now rides the "wheel" while the tramp is continuing his journey on foot.

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THERE is a growing suspicion that the state university is getting into politics, and that its demands for appropriations are enforced by covert threats of "getting even."

THE Kansas City Star thinks somebody should call Mr. Rockefeller's attention to the fact that J. M. Graft is manager of the independent oil company at Osafatomie, Kansas.

THE Chicago Examiner says a tariff may as well be put on coffee as it is the only article of an American breakfast that is not taxed directly or protected by a tariff barrier.

A WRITER in the Prison Mirror remarks that the young man in Minnisota who sows wild oats is often sent to the Stillwater institution to make twine with which to harvest his crop.

IF the bill becomes a law, says the Fairmont Sentinel, allowing the gamblers to take possession of the state fair the newspapers will give the association a lot of free advertising that the management will not like.

THE Thief River Press is reminded that there is a manifest difference in quoting from the records of a court and making unfair and unwarranted charges that are not supported by a scintilla of evidence of any sort.

THE Minneapolis Journal's correspondent says the corporations have Senator Knute Nelson marked for slaughter. If the senior senator has been particularly aggressive in his opposition to the corporations he has been exceedingly careful to keep the fact away from his contituents.

THE Beltrami county officials seem to be reaping the whirlwind. For a dozen years they have looting the treasury, and the dear taxpayers has been footing the bills. The cleaning up of this bunch of arch-grafters will have a wholesome effect and give added confidence in the public examiner's bureau.

FROM the tone of Fred Schiffman's testimony we gather that his job as state oil inspector was hardly worth the trouble, says the St. Peter Herald. He says that altho the receipts of his office were about $31,000 a year, he had only $13,600 left after paying his deputies and other expenses. Then, to crown his woe, he says he had to made a divy with the "oil board" and his dismal countenance says plainly that they were a terrible greedy lot of grafters.

As predicted the Nolan demurrage bill was killed by amendments in the senate which took away every remedial feature. The author did not recognize the bill when it was returned to the house, and moved that it be indefinitely postponed. If the corporation are not to dominate legislation in the next session about half of the members of the senate must be asked to remain at home.

ACCORDING to the St. Peter Herald since the first of the year State Insurance Commissioner O'Brien has turned $319,237 in fees into the state treasury. Under the old order of things a large percentage of this would have gone to the commissioner, but in the face of this there were a number of broad-gauge republican legislators who expressed themselves in favor of placing him on a salary of $2,400 per annum. The saving he has already made to the state naturally causes one to ponder upon the size of the campaign contributions paid by the ex-commissioners.

MINNESOTA IN BATTLE.

The state capitol commission has awarded commissions to artists for the four additional paintings for the governor's reception room, as follows:

"First Minnesota at Gettysburg," to be painted by Rafus F. Zogbaum.

"The fourth Minnesota Regiment at Vicksburg," to be painted by F. D. Millet.

"The Second Regiment at Missionary Ridge," to be painted by Douglas Volk.

"The Fifth, Seventh, Ninth and Tenth Regiments at the Battle of Nashville," to be painted by Howard Pyle.

Two of the artists have already done or at present doing work for the new capitol. Douglas Volk's painting, "Discovery of the St. Anthony by Father Hennepin," has been placed in the west end of the governor's reception room.

F. D. Millet's painting, "The Treaty of Traverse Des Sioux," was reported by Architect Cass Gilbert to be nearly completed. It will be placed in the east end of the room.

Each painting will be purchased from the artist at a cost of $6,000.

The Story of Two Hogs.

Fairmont Sentinel: That a Colfax paper says that "William Hentico last Wednesday evening at Lamb's resturant ate 28 bananas, smacked his lips and declares the last one tasted just as good as the first." That's nothing. Chester White, of Knoxville, ate 14 ears of corn, two pumpkins and a bucket of swill, and was able to rub his bristles against the fence and grunt.

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LEGISLATIVE SESSION ENDS.

Some of the Results Achieved by the Minnesota Lawmakers This Year.

The thirty-fourth biennial session of the Minnesota legislature ended at noon today, amid the usual din and confusion. The real work of the session was finished last night, as according to law no bills could be passed after 12 o'clock Monday night. However, both house met today to pass resolutions, vote gratuities and say good-byes. The gratuities, by the way, are not so numerous this year as usual, the only persons receiving cash tokens of esteem being the telephone girls and newspaper reporters.

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The closing session of the house was marked by the usual uproar and confusion. The legislators were boys at play for the time-being. Paper balls, baskets, mats and books were thrown back and forth and pandemonium reigned supreme. This is a time-honored custom, and perhaps a little festivity on an occasion of this kind can be excused.

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There has been little beneficial legislation accomplished. Most of the deserving bills in which the country districts are interested were killed either in committee or on the floor. W. A. Nolan's reciprocal demurrage bill was defeated in the conference committee. Senators Hawkins, Horton and Stone declined to compromise to any extent whatever and the house conferees would not accept the amended bill, Representatives Nolan, Washburn and Klein standing firm in the attitude that the senate bill would not give relief. These facts being reported to the two bodies the measure was finally killed, the house members indefinitely postponing the senate so-called substitute and accepting their defeat in good grace. The representatives of the shippers announced that they will begin an agitation at once favoring the enactment of a Nolan bill two years from now. It would seem that their first work should be in getting Dr. Osler busy with the senate.

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Among the bills defeated during the last hours of the session was H. F. 884, Pollmer. This permitted the manufacture of binders, mowers and rakes in Stillwater prison. The vote was 32 to 19. Another bill killed was S. F. 9, Peterson. This provided for a convention to revise the state constitution. S. F. 461, Stephens, was disposed of in short order, almost everyone voting against it. This provided for the eradication of noxious weeds in the state. One of Representative MacKenzie's bills, H. F. 243, was also killed, This increased the length of the contracts of teachers in independent school districts. Still another bill by Senator Stephens, S. F. 414, was killed. This was to have done away with justices of the peace in villages.

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The Laybourn senate bills designed to abolish grand juries caused filibustering in the house, and a demand that they go to the foot of the calendar aroused those who would do away with the grand jury system. Led by Representative Dowling they succeeded in sending several other measures to the foot of the class. However, the opponents of the grand jury abolishment bills had their way in the end, and all of these measures were put to sleep at the foot of the calendar. Representative Simons worked hard during the session to defeat the Laybourn bills and took a prominent part in the debates. The corporation managers in the legislature probably know by this time that the country people do not want the grand jury system abolished.

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The legislation affecting Red Lake county most vitally are the bills appropriating money for new bridges, $1,200 having been secured by Representative Simons for this purpose, of which $700 will be applied toward the erection of a bridge across the Red Lake river in Louisville, $300 for the Plummer bridge, and $200 for the Lost river bridge.

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The new code was finally adopted, and will go into effect March 1, 1906.

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A chronic cough can now be instantly relieved by Gloria Lung Balsam, a new preparation of wild cherry, honey, tar, etc. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Owatonna Chronicle: The haste with which the legislature passed the new code resembles the hurry of the small boy which leads him to dump the whole armful of wood into the wood box, at once, helter skelter and some on the floor. In both cases a desire to finish a tiresome job and get away to play seems to explain the rush. Meanwhile it may be for the people to repent at leisure.

Albert Lea Standard: The Minneapolis Tribune puts the case in this emphatic way—"The snap caucus stinks in the universal nostrils of Minnesota. It has been the despair of good citizenship for many years. It smells to heaven itself since the last election. The people are sick of it. Other states get rid of it with state primaries, without cumbering themselves with direct nominations. We could do so, did not a bunch of politicians seize upon every effort to extend or improve the primary law to restore or preserve the old abomination." And yet a republican legislature, which could find time and energy to change a law of the state which had existed since it was admitted to the union, and discredit the governor in order to grab a few minor spoils in the capitol building, does not hesitate to repudiate the popular demands, and refused to provide for an extension of the primary election system!

Brown's Valley Tribune: The present legislature, at least in the minds of a great many people, will not take a place in history as one above the ordinary in good deeds done, and there is a very strong sentiment that it will fall below the average. When a majority of the state senators with their pockets bulging with free coupon books from telephone companies, voted the other day against the bill to premit village ownership of telephone exchanges, they displayed their little, narrow-minded selfishness, which in a very large measure has marked their deliberations throughout this session. There was no good excuse for the defeat of this measure.

St. Cloud Times: Texas Republicans are complaining because so many Democrats are to be guests at the banquet to be tendered to President Roosevelt at Dallas, A banquet attended only by Texas Republicans would be too exclusive to look anything like a popular welcome to the nation's chief executive.

Warren Register: The result of the recent Chicago municipal election should serve as a warning to the traction companies of the country, many of which are generally believed to have been paying enormous dividends on watered stock for some years. If they wish to continue in the business, they will be reasonable; otherwise, the people affected may decide to take the operation of their properties into their own hands.

The County in General

St. Hilar's saw mill is running night and day.

Plummer has a new butcher shop that is a model of neatness and equipment.

R. H. Aimer has been in the blacksmith business at St. Hilaire for twenty-two years.

St. Hilaire's band now has a membership of twenty-four. They practice three evenings a week.

W. C. Brown, of Plummer, is somewhat of a bicyclist. He recent rode from that town to Red Lake Falls and return one afternoon.

On Sunday, April 2d, the confirmation of a class of eleven took place at the Jorgenson school house in Lillo. It was the largest class ever confirmed at that place.

Thief River Falls school board cannot agree on who is to be their superintendent of schools the coming year. The board is equally divided, two candidates having three votes each.

Thief River held a mass meeting one night and shook hands with themselves and told each other what angels they were when it came to county seat removals.

The Great Northern's new train service nearly puts Wylie out of touch with the outside world. A freight train backs up from St. Hilaire and remains about ten minutes each day. Wylie citizens certainly have a kick coming,

J. G. Winkjer, state dairy inspector, was at Plummer recently looking over the creamery at that place. He pronounced it the best arranged and equipped creamery he had seen in Northern Minnesota.

A tramp stole a railroad bicycle up near Winnipeg and was making for Minneapolis on the Soo when he was waylaid at Thief River. A Thief Riverite now rides the "wheel" while the tramp is continuing his journey on foot.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Is your garden planted?

The Busy Store has a new adv in this paper. Look it up.

J. B. Armstrong was a business caller at Grand Forks Tuesday.

Mayor Duffy is at Moorhead attending a meeting of the bankers association.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday.

M. O. Sortedahl left last evening for the southern part of the state on a business trip.

Demphis Riopal is reported as being quite sick. He lives about five miles west of the city.

Rev. Knox went to Warren Tuesday evening to attend a meeting of the Presbytery of this district.

Attorneys McIntyre and Grady went to St. Paul Wednesday evening to be absent two or three days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Laurent, of Terrebonne, are the proud parents of a bright baby girl that arrived at their home last Sunday.

Wm. O'Brien was at Crookston over Sunday.

Berthon & Armstrong give an Easter talk in this issue.

The youngsters are enjoying a vacation from their school duties this week.

F. J. Parker, of Marshall was here over Sunday looking after real estate interests.

It is said the citizens of Thief River are quite excited over the county seat question.

Sam Allard continues to improve in health and his many friends hope to see him about soon.

J. Pacha, of Blackduck was in the city last evening and to-day visiting his many old friends.

A party of land seekers from Gaylord, Minn., were here the first of the week looking the county over.

Ralph Wyer went to Moorhead Wednesday evening to attend a meet- of bankers for the ninth congressionl district.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Maril Roye has been very sick the past week with lung fever. Grave fears for his recovery are entertained.

Fishing is said to be good, but be sure the game warden isn't about if you go down to the river before May 1st.

City Treasurer Emard has accepted a position with Garceau & Zaiser. He began his new duties last week.

S. L. Lewis has been carrying one of his eyes in a sling this week, the result of a cold settling in that particular spot.

Mr. and Mrs, J. K. Hanney, of St. Hilaire, drove down to this place one day last week, returning the same evening.

Some of our citizens are talking of putting in cement sidewalks the present season. It is a move in the right direction.

Mrs. F. L. Farley left Tuesday for Stewartsville, Minn., for a several weeks visit with her parents and old friends.

Clerk Perrault attended to the duties of the Treasurer's office during K. M. Hansen's absence Saturday and Monday.

The Great Northern is hauling large quantities of cinders to this place to be placed on the big fill south of the depot.

Superintendent of schools McAnulty was at Crookston the first of the week on business connected with his school work.

The ladies society of St. Mary's church will meet with Mrs. N. W. Tarrant next Thursday afternoon. All are invited to attend.

Atty. Chas. E. Boughton left the first of the week for south Dakota where he will be all of this week on business of a legal nature,

The Great Northern railway has a crew of bridge men here putting new timbers in the small bridge just north of the section house.

Next Sunday is the dav for the display of new millinery. Easter generally brings out a good crowd of church goers—especially the ladies.

Register of Deeds Jeffers celebrated his thirty-fifth birthday Monday. His many friends hope he may live to see many such anniversaries.

Several of our young men are becoming experts in the use of firearms. Several new rifles have been secured lately and the rivalry as to who is the best shot is keen.

Don't think this is the only country that has had cold weather lately. A letter from Northern Iowa informs us that that section was visited by a snow storm last Friday.

Hon. L. C. Simons arrived home Wednesday morning from St. Paul having finished his legislative duties for this term. He says he is glad the legislature has adjourned and that he is again home and able to look after business affairs.

The Awaking of Spring

Shows **White** to be the predominating color for the spring and summer season—we are showing the watchword of many interested buyers, the Arnold Fabrics, soft in texture, beautiful in design and dependable quality.

For graduation gowns, Silk or Persian lawns which have a light transparency, will be considered proper and the price **25 cents** a yard is so cheap you would not beleive it could be silk till you see the goods. Imported French lawns, Mousselienul de Soil and Japanese Silks are also very appropriate.

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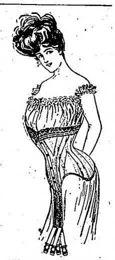

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T. O. Robillard arrived at this place Wednesday morning for a visit with old friends and relatives. He now makes his home in Washington but formerly lived in this city.

M. McMamara arrived in the city Tuesday for a few days visit with old friends. His teams and grading outfit are at York. N. D. where he has a contract for the Great Northern.

Albert Lee and Miss Elizabeth Breckenridge, of St. Hilaire, were married Wednesday afternoon by Judge Tarrant. The young couple left after the ceremony for their home.

M. Skala has something over three hundred acres of wheat sown. We have heard some farmers say they hadn't begun seeding yet, but Mr. Skala isn't one of the kind to be behind with his work.

Poles and wire have been unloaded at this place the past week for a new telegraph line between here and Crookston along the new route of the Great Northern. The wire will be extended north from this city.

There will be a special service at the Presbyterian church Friday evening of this week. It will be a Good Friday service, a special program having been arranged for the occasion. All are cordially invited to attend.

H. A. Blaisdell arrived here from Janesville, Minn., last week and has accepted the position as buttermaker in our creamery. Besides being a first class buttermaker Mr. Blaisdell is a good musician and will add greatly to our band.

S. C. Nauman left Saturday evening with his household goods bound for Freeport, Ill. He will go through with the goods. Mrs. Nauman departed Monday evening. The young couple will be missed by a host of Red Lake Falls friends.

Sunday was a red letter day for the Presbyterian church in this city. Forty-two new members were enrolled upon the church records, nearly doubling the membership of the church. The new recruits are the outcome of the special meetings recently held at this church.

Dr. and Mrs. V. Pleth came over from Crookston Wednesday and assisted Dr. J. C. Wilkinson with an opperation for appendicitis. Joseph Lefave was the person affected and the operation was a most successful one. He is doing nicely and will soon be able to be about again.

Members of our fire department are making arrangements to attend the annual tournament, which will be held this year at Blackduck in June. The boys began practice for the event this week and will no doubt give a good account of themselves when the tournament takes place.

If you want to buy a farm, sell farm, get a farm loan or abstrac go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

The operation for appendicitis which Sam E. Hunt underwent last week at the hospital at Crookston was most successful and he is recovering from the ordeal very fast. Sam's many friends will be glad he is improving so rapidly and that he will soon be able to come home.

Red Lake Falls and Red Lake county was the subject of a big write—ub in the Minneapolis Journal one day last week. Too much can not be said of the advantages of this section as a farming community, and it is a matter of but a short time before the immense water power of this city will be utilized for manfacturing purposes.

The last sad rites over the remains of "Barney" the beloved hunting dog of Ernest Buse, was observed in a befitting manner last Sunday. Someone poisoned the dog and to say Ernest feels grieved is putting it mild It certainly is a mean way to take ones spite out on one whom you have a grievance against.

Judges Watts and Grindeland will hereafter receive $4,200 per annum in place of $3,500, the bill providing for an increase in the sslaries of district judges in the state having passed both houses. The raise is a fair one and at its present figure was too low. The office of district judge is an important one and the judiciary should be well paid,

Those who are wont to go a-fishing will do well to remember that pike, perch, whitefish, muscallonge, etc., cannot be caught in any manner nor had in possession until the 1st of May. However, pickerel, suckers and red horse may be speared until May 1st. It is unlawful to at any time sell any variety of fish taken from the waters of the state.

A fellow going through here from his claim on the reservation to his home in the southern part of the state made the statement that his claim was three feet under water. He said he did not see how a fellow could be expected to cultivate such ground and he would endeavor to have what money he had expended refunded by the government.

Crookston Press: The change in fare caused by the change in the Red Lake Falls train is slight. The fare to Thief River has previously been $1.07 and is not changed. The fare to Red Lake Falls has previously been $1.16 and is now 98c while the fare to St. Hilaire has been changed from 97c to 85c. These changes are made on account of starting out in the opposite direction via Tilden.

C. L. Spaulding and Harry March, of Warren, were here a few hours last Friday calling on S. M. Sivertson of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. The gentlemen will build a number of elevators on the new branch of the Soo the coming summer, and they have been inspecting the Milling Co's elevators getting ideas as to the best and lattest improvments for buildings of that charter.

The mule dealt the donkey a terrible kick. The young racer near by gave him the horse laugh. His dam then said: "Neigh, neigh, my child." Then the donkey fell on his knees and said; "I bray you don't do that again." This made an old ram in the next lot feel sheepish, and a goat outside the lane said: "Thats what you get for butting in."

SHOE VALUES

EVERYBODY will soon be looking for shoes. We quote below some exceptionally good values in footwear. While some of these are quoted at very low figures all have dependable quality. We positively will not handle a shoe that has not dependable quality. We have no "whitewashed" shoes—poor shoes highly polished. Our cheap shoes have the quality but are not as well finished as our better ones.

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Same, 8½ to 11............	90c
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OLD SORES OFFENSIVE-DANGEROUS

Nothing is more offensive than an old sore that refuses to heal. Patiently, day after day, it is treated and nursed, every salve, powder, etc., that is heard of is tried, but does no good, until the very sight of it grows offensive to the sufferer and he becomes disgusted and morbid. They are not only offensive, but dangerous, because the same germ that produces cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore. The cause is in the blood and as long as it remains the sore will be there and continue to grow worse and more destructive. The fact that thousands of old sores have been cut out and even the bones scraped, and yet they returned, is indisputable evidence that the blood is diseased and responsible for the sore or ulcer. Valuable time is lost in experimenting with external treatments, such as salves, powders, washes, etc., because the germs and poisons in the blood must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. cleanses and purifies the circulation so that it carries rich, new blood to the parts and the sore or ulcer heals permanently. S. S. S. not only removes the germs and poisons, but strengthens the blood and builds up the entire system by stimulating the organs, increasing the appetite and giving energy to the weak, wasted constitution. It is an exhilarating tonic, aids the digestion and puts every part of the body in good healthy condition. Book on the blood, with any medical advice wished, without charge.

Some years ago my blood became poisoned, and the doctor told me I would have running sores for life, and that if they were closed up the result would be fatal. Under this discouraging report I left off their treatment and resorted to the use of S. S. S. Its effects were prompt and gratifying. It took only a short while for the medicine to entirely cure up the sores, and I am not dead as the doctors intimated I would be, neither have the sores ever broken out again. JOHN W. FUNDIS.
Wheeling, W. Va., May 28, 1903.

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

On an Inclined Plane

By JOANNA SINGLE

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Henry Carroll's plight was a perplexing one. It drove the young lawyer into a dogged determination to get the girl in spite of herself. He had had a year of the ups and downs of a courtship such as only Helen Benton could have made so torturing, and yet sweetened by the hope of ultimate success. The worst of it was that he really believed that she loved him, though he had no proof beyond the fact that she refused other men right and left, was suspiciously sweet to the other girls to whom he paid the least attention and treated him in a cavalier fashion that indicated that she considered him her property.

When he asked, as he did all too often, "Nell, do you love—at all?" she would answer sweetly, "Do I act as if I did?"

He was obliged to admit that she did not. Then she continued to laugh at his courting and to turn him down whenever she so chose.

One pleasant August afternoon he sauntered to her home and invited her to go golfing. She loved golfing. He found her under the trees in a hammock in a dress of foamy blue ruffles, with a cool blue cushion under her dark little head.

"Too hot," she answered, "and I'm too lazy. Besides, I want to finish my book." She picked up her novel, leaving him to infer that he could take himself off. He did—as far as the gate—then he turned and walked back to her.

"Helen," he said slowly, "do you intend ever to marry me or not?" She looked at him with apparent coolness; something flickered to her eyes, then wavered away.

"I intend not to," she replied.

"Do you love me? Does my love mean nothing to you?"

"Make your own inferences, Henry Carroll. Tell me why I should marry at all. I am happy as I am. Why should I want a—man? Unless," she spoke meaningly, "I could find one who could make me think I wanted him."

"Nell," he said sternly, "do you realize what you are throwing away?"

"A love!" she interrupted. "A chance to wear the title of 'Mrs.'; to live in one place always; to say 'Yes, dear,' and 'No, dear;' to audit the household bills; to make and receive calls; to"—

"To be loved and protected always; to be made happy, for I can make you happy. Now you are simply idle. Nell, don't you ever look ahead to the time when your parents may leave you, when you—even you—will be no longer young? Don't you see that you need me almost as much as I need you? Aren't you afraid of old age, of not being loved? Aren't you afraid of—anything, girl?" She picked at her sleeve, then lifted serious dark eyes to his own blue ones.

"I am afraid of one thing. I"—

"What is it, sweetheart?" She sprang from the hammock and ran into the hall; then she thrust out her head and called, "I'm awfully afraid of—the dark!" And he heard the sound of retreating laughter.

Thereupon Henry Carroll betook himself and his wrath to the links, where he played very bad golf and flirted excellently with pretty Polly Cummins. Toward sunset, as he was waiting to put her into her dashing little trap, he hazarded a question:

"Miss Polly, if you were a man and wanted a girl, and she kept you dangling, but wouldn't have you, what would you do?" Polly's eyes danced. She knew Nell Benton's ways.

"Does she—care?"

"I think so, but she won't own up. She only torments me. What would you do?"

"You big, splendid, helpless thing!" she laughed. "Why, make her have you! There's nothing women like like being made to do things—by the right man. Get her where she can't help herself and make her promise to do as you wish." Still laughing, the girl drove away.

Carroll walked gloomily along the river road, turning over Polly's advice. He looked up to see a canoe coming swiftly upstream. The girl handled the paddle with easy skill. As she came closer he gasped with anger. It was Nell in her red waist—the one he liked. It was too hot to golf with him, but just right for a laborious upstream paddle by herself. He resolved to make her sorry before she got home.

Keeping carefully out of sight among the trees and bushes, he followed the river's course till Nell landed, drawing the canoe up on shore. Then she sat down on the grass with her book. After what seemed an age she arose and tried vainly to catch the lowest limb of the tree above her. Then she brought up a half dozen old boards lying near.

With more skill than Carroll thought women possessed in matters mechanical she built a rough sort of incline plane reaching halfway up the tree trunk. Then she tried to climb up, but her feet slipped. After a moment's hesitation she took off her little oxfords and then her stockings, which she stuffed into the shoes. In her bare feet she climbed easily up her platform and into the tree. She disposed herself carefully upon a large, almost horizontal limb, with her back to the trunk, and again attacked the novel.

The sun was sinking, and it began to grow cool. Carroll stole quietly away a few rods and then came striding noisily back, whistling joyfully and looking straight ahead of him in seeming unconsciousness of anything but the distant landscape. He sauntered nonchalantly under the tree, apparently not seeing Nell's scaffolding. Then he sat leisurely down upon the grass—and her shoes. He pulled out his pipe, lit it and puffed serenely, while the evening deepened into twilight and then into soft and indistinguishable gloom.

Meanwhile Helen sat breathless, with her bare feet pulled up beneath her short skirt, in imminent danger of falling if she made the slightest movement. She thought he had not seen her and would go away soon.

It had been too dark to read for some time, and it seemed ages before he rose. Helen breathed a sigh of relief, and then, as he thought better of it and lay down again, she realized how very dark it was and that she was afraid to be left alone. She set her teeth and resolved to conquer her terror. Not for worlds would she have him catch her in her present plight, especially after her bad treatment of him that very afternoon. She regretted the folly of having told him she was afraid of the dark and only hoped he took it for a joke. If he found her here he would do something to get even, and, besides, she knew that in her present softened mood she almost wanted to stop teasing him and let him sweep her into the strong, sweet current of his love. Nervous at the thought, she dropped her book. On its way to the grass it knocked Carroll's hat from his head and his pipe from his mouth.

"Hello!" he exclaimed as if to himself and in apparent surprise. "A book descending like the gentle rain from heaven! Bertha M. Clay too! A girl who would wear such ridiculous little shoes"—here he picked up and whimsically examined her oxfords—"would be just the sort of girl who reads Bertha Clay. Guess I'll take 'em home and advertise 'em." He put them in his coat pocket.

"She was kind enough to leave me her canoe too. Guess I'll go."

Nell came near screaming after him. Her canoe! How dared he! She could never walk alone, and in her bare feet, along that horrible, lonely river road.

With a gasp of terror she saw him actually launch the little shell, but when he leaped in and began to push off all the terror of the night seemed to descend bodily upon her. Like a flash she determined to brave out the situation.

"Henry! Henry Carroll! Bring back my boat this minute!"

"Hello!" he returned, paddling to shore again. "Who's there, I should like to know?"

"Nell Benton."

"Where are you? Wait till I get this thing ashore." He leaped out. "Where in the world are you, Nell?"

"In the tree," she called carelessly. "Where did you think I was?"

"At home, naturally, after what you said this afternoon."

"I changed my mind. Hand me my shoes, please," she said sweetly, tucking her toes farther up under her skirt.

"What for?" he demanded.

"To put on, so I can go home."

"I don't see it that way. The shoes are in my pocket; you saw me put them there. I saw you climb up there and waited to watch you trap yourself. You've had me up a tree a year now; now I've got you up one. Guess I'll keep you there till you promise better manners."

"Oh, never mind! I can come down without shoes. You will please go away now. Only don't take my boat." She made a motion as if to swing herself down.

"Well," he commanded, "one movement and I'll kick down this little Jacob's ladder of yours and go home, shoes, stockings, boat and all. It's my innings. You have played with me long enough. Nell, do you love me?"

"I couldn't love any one but a—gentleman," she answered sweetly.

"We'll waive that point. Do you love me?" He waited, then went on in a stern tone, "I'll give you four minutes to decide."

It is astonishing how many things can happen out of doors in four minutes. The moon came up over the hills; a quick breeze stirred everything into motion; the birds waked and twittered. Nell's blood surged hotly to her cheeks, and the tide of her unacknowledged love swelled to her lips. Still she was hardly ready to give up. Henry struck a match for another look at his watch.

"Three minutes gone! Nell, I love you. There is just another minute. I shall never ask you again. Dear"—he threw his cap to the ground and reached his arms up to her—"let me come and take you, sweetheart!" The moon silvered his fair face and softened the outlines of the rugged, handsome face upturned to her. In a heart much may happen in a minute. Nell's went out to the man below her. She stretched a hand down toward him.

"Come, then," she whispered. He heard. He leaped to her inclined plane, lifted her in his arms and swung her to the ground.

"Do you love me?" he asked as he still held her close.

"Yes. Stop that! But I'd love you more if you'd give me my shoes and go away while I put them on."

"I will on one condition—that you kiss me again." She regarded him demurely.

"I suppose," she said slowly, "that I am hardly in a position to refuse."

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Because the liver is neglected people suffer with constipation, biliousness, headaches and fevers. Colds attack the lungs and contagious diseases take hold of the system. It is safe to say that if the liver were always kept in proper working order, illness would be almost unknown.

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Reciprocal Action.

The cashier at the swell restaurant intercepted the departing guest at the door.

"I beg your pardon, sir," he said, "but you are forgetting to pay your bill."

"No," said the other, "I haven't forgotten it. I'll send the amount over in an hour or two. That's the length of time I had to wait for my dinner."—Chicago Tribune.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

MANNERS IN BUSINESS.

Brains and Good Deportment a Winning Combination.

The value of brains in business cannot be overestimated, of course; but neither can the value of manners. Don't make the error of supposing that brains are everything. You may have the best set of brains in the town, but if you haven't the manners of a gentleman nobody is going to appreciate you. Your manner is the outward indication of what you are within in the estimate of most people, and if the manner is disagreeable few will take the trouble to examine into you any further.

The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcupine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence it is in business, where cold calculation so largely takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in everyday dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on the first day of June, 1905, and terminating on the thirty-first day of May, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

H. A. JOHNSON,

On the ground floor, front room of that certain building situate near the Townsite of Wylie in said County on the following described lands:

Commencing 522 feet south of the Northeast corner of Section 25 in Twp. 152, Range 45 and 133 feet west of the range line between ranges 44 and 45; thence West 50 feet, thence South 150 feet, thence East 50 feet, thence north 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the county of Red Lake at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the second day of May, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 18th day of April, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] JAMES E. FORD,
a20-27 County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervcher, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
a20m4 Judge of Probate

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Fifty-Eight and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5,) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All our undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 15th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Raddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota. a20m25.

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Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 11th 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Elfrida Anderson of the County of Red Lake representing, among others things, that Peter John Anderson late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to S. J. Swanson granted;

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corparation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.

Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m30m4

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd., 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
a13m18 Register.

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 10th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Ole H. Haaven, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Haaven the Administrator of the estate of Ole H. Haaven deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate of the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Monday the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 10th day of, April A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District

Joseph Helm Plaintiff }
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant }

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
m23a27 Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Fifty-four and 25-100ths Dollars, which became due on the 22nd day of March, 1905, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Michael Phelan and Permelia Phelan, his wife, mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 22d day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 14 of Mortgages on pages 308 and 309. And whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage not already paid, to-wit the sum of Ninety Dollars and twenty-five cents, did become due and payable, and the said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, having duly elected to declare the whole of said sum due and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due, and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 22nd day of March, 1905, together with the further sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1905, the said sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars being for interest paid by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under and pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars executed by said Mortgagors to one Louise T. Mellen, default having been made by said Mortgagors in the payment of said interest, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (ne¼ se¼) and Lots numbered four (4) and five (5) of Section Thirty two (32), in Township 152 North of Range 41 in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of May, 1905, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and said debt of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars with the interest on said amounts as hereinbefore stated, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, the same being hereby stated to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 5, 1905.

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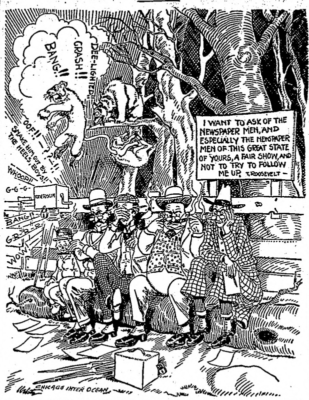
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FRUIT CROP IS BADLY DAMAGED

KILLING FROSTS ARE REPORTED IN SOUTHERN AND CENTRAL STATES.

WIND STRIPS TREES OF THEIR BLOSSOMS

Loss in Indiana Alone Estimated at $100,000—Illinois Growers Suffer Severely—Cold General in the Northwest.

Chicago, April 18.—Reports from the south and central states show that killing frosts prevailed Sunday night as far south as Kentucky, Tennessee, Maryland and Georgia, and it is feared that the fruit crop in those states has been ruined. Frost was reported in northern Florida, a fact unprecedented in the annals of that state.

Throughout the fruit belt of Michigan and Illinois there was heavy frost, and in some localities the cherry and plum trees were stripped of blossoms. Considerable damage was also reported from Ohio. Wind accompanied by severe cold stripped many trees in Indiana, as indicated by reports received at the Purdue experiment station. The loss to fruit growers in that state alone is estimated at $100,000. The loss in apples is also heavy. It is said another frost like that of Sunday night would practically ruin the entire fruit crop. The fruit in South Carolina and West Virginia is thought to be entirely ruined.

Illinois a Sufferer.

At Cairo, Ill., it is estimated fully 50 per cent. of the fruit crop is ruined and the early vegetable crop that is disposed of for the most part in the Chicago market is regarded as a total loss.

Throughout the state of Kentucky an inch of snow fell on Sunday. Nurserymen say that the snow saved the fruit and the young tobacco there to some extent, but that it is a little early to tell just what the damage is. The snow extended down into Tennessee and Georgia, and even to West Virginia.

In southern Kansas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Alabama abnormally low temperatures were reported, but there was no killing frost. In southern Kansas there was a light fall of snow, changing to rain later.

Cold General in Northwest.

Sunday in Chicago was a day of high winds that penetrated to the marrow. The wind was accompanied by frequent flurries of snow that swept the streets. The cold was general also in the northwest. The weather experts are unable to account for the remarkably abnormal conditions in the weather. An area of high pressure originating in the far northwest Friday overspread the entire country gradually, and there was no relief till a low area, or storm center, appeared in the far northeast.

To Build Colony in Cuba.

Red Lodge, Mont., April 18.—Several hundred Finnish miners and farmers of this vicinity, all ardent socialists, are planning the establishment of a colony near Havana, Cuba, in which socialistic doctrines will be carried out to the letter. Alexander Carson, as agent, has left for Cuba to negotiate for the purchase of land, and the other members of the colony will leave as soon as the deal is closed.

Two Students Probably Drowned.

Charlevoix, Mich., April 18.—John Paddock and Carl Lamphead, both 17 years old and high-school students, are supposed to have been drowned Sunday in Pine lake while canoeing to Ironton, seven miles from here. A stiff wind was blowing and there was a good deal of ice running in the lake. They did not reach Ironton and Monday their canoe was found near an ice floe.

WILL SEEK INDICTMENTS

CHICAGO EMPLOYERS TO GO BEFORE GRAND JURY.

Charge Conspiracy Against Several of Strike Leaders—No Peace Yet in Sight.

Chicago, April 18.—With the convening of the April grand jury Monday the Chicago Employers' association is said to be completing arrangements to seek the indictment of several leaders in the teamsters' strike. Sufficient evidence has been secured by detectives, it is claimed, to warrant the voting of true bills on the charge of conspiracy against the leaders, and of violence and intimidation against over a score of pickets.

The testimony to be introduced before the grand jury is said to be to the effect that a certain official of the Garment Workers' union paid $200 to each of six officials of the teamsters' organization, in consideration of which they called the "sympathetic" strike. It is claimed this officer of the Garment Workers' union kept $200 for his own share of the enterprise.

The strike situation remains practically where it was last week. Mayor Dunne has not abandoned hope of bringing about peace, but both sides of the controversy stand firm.

The largest number of wagons brought into use during the strike were taken from the barns Monday. There were 23 of them. Some of these wagons had been loaded Saturday afternoon, and were driven direct to various freight houses, while the remaining wagons were taken to the main building of Montgomery Ward & Co. and to the warehouse, Monroe and Jefferson streets.

Violence began almost with the beginning of the day's operations, and the police had considerable trouble with the strikers.

Death of General Payne.

Washington, April 18.—Gen. Halbert E. Payne, a lawyer of national reputation, died here, aged 80 years. He was born in Chardon, O., and was conspicuous as a defender of Washington during Gen. Jubal A. Early's raid in 1864. He was a Wisconsin member of the house of representatives from 1865 to 1871. Gen. Payne's work on "Contested Elections" was used as an authority in the Hayes-Tilden controversy. He was a law partner of Carl Schurz in New York for several years.

He Took Revenge.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 18.—Because he had been ejected from a boarding house at Luzerne, a suburb of this city, Andrew Bygash, a Hungarian, blew up the building early Sunday morning with dynamite. He placed a stick of the explosive under one corner of the house, and the entire rear portion of the structure, the kitchen and two bedrooms over it were completely wrecked by the explosion. Fortunately the 15 inmates escaped injury. Bygash is in jail.

Killed His Sixth Man.

Albany, Ga., April 18.—John Manier, marshal of Pretoria, Ga., was shot and almost instantly killed Saturday night by Pete Thomas, a negro. Thomas had been creating some disorder. The negro was captured about noon Sunday by Sheriff Edwards, having been twice wounded as he ran from the scene of the tragedy. He made the statement to the officer who arrested him that Manier was the sixth man whose life he had taken.

Anti-Tuberculosis Congress.

Atlanta, Ga., April 18.—The American anti-tuberculosis congress assembled in the hall of representatives at the state capitol Monday with an attendance of about 490 physicians from nearly every part of the United States east of the Rocky mountains and several prominent representatives from European centers.

FOUR SPEECHES ON RETURN TRIP

INVITATIONS THAT WILL PROBABLY BE ACCEPTED BY THE PRESIDENT.

THREE ADDRESSES LIKELY AT CHICAGO

Itinerary Is Being Arranged by Secretary Loeb—Roosevelt Bags First Bear While on Way to Hunting Camp.

Glenwood Springs, Col., April 18.—Up to noon Monday the expected courier from President Roosevelt had not arrived, and no word had been received by Secretary Loeb. The secretary says he does not expect word from the camp more than two or three times a week, at the most.

The itinerary for the return trip of the president to Washington is nearly completed. There will be but two stops for receptions of a formal character. These are to be at Denver, where the board of trade will give a dinner, and at Chicago, where the president will attend a dinner by the Merchants' club, a reception by the Hamilton club and a dinner by the Iroquois club. The dates for the engagements depend upon what time the president concludes his hunt. Secretary Loeb will inform the organizations whose hospitality the president will accept as soon as anything definite is received from the hunters' camp. There will be the usual number of water-tank stops en route home, but the invitations mentioned are the only ones to be acceped out of a deluge that has poured in on headquarters here. It is likely the president will make three speeches at Chicago and one in Denver. The return trip will be over the Union Pacific to Omaha, over the Chicago & Northwestern to Chicago, and over the Pennsylvania to Washington.

First Bear Killed.

Newcastle, Col., April 18.—President Roosevelt, with customary good luck, bagged his first bear Saturday before he even had come within sight of his new hunting camp. The animal, a 600-pound cinnamon, crossed the trail of the hunting party 15 miles from here, and the dogs took up the chase. After a hard run of a half hour bruin was overtaken. The president, throwing himself from his horse, awaited his opportunity and brought down the game. The animal was skinned by John Goff, the guide, and the party proceeded, reaching the camp at five o'clock.

Blizzard in Camp.

Denver, Col., April 18.—A special to the News from Newcastle, Col., says that a fierce blizzard raged at Camp Roosevelt, 25 miles south of there, Sunday. So violent was the storm that no one ventured out of doors. The greater part of the day was spent by the president and party around the camp fires telling hunting stories.

LID IS ON IN ST. LOUIS.

New State Sunday Closing Law Is Strictly Observed in Missouri Metropolis.

St. Louis, April 18.—For the first time in six years St. Louis was a "dry" town for 24 hours, and for the first time in history the "dryness" was complete, even side doors being closed. Not only was it a dry Sunday, but it was a shaveless, shineless, smokeless and almost a hungry Sunday, as well. Promptly at midnight Saturday night the saloons' lights were extinguished and the patrons were requested to depart at once. Barber shops immediately closed, news and cigar stands followed suit, small grocery shops and delicatassen stores shut up their shops and the large downtown restaurants did not open their doors during the day. There seemed to have been a preconcerted action among all classes of caterers to the public that if the latter wanted the so-called "lid" placed on St. Louis during the Sabbath, that the proprietors of the stores should cooperate, and practically all business, except drug stores, was suspended for 24 hours.

Kansas City, Mo., April 18.—The state Sunday closing law was strictly enforced Sunday, as on the two previous Sundays. Only saloons are affected, however, and restaurants, cigar stores, news stands and barber shops observed their usual hours.

Gift to Five Colleges.

Chicago, April 18.—Dr. Daniel K. Pearsons, whose generosity has enriched scores of fresh-water colleges, celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday Saturday and declared that he will devote the remainder of his years to giving away the balance of his fortune. For years the doctor has marked his birthday by giving a large donation to some educational institution, and he said the annual contribution, amounting to $150,000, would go to the mountain schools of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia.

Was Oldest Lighthouse Keeper.

Laporte, Ind., April 18.—Miss Harriette E. Colfax, a cousin of Former Vice President Schuyler Colfax and for 43 years keeper of the Michigan City lighthouse on Lake Michigan, is dead, aged 81 years. Until her retirement last fall, Miss Colfax was the oldest lighthouse keeper in the United States service.

D. A. R. in Session.

Washington, April 18.—The annual meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution began in this city Monday afternoon. The sessions will be held in the new Memorial Continental hall, which was dedicated Monday.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Julius Pleth, the Plummer land boomer, was a county seat visitor Sunday.

Wm. J. Harlow was at Thief River Falls Saturday visiting relatives and friends.

County Treasurer Hansen spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at Thief River Falls.

The ten-year-old daughter of Commissioner Wm. C. Demann has been sick the past few days.

Palm Sunday was appropriately observed by the Catholic churches in the city last Sunday.

K. O. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller at this place Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr, and Mrs. V. M. Higinbotham moved Monday into the house recently vacated by S. C. Nauman.

Mrs. J. E. Argue was at Crookston over Sunday visiting her brother, Sam E. Hunt, at the hospital.

Section foremen on the Northern Pacific have received orders that all ties put in this spring must be stripped from all bark, as a preventative from rot and decay, and the carrying out of the instructions will mean a considerable amount of work. The setting will be started within the next few days if the present weather continues and section men are already being placed at work stripping the ties.

A marriage license was issued last week to James Bulman and Miss Maybury, of Thief River Falls. The young couple were married the first of this week and passed through this place Monday evening on their wedding trip. Friends boarded the train here and showered them with rice, a custom as old as the hills but one that usually attracts too much attention to suit the parties interesteb.

It is astonishing how many people appear to think that it is the business of a newspaper to jump in and lambast everything in sight at the request of any modest individual who has not the nerve to move a hen off her nest. If any honest man has occasion to rake a brother citizen over the coals on account of a personal or public grievance, he can send in a letter over his own name and if it is not a libel, we shall let him see how it looks in print.

While two young ladies were driving into town Sunday the holdback strap of their harness broke as they were driving down the hill just east of the bridge. The horse ran away with them but was stopped at the east approach of the bridge by Nick Majeres who was driving a team and leading four horses, Mr. Majeres saw the runaway horse in time to run it into his outfit and it was thus stopped before any serious damage was done. The young ladies escaped uninjured, but their buggy was damaged somewhat.

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The School Exhibit at the Lafayette Building a Good One.

Have you seen the school exhibit at the Lafayette school building this week? If not, take a half hour off next Saturday afternoon and go over and see what progress our school children are making. The exhibit consists of work done by the pupils of the different grades in both the Lafayette and Washington schools. The work was not especially prepared for exhibition purposes but is the every day work of the scholars.

The display of penmanship and free hand drawing from memory is of the best, and announces the fact that the work is far superior to the average school, and also demonstrates that the youngsters are unusually bright and advanced for their years. We saw a number of specimens of penmanship done by pupils from eight to ten years old that were better than a whole lot of grown folks could do. The exhibit of maps and the work of the primary scholars is especially good, and the teachers and scholars are to be commended upon the excellent showing made.

Go and see the work Saturday and show your appreciation of a good school. If enough interest is taken in this display one will be given at a future date.

LAST OF THE SEASON.

Band Concert Next Monday Evening to be the Last One.

Monday evening's band concert will be the last indoor concert of the season. A strong program has been prepared for the occasion and it is to be hoped that a large crowd will turn out to hear the last performance. Besides the band numbers several vocal and instrumental solos have been arranged for, and there will be the usual recitation numbers.

If you enjoy an evening of music be sure to attend next Monday evenihg's concert.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

A Big Minstrel Coming.

Frank Mahara's Big Minstrel Carnival numbering in all thirty colored artists and a big concert will be here Thursday, April 27. Frank Mahara this season has captured nearly all the old time favorites in the colored race for his big show. Foremost among them is Skinner Harris, who is professionally known as the "Black Ezra Kendall," and he is without doubt the greatest colored performer of the age. Mahara's big concert band will give a street parade at arrival of train and a concert at 7:30 p. m.

Believes Spring is Good.

Crookston Times: S. M. Sivertson of Red Lake Falls, who spent last evening in the city conferring with Manager Sandberg of the Crookston Milling company believes the present spring is a very favorable one despite the cold weather which prevails. The fields are in better condition for spring work, according to Mr. Sivertson's view, than for a number of years past and he thinks there is no reason at the present time why the crop should not go into the ground in good shape and on time. The farmers as a rule have plenty of seed and are in good shape for the spring work.

A Great Railroad Station.

The plans for the New York Central's new station in New York City have just been made public. They involve the use of an area equal to over nineteen city blocks, between Forty-second and Fifty-seventh streets, Madison and Lexington avenues. There will be three levels, the suburban trains entering on the lowest level. At first the station will have something like 52 railroad tracks. We are getting so used to things on a big scale that we are not surprised at anything, yet the achievements of golden grain belt beer in building up strong bodies and strong minds are truly astonishing. If you haven't a case in your home, better order today of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

SIMONS WILL NAME THEM.

Census Enumerators Soon to Commence Counting Noses.

Governor Johnson has signed the state census bill and preparations will be made at once for enumeration by Secretary of State Peter E. Hanson, under whose direction the count will be made. Quarters have been selected in the capitol building for the corps of clerks.

There will be about 3,000 enumerators put at work in the state, and the positions will be given out on the recommendation of the senators and representatives. L. C. Simons, the representative from this county will have the naming of the census enumerators for this county, and those who want jobs counting noses should apply to him at once. In fact Mr. Simons has already received a number of applications for positions but up to this time he has recommended no one for appointment.

The compensation in towns of 5,000 population or more is $2 for every 100 names, in towns of 5,000 population or less, $2.25 for every 100 names. In sparcely settled communities the enumerators will receive 2½ cents for each name. The division of territory will be practically the same as when the national census was taken. Each town and village will have its enumerator.

It is estimated that the state will show a material increase in population for the five years past. The estimates made give the greatest percentage of increase to the cities and villages, but the rural districts will, it is predicted, show a pronounced gain.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

BADGER.

Medore Ducharme entertained a few of his friends Sunday afternoon

Messrs. Theo. and Albert Ducharme were visitors here Sunday.

W. A. Pope called at M, Quesnell's and O. Robillard's Monday on business.

Rodolph Ducharme, of Perrault, was an over night visitor at L. St. Ives Sunday.

Willie Montruil drove to Crookston Saturday with a load of furniture for Mr. Dubuque.

Mrs. M. Quesnell and Mrs. O. Robillard are numbered among the sick this week.

Telesphore Cote, who has been here for several weeks, left last week for Crookston.

Messers. Arthur Preneveau and Ernest Sauve spent Sunday evening with E. Quesnell.

Alfred Morinville, who has been away for several months, arrived home Saturday.

Monday and Tuesday most of the Badger people drove to the Falls to do their shopping.

Dona Laurent, accompanied by his sister, Miss Cora, and Miss Alice Quesnell, spent Saturday evening at the Sam Sabourin home.

L. C. Cadieux, of Terrebonne, spent a few days here last week with his mother, Mrs. St. Ives,

A number of youngsters met at the M. Quesnell home Sunday evening and enjoyed themselves immensely.

Miss Katie McAnulty, who has been visiting with the home folks since Friday evening, returned to her school Sunday evening.

Regis Gagnon, who has been sick for a number of weeks, is still confined to his home. His many friends hope he may soon be able to be about.

Master Louis Quesnell and his little brother Joseph drove to Perrault Station on business Saturday and were accompanied home by Albert Ducharme.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

Private Cars.

The rolling palaces of today are expensive luxuries. A private car costs from $18,000 to $30,000. Of course everyone cannot have a private car but the compartments on North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago are cozily arranged and the privacy of the home is enjoyed.

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WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Burglars got busy at Bemidji last week.

Peddlers have to pay a license of $15 a day at Wadena.

Crookston is to have a big base ball benefit this week.

Wadena's city attorney serves without compensation.

Little Falls is already figuring on a street fair next September.

Crookston stores will close at 7:30 p. m. during the summer months.

Fosston's village council will grant no pool or billard table licenses the ensuing year.

Frazee and Perhm recently indulged in a bowling match in which Frazee was the victor.

Mrs. Mary Demotte, of Crookston, has fallen heir to $75,000 by the death of an uncle who lived in Illinois.

The Great Northern will move the headquarters of the northern division from Grand Forks to Crookston.

Woman at Foley, Minn., wouldn't stand for any hugging and shot the would-be-hugger; bear weighed 312 pounds.

The village of Granville, on the Red River, will be moved in its entirety to a location on the Soo, where it crosses the river.

Mrs. J. M. Richards left Bemidji last week for Iowa and from that state Mr. and Mrs. Richards will go to Europe for a trip on the continent.

Warroad, on the Lake of the Woods expects to be the county seat of a county to be formed in the future of parts of Roseau and Beltrami counties.

As a result of voting out license at Fosston the village council has refunded to the saloon men the sum of $2,853.57 for unexpired licenses.

Smallpox has been pretty nearly all stamped out of Argyle and there are but a very few cases in the town, and none of them of a dangerous character.

Three shooting accidents to boys in Murray county last week. One got his hand shot off, the other's stomach was punctured, and the third one got it in the neck. All live.

Mischievous boy released a pocketful of garter snakes in chapel at MacAlister College, Minneapolis, and created a wild time among the girls. Prayers were suspended; so was the boy.

For printing an article prejudicia to Dr. Koch and mailing copies of the paper to jurors, Editor Leisch of the New Ulm Journal has been cited to appear before Judge Gray for contempt of court.

Crookston's council and Mayor Mix met in secret session one night last week and it said "a warm time" was had. The trouble was over salaries and the Mayor's appointments and several councilmen were hoarse from too much talking.

Benson's store at Erskine was robbed of a considerable amount of goods and some cash one night last week. The men who did the deed got away before the robbery was discovered and have not been heard of since.

McIntosh will hold a monster creamery meeting Saturday, April 22d. The purpose of the meeting is to suggest and outline practical methods of changing from an all wheat basis that of mixed to farming and dairying.

John D. Miller, a nineteen-year-old boy living between Bagley and Shevlin, was arrested recently at Bemidji charged with forgery. He attempted to pass checks drawn on the Crookston Lumber Co., When arrested nineteen bogus checks were found upon his person.

Young lady at Perham, wrote her name and address on an egg that was sent to market. It may hatch out a husband, for a man in New York saw the name on one of a couple of hard-boiled eggs he had ordered at a resturant and sent a letter and two photographs.

Matt Garmon, mayor of the village of Spooner in northern Beltrami county, was killed last week by revolver shots fired through a window of a hotel barroom at Beaudette. It is said the deed was instigated by a mob of the rougher element of the town who were angry at recent arrests made.

Fertile Journal: The Bakke sidewalk case, which was about to be appealed to the supreme court, was this week settled out of court by the plaintiff making a compromise with the village fathers. The case was settled for $500, $100 less than the jury gave Mrs. Bakke and her husband at the last term of court. Thus endeth the village's first sidewalk damage case.

The Benefit of Advertising.

Occasionally there is found an advertiser who expects to reap an instant profit upon his investment. He advertises and awaits the rush of custom and if it does not come as soon as time has been had to read the advertisment, he argues that advertising is no good.

One might just as well expect to sow wheat to-day and eat bread from it to-morrow as to expect instant returns from advertising. Advertising is cumulative. The good advertiser is like a good farmer, the good lawyer, the good promoter—he keeps everlastingly at it. Advertising will build up and enlarge any business as has been demonstrated thousands and hundreds of thousands of times, but the process is a gradual one. It is slow but certain.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Wisdom about everything except women increases with a man's years.

A Daredevil Ride

often ends in a sad accident. To heal accidental injuries, use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "A deep wound in my foot, from an accident, writes Theodore Schuele, of Columbus, O., "caused me great pain. Physicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly healed it." Soothes and heals burns like magic. 25c at all druggists.

A New Era in Trains Pacific Transportation.

The Great Northern Steamship Company in placing in service between Seattle, Wash., and Yokohama. Nagasaki, Kobe, Shanghai and Hong Kong, the magnificent American built steamships the "Minnesota" and the "Dakota" a new era in transportion facilities between the United State and the Orient. These magnificent steamships with their superior facilities in handling immense freight cargoes and the luxurious appointments for passenger travel has given an impetus to our oriental trade. The North Pacific Route to the Orient is rapidly becoming the popluar one and now that the two palatial steamships, "Minnesota" and "Dakota" have been put in commission, there is no question but that o further greater increase in our trade with the Orient as well increased passenger travel to Asiatic ports will be inaugurated. The first sailing of the "Minnesofa," in addition to carrying the largest cargo to the Orient ever carried by any ship in the world, as well as an extensive passenger list, augura well for the future.

The "Minnesota" will sail on its next voyage to the Orient on Saturday, April 29th and it will not be amiss to say here that the excellence of her passenger accommodations will be heralded to the travelling public of the United States by all who enjoyed the pleasant voyage across the Pacific on her first trip, as furnishing the acme of travel comfort. The fact that the superior accommodations of the Great Northern Steamship Company in connection with the comfortable journey afforded by the Great North Railway to Seattle, the sailing point of the "Minnesota," will make this route the popular one from occident to Oaient.

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SUMMER TRAINING SCHOOL

To Be Held at Red Lake Falls During July—Prof. Yaeger to be Conductor.

St. Paul, April 27—Special to THE COURIER: Red Lake county is to have a summer school again this year. It will be held at Red Lake Falls commencing July 5 and continuing four weeks. Prof. C. S. Yaeger of Fosston will be the conductor, and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre of Red Lake Falls will have charge of the primary and model school work. The other instructor has not as yet been decided upon.

It is not often that summer schools are given the same county in successive years, but Superintendent Olson believes that the newer counties of northern Minnesota deserve liberal treatment by reason of the fact that the teachers in that section are a long way from the state normal schools.

Would Like the List.

Minneapolis Journal: Speaking of the campaign lie with regard to Governor Johnson's unfortunate father, by the circulation of which certain persons hoped to accomplish Mr. Johnson's defeat, the Tribune says: "We do know that some very decent persons were so carried away by misguided partizanship as to try very hard to get it before the public. They got what they deserved when the cry of persecution elected Johnson." It would be interesting to see a list of those "very decent persons." if the Tribune has it handy.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

MUCH MARRIED MAN.

A Thief River Falls Man Has too Many Wives.

Martin Gulbranson, a citizen of Thief River Falls, is in trouble because he has one to many wives. He formely lived in Polk county near East Grand Forks where he deserted his wife and disappeared. He went to the city on the north and engaged in the hotel business and thinking a helpmate would be of assistance he proceeded to get married to wife number two without securing a divorce from wife number one.

His first wife learned of his whereabouts last winter and proceeded to bring him to justice, but Gulbranson became aware of the fact and skipped to Canada. Deputy Sheriff Jarman caught him one day recently at St. Vincent and brought him back to Thief River. He was given a hearing Monday before Municipal Judge Bischop, County Attorney Germo prosecuting. Gulbranson waived examination and was bound over to appear before the grand jury. He gave bonds in the sum of $1,000 and was released.

It is said that wife number two is threatening to make trouble also and the affair promises to be sensational in the extreme before it is settled.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

CHILDREN LOOSE THEIR LIVES

Terrebonne Children Set Fire to Straw Stack Last Evening and are Suffocated.

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pourier, living two miles east of Terrebonne, lost their lives last evening by the burning of a straw stack. Three children, aged seven, five and four, set fire to an old straw stack, and becoming alarmed at what they had done crawled into a hole in the stack to escape detection. The oldest child concluded he had better tell his parents so went to the house and informed them of what had taken place. The parents immediately rushed to the scene of the disaster but arrived too late to save the younger children, who were found in the stack smothered to death.

It is a most appaling calamity for the family and heartfelt sympathies of the entire community are extended to them in their time of great sorrow.

Cooking by Electricity.

In many of the big department stores nowadays, there is an exhibition of cooking by electricity. No dirt, no ashes, no dust, no superfluous heat, no fire; nothing but as high a temperature as you want in the cooking apparatus, and that only so long as you want it. With all this cleanliness it is no cleaner than the brewing of golden grain belt beer, the purest and most refreshingly healthful beer that was ever put on the market. If you ever saw it brewed, you would have no other. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

AN ENJOYABLE OCCASION.

Band Concert and Dance Monday Evening a Great Success.

The last indoor concert of the season by the Red Lake Falls band was given at the Metropolitan opera house Monday evening. The occasion was a success in every particular. The music was good and there was a large audience present. The band numbers were all rendered in an artistic manner and brought out a hearty response from the crowd present.

A trombone and cornet duet by Harry B. and Ralph L. Healy, with a piano accompanment by Leland E. Healy, was a most pleasing number and one that was thoroughly enjoyed by the people. After the concert a large number remained for the dance. The music for the dancers was furnished by the band orchestra and a delightful time was had by those present for two or three hours.

Beginning during the month of May the band will give outdoor concerts every two weeks. This popular amusement will be given our citizens during the entire summer and will no doubt be thoroughly enjoyed by all.

VIEWS AND INTERVIEWS.

Ed. L. Healy—Land business is looking good. I have more business in sight than for three or four years.

N. W. Tarrant—I have the best chickens in Northern Minnesota. Got thirty-five or forty new chicks already and there's more coming. Finest climate in the world for chickens.

Station Agent Tracy—I refuse to be interviewed as I may be misquoted and it would have a bad effect on the stock market. By the way, you will be out to band practice this evening, won't you?

County Treasurer Hansen—Real estate taxes are coming in quite lively these days. I wish you would tell the people that in order to save the ten per cent penalty, which is added June 1st, half of the real estate tax should be paid before the 31st day of May. Tell them not to wait until the last day. I'll be busy.

B. P. Berthon—I wish something could be done to develope the immense water power we have at this place, and nothing would do me so much good as to see all this power that is going to waste utilized and made use of by manufacturing plants. We have everything that nature can give us for a beautiful and prosperous city and I hope the time is not far distant when we shall see the banks of our rivers lined with manufacturing concerns.

M. O. Sortedahl—I look for quite a movement in land the coming season. We have a number of inquiries and everything points to a successful year's business.

The Generous Rich Man.

Albert Lea Enterprise: Henry Clews, the Wall street banker, trust promoter and stock washer, says that "American rich men are the most generous men on the earth and can be trusted to deal generously in distributing their wealth" If the rich men would pay fair salaries to their employes, reduce rents, cease to establish trust which raise the prices on our food, there would be no necessity for distributing charity to the poor. The money so distributed by the rich, which they call "charity." is in fact the money earned by the sweat of the poor man's brow. by the average business man of middle classes and by the "common people" generally. All these are as capable of enjoying in their own way, of distributing the inordinate surplus which many of the rich have unjustly and unlawfully sequesteres, as are the rich—and the great majority spurn charity. All they ask is a fair chance—and "a square deal."

Private Cars.

The rolling palaces of today are expensive luxuries. A private car costs from $18,000 to $30,000. Of course everyone cannot have a private car but the compartments on North-Western Limited from Minneapolis and St. Paul to Chicago are cozily arranged and the privacy of the home is enjoyed.

TO TOUR THE WEST.

Samuel Gibeau Will Make an Extended Trip in the Western Country.

Friday evening Samuel Gibeau, of the Bank of Red Lake Falls, will leave for an extended trip through the western states. He plans on going west over the Great Northern route, returning on the Canadian Pacific. His present plans include visiting the states of Montana, Washington, Oregon and California. He will take in San Francisco and Los Angles, California, having relatives at the latter place with whom he will visit for a number of days.

The trip is a combination of business and pleasure and no doubt it will prove a most pleasant outing for Mr. Gibeau.

Washington School Notes.

(Etta Pahlen, reporter.)

The Fifth Grade is now studying Asia.

Lloyd Moran has been absent from school for several days.

Vacation is over and the scholars have started in again with a vim.

Mr. Healy has finished "Julian Mortimer" which he was reading.

The fourth grade of Miss Norby's room has about finished their arithmetic.

Irene Schusser, of the first room, was absent Monday for the first time this year.

The fifth grade took their examination in history at the close of last term.

It is time for spring cleaning. Room four cleaned house Tuesday morning.

Clarence Grady, who has been attending St. Joseph's school, began school here on Monday.

The "B" class of the first room have received new books entitled "Sun Bonnet Babies."

The scholars who were sent home by the health officer have all returned to school again.

Our long talked of visiting day happened during vacation and our school had a good display.

Edward Beaulieu, who was to have been the other reporter for this week, has left school for the balance of the year.

Miss Norby has finished "American Life and Adventure" which she has been reading to the third and fourth grades.

Wednesday afternoon before vacation the fifth grade of the Lafayette school visited our school, and we returned the call the next day.

Monday morning Mr. Healy was late to his school on account of being away during vacation. His brother took his place until he arrived.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

HEARING IN BELTRAMI CASE

W. A. McIntyre, Red Lake Falls Attorney, Appointed Member of Investigating Commission.

The hearing on the charges of malfeasance in office against County Commissioners F. O. Sibley and Wes Wright and County Attorney Herbert J. Loud of Beltrami county, preferred by Public examiner P. M. Kerst, will begin next Tuesday, May 2.

On Tuesday Governor Johnson appointed W. A. McIntyre, the well known Red Lake Falls lawyer, as the third member of the commission to take the evidence and probe the charges. The other two members of the commission are Cleve W. Van Dyke of Alexandria, executive clerk of the governor, and Graham M. Torrance of Bemidji. Royal A. Stone, assistant attorney general, will represent the state.

A formal statement of the charges against the Beltrami county officials was filed with Gov. Johnson yesterday by Public Examiner Kerst.

WANT A STARCH FACTORY.

Some of our Business Men and Farmers Favor the Idea.

There has been considerable talk among some of our business men and farmers in regard to building a starch factory at this place. No doubt such an institution would be a paying investment and we are located most admirably for the successful handling of an enterprise of this character. With the abundant water power we enjoy and the splendid soil for the raising of potatoes a starch factory could easily be made a success, and a number of farmers have expressed a willingness to help such a cause along.

One gentleman living near Brooks was in the city recently and said he was ready to sign a contract to raise 20 acres of potatoes for five years, and would willingly haul the product the eighteen miles from his farm to this city if such a factory could be built.

THE COURIER believes a movement of this sort would meet with the hearty support and co-operation of a large number of people, and some enterprising man should take hold of the matter and see what can be done. There is no reason why Red Lake Falls should not become a manufacturing center with the water power that is here for the asking.

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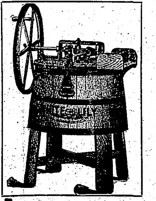

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If you always agree with a woman she thinks you are foolish; if you contradict with her she gets mad.

If girls spent as much time acquiring useful knowledge as they do wondering how an engagement ring would look on their finger the world would soon be full of female philosophers.

A woman always thinks she is getting goods for nothing if she can pay for them with a check.

Few women believe that part of the bible which says there are no marriages in heaven.

After a man has been married twenty years nothing makes him so much like a fool as to have his wife read his old love letter to him.

A woman can think of more things that has to be done in thirty minutes after her husband goes to bed than she can in all day when he is up and around the house.

A girl whom money could not hire to do housework for a woman will galdly do it for nothing for some man.

When science removes all obstacle from the pathway of men, greatness will cease to exist.

The man who stays the most away from his home nights is the one that talks the most about women gadding.

The girl with diamond rings always claims it is her deal at a card party.

Nothing makes a middle aged gray-haired wife so provoked as to have her husband's hair and beard retain its natural color.

Pirating Foley's Honey and Tar.

Foley's & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remecy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It containe no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Clergy Taking Courage.

In the course of his sermon in Plymouth church, Brooklyn, Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Dwight Hillis referred to the gift of $100,000 made by John D. Rockfeller to the American board of foreign missions and to Mr. Rockefeller's son. He said in part:

"The saddest words that have been written in this generation were spoken before Brown university by a young man who is to inherit one of the greatest fortunes in this country. They were spoken in defense of the trusts. Listen to them:

"'The American Beauty rose can be produced in all its splendor only by sacrificing the early buds that grow up around it. The rose has 1,000 buds, and in order to produce the American Beauty the gardener goes abound it with a knife and snips 999, in order that all the strength and beauty may be forced into one bloom.'

In his economic argument this young man tells the working classes, brutally, that 999 small business men must be snuffed out of existence in order that his American Beauty, the trust may produced.'

"Listen to Christ: 'Let the strong bear the burdens of the weak;' and again, 'Give and it shall be given unto you.

"These words in defense of the trusts are the most heart-breaking things in literature to those who know what is going to come in the future.

Can you wonder that after that, when a man gives gifts we have no gratitude to returns?"

It augers well for the church and for our country when leading churchmen openly spurn princely gifts from public hold-up indiyiduals or oppressive trusts.

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physcians said that W. M. Smitbart, of Pekin, Ia., has incurable comsuption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Comsumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure," Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and $1.00 bottles at all druggist, Trial bottle free.

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Kidney trouble olten ends fatally, but by choosing the right, medicine, E. H. Wolfe, of Bear Grove, Iowa, cheated death. He says: "Two years ago I had Kidney Trouble, which caused me great pain, suffering and anxiety, but I took Electric Bitters, which effected a complete cure. I have also found them of great benefit in general debility and nerve trouble, and keep them constantly on hand, since, as I find they have no equal." All druggist, guarantees them at 50c.

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DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

It is said Mrs. Astor wore nearly $300,000 worth of diamonds at the ball recently given by her.

Mme. Patti will sing at a concert in St. Petersburg for the benefit of the Russian wounded. She made her first great success in that city.

Miss Jessie A. Voorhees, daughter of Dr. Edward B. Voorhees, director of the New Jersey horticulture experiment station, holds the position of horticulturist and is doing very efficient work.

Mrs. Alfred Chapin of New York is believed to own the finest collection of black diamonds in the country. Most of Mrs. Chapin's sable gems came from the province of Bahia, Brazil, and nearly all are of exceptional beauty.

Miss Mary Gillette of Stowe, Vt., is the possessor of an heirloom that is deserving of mention. It is a sampler that was worked in the year 1700 by Mary Kingston, who afterward became the mother of General Greene of Revolutionary fame.

Lady Rachel Byng, daughter of the Earl of Stratford, conducts a school for millinery for gentlewomen, where a training is given both for those who wish to start in business for themselves and others whose only interest is to make their own hats.

Mrs. Ingeborg Nelson, mother of United States Senator Knute Nelson of Minneapolis, is over ninety years old, but is still in good health and spirits and passes much of her time carding and spinning wool, an art which she learned as a child in the mountains of Norway.

INDUSTRIAL ITEMS.

Peru exported last year 8,000 tons of cotton, while Brazil produced nearly 300,000 bales.

The lumber output of the mills in the Minneapolis district alone last year was 718,230,481 feet.

Mexico and the United States together furnish about 72 per cent of the silver output of the world.

The art of coloring wood has made great progress in Sweden. The dye is forced under heavy pressure into the wood and replaces the sap to a length of thirteen feet.

The deepest working coal mine in Great Britain is at Pendleton, Manchester. Here coal is now being got at a depth of 3,483 feet below the surface. The deepest mine in the world is in Belgium, coal being got at a depth of 3,773 feet below the surface.

LEWIS-CLARK FEATURES.

"Hit the trail" is to be the slogan of the Pacific northwest in connection with the Lewis and Clark centennial.

The American inn at the Lewis and Clark centennial, which will be erected on the exposition grounds, will contain more than 600 guest rooms.

The new building for the Lewis and Clark centennial, made necessary by the demands for exhibit space, will contain 90,000 feet of floor space.

The project of a camping ground, to be located on the hills behind the Lewis and Clark exposition, is being agitated. Those favoring the project argue that farmers and ranchers will want to drive to Portland during the fair and camp out and that eastern people will enjoy the novelty of a few days of tent life.

TRAIN AND TRACK.

The American Mechanic says that in railroad building the crossties now cost twice as much as the rails.

The guards of the London, Tilbury and South End railway have received orders to refuse in future to accept tips from passengers.

In 1834 one of the leading railroads of the United States printed on its time table, "The locomotive will leave the depot every day at 10 o'clock if the weather is fair."

At last the Prince of Montenegro has ordered that a railroad be built throughout the principality to connect with the trunk line of the Servian state railways. The line will be one meter gauge, and work will be commenced in the early spring.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The king of the Belgians is one of the largest landed proprietors in the world. In addition to his thousands of acres in Africa and in Belgium, he owns two estates of considerable extent in France.

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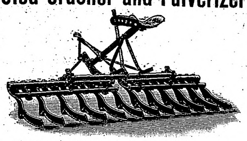

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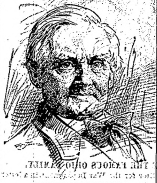
NOTED MEN ARE CALLED BY DEATH

THE EMINENT ACTOR, JOSEPH JEFFERSON, DIES AT PALM BEACH, FLA.

Gained Fame in Portrayal of the Character of "Rip Van Winkle"—Death of United States Senator Orville H. Platt, of Connecticut.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 24.—Joseph Jefferson, the eminent actor, died at his home, "The Reefs," at Palm Beach at 6:15 Sunday evening. The end came after a day of unconsciousness and after a [illegible] struggle of days, which had exhausted his vitality. The sickness of Mr. Jefferson which ended in his death was contracted, it is believed, while on a recent visit to his son, Charles B. Jefferson, at Hobe sound, a few miles above Palm Beach, where he went to meet his friend, former President Cleveland. It is believed that from a slight indiscretion in his eating there, he suffered an attack of indigestion. Since his return to his home his condition grew steadily worse, with slight rallies, until the end.


JOSEPH JEFFERSON.

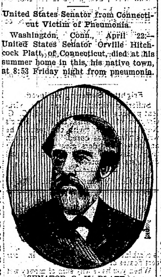
Dean of the Profession.

Joseph Jefferson was born in Philadelphia February 20, 1829, and was looked upon as the dean of the dramatic profession in this country. He first appeared on the stage as a child and during his career has played in a number of foreign countries. His great reputation was made in Rip Van Winkle, which he played in almost every city in the United States. Up to 1857 Mr. Jefferson is said to have merely attained the standing of a respectable stock actor, but in that year he became associated with Laura Keene's theater in New York city. Mr. Jefferson there became prominent in the role of Asa Trenchard in "Our American Cousin." This play ran for 150 nights. Other characters portrayed were Newman Boggs in "Nicholas Nickleby," Caleb Plummer in "The Cricket on the Hearth," Dr. Pangloss in "The Heir-at-Law," Bob Acres in "The Rivals," and Dr. Ollapod in the "Poor Gentleman." In 1880 Mr. Jefferson visited California, but abandoned that field for Australia, where he spent a profitable four years. London was visited against his own inclination in 1865 and at the Adelphi theater played "Rip Van Winkle" for a 150-nights run. After appearing in some of the large cities in England he returned to New York in 1866. Since 1867, when he married for his second wife Miss Sarah Warren, he confined himself to a few favorite parts, of which Rip Van Winkle was the principal one. Several months ago Mr. Jefferson retired from the stage and has since divided his time between Florida and Cape Cod.

ORVILLE H. PLATT.

United States Senator from Connecticut Victim of Pneumonia.

Washington, Conn., April 22.—United States Senator Orville Hitchcock Platt, of Connecticut, died at his summer home in this, his native town, at 8:53 Friday night from pneumonia.


SENATOR O. H. PLATT.

The end came almost unexpectedly, the immediate cause being the breaking of an abscess which had formed in the right lung and which produced strangulation.

The Dead Statesman.

Senator Platt was first elected to the senate in 1879 to succeed Senator W. H. Barnum, a democrat, who had been elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Orris S. Ferris, republican. His last reelection was in 1903. Senator Platt's last public utterance was at the state capitol on March 21, when, before the general assembly, he delivered the eulogy over [illegible] in the corridor below. He spoke as from a heart that was overflowing with grief and his words that touched deeply all who heard him.

During his long service of 26 years the senator has taken an active part in the proceedings of the upper branch of congress, has filled many important committee assignments and demonstrated his capacity in handling and discussing questions of national interest. He was chairman of the judiciary committee and, in addition, a member of the committee on Cuban relations, [illegible] and revolutionary claims. He took a leading part in arranging our relations to Cuba. Senator Platt frequently was called to the chair to preside temporarily over the sessions of [illegible] the Swayne impeachment [illegible] the last session sat throughout [illegible] as the presiding officer [illegible] the court.

MUST RESPECT NEUTRALITY.

Russian Government Sends Instructions to Rojestvensky—Reply to Japan's Protest.

Paris, April 24.—As a result of communications between the governments at Paris and St. Petersburg the Russian government has forwarded urgent orders to Admiral Rojestvensky to rigorously respect the neutrality of French waters. This is a precautionary measure. In addition special instructed the French minister at Tokio ernor general of Indo-China, M. Beau, and Foreign Minister Delcasse has instructed the French minister at Tokio to give the Japanese minister of foreign affairs assurances that it is France's purpose to preserve strict neutrality, these being similar to the assurances given to Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister at Paris.

A telegram received here from St. Petersburg and understood to be of official origin, says:

"The Russian admiralty has notified Admiral Rojestvensky of the grave danger to peace which will be entailed if the stay of his squadron off the coast of Annam is prolonged contrary to the laws of neutrality. No doubt is entertained that the admiral will carry out the formal instructions sent to him."

Saigon, French Cochin China, April 24.—The complete Russian fleet left Kamranh bay on April 22 at midday At night heavy cannonading was heard out at sea. It is supposed the Russian fleet was engaged with a portion of the Japanese squadron.

Paris, April 24.—It is officially confirmed that Emperor Nicholas has personally sent an order to Admiral Rojestvensky to leave French waters. The foreign office received advices from St. Petersburg Saturday morning showing that the instructions sent to Admiral Rojestvensky are positive and explicit and that he must keep outside of French waters. The nature of the instructions is said to be such that Rojestvensky must observe them by fully respecting French neutrality or else subject himself to punishment from his government. Therefore the officials here feel that France has succeeded in securing the limit of what Japan can reasonably ask.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs of the National and American Baseball Leagues.

The following tables show the number of games lost and won and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations on April 22. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Pittsburg	5	3	.533
New York	4	1	.800
Philadelphia	4	2	.667
Chicago	3	4	.429
Cincinnati	3	4	.429
Boston	3	4	.429
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Brooklyn	2	6	.250

American league:

Philadelphia	5	1	.833
Cleveland	2	1	.667
Detroit	2	1	.667
New York	4	2	.667
Chicago	3	3	.500
Washington	3	4	.429
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Boston	1	6	.143

Ex-Aldermen Fined.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 24.—Ex-Aldermen Daniel E. Lozier and John McLachlin, both of whom had entered pleas of guilty to the charge of accepting a bribe during the Lake Michigan water deal scandal, were sentenced Saturday by Judge Newnham. Lozier was fined $500 and McLachlin $200. Both paid their fines.

Law Taken to Heart.

New Albany, Ind., April 21.—William Hardshaw, a heavy cigarette smoker, committed suicide; John Suhrist, of Napanee, died as the result of overindulgence in "pipes" just before the anti-cigarette law came into effect, and Jim McNerney, of this city, quit Indiana to escape the cigarette regulation.

Arbitration Conference.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., April 24.—The eleventh annual meeting of the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration, will be held here May 31 to June 2, with Judge George Gray, of Delaware, presiding.

Great Army of Immigrants.

New York, April 22.—Four trans-Atlantic steamers which arrived at this port on Friday brought 9,675 steerage passengers, the largest number ever passed in quarantine in one day.

Reelected Senator.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 19.—Senator James P. Taliaferro was formally reelected to the United States senate by the joint assembly of the state legislature Tuesday for the term ending 1911.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Decatur, Ill., April 24.—Fire in the Calloway block at Tuscola [illegible] $100,000. The loss on the Calloway building is $40,000.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

State High School.

The state agricultural high school established at Crookston by the legislature, will be one of the most novel institutions in the country. Superintendent Hoverstad of the state experiment farm, who has had plans for the school under consideration, has given the matter careful attention, and the school from every standpoint will be something unique in the educational line.

The school will be established at the state experiment farm as a part of that institution. Instructors who will teach the classes in the high school will also have charge of various departments on the big farm. The pupils who attend the high school will be given an opportunity to work on the experiment farm for their board and a portion of their expenses. All of the common branches as well as the higher branches which pertain to agriculture and farm work will be taught, and it is expected from time to time that the scope of the work will be increased. Farmers of the valley are enthusiastic over the enterprise, and from present indications the school will not not want for hearty support.

A New Industry.

Thief River Falls promises in the near future to be the center of one of the largest industries in the state, according to the ideas of Northern Minnesota capitalists who are behind an investigation of the wire grass twine manufacturing possibilities at that place. According to cruisers, who know every inch of the ground above Thief River and to the east of the town, there is enough wire grass to maintain an enormous wire grass twine plant in Thief River Falls for many years. The twine has been used quite generally in this vicinity during the last two years and has been found to be equal to hemp or sisal in the grain fields of the valley, and much cheaper. Plans are completed for active work toward the organization at Thief River Falls and to manufacture from wire grass twine, cordage, matting, rugs and carpets.

The grass grows to a height of several feet, and is woven by the Indians north and east of Thief River Falls into numerous articles of fancy work.

Hold Up Boom.

Mike Anderson and Erick Perkio, settlers on the Floodwood river in the western part of St. Louis county, have held up a driving crew at the point of the rifles and threaten to shoot if they undertake to send logs down from the boom.

The settlers claim that the owners of the logs, Coolidge & Schussler have made no agreement for compensating them for log driving and boom privileges.

A constable sought to serve warrants on the settlers but when he arrived with seven deputies he found Anderson and Perkio entrenched in the latter's house and with eight other men, all armed.

The sheriff of St. Louis county has been requested to [illegible] and suppress the settlers.

The Floodwood [illegible] Improvement company claims it has made settlement for the right to drive logs through the Anderson-Perkio lands.

A Status for Ramsey.

A statue for Alexander Ramsey, the first governor of the territory of Minnesota and its governor during the civil war, will be placed in national statuary hall in the capitol at Washington.

The house passed Senator McGill's bill naming a commission.

The senate concurred in the house amendment to Senator A. R. McGill's bill providing for a statue of Former Governor Alexander Ramsey to be placed in the statuary hall at the national capitol. The house amendment was the elimination of the $15,000 appropriation. The bill creates a commission consisting of James J. Hill of St. Paul, T. B. Walker of Minneapolis and Congressman James T. McCleary of Mankato to secure the statue.

New Guns.

The artillery division of the nation guard soon will be made more formidable from a military standpoint by the receipt of an entirely new set of field equipment. The new guns will be four in number and will be accompanied by all the paraphernalia and equipment for field service.

The issuance of the new guns will be made simultaneously with the shipment of the same class of equipment to all the national guard headquarters. Congress at its last session appropriated $1,500,000 for this purpose. The shipment to the St. Paul and Minneapolis batteries will be made from the Rock Island arsenal.

News Notes.

Herman Freidie's 4-year-old son was drowned in the Red Lake River at Crookston.

George Bresseau, convicted at Minneapolis of passing a forged obligation and sentenced to four years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $100, was released from prison, after taking the poor debtor's oath.

The large dry goods store of Partridge Bros. was entered at Tracy by burglars and silks worth $400 were taken. The goods had just been received. An entrance was gained by forcing the locks to the door with a chisel.

The Pelican Stone company has been organized and will engage extensively in the manufacture of concrete blocks for building purposes. Buildings are being erected and it is expected the output will be large.

The state dairy commission issues an ultimatum to dairymen who violate the law.

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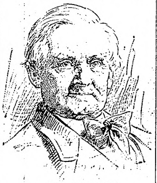
NOTED MEN ARE CALLED BY DEATH

THE EMINENT ACTOR, JOSEPH JEFFERSON, DIES AT PALM BEACH, FLA.

Gained Fame in Portrayal of the Character of "Rip Van Winkle"—Death of United States Senator Orville H. Platt, of Connecticut.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 24.—Joseph Jefferson, the eminent actor, died at his home, "The Reefs," at Palm Beach at 6:15 Sunday evening. The end came after a day of unconsciousness and after a heroic struggle of days, which had exhausted his vitality. The sickness of Mr. Jefferson which ended in his death was contracted, it is believed, while on a recent visit to his son, Charles B. Jefferson, at Hobe sound, a few miles above Palm Beach, where he went to meet his friend, former President Cleveland. It is believed that from a slight indiscretion in his eating there, he suffered an attack of indigestion. Since his return to his home his condition grew steadily worse, with slight rallies, until the end.



JOSEPH JEFFERSON.

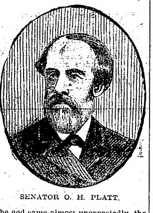
Dean of the Profession.

Joseph Jefferson was born in Philadelphia February 20, 1829, and was looked upon as the dean of the dramatic profession in this country. He first appeared on the stage as a child and during his career has played in a number of foreign countries. His great reputation was made in Rip Van Winkle, which he played in almost every city in the United States. Up to 1857 Mr. Jefferson is said to have merely attained the standing of a respectable stock actor, but in that year he became associated with Laura Keene's theater, in New York city. Mr. Jefferson here became prominent in the role of Asa Trenchard in "Our American Cousin." This play ran for 150 nights. Other characters portrayed were Newman Boggs in "Nicholas Nickleby," Caleb Plummer in "The Cricket on the Hearth," Dr. Pangloss in "The Heir-at-Law," Bob Acres in "The Rivals," and Dr. Ollapod in the "Poor Gentleman." In 1880 Mr. Jefferson visited California, but abandoned that field for Australia, where he spent a profitable four years. London was visited against his own inclination in 1865 and at the Adelphi theater played "Rip Van Winkle" for a 150-nights-run. After appearing in some of the large cities in England he returned to New York in 1866. Since 1867, when he married for his second wife Miss Sarah Warren, he confined himself to a few favorite parts, of which Rip Van Winkle was the principal one. Several months ago Mr. Jefferson retired from the stage and has since divided his time between Florida and Cape Cod.

ORVILLE H. PLATT.

United States Senator from Connecticut Victim of Pneumonia.

Washington, Conn., April 22.—United States Senator Orville Hitchcock Platt, of Connecticut, died at his summer home in this, his native town, at 8:53 Friday night from pneumonia.



SENATOR O. H. PLATT.

The end came almost unexpectedly, the immediate cause being the breaking of an abscess which had formed in the right lung and which produced strangulation.

The Dead Statesman.

Senator Platt was first elected to the senate in 1879 to succeed Senator W. H. Barnum, a democrat, who had been elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Orris S. Ferris, republican. His last reelection was in 1903. Senator Platt's last public utterance was at the state capitol on March 21, when, before the general assembly, he delivered the eulogy over Gen. Hawley, whose body lay in state in the corridor below. He spoke as if from a heart that was overflowing with grief and in words that touched deeply all who heard him.

During his long service of 26 years the senator has taken an active part in the proceedings of the upper branch of congress, has filled many important committee assignments and demonstrated his capacity in handling and discussing questions of national interest. He was chairman of the judiciary committee and, in addition, a member of the committee on Cuban relations, finance and revolutionary claims. He took a leading part in arranging our relations to Cuba. Senator Platt frequently was called to the chair to preside temporarily over the sessions of the senate, and during the Swayne impeachment trial at the last session sat throughout the trial as the presiding officer or judge of the court.

MUST RESPECT NEUTRALITY.

Russian Government Sends Instructions to Rojestvensky—Reply to Japan's Protest.

Paris, April 22.—As a result of communications between the governments at Paris and St. Petersburg the Russian government has forwarded urgent orders to Admiral Rojestvensky to rigorously respect the neutrality of French waters. This is a precautionary measure. In addition special instructed the French minister at Tokio ernor general of Indo-China, M. Beau, and Foreign Minister Delcasse has instructed the French minister at Tokio to give the Japanese minister of foreign affairs assurances that it is France's purpose to preserve strict neutrality, these being similar to the assurances given to Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister at Paris.

A telegram received here from St. Petersburg and understood to be of official origin, says:

"The Russian admiralty has notified Admiral Rojestvensky of the grave danger to peace which will be entailed if the stay of his squadron off the coast of Annam is prolonged contrary to the laws of neutrality. No doubt is entertained that the admiral will carry out the formal instructions sent to him."

Saigon, French Cochin China, April 24.—The complete Russian fleet left Kamranh bay on April 22 at midday At night heavy cannonading was heard out at sea. It is supposed the Russian fleet was engaged with a portion of the Japanese squadron.

Paris, April 24.—It is officially confirmed that Emperor Nicholas has personally sent an order to Admiral Rojestvensky to leave French waters. The foreign office received advices from St. Petersburg Saturday morning showing that the instructions sent to Admiral Rojestvensky are positive and explicit and that he must keep outside of French waters. The nature of the instructions is said to be such that Rojestvensky must observe them by fully respecting French neutrality or else subject himself to punishment from his government. Therefore the officials here feel that France has succeeded in securing the limit of what Japan can reasonably ask.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs of the National and American Baseball Leagues.

The following tables show the number of games lost and won and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations on April 22. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Pittsburg	5	3	.833
New York	4	1	.806
Philadelphia	4	2	.667
Chicago	3	4	.428
Cincinnati	3	4	.429
Boston	3	4	.429
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Brooklyn	2	6	.250

American league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Philadelphia	5	1	.833
Cleveland	2	1	.667
Detroit	2	1	.667
New York	4	2	.667
Chicago	3	3	.500
Washington	3	4	.429
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Boston	1	6	.143

Ex-Aldermen Fined.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 24.—Ex-Aldermen Daniel E. Lozier and John McLachlin, both of whom had entered pleas of guilty to the charge of accepting a bribe during the Lake Michigan water deal scandal, were sentenced Saturday by Judge Newnham. Lozier was fined $500 and McLachlin $200. Both paid their fines.

Law Taken to Heart.

New Albany, Ind., April 21.—William Hardshaw, a heavy cigarette smoker, committed suicide; John Suhrist, of Napanee, died as the result of overindulgence in "pipes" just before the anti-cigarette law came into effect, and Jim McNerney, of this city, quit Indiana to escape the cigarette regulation.

Arbitration Conference.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., April 24.—The eleventh annual meeting of the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration, will be held here May 31 to June 2, with Judge George Gray, of Delaware, presiding.

Great Army of Immigrants.

New York, April 22.—Four trans-Atlantic steamers which arrived at this port on Friday brought 9,675 steerage passengers, the largest number ever passed in quarantine in one day.

Reelected Senator.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 19.—Senator James P. Taliaferro was formally reelected to the United States senate by the joint assembly of the state legislature Tuesday for the term ending 1911.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Decatur, Ill., April 24.—Fire in the Calloway block at Tuscola Saturday morning caused a loss of more than $100,000. The loss on the Calloway building is $40,000.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

State High School.

The state agricultural high school established at Crookston by the legislature, will be one of the most novel institutions in the country. Superintendent Hoverstad of the state experiment farm, who has had plans for the school under consideration, has given the matter careful attention, and the school from every standpoint will be something unique in the educational line.

The school will be established at the state experiment farm as a part of that institution. Instructors who will teach the classes in the high school will also have charge of various departments on the big farm. The pupils who attend the high school will be given an opportunity to work on the experiment farm for their board and a portion of their expenses. All of the common branches as well as the higher branches which pertain to agriculture and farm work will be taught, and it is expected from time to time that the scope of the work will be increased. Farmers of the valley are enthusiastic over the enterprise, and from present indications the school will not not want for hearty support.

A New Industry.

Thief River Falls promises in the near future to be the center of one of the largest industries in the state, according to the ideas of Northern Minnesota capitalists who are behind an investigation of the wire grass twine manufacturing possibilities at that place. According to cruisers who know every inch of the ground above Thief River and to the east of the town, there is enough wire grass to maintain an enormous wire grass twine plant in Thief River Falls for many years. The twine has been used quite generally in this vicinity during the last two years and has been found to be equal to hemp or sisal in the grain fields of the valley, and much cheaper. Plans are completed for active work toward the organization at Thief River Falls and to manufacture from wire grass twine, cordage, matting, rugs and carpets.

The grass grows to a height of several feet and is woven by the Indians north and east of Thief River Falls into numerous articles of fancy work.

Hold Up Boom.

Mike Anderson and Erick Perkio, settlers on the Floodwood river in the western part of St. Louis county, have held up a driving crew at the point of the rifles and threaten to shoot if they undertake to send logs down from the boom.

The settlers claim that the owners of the logs, Coolidge & Schussler have made no agreement for compensating them for log driving and boom privliges.

A constable sought to serve warrants on the settlers but when he arrived with seven deputies he found Anderson and Perkio entrenched in the latter's house and with eight other men, all armed.

The sheriff of St. Louis county has been requested to come and suppress the settlers

The Floorwood River Improvement company claims it has made settlement for the right to drive logs through the Anderson-Perkio lands.

A Status for Ramsey.

A statue for Alexander Ramsey, the first governor of the territory of Minnesota, and its governor during the civil war, will be placed in national statuary hall in the capitol at Washington.

The house passed Senator McGill's bill naming a commission.

The senate concurred in the house amendment to Senator A. R. McGill's bill providing for a statre of Former Governor Alexander Ramsey to be placed in the statuary hall at the national capitol. The house amendment was the elimination of the $15,000 appropriation. The bill creates a commission consisting of James J. Hill of St. Paul, T. B. Walker of Minneapolis and Congressman James T. McCleary of Mankato to secure the statue.

New Guns.

The artillery division of the national guard soon will be made more formidable from a military standpoint by the receipt of an entirely new set of field equipment. The new guns will be four in number and will be accompanied by all the paraphernalia and equipment for field service.

The issuance of the new guns will be made simultaneously with the shipment of the same class of equipment to all the national guard headquarters. Congress at its last session appropriated $1,500,000 for this purpose. The shipment to the St. Paul and Minneapolis batteries will be made from the Rock Island arsenal.

News Notes.

Herman Freidle's 4-year-old son was drowned in the Red Lake River at Crookston.

George Bresseau, convicted at Minneapolis of passing a forged obligation and sentenced to four year's imprisonment and to pay a fine of $100, was released from prison, after taking the poor debtor's oath.

The large dry goods store of Partridge Bros. was entered at Tracy by burglars and silks worth $100 were taken. The goods had just been received. An entrance was gained by forcing the locks to the door with a chisel.

The Pelican Stone company has been organized and will engage extensively in the manufacture of concrete blocks for building purposes. Buildings are being erected and it is expected the output will be large.

The state dairy commission issues an ultimatum to dairymen who violate the law.

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IN the shuffle of the legislative adjournment Mr. Schiffman's "oil board" seems to have been lost.

Now that the legislature has adjourned public interest has centered on Mankato, where the Koch murder trial is in progress.

No doubt the New York stock broker is truthful in saying that it is just as safe now as it ever was for the poor to put their savings into wall street.

THE Warren Register speaks right out in meetin' regarding the late lamented legislature. Bro. Stevens' independent attitude is to be commended. It's too bad this spirit does not manifest itself just before election.

FORMER GOVERNOR VAN SANT ought to be apprised of the fact that he has been read out of the Republican party by divers newspapers and politicians. When a man has no more jobs to give he is subject to all sorts of inhuman treatment at the hands of whilom friends.

FRANK EDDY'S Sauk Centre Herald remarks that "the only way in the world the people can get the kind of legislation they want is to ask for it and turn the legislators down when they come up for renomination if they don't get it." There ought to be a tremendous killing at the next election if Frank's logic is to prevail.

AN exchange says a manufacturer of printing machinery wrote a customer as follows: "We think it is about time you were paying us something on the press you bought of us about a year ago." The purchaser replied: "I wasn't aware that I owed you anything. You told me when I ordered the press that it would pay for itself in six months."

IT was generally supposed that the act passed by the recent legislature made Good Friday a legal holiday in the full sense of the word, but such proves not to be the case. The day is only specified in the law involving commercial paper. Mention is made of the day in a law passed by the late legislature, amending the law abolishing days of grace. The legal holidays recognized by the statutes are New Year's day, Lincoln's birthday, Washington's birthday, Labor day, the Fourth of July and the day on which general elections are held. On these days it is specified that all business shall be suspended.

GOV. JOHNSON has announced the appointment of a commission, consisting of Graham M. Torrance of Bemidji and Cleve W. Van Dyke of Alexandria to investigate the charges against the Beltrami county officials in the report of Public Examiner Kerst to the governor. The commission will commence the work within two weeks, and will conduct an investigation and take evidence.

ALTON B. PARKER was recently asked to make a speech at a banquet on the cause of Democratic defeat at the last election and prepared an address so long that the committee would not allow him to deliver it, and as he could discover no way to make it shorter remained away from the feast, says the Fairmont Sentinel. The reason could all have been expressed in five letters, "Teddy."

SOME of the Republican newspapers of the state are exceedingly wroth because the governor's representative at the launching of the "Minnesota" praised the valor and patriotism of the First Minnesota at Gettysburg. Had a Democratic paper criticized a Republican speaker under similar circumstances how ready would have been the cry of "copperheadism." When Minnesota finds it necessary to apologize for her soldier and sailor heroes it will be time to take to task their eulogists.

THE "third house"—the clerks, doorkeepers, janitors and spittooners of the legislature—have organized a Republican league and placed the presidential crown on the head of Billy Verity. Reading between the lines one would infer that the chief purpose of this new organization is to perpetuate the jobships of the charter members. With so many divergent elements and organizations clamoring for recognition and authority the pathway of the Republican party is not strewn with roses.

SEVERAL Republican papers are criticising Speaker Clague for his seemingly friendly attitude toward the railroads. It is not charged that he gave them absolute assistance, but rather aided them in killing objectionable legislation by deserting his chair at critical moments, says the St. Peter Herald. One observer makes the declaration that at least one important measure met its death thru the rulings of his substitute, and this is significant when it is known that the substitute is a man who has never had serious trouble with the roads.

NEXT to the new code in importance and perhaps of greater benefit to the state is the wide open tax amendment which passed both branches of the legislature almost without opposition. This substitutes for the present involved and cumbersome terms of the constitution a short, concise section on taxation, providing only that taxes upon the same class of subjects shall be uniform and collected for public purposes, retaining the present exemptions from taxation. The measure, if ratified by the voters, will permit almost any form of taxation which the legislature desires to enact, and will permit the adjustment of the tax on each class of property in conformity with what it is able to bear, something impossible under the present requirement that all property be assessed at its full cash value.

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E. D. CLAGGETT of Princeton will not be custodian of the new capitol, although the slate had been arranged to that effect. Claggett was formerly sheriff of Mille Lacs county, and during the late campaign prepared and circulated the infamous slander regarding Governor Johnson's unfortunate father. It seemed too much that the capitol commission should give the keys to the governor's private office to such a man, and had he been appointed in spite of the protest there would have been some warm scenes in the capitol. It is probable that every Democratic appointee would have refused to allow Claggett to enter their offices, and his reign as custodian would not have been peaceful. The kind of politics for which such men as Claggett stand belongs to the dark ages, and he has probably discovered by this time that even the calloused campaign managers who abetted his foul slander and assisted in its circulation dare not apologize for him.

THE St. Paul Globe announces that it will suspend publication next Sunday, owing to lack of sufficient advertising patronage to pay expenses. The Globe is nearly thirty years old, and during all of that time has been one of the leading dailies of the Northwest. At the present time it has a larger circulation than any other morning paper in St. Paul or Minneapolis, but there is no profit in circulation, and it is stated that the deficiency in the business office has avaraged $75,000 annually for several years past. During most of its existence the Globe has been consistently Democratic. In 1896 and 1900 it did not support Bryan on account of the silver issue, but it has always been loyal and active in supporting the Democratic state tickets. To thousands of Minnesota people who have read the Globe all their lives its suspension will be in the nature of a personal loss. It is likely that in the readjustment of Twin City journalism the Democrats will obtain a defendable party organ unhampered by the influences that prevented the Globe from being successful. The rumor is persistent that William R. Hearst has an eye on this field.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Brown's Valley Tribune: Whatever may be Vice President Fairbank's ambitions, it is plainly evident that thus far at least the mention of his name in connection with the presidency in 1908 does not strike a very responsive chord.

Fairmont Sentinel: From the way the manufacturers of farm implements—the trust—is fighting the proposition to manufacture implements at the states prison the project would without doubt be a splendid thing for the public. Anything which makes a trust squirm thus is always for the public good.

Sauk Centre Herald: The political history of the United States does not furnish a single instance of candidates telling the people during a campaign that if he was elected he would vote for an increase of his own or fellow official's salary.

Warren Register: It will be necessary to increase the tax rate for state purposes the next two years. The delegations from the different towns in which state institutions are located united their forces and made a combined assault upon the state treasury. It was not so much a question of what any institution needed as it was how much it could get. In some ways the scramble for a share of the spoil reminds one of a congressional river and harbor bill.

St. Cloud Times: A protest against Mr. Rockefeller's $100,000 gift to the Congregationalist mission brought out two statements in his defense by associates in the Standard Oil. By accepting Mr. Rockefeller's first check for $100,000 without raking up his past the Baptist missions are rewarded with a second $100,000. Mr. Rockefeller believe that one good turn deserves another.

Wheelock's Weekly: One of the really bright ideas of the legislative session was that of passing the revised code in the closing hours. This will result in a cheerful mix-up between the code laws and the session laws, and any sin of commission or omission by any member can be explained to his constituents by the code-and-session complications. The code thus becomes a bulwark of defense.

Brown's Valley Tribune: We can't all have matters as we would like to have them. If the writer had his way he would abolish the senate, both state and national. One house of our law-making bodies would do as well, and perhaps better than both, and things would be accomplished in much less time and at much less expense. But it will be a long time before senate bodies can be brought to admit their superfluous position, and vote to legislate themselves out of existence.

Insists on Pure Food.

The state dairy and food commission is having considerable trouble with the venders of illegal baking powder who seem to take delight in attempting to invade the law. As the law has been in effect for several years there is no excuse for dealers handling illegal goods and the commission is certainly warranted in imposing the full penalty prescribed by law for its violation.

As evidence of the work being accomplished by this department we call attention to the fact that since the advent of the present administration, its inspectors have collected and chemists analyzed a total of 4,106 samples of food products. These have been collected from different sections of the state, an attempt being made to distribute the inspection work as much as possible. 643 illegal samples have been collected. According to this rate the department will collect and analyze approximately 16,000 samples during the year.

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A County Commissioner's Letter.

Hon. John Williams, County Commissioner, of 517 West Second street, Duluth, Minn., says the following in regard to Peruna:

"As a remedy for catarrh I can cheerfully recommend Peruna. I know what it is to suffer from that terrible disease and I feel that it is my duty to speak a good word for the tonic that brought me immediate relief. Peruna cured me of a bad case of catarrh and I know it will cure any other sufferer from that disease."—John Williams.

A Congressman's Letter.

Hon. H. W. Ogden, Congressman from Louisiana, in a letter written at Washington, D. C., says the following of Peruna, the national catarrh remedy:

"I can conscientiously recommend your Peruna as a fine tonic and all around good medicine to those who are in need of a catarrh remedy. It has been commended to me by people who have used it, as a remedy particularly effective in the cure of catarrh. For those who need a good catarrh medicine I know of nothing better."

W. E. Griffith, Concan, Texas, writes: "I suffered with chronic catarrh for many years. I took Peruna and it completely cured me. I think Peruna is the best medicine in the world for catarrh. My general health is much improved by its use, as I am much stronger than I have been for years."—W. E. Griffith.

A Congressman's Letter.

Congressman H. Bowen, Ruskin, Tazewell county, Va., writes:

"I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy, Peruna, to any one who is suffering with catarrh, and who is in need of a permanent and effective cure."—H. Bowen.

Mr. Fred. D. Scott, Larue, Ohio, Right Guard of Hiram Foot Ball Team, writes: **"As a specific for lung trouble I place Peruna at the head. I have used it myself for colds and catarrh of the bowels and it is a splendid remedy. It restores vitality, increases bodily strength and makes a sick person well in a short time. I give Peruna my hearty indorsement." Fred. D. Scott.**

Gen. Ira C. Abbott, 906 M street, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

"I am fully convinced that your remedy is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott.

Mrs. Elmer Fleming, orator of Reservoir Council No. 168, Northwestern Legion of Honor, of Minneapolis, Minn., writes from 2535 Polk street, NE.:

Mrs. Elmer Fleming, Minneapolis, Minn.

"I have been troubled all my life with catarrh in my head. I took Peruna for about three months, and now think I am permanently cured. I believe that for catarrh in all its forms Peruna is the medicine of the age. It cures when all other remedies fail. I can heartily recommend Peruna as a catarrh remedy."—Mrs. Elmer Fleming

Treat Catarrh in Spring.

The spring is the time to treat catarrh. Cold, wet winter weather often retards a cure of catarrh. If a course of Peruna is taken during the early spring months the cure will be prompt and permanent. There can be no failures if Peruna is taken intelligently during the favorable weather of spring.

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If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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For week ending April 24:

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Mien. Loan & Trust Co, to S. M. T. Mykaeim, lots 10, 11, blk 9, Plummer....................	400 00
Sortadahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co. to Wm, Borgstrom, se ¼ Sec 37-151:42............	1 00
Colonial and U. S. Mortgage Co. to J. B. Marcotte, sw¼ Sec, 4 151-45.....	500 00
Sophia K. Carlson to Wm. Craft, se¼ nw¼ and lots 1, 2, Sec. 18-151-42..............	1000 00
J. Kelly to Hans Anderson, lots 20, 30, 31, blk 19, Red Lake Rapid....................	775 00
Hulda Erickson to J. K. Hanny, land in se¼ Sec, 35-152-42....	2000 00
Clara M. Endeale to J. K. Hannay, sw¼ Sec. 152-44....	2400 00
J. K. Hannay to Morier, lot 6, blk 1, Ives Add. St. Hilaire....	575 00
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Suffering frightfully from the virulent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lula, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes "that I was cured." All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties. 25c at all druggists, guaranteed.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Minstrel show to-night.

Does this weather give you that "tired feel'n?"

S. L. Lewis was a business caller at St. Hilaire Monday.

The First State Bank has a new adv. in this week's paper.

W. A. Schreiter was at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday.

Our soda fountain people are getting ready for the season's business.

John Herbert, living near Brooks, transacted business in this city today.

The Big Store talks about shoes this week. Look up the advertisement.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls between trains Monday.

Henry Castello, of Equality township, has been a county seat visitor this week.

Red LakeFalls tennis enuthiasts are thinking of organizing a club for the season.

Exeire Chatelle and family moved into the LaFromboise house the first of the week.

Chas. Bourdon left last evening for a trip in North Dakota to be absent several days.

The Shakespeare club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain Tuesday evening.

Remember the Seniors have purposely put off their play a week in order to give the public "the best ever."

Miss Margerite Peble came over from the Forks Monday evening for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Cattle wanted for pasturing. Plenty grass and water. Sec. 10, Polk Center township.—M. A. Baumgardner.

Lost—Between lower Main street and the post office a silver case Elgin watch. Finder please return to the COURIER office.

Berthon & Armstrong want you to become better acquainted with their clothing. See their adv. on the first page.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere went to Crookston Saturday for a visit with Mrs. LaBissoniere's parents. They returned home yesterday.

Ralph Converse received a telegram last Saturday from a firm in North Dakota tendering him a position as stenographer and asking him to report at once. He left immediately and is located about one hundred miles west of Fargo.

Earnest Buse was at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Dahlais bulbs for sale at Freund's confectionery store.

Attorney Grady was at St. Hilaire between trains Tuesday.

S. A. Swanson was at Thief River Falls to-day on business.

Geo. Henning visited friends at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Marcus A. Johnson arrived in the city from St. Paul Tuesday morning.

Harry Healy and "Butch" Brunelle were at Brooks Friday of last week.

The board of county commissioners will meet next Monday in regular session.

Mrs. J. E. Argue spent Sunday with her brother, Sam E. Hunt, at Crookston.

Miss Igna Hamry was a guest of Thief River Falls friends several days last week.

Attorney Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Wednesday evening.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was a plesant caller at the COURIER office Monday afternoon.

A peanut roaster is the latest addition to the equipment of the Freund confectionery store.

Miss Rose Helm spent her week's vacation from school duties with her parents in this city.

Hang onto your winter flannels until they hang onto you, or yon may catch a cold that will hang onto you all summer.

Leland E. Healy returned Monday morning from Minneapolis where he spent his week's vacation with old friends.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbors to-morrow (Friday) evening. All members are requested to be present.

Pat Marlin, a horse buyer from Thief River Falls, has been in this vicinity the past two or three days looking for good horses.

Our base ball fans are getting the fever and we understand an effort will be made in the near future to organize a first class team.

Mrs. Viets is packing her household goods and intends leaving Saturday for her old home at Henning. Miss Daisy will remain until the end of the school year.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Merril Roux died last week after a short illness. Many friends sympathize with the bereaved parents in their hour of sorrow.

Ed. L, Healy sold a quarter section of land to John Loffelmaker, of Renville county, last week. Two young men were here with Mr. Loffelmaker and may conclude to invest in Red Lake county land in the near future.

When a Boy

has once secured a bank book he is often eager to add more money to his account. Thus little by little he acquires the habit of saving. He should be heartily encouraged to start in this direction.

First State Bank
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Miss Bertha Quesnell, of Badger, was at Crookston the first of the week visiting relatives.

C. O. Kankel, one of Terrebonne's, business men, was a county seat visitor one day last week.

Mrs. J. J. Patten left Tuesday evening for Two Harbors for a two weeks visit with relatives.

A fine buggy horse for sale. Perfectly reliable and can be trusted. Inquire of Milton Converse.

Rufus Pourier and W. B. Chesire. of Brooks. visited relatives and friends in this city Sunday.

Mr. Gustavson and son, from Eastern Iowa, have been looking at the land in this section this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. McIntyre drove over to Crookston Tuesday, returning home the same evening.

Good Friday was observed in this city by the banks closing and business generally was at a standstill.

Terrebonne's trustees are advertising for bids for the erection of a bridge in that township. Look it up elsewhere in this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. LaRue of Gervias township are the proud parents of a baby girl that made their acquaintance Thursday of last week.

W. F. Witte, of Waseca, arrived in the city yesterday and will remain in this vicinity for a number of days looking after his farms.

The water in the rivers is the lowest it has been for a number of years. No doubt this is caused by the mild winter and light snow fall.

The ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Riechel, Wednesday, May 3. Lunch will be served from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Mary Erb is expected home from Minneapolis in the near future, having recovered from her serious illness. This will be pleasing news to her many friends in this city.

Probate Judge Tarrant was at Theif River Falls last Friday where he held a special session of court. A Luthern minister was adjudged insane and was sent to Fergus Falls.

Ed. L. Healy has a new stenographer in the person of Joseph Boire who recently graduated from the Crookston Business College. The young man's home is near Brooks.

Martin Peterson, of Clayton county Iowa, has been in this section of the county the past week looking over the country. He thinks well of Red Lake county and may conclude to invest in land.

When you buy shoes pay enough; buying shoes simply because they are cheap seldom accomplishes what you want. A Douglas shoe is a fair exchange of price for quality. At Garceau & Zaiser's.

E. L. Noiton, of Minneapolis, was here the first of the week on a combined business and pleasure trip. He is a cousin of H. H. Zaiser and is the traveling freight agent of the Burlington railroad.

Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, will hold communion services at the Norwegian church in this city next Sunday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Scandinavians are cordially invited to attend.

Wm. Erickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Erickson of this city, will finish his business course in Minneapolis in about two weeks and he may accept a position in that city with a harvest machine company.

Save your money by buying 20c. University green gage plums at 15c. a can. 10c St. Francis baked beans at 5c a can, and New York cooking apples, worth 40c, at 25c a peck. While they last at Garceau & Zaiser's.

Mrs. C. S. Pendleton, formerly Mrs. Eastman of this place, is now living at Burlington, Colorado, where she has ordered the COURIER sent that she may know of happenings of this section of the country.

Rev. Knox returned from Warren the last of the week and reports a most successful meeting of the Adams Presbytery. He informs the COURIER that the next meeting of the organization will be held in this city next fall.

Stylish, careful dressers, will find the four newest shades of spring suiting in gold brown, crimson red, new and pale blue, called Pino Crepe, only two suits on a bolt, while they last at 35c a yard.—Garceau & Zaiser.

A River Falls township farmer received a check for $85 from the St. Hilaire creamery for his cream for the month of March. His checks run all the way from $35 to $85 a month the year 'round. This should be an eye-opener to our farmers who have paid but little attention to this branch of farm life.

Compare! Compare!

Every merchant will blow his horn about his goods—that is natural. But we ask you to compare our prices on shoes with those of others. While you may not be a shoe expert you will not fail to note the difference.

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Vegetables every Saturday. N. Y. Baldwins and Russet Apples.

They all say it pays to trade at....

THE BIG STORE
Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

County Treasurer Hansen has rented the Altnow house on the north side and expects to move his family down from Thief River Falls the first of next week. Mrs. Hansen will be royally welcomed by our people.

The marriage ceremony making Joseph Hance and Mrs. Louise Ittner man and wife was solemnized Monday, Father Fayolle officiating. Many friends in the city wish the newly married couple joy and happiness.

Miss Maline Lee arrived in the city Monday morning and will make this city her home hereafter. She has accepted a position with the Bank of Red Lake Falls as stenographer and has already begun her duties.

The following marriage licenses were issued by Clerk Perrault this week: Joseph Hance and Mrs. Louise Ittner, of Red Lake Falls; Chas. Bourcier, of St. Hilaire, and Miss Bertha Quesnelle, of Lake Pleasant township.

It is said next year will be the last for log drives on the Clearwater river. It is rumored that the river will be stocked with bass and trout after the drive next year, and great sport is looked for by our hook and line experts.

Red Lake Falls is getting a first class reputation as a horse market. Ed. Enright recently sold two fine teams of work horses to Thief River Falls parties for $500 a team. This is a good price but they were fine horses in every respect.

Friends of M. A. Hatten, who recently moved to Washington, have received letters from him in which he expressed himself as very much dissatisfied with that country. Our people would like to see him return to this city and make his home.

The weather the past week has been ideal for spring work and the farmers of Red Lake county have been taking advantage of the occasion. Seeding is about completed and from present indications a bumper crop can be looked for this year.

The executive committee of the Red River Valley Immigration Association met at Crookston last week. Plans and discusions as to the best way of advertising this section were talked over. It was decided that the Valley should have an exhibit at the state fair this year. For the necessary expenses for carrying out the different plans of the association it was decided to raise $3450. 00, to be apportioned among the counties as follows: Polk, $750; Marshall, $600; Norman, $500; Kittson, $500: Roseau, $500; Red Lake, $600,

In a letter to friends in this city Mrs. John E. King, of St. Paul, announces the serious sickness of her mother who lives in Indiana. It is said the mother's death is expected at any moment. Mrs. King's many friends here sympathize with her in her hour of sadness.

Did you ever see a long run in a foot ball game where the runner dodged about a dozen men? Well, if you want to see something that will beat that, come and see Marcia do the most clever dodging ever seen on stage or gridiron at the Metropolitan opera house, May 5.

E. E. Hawkins, representing the McClellen Paper Co. of Minneapolis, was in the city last week on his last trip. His company is going to start a branch house at Grand Forks and Ed. is to have charge of it. His many friends among the newspaper fraternity will be glad to hear of his advancement.

Among the extensions announced by the Great Northern to be made this year is one of 20 miles to the Thief River Falls division. It is also announced that an extension will run from Greenbush northward to within 12 miles of the Canadian boundry line.

Dr. I. Lemieux attended a meeting of the Red River Valley Medical Society at Crookston Tuesday evening. The society meets every three months and interesting and profitable sessions are held. Dr. Lemieux is one of the three censors of the society and will hold the office for three years to come.

It is expected that Sam E. Hunt will be discharged from the Crookston hospital this week. He may conclude to take a trip to the cities before coming home. Sam's many friends here are happy over his rapid recovery from the operation and hope to see him at home soon.

At the meeting of the ninth district bankers association last week at Moorhead Mayor Duffy of this city was elected a member of the executive committee. The committee is composed of but five members and has charge of all the association's business. The meeting next year will be held at Detroit.

That there are stingy men in every town, but a Missouri paper says a fellow living in Ray county takes the cake. He was married by justice of the peace and paid the bill with turnips. For a wedding trip he took his wife to Richmond in a lumber wagon and for dinner they ate a dime's worth of bologna and a box of crackers as they walked around the public square. Before starting for home he bought a nickel's worth of candy, and as he opened the sack for a second stick, he stammered, "Say, my woman, 'sposen' we save the rest of this here candy for the children."

Will Interest Many.

Every person should know that good health is impossible it the kidney are deranged. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organ so they will perform their functions property. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney cure is taken in time. A. L. Reichert.

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In the Stocks

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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The mischief was done all in a minute. Fate perhaps knew how. Karsens certainly was all in the dark and as angry as he was amazed to find himself in Cupid's toils. He had got almost through this house party as through a hundred others scot free, unburdened by more than passing memories of black eyes or gray or blue. Indeed he had passed up Mildred Gore as impossible two minutes after he took her in to dinner, regretfully too. It was on many counts so desirable that he should find in her the woman he wished to marry.

She was his equal in birth, in fortune, in position; his people approved her thoroughly; moreover, there had descended to him a burden of obligation to her blood which it was impossible that money could discharge. Her father had come to his father's rescue in a day of trouble that otherwise must have ended in disaster, forcing his way through a mob of clamoring depositors in the elder Karsens' bank, with bags of gold in either hand and a ready promise of ten times as much at need. That had stopped the senseless run. Men who had been ready to fight for their money had begged abjectly to have it kept in the vaults.

This, of course, had been in the days of provincialism, before Banker Karsens had come to the city to prosper and die a millionaire. His son Herbert had only the haziest memory of the flitting of Minton, the little home town, and haziest of all of Mildred as a wisp of long, white clothes with something red and squirmy at the top of them, which he had been bidden to kiss, but from which he had turned away in disgust, sticking small fists into his first pair of pockets and saying grandly, "I'm a man now; don't kiss girls any more."

Until two hours before they were to leave Hidaway, the Barton country house, he told himself the Gore girl was out of the question.

His wife must have, above all things, beauty and brilliance. Mildred was quiet, lumpish even, he thought, content to play wall flower or happy with Dicky Barton for company. Dicky was an infant terrible, aged seven. All the other girls shunned him as much as they dared.

He had somehow sensed it that Mildred might be a beauty if she chose before he saw her come home from a rapid ride with cheeks like damask roses and tendrils of soft brown hair framing her glowing face. A crown of wild grape blooms lay lightly above the tendrils; a sheaf of pink wild roses was crushed against her dark green coat just below the throat. She was laughing, too, as merrily, as happily, as Dicky himself—Dicky, who rode at her elbow, impishly happy over having brought both their horses to the edge of running away. Dicky it was who had crowned her, after pulling off her hat and letting down her hair. He scowled at Karsens as that gentleman made to help Mildred down, saying shrilly: "You go 'way and stay with your no-goods! She," nodding toward Mildred, "belongs to me. I'm goin' to marry her when I'm grown up. That will be about Christmas after next."

"Dicky, don't you think it might be next Christmas?" Mildred asked, her eyes dancing. "I hate long engagements. They're always dreadfully sorrowful, besides being unlucky." Dicky looked at her doubtfully.

"How do you know?" he asked. "Are you 'gaged to the fellow you carry round in your locket? I saw you kiss it the other day. Let me see what he looks like; you know you said you would."

"So I will—some time," Mildred answered, catching him by the shoulders and swinging him back and forth. Karsens noted how soft yet firm her hands were, the fine modeling of wrists and palms, the whole pose of grace and strength. But he hardly knew that he did note them—he was so blindly, so furiously jealous of the fellow in the locket. When Dicky at last ran away to his mother Karsens stood before Mildred, asking imperatively, "Are you really engaged?"

"What's that to Hecuba?" Mildred countered, her paling roses suddenly red again.

"Everything!" Karsens said, with a thick undernote. "Mildred, Mildred," he went on, "I have been blind these ten days. Now that I see is it quite too late?"

"I don't understand," Mildred said suddenly, prim and pale. She half turned away her face as she wound up her thick hair and massed it high on her head. "I must go," she murmured. "Dicky has every hairpin in some of his pockets. He says he means to keep them so I cannot go with the others. My hair, you see, is unruly; it defies ordinary fastenings, so unless I can get the pins back before he thinks to hide them the chances are I shall really be a prisoner until tomorrow."

All this in a huddle, with flight after it. Karsens stood staring after the vanishing figure in a scowling daze. He was angry clean through. If it was fate's decree that he should be thus bowled over, why had it not come to pass at first? Then he might have had a chance—now, now when he had shown himself a condescending ass, of course she would never look at him, much less listen. There was also the man in the locket. She had blushed furiously when Dicky told of him. Who could he be? Some Minton manikin, no doubt. Though Mildred had been strange to him, he knew how she had grown up there, the light of her father's eyes, the stay and comfort of an invalid mother. They had no business to keep her there. It was that which had made her so silent, so pale and ungirlish instead of a beauty as glorious as delicate.

She was, after all, the wife for him, yet they had given her no chance. He had been likewise defrauded. How was he to know that aught so unlike could soften and brighten like a gray sky at dawn? Until train time he asked himself these things and many more over and over. He meant to have them answered in part before he got back to the city. There fate balked him. At the very last minute Mildred decided to stay another day. Dicky howled delight and triumph when he heard it and instantly carried her off from everybody. Karsens made his adieus with what grace he might and went home more than ever dazed.

He did not sleep that night. Next day betimes he sped him back to Hidaway. He found the house deserted. Mrs. Barton was out driving, said the butler. Miss Gore? He was not sure. She might be in the grounds. She was not in her own room or anywhere about the house.

Wherever she might be, Master Dicky was with her. Karsens waited to hear nothing more. He plunged into the shrubbery, took a short cut that led to the pine grove and came out at the edge of it breathless, yet content, for he heard voices through the murmuring stillness of it, Dicky's shrill and gleeful, Mildred's touched with [illegible]ing, yet wholly good humored. Karsens crept noiselessly toward the pair, [illegible] six feet away and listened shamelessly to what was said, having much ado the while to keep himself from laughing. [illegible] on antiques. She had astounded the countryside by paying fabulously for all manner of truck, ancient and weather beaten. Thus it happened she had bought from the town authorities the old stocks dismantled when the town hall was rebuilt and had set them up in the grove, arranging them so strollers might sit on them and hear the tale of them. Adventurers even put their feet in the allotted spaces of timbers still sound. Thus Dicky had learned the trick. He had played it this morning himself, then persuaded Mildred to do the same. When her feet were nicely settled he slapped down the upper half, fastened it tight and said: "Now you are my prisoner. I will not let you out until—"

"Until what, Dicky, dear?" Mildred had asked, laughing heartily. She was asking it still when Karsens came in sight. Dicky seemed pondering deeply. "It's not fair to ask two things for one," he said at last, "and I want to ask two. I don't know just yet which I want worse."

"Oh, well, then I'll go to sleep and let you find out," Mildred said, pretending to sigh deeply, although Karsens was sure her eyes were dancing. Dicky went very near her. "You better not," he said, "'cause if you do I mightn't have to ask but one."

"Indeed! Tell me what they are. Maybe I can decide which of them you ought to care most about," Mildred said coaxingly. Dicky shook his head. "I know all by myself now," he said, "'cause if I said you must stay here always you couldn't. We're only here for summer time. So you've got to show me—the man in the locket. If you don't I'll keep you here till mamma comes to find us. Then she will punish me, and you'll be mighty sorry."

"So sorry I cannot possibly let it happen," Mildred said, with a bubbling laugh. Karsens heard the faint click of a spring, then Dicky's sorrowful shout: "Why, it's nobody in the world but that silly Bert Karsens! What do you want with him, Milly? I know I'm ever so much better looking!"

"Not a doubt of it," Karsens said, rushing forward and kneeling beside Dicky's prisoner. The telltale locket lay open face down in her lap, where it had fallen from her nerveless fingers. As he closed it after one glance he said in Mildred's ear, "Darling, if you kept that thing maybe I can persuade you after a long, long time to take the original."

"Not unless your mother says so. She sent me the picture," Mildred whispered. Dicky had scampered off. As Karsens set her free he drew her hand over his arm, saying with a shake of the head: "You're much too dangerous to be left at large. I shall keep you prisoner all the rest of your life."

More Hay.

Two clubmen were praising the pluck of dogs.

"A good dog," said one, "has the same kind of pluck that old Jerome McWade used to show.

"He was a farmer, seventy years old, but still hale and hearty. One morning he and his two sons got to wrangling over their strength, and Jerome declared that he could load quite as fast as they could pitch it.

"So to the fields they went, and Jerome got into a hay wagon with his fork, and the two boys down below began to pitch the hay up to him as fast as they could pitch it.

"The old man stood up to his work stoutly. He loaded with lightning speed, and all the while he kept calling down: 'More hay! More hay!'

"The boys worked hard. Their youth told in their favor. Old Jerome got to loading more and more untidily. Still as he scrambled about on top of the uneven mounds he continued to shout, 'More hay!'

"All of a sudden he tripped as he dug in his fork and fell from the wagon to the ground.

"'Ah,' said his eldest son, 'what are you doing down here?'

"Jerome as he rose answered:

"'I came down for more hay.'"—Harper's Weekly.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison, for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight in city streets as a fruit [illegible]

MANNERS IN BUSINESS.

Brains and Good Deportment a Winning Combination.

The value of brains in business cannot be overestimated, of course; but neither can the value of manners. Don't make the error of supposing that brains are everything. You may have the best set of brains in the town, but if you haven't the manners of a gentleman nobody is going to appreciate you. Your manner is the outward indication of what you are within in the estimate of most people, and if the manner is disagreeable few will take the trouble to examine into you any further.

The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcupine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence it is in business, where cold calculation so largely takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in everyday dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on the first day of June, 1905, and terminating on the thirty-first day of May, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application, to-wit:

H. A. JOHNSON,

On the ground floor, front room of that certain building situate near the Townsite of Wylie in said County on the following described lands: Commencing 522 feet south of the Northeast corner of Section 25, in Twp. 152, Range 45 and 133 feet west of the range line between ranges 44 and 45; thence West 50 feet, thence South 150 feet, thence East 50 feet, thence north 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners, of the county of Red Lake at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the second day of May A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 18th day of April, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] JAMES E. FORD,
a20-27 County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervelier, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account, be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
a20m4 Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Fifty Eight and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) in Block One (1) and Lots Five (5) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All our undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 15th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.
E. E. Raddis,
Attorney for Mortgagee a20m25
Pipestone, Minnesota.

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Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 11th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Elfrida Anderson of the County of Red Lake representing, among others things, that Peter John Anderson late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the [illegible] of said deceased and praying that administration of said estate be to S. J. Swanson granted;

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.

By the Court
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corporation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chapin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 21th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313), feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.
Gerlne & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m30m4

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd, 1905, viz: Arcene Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 41 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON,
a13m18 Register.

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 10th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Ole H. Haaven, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Haaven the Administrator of the estate of Ole H. Haaven deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Monday, the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 10th day of April A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District

Joseph Helm Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars, with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursments herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
m23a27 Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Fifty-four and 25-100ths Dollars, which became due on the 22nd day of March, 1905, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Michael Phelan and Petronelia Phelan, his wife, mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the [illegible] day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 14 of Mortgages on pages 308 and 309. And whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default the whole principal sum of said mortgage at [illegible] Ninety Dollars and twenty-five cents, [illegible] due and payable, and the said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, having duly elected to declare the whole of said sum due and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due, and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 22nd day of March, 1905, together with the further sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1905, the said sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars being for interest paid by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under and pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars executed by said Mortgagors to one Louise T. Mellen, default having been made by said Mortgagors in the payment of said interest, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (ne¼ se¼) and Lots numbered four (4) and five (5) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township 152 North of Range 41 in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of May, 1905, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and said debt of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars with the interest on said amounts as hereinbefore stated, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, the same being hereby stated to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 5, 1905.

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W. A. McIntyre,
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In the Stocks

By Martha McCulloch-Williams

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The mischief was done all in a minute. Fate perhaps knew how. Karsens certainly was all in the dark and as angry as he was amazed to find himself in Cupid's toils. He had got almost through this house party as through a hundred others scot free, unburdened by more than passing memories of black eyes or gray or blue. Indeed he had passed up Mildred Gore as impossible two minutes after he took her in to dinner, regretfully too. It was on many counts so desirable that he should find in her the woman he wished to marry.

She was his equal in birth, in fortune, in position; his people approved her thoroughly; moreover, there had descended to him a burden of obligation to her blood which it was impossible that money could discharge. Her father had come to his father's rescue in a day of trouble that otherwise must have ended in disaster, forcing his way through a mob of clamoring depositors in the elder Karsens' bank, with bags of gold in either hand and a ready promise of ten times as much at need. That had stopped the senseless run. Men who had been ready to fight for their money had begged abjectly to have it kept in the vaults.

This, of course, had been in the days of provincialism, before Banker Karsens had come to the city to prosper and die a millionaire. His son Herbert had only the haziest memory of the flitting of Minton, the little home town; and haziest of all of Mildred as a wisp of long, white clothes with something red and squirmy at the top of them, which he had been bidden to kiss, but from which he had turned away in disgust, sticking small fists into his first pair of pockets and saying grandly, "I'm a man now; don't kiss girls any more."

Until two hours before they were to leave Hidaway, the Barton country house, he told himself the Gore girl was out of the question.

His wife must have, above all things, beauty and brilliance. Mildred was quiet, lumpish even, he thought, content to play wall flower or happy with Dicky Barton for company. Dicky was an infant terrible, aged seven. All the other girls shunned him as much as they dared.

He had somehow sensed it that Mildred might be a beauty if she chose before he saw her come home from a rapid ride with cheeks like damask roses and tendrils of soft brown hair framing her glowing face. A crown of wild grape blooms lay lightly above the tendrils; a sheaf of pink wild roses was crushed against her dark green coat just below the throat. She was laughing, too, as merrily, as happily, as Dicky himself—Dicky, who rode at her elbow, impishly happy over having brought both their horses to the edge of running away. Dicky it was who had crowned her, after pulling off her hat and letting down her hair. He scowled at Karsens as that gentleman made to help Mildred down, saying shrilly: "You go 'way and stay with your no-goods! She," nodding toward Mildred, "belongs to me. I'm goin' to marry her when I'm grown up. That will be about Christmas after next."

"Dicky, don't you think it might be next Christmas?" Mildred asked, her eyes dancing. "I hate long engagements. They're always dreadfully sorrowful, besides being unlucky." Dicky looked at her doubtfully.

"How do you know?" he asked. "Are you hegaged to the fellow you carry round in your locket? I saw you kiss it the other day. Let me see what he looks like; you know you said you would."

"So I will—some time," Mildred answered, catching him by the shoulders and swinging him back and forth. Karsens noted how soft yet firm her hands were, the fine modeling of wrists and palms, the whole pose of grace and strength. But he hardly knew that he did note them—he was so blindly, so furiously jealous of the fellow in the locket. When Dicky at last ran away to his mother Karsens stood before Mildred, asking imperatively, "Are you really engaged?"

"What's that to—Hecuba?" Mildred countered, her paling roses suddenly red again.

"Everything!" Karsens said, with a thick undernote. "Mildred, Mildred," he went on, "I have been blind this ten days. Now that I see is it quite too late?"

"I don't understand," Mildred said suddenly, prim and pale. She half turned away her face as she wound up her thick hair and massed it high on her head. "I must go," she murmured. "Dicky has every hairpin in some of his pockets. He says he means to keep them so I cannot go with the others. My hair, you see, is unruly; it defies ordinary fastenings, so unless I can get the pins back before he thinks to hide them the chances are I shall really be a prisoner until tomorrow."

All this in a huddle, with flight after it. Karsens stood staring after the vanishing figure in a scowling daze. He was angry clean through. If it was fate's decree that he should be thus bowled over, why had it not come to pass at first? Then he might have had a chance—now, now, when he had shown himself a condescending ass, of course she would never look at him, much less listen. There was also the man in the locket. She had blushed furiously when Dicky told of him. Who could he be? Some Minton manikin, no doubt. Though Mildred had been strange to him, he knew how she had grown up there, the light of her father's eyes, the stay and comfort of an invalid mother. They had no business to keep her there. It was that which had made her so silent, so pale and ungirlish instead of a beauty as glorious as delicate.

She was, after all, the wife for him, yet they had given her no chance. He had been likewise defrauded. How was he to know that aught so unlike could soften and brighten like a gray sky at dawn? Until train time he asked himself these things and many more over and over. He meant to have them answered in part before he got back to the city. There fate balked him. At the very last minute Mildred decided to stay another day. Dicky howled delight and triumph when he heard it and instantly carried her off from everybody. Karsens made his adieus with what grace he might and went home more than ever dazed.

He did not sleep that night. Next day betimes he sped him back to Hidaway. He found the house deserted. Mrs. Barton was out driving, said the butler. Miss Gore? He was not sure. She might be in the grounds. She was not in her own room or anywhere about the house.

Wherever she might be, Master Dicky was with her. Karsens waited to hear nothing more. He plunged into the shrubbery, took a short cut that led to the pine grove and came out at the edge of it breathless, yet content, for he heard voices through the murmuring stillness of it—Dicky's shrill and gleeful, Mildred's touched with a something, yet wholly good humored. Karsens crept noiselessly toward the pair stopped in the ambush of a big pine six feet away and listened shamelessly to what was said, having much ado the while to keep himself from laughing.

Mrs. Barton doted on antiques. She had astounded the countryside by paying fabulously for all manner of truck, ancient and weather beaten. Thus it happened she had bought from the town authorities the old stocks rummaged out when the town hall was rebuilt and had set them up in the pines, arranging them so strollers might sit on them and hear the tale of them. Adventurers even put their feet in the allotted spaces of timbers still staunch. Thus Dicky had learned the trick. He had played it this morning himself, then persuaded Mildred to do the same. When her feet were nicely settled he slapped down the upper half, fastened it tight and said: "Now you are my prisoner. I will not let you out until"—

"Until what, Dicky, dear?" Mildred had asked, laughing heartily. She was asking it still when Karsens came in sight. Dicky seemed pondering deeply. "It's no fair to ask two things for one," he said at last, "and I want to ask two. I don't know just yet which I want worse."

"Oh, well, then I'll go to sleep and let you find out," Mildred said, pretending to sigh deeply, although Karsens was sure her eyes were dancing. Dicky went very near her. "You better not," he said, "'cause if you do I mightn't have to ask but one."

"Indeed! Tell me what they are. Maybe I can decide which of them you ought to care most about," Mildred said coaxingly. Dicky shook his head. "I know all by myself now," he said. "'Cause if I said you must stay here always you couldn't. We're only here for summer time. So you've got to show me—the man in the locket. If you don't I'll keep you here till mamma comes to find us. Then she will punish me, and you'll be mighty sorry."

"So sorry I cannot possibly let it happen," Mildred said, with a bubbling laugh. Karsens heard the faint click of a spring, then Dicky's sorrowful shout: "Why, it's nobody in the world but that silly Bert Karsens! What do you want with him, Milly? I know I'm ever so much better looking!"

"Not a doubt of it," Karsens said, rushing forward and kneeling beside Dicky's prisoner. The telltale locket lay open face down in her lap, where it had fallen from her nerveless fingers. As he closed it after one glance he said in Mildred's ear, "Darling, if you kept that thing maybe I can persuade you after a long, long time to take the original."

"Not unless your mother says so. She sent me the picture," Mildred whispered. Dicky had scampered off. As Karsens set her free he drew her hand over his arm, saying with a shake of the head: "You're much too dangerous to be left at large. I shall keep you prisoner all the rest of your life."

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"A good dog," said one, "has the same kind of pluck that old Jerome McWade used to show.

"He was a farmer, seventy years old, but still hale and hearty. One morning he and his two sons got to wrangling over their strength, and Jerome declared that he could load quite as fast as they could pitch it.

"So to the fields they went, and Jerome got into a hay wagon with his fork, and the two boys down below began to pitch the hay up to him as fast as they could pitch it.

"The old man stood up to his work stoutly. He loaded with lightning speed, and all the while he kept calling down: 'More hay! More hay!'

"The boys worked hard. Their youth told in their favor. Old Jerome got to loading more and more untidily. Still as he scrambled about on top of the uneven mounds he continued to shout, 'More hay!'

"All of a sudden he tripped as he dug in his fork and fell from the wagon to the ground.

"'Ah,' said his eldest son, 'what are you doing down here?'

"Jerome as he rose answered:

"'I came down for more hay.'"—Harper's Weekly.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit stand is in our cities.

MANNERS IN BUSINESS.

Brains and Good Deportment a Winning Combination.

The value of brains in business cannot be overestimated, of course; but neither can the value of manners. Don't make the error of supposing that brains are everything. You may have the best set of brains in the town, but if you haven't the manners of a gentleman nobody is going to appreciate you. Your manner is the outward indication of what you are within in the estimate of most people, and if the manner is disagreeable few will take the trouble to examine into you any further.

The consensus of general opinion is that the man who goes about with porcupine quills as his manners hasn't any brains worth bothering about. Did you never notice that the men who employ large forces of intelligent people look at an applicant closely, ask a few seemingly unimportant questions and promptly employ or dismiss him? They don't sound his brain depth; they don't obtain his biography; they don't inquire into his social standing; they size him up from his manners, and if he is brass on the surface they don't look for gold within.

The employer knows that if an applicant's manner strikes him favorably it will also favorably strike people with whom he comes in contact in his work. And nobody knows better than a big business man that a favorable first impression means half the sale. People are apt to think that if there is any place where manners are of little consequence it is in business, where cold calculation so largely takes the place of feeling. But the truth is that nowhere else are manners of such importance as in everyday dealings. There is no capital and equipment any young man can have that will pay him better than good manners. There is no possible calling for which this does not better fit him. If he has brains the world owes him something, but unless he has good manners he will have a hard time collecting it.—Kansas City World.

Lost.—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on the first day of June, 1905, and terminating on the thirty-first day of May, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit:

H. A. JOHNSON,

On the ground floor, front room of that certain building situate near the Townsite of Wylie in said County on the following described lands: Commencing 522 feet south of the Northeast corner of Section 25, in Twp. 152, Range 45 and 133 feet west of the range line between ranges 44 and 45; thence West 50 feet, thence South 150 feet, thence East 50 feet, thence north 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the county of Red Lake at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the second day of May, A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 18th day of April, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] JAMES E. FORD,
a20-27 County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervcher, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
a20m4 Judge of Probate

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Fifty Eight and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) in Block One (1) and Lots Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All our undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 15th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Raddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota. a20m25

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Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 11th 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Elfrida Anderson of the County of Red Lake representing, among others things, that Peter John Anderson late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to S. J. Swanson granted:

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1892, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1892, at 12:45 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corporation, by written assignment dated the 13th day of July 1892, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1892, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chapin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 352 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.

Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. m30m4

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd, 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 26597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON,
a13m18 Register.

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 10th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Ole H. Haaven, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Haaven the Administrator of the estate of Ole H. Haaven deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Monday the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 10th day of, April A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
a13-27 Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake }
District Court,
14th Judicial District

Joseph Helm Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon One hundred five dollars from the 2nd day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 6th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursements herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Fifty-four and 25-100ths Dollars which became due on the 22nd day of March 1905, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Michael Phelan and Petronella Phelan, his wife, mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of March 1902 and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1902, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 14 of Mortgages on pages 358 and 359. And whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage not already paid, to-wit, the sum of Ninety Dollars and twenty-five cents, did become due and payable, and the said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Mortgagee, having duly elected to declare the whole of said sum due and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 22nd day of March, 1905, together with the further sum of Thirty-three and 82-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 3rd day of April, 1905, the said sum of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars being for interest paid by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls under and pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars executed by said Mortgagors to one Louise T. Mellen, default having been made by said Mortgagors in the payment of said interest and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding has been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, to-wit: The Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter and Lots numbered four (4) and [illegible] of Section Thirty two (32), in Township 152 North of Range 41 in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of May, 1905, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and said debt of Thirty three and 82-100 Dollars with the interest on said amounts as hereinbefore stated, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, the same being hereby stated to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 5, 1905.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK
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W. A. McIntyre,
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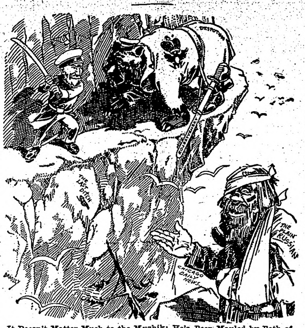

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A MIDNIGHT FIRE DESTROYS AN INSTITUTION LOCATED AT ST. GENEVIEVE, QUE.

Fourteen Inmates Unable to Escape and Perish—The Victims Include Nine Girls, Four Women and a Heroic Nun.

Montreal, Que., April 22.—The little village of St. Genevieve is in mourning over the loss of 14 lives in a fire which destroyed the convent of St. Anne there early on Friday. One nun, nine children, ranging in age from 10 to 18 years, and four old women, perished in the flames. Two nuns were so severely burned that it is feared they will die. In their grief over the catastrophe the villaged find some comfort in relating the heroism displayed by Sister Marie Adjuteur, who gave up her life, and Sister Marie Therese and Marie Robertine, who were perhaps fatally burned in their efforts to save the lives of the children and helpless old women in their charge. There is no organized fire protection in the village. The fire, which started at an early hour in the morning, was beyond control by the time the sleeping people could be aroused. A bucket brigade was formed, but the efforts to check the flames proved futile and the quaint old structure was reduced to ashes. Sisters Marie Therese and Marie Robertine were rescued with difficulty from the hallway, where they had fallen, overcome by the smoke and flames.

The convent was called the Ste. Annes, and was a branch of the convent of the Sisters of Ste. Annes of Lachine. The building was a gray stone structure, handsome in appearance, massive in character and with the churuch it formed a central figure of the pretty little village. St. Genevieve is a village and parish of Jaques Cartier county, on Rievere des Prairies. It is three miles from Beaconsfield and five miles from Pointe Claire.

A BRUTAL CRIME.

Aged Woman Strangled to Death by Unknown Persons at Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Mount Vernon, O., April 24.—The body of Miss Miranda Bricker, aged 25, who had been criminally assaulted and strangled to death, was found Sunday morning in the rear of the Fairchild home, in this city, where she had been employed as housemaid. There were evidences of a terrible struggle upon the part of the woman, who had been dragged 500 feet from the place where she was first attacked. Persons living in the vicinity recall that they heard cries during the night, but paid no attention to them. There is no clue, but bloodhounds have been sent for to trail the murderer, if possible.

Well-Known Ohioan Dead.

Cleveland, O., April 22.—Maj. William W. Armstrong, prominent in the democratic party throughout the state, died Friday afternoon ,after one day's illness of pneumonia, aged 72 years. He is said to have been the man who suggested the rooster as the emblem for the democratic party.

Eruption of Vesuvius.

Naples, April 22.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius is increasing, and frequent explosions are heard. Streams of lava are running down the mountain, and the crater is emitting smoke, ashes and red-hot stone.

Burned to Death.

Marion, Ind., April 19.—Bessie Jordan (colored), 40 years old, and her daughter Mary, nine years old, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home at Race and Thirteenth streets Tuesday night.

Rate Bill Passed.

Madison, Wis., April 19.—Without debate by a vote of 75 to 12, the Wisconsin assembly Tuesday passed the administration railroad rate commission bill.

LOSE MILLIONS.

John W. Gates and Friends Drop $10,000,000 in Effort to Corner May Wheat.

Chicago, April 24.—Burning with an ambition to be known as the "Wheat King" John W. Gates led an army of Wall street steel millionaires in a May wheat deal against the strongly entrenched Armour interests. Saturday, dashed in spirit and lame in purse, the steel ranks withdrew, having lost a cool $10,000,000. No wilder day was ever seen in the Chicago wheat pit, even in the sensational campaign of "Joe" Leiter, when $9,000,000 was dropped into the same pockets to which Gates and his allies have contributed, than Saturday. From an uneasy perch of $1.10, Friday's closing price, May wheat dropped like lead and with only one breathing space, sank 11½ cents, resting finally at 98½ cents. Gates, old brokers say, could have begun liquidating when the top price of $1.21½ was reached and would have lost little or nothing. But he wanted to fight, and Saturday Armour, Valentine and others accommodated him. He held a line of 25,000,000 bushels of May wheat. With his steel clique he had acquired 70,000,000 bushels in his effort to corner the market. Some of this wheat was bought by the Gates crowd as high as $1.21½; some at lower figures. Saturday 5,000,000 bushels of it went at prices ranging as low as 98½ cents. If the average loss be figured at ten cents a bushel, the steel clique lost $7,000,000 on the entire deal. If the more likely figure of 15 cents be used, their losses ran up to $10,500,000. From the rise in price farmers profited to the extent of 20 cents on each 25,000,000 bushels of May wheat, or $5,000,000. The bears took the rest of the plunder.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Woman Accused of Poisoning Her Two Children in a Village in Ohio.

Columbus, O., April 24.—Mrs. Henry Anthony, aged 32, of Grove City, a suburb of Columbus, is held at the county jail pending an investigation of the death of her two children by a former marriage, John and Oletha Demorest, aged 9 and 13 years respectively, who were found dead in bed Sunday morning. The circumstances of the children's death have aroused suspicions of poisoning. The mother claims the children were ill and she gave them quinine. About seven years ago, the woman, whose name was then Demorest, killed her three-year-old boy by cutting his throat. She was then adjudged insane and was sent to the state hospital, but was discharged in less than two months as recovered.

Comerford Sworn In.

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—Frank D. Comerford, of Chicago, who was expelled from the house of representatives in March last because he was unable to substantiate charges he had lodged against certain of his colleagues for "grafting," and who was reelected at the late election held in Chicago, was Friday sworn in and again took his seat in the lower body.

Baseball Manager Dies.

Boston, April 22.—A dispatch from New York announces the death of William H. Rogers, business manager of the Boston baseball club of the National league. He was 45 years of age.

Named for Congress.

Evansville, Ind., April 21.—The democrats of the First congressional district here on Thursday nominated Maj. G. V. Menzies, of Mount Vernon, for congress for the special election May 16.

Anti-Policy Bill Passes.

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—The house Thursday passed the anti-policy bill providing for heavy penalties for "playing policy" or conducting "policy games." The bill now goes to the governor.

Mrs. McLean Elected.

Washington, April 21.—Mrs. Donald McLean, of New York, was on Thursday elected president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

RUSSIAN FLEET IS COALING.

REPORTED OFF THE COAST OF HAINAN WHERE FLEETS MAY MEET.

Mysterious Rumors of Peace at St. Petersburg. Admiralty is Mum. Oyama is Quietly Awaiting the Sea Fight.

London, April 25.—The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Telegraph wires: The governor of Hainan island has wired to the Chinese government that the Baltic fleet is taking coal off the coast of Hainan. It is stated at Hongkong that the third Russian (Nebogatoff's) squadron will join the Baltic fleet about April 28, and that the Russians will make a prolonged stay at Hainan island.

Japan is vigorously protesting against the preparations for flight from Shanghai of the Russian protected cruiser Askold.

It is feared that more difficulties will arise on account of China's inability to enforce her neutrality with respect to the report that the Russian Pacific squadron is coaling off Hainan.

St. Petersburg, April 25.—Mysterious rumors that another attempt at peace negotiations is impending are circulating in high quarters and the United States is directly mentioned as the intermediary. The Associated Press has not been able to obtain any conformation of the reports.

No intimation of such a move has reached the American Ambassy but at the foreign office yesterday afternoon an official inquired perhaps significantly when President Roosevelt would return to Washington.

As previously stated in these dispatches a considerable party in the government holds strongly to the opinion that now that Admiral Rojestvensky is ready to strike, but before the issue is put to the test would be the most opportune time for opening negotiations.

WOODS ABLAZE.

Many Fires Are Raging in Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin. Land Dry as Tinder.

Duluth, April 25. — Northeastern Minnesota, Northern Wisconsin and the western end of Lake Superior are enveloped in a pall of smoke from forest fires. Scores of fires are burning in woods and slashings, and reports of losses are coming in from every line of rail communication entering Duluth.

A forest fire started a blaze in a huge pile of cedar telegraph poles and ties near Saginaw station of the Duluth, Missabe & Northern road, and did several thousand dollars damage before it was extinguished. The burned property was owned by Wilson & Lungren, small contractors.

The officials of the Duluth, Missabe & Northern and the Duluth & Iron Range roads have issued special orders to trainmen to look out for forest fires, and extra men are employed to keep an eye on bridges and instantly report when fires break out.

Fires are burning close to several of the mining locations on the Mesaba. The country is dry as tinder.

Three Are Killed.

Eveleth, Minn, April 25.—In a handcar accident Sunday night on the Duluth, Missabe & Northern between Zim and Norway Ridge three men were killed and one injured.

Two of the dead are Gus Tieman, a section foreman at Norway Ridge, and Charles Erickson, whose dead body was brought here from Virginia last night. The four were coming from Zim when they were struck by No. 13. Erickson and an unknown man who is now in the hospital here, were taken off the pilot of the engine. The bodies of the other two were not found until morning. Both of them were in the ditch.

Another Drop in Wheat.

Chicago, April 25.—A double back somersault was performed by May wheat yesterday. Instead of settling into a reminiscence, the option promptly started in the morning with a repetition of last week's sensational acrobatics. Some of the trades showed a fall off of 4 cents a bushel, the price opening at 96@98c, as against 81 at the close on Saturday.

Boiler Blows Up.

Superior, Wis, April 25.—The boiler in the enginehouse back of the New York block on Tower avenue blew up, knocking out the window and demolishing the doors leading from the room to the outside. Nobody was injured.

Called Off.

Chicago, April 25.—The teamsters last night called off the strike against Montgomery, Ward & Co.

TWIN CITY MARKETS.

Minneapolis, April 24

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 98 c; No. 3 northern, 95; May, 94½ Oats—No. 3 white, 28c. Corn—No. 3, 44c. Rye—No. 2, 72c. Barley—No. 2, 38c. Flax—$1.41. Butter — Creamery, extras, 30@31c; firsts, 28@29c; dairy, fancy, 26@27c. Poultry—Turkeys, 9@10c; chickens, 7@8c.

St. Paul, April 24

Cattle — Steers, $4.50@5.85; cows, $3.75@4.50. Hogs—$5.20@5.35. Sheep—Muttons ,$5.00; lambs, $6.75

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Courier for stationery.

Miss Adelaide Veigel entertained ten of her little friends at a birthday party last Saturday afternoon at her home in this city. The following young people were present: Helen Sivertson, Gertrude Zaiser, Vera Zeb, Louise Bray, Myrtle Zaiser, Rebecca Bray, Donald Marshall, Arthur Bray, Tracy Jeffers and Louis Borchers.

If you are getting lazy, watch James; if your faith is below par, read Paul; if you are impatient, sit down quietly and have a little talk with Job; if you are just a little strong headed, go and see Moses; if you are weak kneed, take a look at Elijah; if there is no song in your heart, listen to David; if you are getting chilly get the beloved disciples to put his arm around you; if you are loosing sight of the future, climb up to revelation and get a glimpse of the promised land.

One day two Italians started out to sell apples, each taking a supply of 60 apples. One sold the fruit at three for one cent, while the other sold his supply at two for one cent. The next day one of the Italians was taken ill and was unable to render any assistance, so the one man took out the full supply of 120 apples and sold them five for two cents. Find the results of both day's sales and explain why the amounts are not the same, when the same number of apples are sold at virtually the same price—five apples for two cents.

A preacher out in Kansas is responsible for this: I had occasion at one time to hold Christian services in a little town not far from Topeka. The choir was composed of two old maids and two old batchelors. When the chorus to the official Christmas hymn was reached the old maids alone sang "Unto us a child was born" and the old batchelors: followed up with.. W-o-n-d-e-r-f-u-l w-o-n-d-e-r-f-u-l."—Then some vag in the front pew had to snicker. That settled it. The choir quit abruptly and the services came to an end.—Exchange.

Senior Class Play.

On Friday evening, May 5, the Seniors will present their class play, "The Silent Detective," at the Metropolitan opera house. This play is written by Effice W. Merriman, the authoress of "Diamonds and Hearts," given by the Athenians. The plot is simple and the play follows it closely. The play opens with a rush and goes out with a stampede.

The cast of characters follows:

Marcia Gray	Iza Tibbitts
Josephine Howells	Clara Marchand
Nellie Gray	Blanche Berthiaume
Mrs. Howells	Mayme Linnihan
Sarah Chapman	Rose Sutter
Susan Wilkins	Lillian Nauman
Cloe	Margaruite Kaus
Mr. Gray	Drew Marshall
Fred Howells	Ralph Healy
Dr. Aicott Aunt Nellie	Harry Garceau
Bert Hawley	Drew Marshall
Jerry Wilkins	Mike Connaughty

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STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Thirteenth Biennial Report Recounts Work That Has Been Done.

The thirteenth biennial report of the Minnesota Historical society shows the society to be in a flourishing condition, and ambitious for future achievements.

The Historical society was organized in October, 1849, and was consequently fifty-five years old last fall. Now, in its fifty-sixth year, it will occupy large and convenient quarters in the new state capitol.

The additional rooms is needed to properly care for the library and records, which are now badly crowding the old quarters.

The library of the society consists of 77,684 volumes, of which 43,181 are bound. In 1903, the newspaper volumes bound and added to the records numbered 578, and in 1904, 529. The total newspaper volumes now on record is 6,526. Another interesting and valuable record consists of twenty-nine quarto scrap books, each of 160 pages, well indexed which have been filled during the past twenty-five years. The value of this work has received additional recognition lately, and at present the scrap books are being turned out at the rate of three or four annually.

The additional space in the new capitol will permit of increased display of museum specimens and portraits, the supply of which is large. J. V. Brower alone has within the past ten years collected over 100,000 specimens of stone implements and weapons, bone and copper ornaments, etc. Rev. Edward C. Mitchell, another honored member of the society, will contribute his private collection of thousands of specimens when space for their display becomes available.

The society asks for additional means to prosecute the work, and points to Wisconsin as an example, that state making a regular appropriation of $30,000 a year for its Historical society. It has also provided a four story fireproof building, costing $400,000, and our society thinks the example worthy of emulation.

The County in General

St. Hilaire schools and banks were closed on Good Friday.

The Soo is building a six stall round house at Thief River.

Dr. G. C. Hoff, of Zumbrota, is thinking seriously of locating at Plummer.

The Masons of Thief River Falls gave a big banquet to themselves one evening last week.

St. Hilaire is having great fun bowling and a contest was pulled off at that place last week.

The street commissioner of St. Hilaire has been busy lately cleaning up the streets of that burg.

A Plummer citizen lost a valuable gold watch and chain between that town and Lambert recently.

Frank Posten, of Thief River Falls, came near losing both legs one day last week while unloading rock.

H. Ogard, of Plummer, has patented a road grader and is at Crookston where he will manufacture the machines.

Dan Carroll, a Plummer resident, recently lost a pocketbook containing some money and bank certificates of deposite.

A fierce fire raged on the school section just south of Plummer a couple of days last week. No damage was done.

W. G. Brown has his new house at Plummer about completed and expects his family to move soon from Red Lake Falls.

The Crookston district of the Epworth League will meet at Thief River Falls in June. There are some sixty pastoral charges in the district and most of them will be represented at the meeting.

The saw mill at Thief River Falls is closed down on account of the scarcity of logs. The company has over seven million feet of logs in the river but the water is so low it is a slow proposition to get them to the mill.

Chas. Kjelden, a reservation settler, was burned out one day last week and has gone to his former home in the southern part of the state to raise money to get another start. While away from his home one day a prairie fire destroyed all his buildings and a yoke of oxen.

It is said the Soo will establish three new towns between Thief River Falls and the Red River on its new line. One on the east bank of the river will likely be a good one, as it will have a fine country around it. Altogether there will be twenty-one new townsites opened on the new line.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Backus has a new band.

Roseau wants a hospital.

Twin Valley is roller skating crazy.

Bemidji is having wrestling matches galore.

There is talk of starting a creamery at Bagley.

Fertile is to have another free rural mail route.

McIntosh is to have a law enforcement league.

Ada is charging $1,250 a year for liquor licenses.

The Bemidji Pioneer got out a big Easter edition.

A great amount of hay is being shipped from Dugdale these days.

Farmers about Crookston are building a rural telephone line.

The old oat meal mill at Crookston was destroyed by fire one day last week.

It is said that Barnum & Bailey's big circus will visit the Valley this season.

Some of Brainerd's business men think the town has too many thirst parlors.

A number of farmers around Brainerd have signed contracts to raise sugar beets this year.

Fertile's band has reorganized and expects to discourse sweet music at that burg the coming summer.

Morrison county commissioners have appropriated $200 to make an exhibit at the state fair this year.

Moorhead's commercial club is going to make sure that everybody in that city is counted at the next census.

Fertile's marshal says he don't want any more bonfires set after night. Too much work watching them, he says.

Wadena business men will give the farmers in that vicinity a good time sometime during the month of May. A monster picnic is planned.

A young girl was brutally murdered near Little Falls one day last week. Two negroes are supected of the crime and the country is being scoured in an effort to locate them.

Serious charges have been made against some of Baltrami county's officials. The auditor, county attorney and two commissioners are implicated and an investigation will be had.

I. O. Brandt, the woolen mills man of Fosston, says the Red River valley wool is superior to the Montana products and that it brings a better price in the finished goods than the imported wool.

Roseau has concluded that the Great Northern railway will not build from Greenbush to that place and a farmer road is talked of. They are bound to have a railroad, Jim Hill or no Jim.

Brain Leaks.

Easy made, soon spent.

Real service is never servility.

The nearer one gets to God the closer one gets to ones neighbor.

The fact that there is no law against it does not always make it right.

The way to make tomorrow better than yesterday is to work to-day.

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The men who talk the loudest about politics being dirty are the men who are too lazy to help clean things.

A man may burn so much "midnight oil" that he has none left to oil the day's machinery.

The man who starts out looking for trouble usually finds it just about to enter his own door.

When a man begins to imagine that he "dosen't look his age" it is a sign that he is growing old.

The man who has no business of his own is a mighty poor man to engage to attend to your business.

A man may buy the reputation of being a phinalthropist, but he can not buy the real philanthropist's character.

If a man is real honest he will admit that the proudest moment of his life was when he could see faint signs of a little bunch of beard in front of each ear.

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CITY DADS MEET.

Doings of City Council at Last Two Meetings.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, April 13th, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were allowed;

Leri Miller, street work	3 10
Louis Guilmette, do	3 75
Dolphis Beausoliel, do	1 50
John Deforge, do	14 95
Philias Roy, burying dog	1 00
Red Lake Falls Gazette, printing	17 08
Joseph Lachance, rent of dwelling to Keils	10 50
John Drier, services as fire warden 3 months	18 00
Michael Wagner, cleaning chimney, etc	1 50
Theo. LaBissoniere, merchandise.	12 19

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Crompe and seconded by Alderman Brady:

Be it resolved by the city council of the city of Red Lake Falls:

1 That the part of a certain street and one alley and public grounds hereinafter described are hereby vacated, and the use thereof as a highway discontinued and the same are hereby granted unto the Church of St. Mary, of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, its successors and assigns, forever:

Said part of a street, said alley and public grounds hereby vacated are as follows, to-wit:

Stripe of land twenty feet wide of Main street extending from Fourth street to Fifth street in E. and O, Buse's Addition to the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county; said twenty foot strip of land is next adjacent to the west line of block one (1) in said E. and O. Buse's Addition, and also the alley in block one (1) in said E. and O. Buse's Addition.

That the part of said street and the said alley hereby vacated are shown in red color on the plat hereto annexed which is made a part of this resolution.

2 That the vacation of part of said street and said alley herein described shall take effect and be in force only upon the payment by the church of St. Mary's of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, of the sum of $1.00.

Upon roll call the following Aldermen voted aye:

Hennemuth, Crompe, Brady and Borchers.

Nay, none.

Whereupon the president declared the resolution adopted.

James Brady was duly authorized to draw plans and specifications for a wooden bridge across Clearwater river on Bottineau's Avenue.

On motion meeting adjourned to April 18th, 1905, at 8 o'clock p m.

FRED BORCHERS, Pres.

Approved this 19th day of April, A. D. 1905. J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the city hall April 18, 1905.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Application of Peter Nimesgern for abatement of taxes was on motion referred to alderman Brady.

Plans and specifications for the Clearwater bridge presented by James Brady were duly approved and placed on file.

The city clerk was instructed to advertise for sealed bids for the construction of a bridge over the Clearwater river on Bottineau avenue according to plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk, bids to be received in two forms. One for the construction of said bridge with all new lumber and material, and one for part new lumber and material, and such lumber and material as the city has at present on hand as stated in the specifications.

Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check to an amount not less than ten per cent of the bid payable to the order of the city treasurer, for failure to enter into contract, and bond as shall be ordered by the City Council. This bridge shall be paid in city warrants on the general fund of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, as soon as said bridge is completed and accepted.

Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 24th day of April, A. D. 1905.

JOHN A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest.

A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned up to 3 o'clock p. m., Monday, May 15th for the building and erection of a bridge over Badger creek in Terrebonne township. Plans and specications can be found at Town Clerk's office. Bid calls for labor only as lumber and material is already on the ground.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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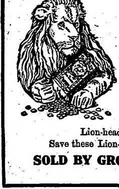

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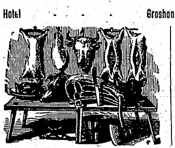

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Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
City of Red Lake Falls }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the City Council of said city Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on May 7th 1905, and terminating on May 6th 1906, by the following persons, and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively to-wit:

JOSEPH H. PARADIS

In that certain brick building situated on lot 19 of block 3 in Champagne and Dows Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Falls this 27th day of April A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned to May, 11th, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the construction of a bridge over Clearwater river on Bottineou Ave., according to the plans and speicfications now on file in my office. Bids are to be received in two forms. One for the construction of said bridge with all new lumber and material and one for part new lumber and material and such lumber and material as the city now owns and situated as mentioned in specifications.

Each bid must be accompained with a certified check to an amount not less than ten per cent of the bid payable to the order of the City Treasurer. In case the bidder fails to enter into contract and bond as shall be directed by the city council.

This bridge will be paid in city warrants of the city of Red Lake Falls out of the general fund as soon as the bridge is completed and duly accepted.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 27th day of April A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN
City Clerk.

A Sad Case.

The following story is a gem in its way and will bear reproducing:

For a long, long time she gazed fixedly into his eyes as he bent over her.

"You have no heart?" she asked yearnedly.

"No," he replied decidedly, yet with a throb of regret in his voice, "I have no heart."

For a long time neither spoke; he leaned forward and looked at her searchingly.

She stood with a far-away look in her eyes.

Finally she roused herself with a sigh, seeming to realize that which she had planned could never be.

"Well." and there was still that note of regret in her voice, "wrap me up a pound of liver."

Last Hope Vanished.

When leading physcians said that W. M. Smithart, of Pekin, Ia., has incurable comsuption, his last hope vanished; but Dr. King's New Discovery for Comsumption, Coughs and Colds, kept him out of his grave. He says: "This great specific completely cured me, and saved my life. Since then, I have used it for over 10 years, and consider it a marvelous throat and lung cure," Strictly scientific cure for Coughs, Sore Throats or Colds; sure preventive of Pneumonia. Guaranteed, 50c and $1.00 bottles at all druggist. Trial bottle free.

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CHURCH MEETING.

Annual Congregational Session of Presbyterian Church Held.

The annual meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church was held at the church parlors last Thursday evening. The ladies aid society of the church served a dainty luncheon to all who attended the meeting. Something over one hundred people were in attendance and all thoroughly enjoyed the repast.

At the conclusion of the supper a business meeting was held and the affairs of the church was discussed by those present. Frank E. Hunt acted as chairman of the meeting while S. M. Sivertson was the secretary.

The reports of the Sunday school, young people's society, ladies aid society and of Treasurer Simons of the church showed the different branches of the church work were in a flourishing condition. The indebtedness of the church was reduced about $800 during the past year

A resolution was passed changing the number of trustees to seven instead of five as has been the case heretofore. The following gentlemen were elected trustees: H. H. Zaiser, L. C. Simons, Thos. Germo, J. C. Nauman and George Hennings. Frank E. Hunt and S. M. Sivertson compose the balance of the board, their terms of office not having expired.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract, go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

THIEF RIVER TRADGEDY.

Man Drowns in River While Fishing With a Net.

A man by the name of Crawford was drowned at Thief River Falls Sunday evening while fishing. He was fishing with a net and in some manner it caught in the water and in pulling it out he lost his balance and fell backwards into the river. The scene of the accident was just below the dam and the swift current was more than he could overcome. The body was recovered the next morning. Coroner Belair was notified and went to that city Monday and held an inquest.

It is said the man's home was in Marshall county and it was expected a brother would come and take the remains to their home for buriel.

Band Has Been Secured.

Blackduck American: Mayor Romdenne and J. R. Pacha have returned from a trip to Red Lake Falls and other towns in that vicinity where they went to stimulate interest in Tournament affairs. While at Red Lake Falls arrangements were made with the band to come to Blackduck during Tournament week. This band is highly spoken of and the committee is to be congratulated in securing the attendance of one of the best brass bands in the state.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Stationery at the Courier office.

GAME LAW CHANGES.

Changes in Game Law Which Sportsmen Should Remember.

The legislature, which recently adjourned, made a number of changes in the state game law of which sportsmen should take note. The principal change in the fish laws prohibits the taking of more than twenty-five fish in any one day by one fisherman. Formerly a fisherman was permitted to take fifty fish. The restrictions as to the manner of taking, etc, are practically the same as under the old law. The closed season remains the same.

The most important changes in the laws pertaining to the shooting season limit the number of field game birds which may be killed in one day to fifteen, and acquatic fowl to twenty-five. Not more than forty-five of the former or fifty of the latter shall be found in the possession of one person at one time. No person shall keep birds for a longer period than five days. No persons shall break up the nests of game birds. Hunters are prohibited from entering fields of growing grain or from entering on a farmer's land without permission.

A sportsman wishing to hunt outside of his own county must procure a license from his county auditor for which he must pay the sum of one dollar.

The closed season for muskrat, mink, otter or beaver is from May 1 to November 1 of each year, provided, however, that anyone may kill such animals if the animals are injuring such persons property. This provision is probably intended to permit farmers and others to kill mink when found raiding poultry coops, which these animals frequently do.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

SNOW NOT HURTFUL

Manager Sivertson of Milling Co. says Snow would not Hurt Wheat.

Crookston Times: "Two inches of snow over the entire valley at the present time, if accompanied by severely cold weather, would be one of the best things possible for the new crop of grain," said S. M. Sivertson, the Red Lake Falls miller in the city, this morning on his way home from a trip to Nielsville during which he inspected the work done on the farms this spring.

"The valley wheat crop for the year '05 is practically all in the ground at the present time," he said, "and the arrival of a small snow storm would provide the moisture for germination and growth which is at the present time lacking. Barley and oats have not yet been sown in any large quantities but there is still a great abundance of time in which to get both grains into the field. The spring this year I consider as one of the earliest and most satisfactory from all standpoints in a great many years."

Mr. Sivertson gets about the valley about as much as any other individual in the northern section of the state and is in a position to know what he is talking about. Having practically all of the spring wheat seeding done by the 29th of April is an unusual record for this section, however.

STATE ISSUES CHICKEN BOOK.

Expert Tells All About Raising Poultry.

The expert at the experiment farm of the state university has issued a bulletin containing an article on "Poultry Culture in Minnesota," written by Charles S. Greene. It is a booklet of twenty pages, containing much information about poultry raising, houses, incubation, care of chicks, selection of stock, preparing for market and marketing. The author believes that more attention should be paid to poultry raising as a business: He says:

"By far the larger part of the eggs and poultry on our markets at the present time come from the farm where poultry are kept only as a side line. We find these fowls are being kept in houses of every conceivable style and generally receiving very little care from the owners. The eggs and poultry produced in the United States in one year are valued at $281,000,000. Minnesota produces about seven and one-half millions dollars' worth of poultry and eggs in a year, which could easily be doubled if proper attention were given to this branch of farm work. But profit with poultry is gained in exact proportion to the care and thought devoted to the business. There is no luck connected with it any more than in any other branch of farming."

Of the influence of climate he says: "While it is true that poultry will live and thrive in nearly every clime, we and that about 40 degrees north latitude is best adopted to their requirement. We would prefer a colder climate than this rather than warmer. Disease germs are more numerous and seem to develop much faster in a warm than in a cold climate. Eggs laid when the weather is moderately cool are of better quality.

An important element of success is the selection of stock. "One breed is enough for any farmer. There is abundant proof that it will pay every one better to keep pure bred stock than it will to keep mongrels. This is true even if stock is kept solely for market purposes without selling eggs for hatching or stock for breeding purposes. Here at the farm we are breeding white Leghorns, white Wyandottes and barred Plymouth Rocks. The Leghorns are the best layers, and have another advantage in coming to laying maturity at least a month before the other breeds. In Canada 42 per cent of all fowls kept are barred Plymouth Rocks. Nearly every breed or variety has some good qualities."

The principal requirement of a poultry house is that it be "warm, light, dry and well ventilated without drafts."

AN OLD FIRE LADDIE.

Nels Belair Served on St. Paul Fire Department 23 Years.

Joseph Belair returned from St. Paul last week where he was called by the death of his brother, Nels Belair, an old resident of that city.

Nels Belair moved to St. Paul in 1863 and at the time of his death he had served twenty-three years on the fire department. A couple of weeks ago he was operated upon for appendicitis and failed to recover from the ordeal. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his death, besides his brother at this place.

The funeral was one of the largest ever held in that city, the fire department taking part in the fitting services and paying tribute to his long and faithful service. The wife will receive a snug little pension for the remainder of her life as will two of the children who are under sixteen years of age.

The Norsk Nightgale.

Ef you got time for a little talk
  Ay lak to tell you somteng now;
It ban about a shepherd kid
  Who have gude yob at herding cow
And bunch of sheep and von fine day
  He say "by yinks dis har ban slow,
So ay skol start a little fun
  An vatch dese yiggers jump yu know.
So ven some men ban going by
  He holler "Volf" with all his might;
It ban a put up yob of course—
  Dar ant ban any volf in sight,
But fellers hear him holler "Volf!"
  And com to help chase volf avay
And shepherd kid yust give dem laugh
  Ay tenk he ban tu fresh and gay.
Val, sir, he vork his cheme each day
  Until at last it get quite stale
Aun fellers never com no more
  But only say "Ve ant for sale,"
Dis shepherd kid he feel qvite bad
  To tenk his yoke ant vork no more,
And van he sees his friends go by,
  Ay guess it mak him purty sore.
Now, vat yu tenk! Von day big volf
  Com sneaking up to kill som sheep;
Dis boy yal "Volf" for half an hour—
  Ay bet my life he's felling cheap,
Dis volf eat sax or seven sheep,
  And eat dis kid, tu, for dessert;
Ef you skal always tal the truth
  Don you ant need to getting hurt.
—W. F. Kirk in Milwaukee Sentinel.

Must Grin and Bear It.

There is a growing suspicion that the state university is getting into politics, and that its demands for appropriations are enforced by covert threats of "getting even."—Red Lake Courier.

It is past the suspicion stage. The university through its students and alumni has been in politics for lo, many years, and as a semi-organized club it grows more powerful each day, but it is a natural consequence and we don't see how it is going to be prohibited, even if there were a general desire to do so.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

Why suffer with spring tiredness, mean, cross feeling, no strength, no appetite? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

HEARING POSTPONED.

Injunction Proceedings in County Seat Controversy to be Heard Later.

Yesterday Mayor Duffy and a few of our citizens were at Crookston to take part in the injunction proceedings in the county seat fight. On motion of Attorney Grady Judge Watts postponed the hearing until May 13th, when written arguments will be presented.

Surprised His Friends.

Crookston Times: J. A. Casey, who for the past three years has been manager of the Robertson Lumber Company yards in this city, was married a week ago last Monday in Dubuque, Iowa, to Miss Louise Eberline of that city. They arrived in this city last Wednesday and have been stopping at the Commercial since that time. The matter was kept a secret until today, when the fact leaked out and Mr. Casey is setting up the cigars. His extreme bashfullness was the cause of his secretiveness. Hosts of friends join in extending congratulations. The cigars are yet to come.

Can Cure Rabies At Home.

It may be of interest to some of our readers to know that it is not necessary to go to the east in order to cure rabies, or the bite of a mad dog. The Journal of the American Medical Association of April 22d says: It must be borne in mind that the treatment is not curative, but prophylactic, and that its success is the greater and the more certain the earlier it is instituted in the long period of incubation following the infecting wound, the object being to establish immunity before the development of the symptoms of the disease proper. It has been shown that when the treatment has been begun at once, the disease is invariably aborted, but the supposed necessity for having this done in an institute, often situated at a considerable distance from the patient's home and entailing at times a prohibitive expense, in many instances has prevented the employment of the procedure. It will be interesting, therefore, to know that this necessity no longer exists, and that the Pasteur Institute of the Department of Health of the City of New York, in addition to making antirabic inoculations itself, is prepared to send virus to a distance.

Almost beyond belief!

For the last 16 years writes Mr. Frank Nargang of New Hamptod, Iowa, I have suffered severely from rheumatism and I owe my complete restoration to that wonderful remedy, Gloria Tonic. I used twelve boxes in all. Sold by W. A Schreiter.

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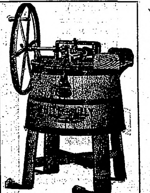

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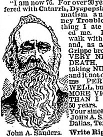

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God made people to live—not to die. YOU ARE KILLING YOURSELF unless you are helping Nature by giving her material to build every part of your body new as fast as the old wears out. You know that's true.

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The farmer is almost the only business man who can regulate his own hours of work—and of play.

A correspondent thinks that there must be money in hens since so much of it has been sunk in the business.

"No man," says Benjamin Franklin, "who can have a piece of land, is poor enough to work in a factory for a master."

Farmers are anxious to breed the hogs that will attain the greatest weight at a given age on a given amount of feed.

Use kerosene freely on the roost and other woodwork of the hen houses, these days. Uncomfortable hens are unprofitable hens.

To get along with harness just ready to fall to pieces, is a poor method of economy in these days of automobiles and trolley cars.

Whether a men expects to sell his farm or not, he should endeavor to bring it to a state where, if it has to be sold, it can be disposed of to advantage, instead of at a sacrifice.

A farmer should be at his very best at forty-five. But how few really are! We learn so slowly how to look out for ourselves. We study our horses and cows and keep them in prime condition, but all the while we are digging down the walls of our own life building. Poor policy.

A fashionable way of deceiving farmers just now is to bring in from the West a stallion worth really in the neighborhood of $1,000, and form a stock company of farmers to buy him at, say $2,500. If farmers want that kind of a horse, the right way is for them to send one of their number to some reliable dealer and buy at what the animal is honestly worth.

It seems singular that 100 hens produce in egg shells about 137 pounds of chalk yearly, and yet not a single pound of that substance or perhaps even an ounce, exists on the farm, or anywhere about the house within the circuit of the hens' feeding ground. But the material is found in the sand, pebble dust, bits of bones and and so forth that they pick up miscellaneously.

One of the experiment stations bought a ton of suspected bran, says an exchange, and found that it contained 1,200 pounds of bran, 300 pounds of plaster, 300 pounds of crushed oat hulls and 200 pounds of sawdust. One ton of good bran will keep a cow 250 days, but a ton of this adulterated bran will keep her only 150 days. Stations do good service when they put farmers on their guard against such practices.

One hundred and twenty young women drew farming homesteads in the recent opening of lands in South Dakota, and a matrimonial rush that resembles the gold rush to California has set in. Men from all parts of the country are offering themselves to the fortunate young women, the majority of them being college graduates from the east which goes to show that a college education does not unfit one for matrimony.

"What plants the man who plants the apple tree?" Well, it seems that the Colorado man who planted a tree bearing coreless apples has planted both fame and fortune. A few of his apples have sold for $15 apiece in London—a rate of some $2,000 a bushel. What a temptation that orchard must be to the boys around Grand Junction! But, after all, the real value is in the power to multiply and reproduce after its kind—a power which would make a single grain of wheat, if there was only one in the world worth more than all the gold in the world.

The King of Italy has assured invitations to an international farmers' conference to be held in May at the beautiful city of Rome, the home of art, sculpture and classic literature. This announcement has a humorous side, but the King has in mind a strong desire to improve the agricultural conditions of his country, and his real ambition is to establish an international chamber of agriculture, which shall contain representatives of all civilized countries and shall do for the farmers what the United States Department of Agriculture does for farmers of America.

Juggling With Dynamite.

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Just Among Ourselves

Edited by the New Boss and an Ax

Half the time a girl gets engaged to be ahead of some other girl.

Worry kills more people than work because more people tackle it.

If you haven't any enemies to forgive, pardon a few of your friends,

Don't grow round shouldered carring business around with you that isn't your business.

We don't like the bee lady who stings with sharp words and then offers the honey of a smile.

"Love is honey mixed with gall," says a magazine writer. The girls furnish the honey and the boys do the rest.

Thief River Falls has just found out that the county seat fight has not began yet. They thought it was all over but the hollering.

An exchange suggests that if some preacher was only smart enough to put a side door in his church he would have it filled with men who would go in from force of habit.

Have you seen Station Agent Tracy with that new military looking cap on? Joe says it makes him look and feel like a Russian Grand Duke, and as his sympathies are all with the Japs he don't like it.

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Talk is cheap and sometimes it doesn't seem to count for much. One day we were called a crank and a fool, and also told we got out the best paper in the county, and all not an hour a part. One must have been a roast and the other a jolly. But say, we enjoyed the latter much the best.

Ernest Gerlach, known to many as "Major" and to some as "Dan Patch," is somewhat of foot-racer. In a race recently he done a few stunts not generally indulged in by most performers. When near the tape he stepped upon a stone and proceeded to turn a few sumersaults and other fancy stunts he has learned by constant practice in the gynasium. When he finally landed on his feet it was tound he had ruined a air of brand new pants and otherwise soiled a new suit of clothes.

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Robert Burns' Muse.

Robert Burns, though he had the choice of such works as the Spectator, "Locke on the Human Understanding" and Pope, together with odd plays of Shakespeare, which formed the staple reading of his home, nevertheless owed most to an old collection of songs. "This," he says, "was my vade mecum! I pored over them during my rest or walking to labor, song by song, verse by verse, carefully noting the true, tender and sublime from affectation and fustian. I am convinced I owe to this practice much of my critic craft, such as it is!"—All the Year Round.

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Here is a pen portrait of Robert Louis Stevenson, written by Dr. Alexander H. Japp: "Not so tall probably as he seems at first sight from his extreme thinness, but the pose and air could not be otherwise described than as distinguished. Head of fine type, carried well on the shoulders, and, in walking, with the impression of being a little thrown back; long brown hair, falling from under a broadish brimmed Spanish form of soft felt hat, Rembrandtesque; loose kind of Iverness cape when walking and invariable velvet jacket inside the house."

The Gain From Others.

A man is strong in proportion to the quantity, the quality and the variety of forces which he absorbs from others. He is a power in proportion to the extent of his contact—socially; mentally and morally—with his kind and a weakling just in proportion as he cuts himself off from others.—Success.

After the Defalcation.

Junior Partner—I never suspected him at all. Senior Partner—Neither did I, although it did seem a little singular to me that he should be able to pay $2,000 a year rent out of a salary of $1,500.—New York Press.

No man will be found who does not sometimes hope or fear beyond the limits of sober probability.—Johnson.

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Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing by dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Comsumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At all druggists, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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MINNESOTA NEWS.

Seed Wheat.

According to Dean. W. M. Liggett and Prof. C. P. Bull of the state experiment station, the question of a seed wheat famine in Minnesta depends entirely on securing a proper distribution of the supply of good seed. A bulletin has just been issued from the state experiment station in which it is said that there is enough good seed to sow the 6,500,000 acres of wheat land, provided the supply is properly distributed, and also provided farmers use proper precautions in selecting seed grain from their rusted wheat.

There is plenty of seed in some localities and none in others. The authorities at the experiment station are making efforts to relieve the situation, and farmers who have good seed are asked to advertise the fact, the suggestion being made that they can probably get more than the market price, and at the same time assist in protecting the state's chief product.

There is an idea prevalent among farmers that rust, like smut, is carried from one crop to another by the use of infected seed. This, the authorities assert is not true. Methods have been found for the prevention of smut, but as yet no definite methods have been found for the prevention of rust.

Wheat rust is propagated by spors and from field to field. Precaution is the only way the farmer has combating rust. The authorities claim that all stubble and rubbish which would tend to harbor the spors of this disease should be burned, and crop rotation practiced. After these precautions have been observed and some rust-resistant variety of wheat is planted the farmer will be reasonably sure.

State Fair Races.

The management of the Minnesota state fair has fairly outdone itself in the race program for the feir of 1905, which has been completed and given by Secretary E. W. Randell. The total of purses offered has been increased by $2,000 from last year and reached the handsome amount of $27.650. This is the largest amount yet offered in purses by any western race meeting, whether at a state fair or elsewhere.

The 2:40 class trot is cut and a 2:19 class is inserted while the 2:17 class is made a 2:14. These changes meet the views of horsemen.

Perhaps the most interesting change is the increase for the purse of the 2:09 pace and the 2:10 trot (formerly) 2:12) from $1,000 to $1,500. These are the fastest classes on the program and the increase is intended to draw out a larger field of starters.

The great $5,000 races for Minneapolis and St. Paul days are retained as are the $2,500, 2:35 trot and 3:30 pace introduced last year. The special novelty, however, is the introduction of two colt races, for three-year-olds or under, bred and owned in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and the two Dakotas with purses of $800 for each.

The rules are substantially the same as last year, with the popular provisions for substitution and withdrawal, except in this important particular:

"Horses not standing for money at end of third heat cannot start in fourth or fifth heats."

This is a new provision for Minnesota, but one which is coming in vogue on many Eastern tracks and is said to suit the great majority of horsemen perfectly.

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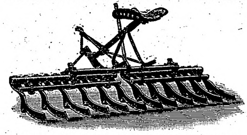

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CHANGE OF PLAN BY PRESIDENT

DECIDES TO SHORTEN HIS VACATION AND WILL BREAK CAMP MAY 8.

Hunting Trip Has Been Very Successful—President and Others of His Party Killed Five Bears in a Period of Two Days.

Glenwood Springs, Col., April 28.—President Roosevelt will break camp on May 8, a week earlier than he had intended, and will start for Washington at once. The only stops he will make will be at Denver and Chicago, where the dates for his reception have been advanced to meet the new arrangement. Secretary Loeb returned early Thursday from the camp, where he conferred with the president all of Wednesday. He announced upon reaching here that affairs in Washington made it necessary that the president curtail his visit. That there is nothing alarming in the situation is manifested from the fact that the hunt will be continued ten days more, in spite of conditions of governmental affairs, which resulted in the altered plans. The Venezuelan situation, it is believed here, resulted in the order to start home on May 8. There are also some routine but important subjects relating to changes in high public offices in the diplomatic service which the president alone can direct, and taken altogether, it is admitted that while no real emergency exists in the state of foreign relations, it would be better were the president to take up the direction of affairs personally a little earlier than he had planned.

Hunters who are with the president believe he has enough game to satisfy him, and will have more than enough when camp is broken on May 8. The president has taken a keen delight in his outing, and has been so successful that he will not be greatly disappointed in having to shorten it. Of the six bears killed by the hunters thus far, the president has brought down three and Dr. Alexander Lambert the other three. Four bears have been killed by temporary attaches of the party and nearby ranchmen.

Hunt Is Successful.

Glenwood Springs, Col., April 26.—President Roosevelt's hunting trip has been crowned with success far beyond his expectations or those of the most sanguine of his guides. Three bears were killed by the party Tuesday and two Monday, one by the president and one by Dr. Lambert. P. B. Stewart, of Colorado Springs, one of the president's hunting companions, arrived here Tuesday night, accompanied by Courier Chapman. They brought the story of the hunt. The killing of the three bears was telephoned to them, and they understood that President Roosevelt brought down two of them, but the details are lacking. The party is almost snowbound in its present location and no attempt will be made to cross the divide. Fifteen feet of snow is on the ground on the other side, and any effort to reach Redstone would be futile.

The bear killed by the president on Monday furnished one of the finest skins ever seen here, according to the taxidermist with whom it has been left for mounting. The bear was of the brown variety, with hair long and uniform color. The animal was shot directly through the heart. After it had been overtaken by the dogs it went up a tree to a position 25 feet high. After the president shot the bear it climbed 20 feet higher and then dropped to the ground.

More Bears Killed.

Glenwood Springs, Col., April 29.—Four bears were killed by the president's party Thursday. All the members participated in the hunt. There was no foundation whatever for a rumor which reached here that the president was ill and did not go on the trail. Dr. Lambert killed the biggest of the four and the president killed two of the animals.

Unique Services.

Glenwood Springs, Col., May 1.—Unique in the history of Colorado was the church service held at the Old Blue schoolhouse on West Divide creek Sunday, attended by President Roosevelt and his hunting party and all the ranchmen and their families for miles around. The members of the congregation stood or sat on the ground or in their conveyances, which were grouped around the building. The sermon by Rev. Mann was of the usual kind. After he had concluded the president spoke for about ten minutes. He expressed his well-known views on good citizenship, the morality of man, patriotism and duty to the home and country. He was cheered heartily throughout his remarks. After the services were concluded he shook hands with every man, woman and child present.

Responsibiltiy Placed.

Princeton, Ind., April 29.—Coroner Hollingsworth returned his verdict Friday in the recent coal mine disaster in which eight men were killed. He holds Roscoe Hedrick and the Princeton Coal company, which owned the mine, responsible. The verdict says that Hedrick was incompetent to prepare the shot which caused the explosion, and the company knew this and is therefore to blame. Harry Targett, who fired the shot and was killed, is also blamed for knowingly firing an illegal shot.

Policy-Holders Safe.

New York, April 29.—H. C. Frick, chairman of the directors' committee investigating the Equitable Life Assurance society, has written a letter to the policy-holders assuring them that the interest of every policy-holder is absolutely safe.

MINNESOTA HAPPENINGS.

Short Items Showing What has Happened Throughout Confines of North Star State.

State inspection of hay is a difficult task.

Macalester defeats St. Olaf at baseball 7 to 1.

C. H. Warren of Aitkin is appointed state immigration agent.

Mrs. John Keller of St. Paul dies from effect of bullet wounds.

The bankers of the Ninth district held a successful meeting in Moorhead.

The city council of St. Paul apportions $35,000 to be expended for good roads.

The state board of health decides to establish a branch laboratory in Duluth.

The state game and fish commission believes it has pot hunters on the hip.

The state is likely to start the next fiscal year with a deficit of nearly $1,000,000.

The Burlington and Northern Pacific will run a good roads special to the coast.

The legislature made no provision for maintaining the sanatorium for consumptives.

Vincent Seietl, a painter, drops dead while calling at the home of acquaintances.

Three constitutional amendments will be submitted to the Minnesota voters next year.

The legislators imposed much extra work on the state railway and warehouse commission.

The state food department finds Minnesota butcher shops and grocery stores in sanitary condition.

The warehouse of M. Graus at Hastings was burned last night. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Nellie Palmer is appointed postmistress at Oskawa, Nicollet county, in place of Frank McOnat, resigned.

The Minneapolis bank clearings in one day were $4,072,057.97, which was the best single business day in some time.

The report of the labor commissioner records 199 accidents in Minnesota factories during the last three months.

The Virginia & Rainy Lake company, capitalized at $2,000,000, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

Roscoe Haskeld, a transient, while under the influence of liquor, completely wrecked the home of Mrs. Dustin of Winona.

It is found that the permanent, as well as the temporary journals of the legislature, make the code take effect March 1, 1905.

Five applications for pardons or commutations of sentences were denied by the state board of pardons at a special meeting.

The American Medico Psychological association in session at San Antonio, Texas, has selected St. Paul as the next meeting place.

Ruth Bakkan, of Duluth, aged 5½ years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Bakkan, was fatally burned while playing about a bonfire.

The faculty of Concordia college at Moorhead has found it necessary to provide more room. A new main building will be erected.

As the result of a raid of the Moorhead police seven boys are now confined in the Moorhead jail charged with disturbing the peace.

Col. C. H. Graves of Duluth, the newly appointed minister to Norway and Sweden, and Alice Kinney Tripp were married at Philadelphia.

Edward Claggett withdraws his name after Gov. Johnson had protested against selecting him as superintendent of the new capitol.

The Japanese government has apparently closed its orders for American flour, which they have been buying in immense quantities for several weeks.

Instruction in domestic science is likely to be made a prominent and essential feature of the course of study in the various normal schools of Minnesota.

Dr. C. W. Van Damme of Minneapolis, who has been on trial before Judge Simpson of the district court on the charge of criminal malpractice, was found guilty.

Samuel S. Norman, Waverly hotel, salesman for the Daniels Linseed Oil company of St. Paul, fell down a stairway at the Grill restaurant, Minneapolis, and was killed.

S. F. Barney, an attorney and one of the prominent and wealthy residents of Mankato, died following an operation Monday for cancer. He was one of the earliest residents of Mankato.

Through the efforts of the Henning Industrial association, Henning is to have a $15,000 starch factory. In consideration of a bonus of $3,500 R. L. Hall of Anoka has agreed to establish the industry there.

A freight train on the North-Western ran into a flock of 100 spring lambs, which had escaped from the sheep sheds of C. W. Miller, a few miles west of Winona. Almost every lamb in the entire flock was killed.

Judge Lewis of the Ramsey county district court appointed P. J. McLaughlin receiver of the Equitable and the Mercantile Fire Insurance companies of St. Paul, which were declared insolvent by Insurance Commissioner O'Brien. Mr. McLaughlin's bond was fixed at $10,000.

Gov. John A. Johnson nearly collapsed from the strain of his official duties. While in the midst of work in his private office at the capitol yesterday afternoon he was attacked with a severe headache and sinking spell, and had to seek rest on a couch.

CAICAGO RIOTING GROWS VICIOUS.

CHICAGO TEAMSTER'S STRIKE ASSUMES AN EXCEEDINGLY OMINOUS ASPECT.

Many Strike-Breakers are Brought to City. Many Persons are Hurt in Vicious Rows. The Mayor is Helpless.

Chicago, May 2.—Conditions in the teamsters' strike were worse yesterday than at any preceding time.

The strikers were in a more ugly mood, the rioting was more open and vicious and the attacks on non-union men more frequent and daring.

The chief cause for the increased beligerency on the part of the strikers and their friends is laid to the fact that the Employers' Teaming association yesterday brought 1,500 men into the city to take their places, and 500 more are said to be now on the way and will arrive within twelve hours.

These men will receive the full pay of union men, and it has been guaranteed to them that their positions will be permanent.

Among them are 200 farmer boys from all the surrounding states, who have volunteered their services and sought positions are drivers.

A new feature appeared in the strike yesterday and it will be in full evidence today whenever a wagon of the Employers' Teaming company goes through the streets.

This feature will be a Winchester rifle.

It will be carried on all wagons of the Employers' Teaming Association in open view.

President Shea of the teamsters' union, said last night that if the Employers' Teaming Association armed its drivers with Winchesters he would do the same with the union drivers. "If it is legal for the non-union men to arm themselves," he said, "it is certainly not illegal for us to do likewiee."

The city council last night passed a resolution directing the chief of police to enforce that portion of the state statutes which prohibits the carrying of rifles in the streets by unauthorized persons.

The wholesale grocers and coffee and spice houses were more or less completely tied up yesterday by the spreading of the teamsters walkout.

The union labor leaders who were indicted last Saturday in connection with the strike appeared at the criminal court building and gave bonds in in the sum of $1,500 each.

Strikebreaker Farley is not in Chicago, as reported.

CAPTURED.

Man Accused of Murder at Eveleth is Captured with His Pal at Farm House.

Duluth, Minn., May 2.—Sheriff William J. Bates and two deputies early Monday morning captured Peter Lenich, accused of the murder of Peter Koceran at Eveleth on the night of April 23.

With him was captured Luj Movinesk, who is charged with complicity in the crime.

Lenich was arrainged, and charged with murder in the first degree. The prisoners were half famished when they arrived at the farm house of Edward Telson on the Miller Trunk road Saturday night.

Nelson spotted the men as the fugitives from Eveleth. He dispatched a neighbor's boy on hrseback, fifteen miles to Albon station on the Messabe road with a message to Sheriff Bates.

He then stood guard over the suspicious guests with a rifle until Sheriff Bates and his deputies arived at 3 o'clock in the morning.

Movinesk has a knife wound in his side, received, it is supposed, during the fight that ended in the tragedy.

Firebugs.

Minneapolis, May 2.—The firebug seems to be getting busy again in the sawmill district. About 6 o'clock Sunday morning fire was discovered under the log platform of the Itasca sawmill, Twenty-seventh avenue north and the river, and by the time the department arrived was threatening the mill. The blaze was soon under control, however, although it was not entirely extinguished for nearly two hours. The damage done was slight and is fully covered by insurance.

Burglar Shoots.

Minneapolis, May 1.—A desperate burglar caught in the act of robbing Alex Johnson's saloon, 800 Fourth street south, between 2 and 3 o'clock Monday morning by Patrolman Frank Zalusky, fired five shots at the policeman as the latter was trying to intercept him at the back door of the saloon. He then succeeded in making his escape.

Carlton Debators Win.

Grand Forks, N. D., May 1.—Carleton college debaters, A. F. Strebel, R. F. Hunt and H. S. MacIntyre, defeated the University of North Dakota team, composed of Martin Ruud, Olger Burtness and E. C. Hilborn, in the first contest between these institutions, the visitors getting the decision by a vote of two to one. Carleton having the negative of the subject, which was, "Resolved, That a system of bank notes based on the general assets of the bank is preferable to a system based on government bonds."

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THE BELTRAMI INVESTIGATION.

Governor Johnson's Democratic examiner reports flagrant abuses in Beltrami county. From the statements of the Bemidji papers, he is trying to make a mountain out of a molehill with poor success.—Austin Transcript.

It is hardly fair that Bro. Belden should venture a conclusion in advance of the investigation. Charges of serious import have been preferred by the public examiner, and Governor Johnson has complied with the requirements of law by appointing three commissioners of unquestioned ability to hear the evidence and investigate the charges made. If the Beltrami officials are innocent they will not be made to suffer, but if they are guilty there is no political influence in the state strong enough to secure a "whitewash."

The cry of the apologists for the officials under suspicion that it is a case of "Democratic persecution" falls flat in view of the fact that the investigating commission is not Democratic. One of the commissioners—Mr. Van Dyke—is a Democrat; another—Mr. Torrance—is a Republican; the third—Mr. McIntyre—is an independent, one whose political activities have always been free from partisan bias. All of them are fair-minded and capable. There can be no politics in the investigation. It is merely a question whether or no the officials of Beltrami county have violated their oaths of office.

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Three constitutional amendments will be submitted to the people of Minnesota for ratification in 1906. The most important by far is the wide-open tax amendment to allow any form of taxation so long as it is uniform upon the same class of subjects and levied and collected for public purposes.

Another amendment important to the entire state is that proposed by the joint legislative road and bridge committee to increase the maximum state tax that may be levied for the state road and bridge fund from 1-20 to 1-4 of a mill. The road and bridge fund now amounts to about $70,000 a year, about $42,000 being raised by the 1-20 of a mill tax. The constitutional amendment will increase the miximum amount that may be raised by taxation to $210,000.

There probably will be some question as to the constitutionality of the method of adopting the amendments proposed by Representative Alvin Rowe of St. Paul, which allows farmers and gardeners to peddle produce grown by them without securing a license from any municipality. The measure provides that the amendment shall be declared adopted if it receives the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes cast upon it at the next general election. The state constitution, however, requires a constitutional amendment to receive a majority of all the votes cast at the election before it shall become effective.

It appears that George A. Ralph of Crookston will not be state drainage engineer after all. The public examiner's bureau called the attention of Governor Johnson to some ugly flaws in Mr. Ralph's record as an engineer, and the governor will probably request that Mr. Ralph quietly withdraw his application for the place. If the other members of the drainage board insist upon Ralph's retention some unpleasant disclosures are promised, and it is not at all likely the Crookston man courts a second investigation, especially since political pressure cannot suppress examination under the present administration. Mr. Ralph's insistence during the campaign that the drainage cause would suffer if the Democrats captured the governor's office is now more readily understood. The engineer, however, will suffer more than the drainage cause.

Editor Miller of the St. Peter Free Press will be hailed for les majeste first thing he knows. Hear him: "Isn't it about time for the state railroad and warehouse commission to be up and doing? Either it is the worst maligned commission ever appointed or the most successful in hiding its good deeds. The people of this state are not all from Missouri but they like to be shown just the same."

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The St. Paul Globe's existance ceased with Sunday's issue, and the state capital now has but one morning newspaper. It is reported on good authority that William R. Hearst offered $160,000 for the Globe's press franchise, and that Mr. Hill refused it, although the franchise was not worth a penny twenty-four hours after the Globe's death. Mr. Hill is probably wealthy enough to yield to sentiment in a matter of this kind, and then the fact that he is reputed to own a controlling interest in the Pioneer Press may have something to do with it.

Andrew Carniege has the right idea upon many subjects. This is what he says relative to the marriage of his niece to a poor man: "My niece was married to Mr. Heaver in New York about a year ago." Mr. Heaver was hired as a riding teacher in her family. The family has no objection to the match. Mr. Heaver is an honest, upright young man. I would rather Nancy had married a poor honest man than a worthless duke. We want no rich men in the family."

The Southern Minnesota Editorial association will meet at Jackson June 2. The senior editor of The Courier is down for a paper on "Should a Newspaper Tell the truth of a Political Opponent?" At the banquet in the evening Governor Johnson is scheduled for a toast to "Minnesota Newspapers," and Chas. C. Eastman of the Wadena Pioneer-Journal will eulogize that patient friend of the editor, "The Advertiser."

The Brown's Valley Tribune says there is going to be quite a demand for Minnesota farm lands this season. Canada is not what it is cracked up to be, and the tide is receding. Thus early there is quite considerable inquiry for farm lands in western Minnesota.

Congressman McCleary is reported as saying that the mileage graft was approved by every congressman who is not a coward. This audacious utterance is supposed to strengthen the Second district representative with his farmer constituents.

The Wadena Tribune, Billy Verity's paper, professes to believe that Ed. Claggett was not responsible for the promulgation of the infamous story about Governor Johnson during the campaign. Such innocence is really heartrending.

The state labor department will soon establish an employment bureau in connection with that office. This new departure was born of Commissioner Williams' fertile brain, and will result in great benefit to employer and employee.

Frank Eddy doesn't pretend to be up on religious ethics but he thinks that the more money Rockfeller gives for missionary purposes the less he will have to extend his trust operations.

Governor Johnson goes to the other corner of the state next Fourth of July. He will orate at Lawrence. Grand Marais and Caledonia ought to put in their requisitions.

Fortunately Bro. Eastman of the Thief River News is not obliged to make affidavit as to the truth and veracity of his editorial utterances on the county-seat question.

Julius Schmahl of the Redwood Gazette is alleged to be an aspirant for secretary of state. Julius will give the other fellows a lively chase for the place.

The American people are beginning to realize that the presidency does not amount to much in comparison with the senate.

The disappearence of H. Gassaway Davis from the public view seems to have been accomplished without excitement.

A Great many people are more anxious to get the money they earn than to earn the money they get.

Political influence doesn't secure immunity from graft under the Johnson administration.

Lots of good people want to abolish the senates—national and state. But how?

Child Labor Inquiry.

Labor Commissioner Williams is making a tour of the state, investigating whether the child labor law is observed. Reports of numerous [illegible] have come to him.

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EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Albert Lea Standard: The stateman whose death occurred forty years ago this month had a clearer vision than anyone of his time. Listen to the prophet who looked down the vista of our national life and saw its future crisis. Following the close of the war Lincoln wrote to his friend W. R. Ellis and among other things he said: "This has indeed been a trying hour for the republic, but I see in the near future a crisis arising that unnerves me and causes me to tremble for the safety of my country. As a result of the war, corporations have been enthroned, and an era of corruption in high places. will follow; and the money power will continue its sway by appealing to the prejudices of the people, until all wealth is aggregated in a few hands and the republic destroyed. I feel more anxiety for the safety of my country than ever before, even in the midst of war. God grant that my fears may prove groundless." This letter was written early in 1865.

Windom Reporter: It was a decidedly dirty thing in Republicans to insist upon the appointment of a man as superintendent of the new capitol so distasteful to Gov. Johnson as that man Claggett. Someway Claggett seems to have been connected with the St. Peter scandal last fall in which an effort was made to smirch Gov. Johnson, and no Republican can justly censure the governor for making a fight against Claggett. The Reporter is glad to see Johnson win out in the fight, and hopes the Republicans will learn better than to again insult his excellency, We can shake hands with the governor over the pclitcal chasm which divides us and congratulate him for his success in this instance.

The County in General

Seed flax is scarce around Thief River.

Plummer is to have a base ball club this summer.

J. G. Winkjer, state dairy commissioner, has moved from St. Hillaire to Crookston.

W. G. Brown and family are now comfortably located in their new home at Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole H. Bakken, of Thief River Falls celebrated their golden wedding recently.

Thief River's saw mill is again running having received a bunch of logs from the lake country.

Editor Ives of St. Hilaire is beginning to have trouble with his automobile. It kept him busy most of last week trying to make it go.

Central Ave. at Plummer is being cleared and grubbed. The street commissioner of the town is busy getting the streets in condition.

Pat Sullivan, the vetern log-driver, says the Red Lake river is the lowest in years and he is haying considerable trouble in getting his logs through.

The St. Hilaire band gave an open air concert last week. It was their first and it is expected to give a similar performance one evening each week during the summer.

Dairy Commissioner Winkjer says he has visited every creamery in the ninth district and that the St. Hilaire concern is doing more business than any other creamery north of Fergus Falls. He says that they not only make more butter but pay higher prices for cream and receive a higher premium for butter.

The bond company that purchased the Thief River Falls water works and sewer bonds has refused to take them, as they claim they are illegal. The bond company says the city could not issue bonds for waterworks and sewer purposes combined and that a seperate election on each question will be necessary.

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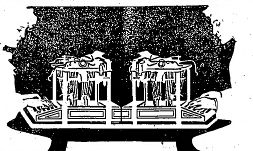

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Don't forget the senior's play tomorrow evening.

Berthon & Armstrong talk of outing suits in this issue.

Wm. Extine spent Sunday with his parents at Wylie.

Rev. Knox was at Thief River Falls Monday between trains.

L. Larson, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller at this place Monday.

Chas. E. Boughton was at Plummer last Saturday on professional business.

A young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Noel has been quite sick this week.

John F. Naughtin, the Fidelity man, visited old friends in this city Tuesday.

The P. O. Floan residence has been treated to a coat of paint the past week.

Messers. Higinbothan and Reichert were at St. Hilaire Monday on a business mission.

Wm. Buskirk, one of Plummer's business men, was a county seat visitor Monday.

Mrs. K. M. Hansen came down from Theif River Falls Tuesday evening and remained over night.

Samuel Gibeau left Friday evening for his western trip, mention of which was given in last week's issue,

Mrs. J. M. Bray left Tuesdey evening for Breckenridge for a visit with a sister who lives at that place.

The cerfew bell rings at 9 o'clock now instead of at 8 as heretofore. The new time was begun the first of the month.

Dr. Watson was called to the Squire home north of Wylie Tuesday where he found a member of the family under the weather.

Sam E. Hunt returned home yesterday from Crookston. His many friends rejoice at his recovery and are glad he is at home again.

The choral union is meeting quite often of late and will soon be ready to present the cantata they have been working on for some time past.

County Treasurer Hansen drove to Thief River Falls Sunday, returning Monday morning. Commissioner Shaw made the return trip with him.

A. P. Toupin is visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. N. Johnson, at Park River, North Dakota, this week. He expects to return the latter part of the week.

Conrad Lajambe was in the city the first of the week looking after his property. He returned to Warren where he is engaged with a contract for grading on the Soo line.

Land seekers are becoming numerous.

P. K. Olson was in from Plummer the first of the week.

The Silent Detective, at the opera house tomorrow night.

Fred Richards has accepted a position with S. A. Swanson.

An addition to the August Krueger home has been built recently.

A. E. Osgard, of Plummer, was a business caller in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Oliver Belair is visiting her parents at Grand Forks this week.

A warehouse is being built in the alley back of Berthon & Armstrong's store.

Father Charles, of Moorhead, has been here this week visiting Father Ansgar.

The graduating class of the high school is preparing for commencement week.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnson of Wylie are reported as being on the sick list.

Fred Richards finished his term of school at Dorothy last Friday and is at home in this city.

Arthur Ittner, foreman of the St. Hilaire Spectator office, was in the city Sunday visiting his mother.

Lost—A small gold locket and silk fob chain. Finder kindly return to Dr. J. E. Argue and receive reward.

Mrs. W. T. Spillane went to Minneapolis the first of the week. It is said Miss Erb will return with her.

Atty. Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was here Tuesday evening, having business with the county commissioners.

Easter Sunday will long be remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cyr as a little baby boy arrived at their home that day.

Pat Sullivan and his crew of log drivers have been here the past few days with a drive of logs for the Grand Forks mill.

It is reported that Sam Allard is a very sick man at present. His many friends hope for the best and that he may pull through safely.

S. A. Swanson is at St. Paul this week attending a state convention of the Woodman lodge. He represents Red Lake county at the meeting.

The county commissioners completed their labors for the May session yesterday morning and left on the Great Northern for their homes.

The creamery at this place started the season's business Monday morning. As yet but little cream is being received but the management expects to get their share as the season advances. It is to be hoped that the farmers will take an interest in this institution and do all in their power to make it a howling success.

M. S. Sortedahl was at Crookston the first of the week.

For Sale—Dahlia bulbs, all colors. Apply to Mrs Poessel.

Gardeners will find seeds that grow at Garceau & Zaiser.

Attorney Farley was at Plummer on professional business the first of the week.

Dr. J. E. Argue went to St. Hilaire yesterday for his regular professional visit.

A baby boy made the acquaintance of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lundquist of this city Tuesday morning.

Ginghams, 10c, 12½c and 15c kind, for 9c this week. Only a few pieces left at Garceau & Zaiser's.

Prunes, high grade, regular 10c value, only 200 lbs. left, this week special at 6c per lb.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The first open air concert of the season will be given by the band Friday eveuing of next week. Come out and enjoy the music.

County Auditor Iverson and Thos. Mork, of Northwood, Iowa, have been in the city this week looking the country over with a view of buying land in this vicinity.

While unpacking a bunch of bananas Tuesday morning Frank Freund run across a centipede. Frank was foxy enough to get his spidership into a bottle before it had time to bite anyone.

A nine months old baby of Mr and Mrs. Jule Lashae, living two miles southwest of this city, is sick with quinsy. It is not often that one so young is troubled with this disease.

Attorney McIntyre left Monday evening for Bemidji to take part in the investigation of certain county officials conduct. He has been made chairman of the investigating committee.

Crookston is planning on a big time May 17th. There will be speeches, base ball games, races, brass bands, and a general good celebration of Norway's independence will be appropriately observed.

When you buy shoes, pay enough, buying shoes simply because they are cheap seldom accomplishes what you want of them. We can sell you shoes of high grade at a moderate price.—Garceau & Zaiser.

The county commissioners established several new school districts in the reservation country this week. New townships were also established, full particulars of which will appear in next week's COURIER.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice for the week ending April 29: Lucille Lambert, Evelia Bay, Lusern Gerg, Andrew H. Byrne, Nels Kulseth, John Holsmer, Louis Locombe, Chester Lachepral.

The Merry Crew club met at the Dr. Lemiux home Tuesday evening. The young ladies captured a member of the Lusher Burns tribe and threatened to punish him for past misdemeanor by all kissing him. Gee, don't you wish you had been in that young man's place?

W. M. Belfey, a working man from Brainerd on his way to Thief River Falls, accidently discharged a rifle at Dugdale Tuesday and lost two fingers of his left hand. Dr. Wilkinson dressed the wound and amputated two fingers. The other fingers of the hand were badly injured.

The teachers meeting at St. Hilaire Friday and Saturday promises to be a most successful and entertaining affair. Most of our teachers expect to attend. A great number of directors throughout the county have signified their intention of being present at the meeting.

Nels Hakenson will hold a big auction sale at his place on section 12 in Garnes township, Thursday, May 25th. This will be a large sale, a number of horses, and cattle, and a big bunch of farm machinery being listed. His place is one mile east of Garnes postoffice.

The Stillwater Messenger has had an experience that is unique in newspaper annals. A gentleman called voluntarily at the office and paid up a delinquency rnnning back to 1870, and that is not all. In addition thereto he paid a year's subscription in advance! The usual experience of newspaper men is that when you have accomodated a subscriber by waiting for several years subscription, he digs up grudingly and repays you for the accommodation you have accorded him by stopping the paper. But in the simple life of the editor acts like that of the Stillwater gentleman shine as a star of the greatest magnitude.

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THE BIG STORE

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

There were two or three delegations here from the new reservation country Monday to see the Commissioners in regard to the formation of new school districts. It is a difficult job to satisfy all as to the boundary lines of these new districts, as one crowd wanted one thing while another delegation would ask for something else. The board succeeded in satisfying most of them.

A looking glass in one of the LaBissoniere store display windows has caused considerable merriment this week. It is so arranged that a person standing in front of the Kaufer barber shop is made to look as though standing two or three doors farther north. All sorts of explanations have been offered by different persons as to the cause of the de- and some will be surprised to learn that an innocent looking mirror is the "wholething."

A St. Paul man has constructed a contrivance for the purpose of preventing cyclones. It consists of a steel tower and electric apparatus which extends up above the ground about 100 feet. He would have four erected in each township throughout the state, thus making it impossible for cyclones to get by without making electric connections with the ground, and be then broken up.

Crookston Journal: Cement sidewalk Contractor L. E. Strander departed this morning for Red Lake Falls, where he will spend the day looking up contracts in his line of work which are about to be let. He will make arrangements for a large amount of work at the Falls and will very likely move several of his crews to that place during the early portion of the summer to do up the work.

They tell a real mean story of a girl in a neighboring town, and we don't believe a word of it, says the Fairmont Sentinel. She quarreled with her beau and sent back to him all the letters and little gifts she had received from his hand. He, not to be outdone, sent her a half-dozen boxes of face powder and with them a note explaining that he had probably carried away that much on his coat since their acquaintance began.

An exchange says a young man who had not been married many years carefully laid down a piece of bread the other day and said to his wife, "I wish you could make bread such as mother used to make." "Well, John, I wish you could make the 'dough' that your father used to make." Then there was a silence as deep in their home as there is in any print shop when a subscriber pays a seven-year-old subscription account.

On Friday evening, May 5th, at the opera house the Seniors will present their class play entitled "The Silent Detective." This play abounds in humor and tragedy, and every bit of it is interesting and is bound to hold your attention throughout. The play is given for the purpose of earning money to defray expenses of graduation, and therefore it should be accorded the hearty support of every one. The prices are 35c, 25c and 15c, within the reach of everyone. Come and bring the children and let them laugh.

Washington School Notes.

Thomas Payment and Robert Poirier Reporters.

Marcus Marshall was absent Tuesday.

Thomas Payment was absent Wednesday.

Albert Kriel was absent Tuesday afternoon.

Ella Jackson has been absent a couple of afternoons this week.

The boys have been playing ball lately when not working for the field meet.

The sixth grade will finish history by the end of the week when a thorough review will be begun.

The fourth room has been drawing colored maps lately, and the best ones have been put on the walls.

Our school is planning on a field meet with the seventh grade of the Lafayette building. We expect a big time.

Some of the boys helped Mr. Healy carry the library books to the Lafayette building. We expect a new library this week.

We have a tired boy who likes to take a nap in school. He was awakened rather suddenly one day this week. Ask "Cornel" about it.

The sixth grade was given all week to write an application as a school teacher in a country school. They were to mail it to Mr. Chamberlain by Friday.

Last Friday was Arbor Day and the pupils of the fifth and sixth grades brought branches of different trees which they studied. We all enjoyed a vacation in the afternoon.

Mr. Healy has gathered up the fifth grade histories. Tuesday the grade received their final examination papers and the work of some showed that they had not studied.

Lee Lost.

Judge Watts has decided in favor of the County Commissioners in the case brought by Atty. Lee, of Thief River Falls, in regard to the purchase of the court house building in this city. Another of Lee's bubbles exploded.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast apptoaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., described his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life I have tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benegt, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at all druggists price 50c.

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POLLY'S CAREER

By Izola Forrester

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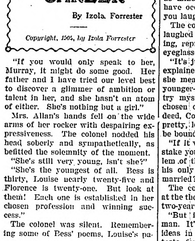
"If you would only speak to her, Murray, it might do some good. Her father and I have tried our level best to discover a glimmer of ambition or talent in her, and she hasn't an atom of either. She's nothing but a girl."

Mrs. Allan's hands fell on the wide arms of her rocker with despairing expressiveness. The colonel nodded his head soberly and sympathetically, as befitted the solemnity of the moment.

"She's still very young, isn't she?"

"She's the youngest of all. Bess is thirty, Louise nearly twenty-five and Florence is twenty-one. But look at them! Each one is established in her chosen profession and winning success."

The colonel was silent. Remembering some of Bess' poems, Louise's patients and Florence's copies of old masters, he did not feel that either affirmation or denial was called for.



"THAT'S JUST WHAT I DO FEEL, COLONEL HARTWELL—A SPECIAL PREDILECTION."

"And at eighteen they had all decided definitely what they wanted to make of themselves, while Polly—Murray Hartwell, when I asked Polly this morning if she had even the vaguest sort of an inclination toward any occupation in the world, what do you suppose she said? She told me that she hoped some day to be the mother of as many charming daughters as I had, and if they were half as much worry as mine were she thought she would have occupation enough. Murray, are you laughing at me?"

The colonel leaned his head back and laughed heartily in spite of the accusing, reproachful stare of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"It's just like Polly to say that," he explained. "And, by Jove, I believe she means it too. If I were a little younger—say thirty years—I'd have a try myself and encourage her in her chosen career. By Jove, I would indeed, Cousin Sarah! Polly's a mighty pretty, level headed little girl, and I'll be bound she's a good cook."

"If it were Jack's career that was at stake you wouldn't turn a serious problem of this kind into a joke. What if his only ambition in life were to be married?"

The colonel's face sobered suddenly at the thought. Jack—debonair, twenty-two-year-old Jack—married!

"But it's absurd, Sarah. Jack's a man. It's different. One expects such ideas in a girl's head, the same as a taste for ice cream or rose color or matinees. But Jack is ambitious and talented and well started in his profession now. By Jove, I'm proud of the boy—I am indeed. He's a fine fellow. Takes after his dad. But married?" The colonel leaned back his head and took another laugh.

"Why, if the young rascal even suggested such a thing I'd fire him back to college or send him down to the mines to work off an attack of romance on the brain."

"And yet you censure me for desiring something better for Polly than mere marriage." Mrs. Allan's tone was aggrieved. "I thought surely that you would understand and sympathize with me, Murray, and your influence might possibly direct Polly into making some sort of a choice."

"Wait a minute." The colonel rose from his deep chair near the fire. There was the slam of the front door and the sound of quick, light steps in the hall.

"Come and get warm before you go home, Jack," called a voice. "There's a fire here in the study."

The long, dark green portieres parted, and Polly stood in the doorway, tall, blithely youthful and pink as a rosebud where the wind had teased the color to her face. There were snowflakes clinging to her big brown hat and to her furs, but she was merry eyed and happy, suspiciously happy, the two in the study thought.

"Hello, dad." Jack's face looked over her shoulder. "Awful glad you're here. We've been for a trot along the drive, Polly and I."

"I thought that you were upstairs studying with Bess, Polly," said Mrs. Allan, "but as long as you are here you may come in. The colonel and I have been talking of your career."

Polly drew off her long brown fur stole and trailed it meditatively along the edge of the rug at her feet. The colonel coughed and realized that he was expected to speak on the subject. He beamed down upon Polly paternally. He had always liked Polly somewhat better, privately, than Cousin Sarah's more talented daughters.

"Of course you are too young to understand your own capabilities and—er—and any lurking talents which you may possess, Polly, but you must not give up or be discouraged. Some of the great geniuses of the world only discovered their gifts at middle age."

"Well, it's a pity some of them didn't die young," said Jack cheerfully.

The colonel ignored the interruption and looked at Polly. He felt the approving attention of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"But if you can consider the question of a career or should feel any special predilection"—

"That's it." Polly nodded her head until the snowflakes scattered in raindrops from her hat. "That's just what I do feel, Colonel Hartwell—a special predilection."

"For what, in the name of sense, Polly Allan?" Mrs. Allan leaned forward in amazement.

"For Jack." Polly smiled assuredly, and slipped her hand into the one that sought it. "He's going to be the object of my career."

There was a tense silence. The colonel and Mrs. Allan looked back at him with conflicting sensations. The paramount one was a small but solid sense of amused satisfaction in the colonel's utter discomfiture.

"Shall it be college or the mines, Murray?" she asked.

The colonel squared his shoulders. He had met honorable defeat before and could face it like a soldier and a gentleman.

"Neither, madam, neither. Seeing, as it is, Polly and her career are at stake, I give my consent and wish her all success."

Jack stretched out his disengaged hand.

"You blessed old dad!" he said, and the colonel had the honors of war.

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A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was recently caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees in Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

The Stork.

The stork has been known to perish in the flames of a burning house rather than to desert her young.

First Cultivated Rose.

It is said that the first cultivated rose was planted in Belgium in the year 1522. The damask rose was taken to England from France in 1573, the moss rose about 1724 and the China rose fifty years later.

Tobacco For Wives.

One hundred and twenty pounds of tobacco was the stipend paid for a wife by some of the early settlers of Virginia.

Weird "Angel Shark."

A fish known as the "angel shark" and generally found only in the north Pacific has just been caught by a trawler in the North sea. It is over four feet long and has oddly shaped fleshy wings instead of the ordinary fins.

Ether.

Ether was first used in surgical operations in 1846.

Brutal Law.

In England some centuries ago if an ordinary workman without permission moved from one parish to another in search of work or better wages he was branded with a hot iron.

"Fourteenth Guest" Agency.

There is a most curious agency in Paris whose business it is to supply the fourteenth guest. Parisians, like some other people, have a superstitious objection to dinner parties of thirteen, and this agency undertakes to supply at short notice a lady or gentleman "warranted to give satisfaction."

The Book of Job.

The Book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Literary Mexico.

Mexico is credited with being at the head of the Latin-American countries in the matter of letters. Besides possessing the oldest organs of Spanish-American journalism, it is said to have in active existence the first library established in America, which is now at least 300 years old.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and grate eight large potatoes, cut in an onion, beat in four eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix with two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, add and mix well. Fry in a hot skillet.

Bamboos Grow Best at Night.

The growth of the giant bamboos of the East Indies is so rapid that a difference in the rate of increase between day and night can be observed. The growth is more rapid at night, because then the air is more charged with moisture than in the daytime.

The First Typewriter.

The first typewriter was received by the public with suspicion. It seemed subversive of existing conditions. A reporter who took one into a courtroom first proved its real worth.

Autumn Leaves.

It is popularly believed that autumn leaves assume their brilliant hues when touched by the frosts. This is an error. Autumn leaves turn red and yellow and brown and intermediate tones because that is the natural way for leaves to ripen.

Gaboriau's Visitors.

Gaboriau was troubled with visitors, and of those he desired never to see again he suspended photos in his servants' room for guidance. Once an author called. The servants ran to consult the cartes and, being puzzled, asked the visitor to smile, which being complied with he was informed determinedly, "Master is not at home."

The Alps.

The Alps are situated in six states, the largest division being in Austria.

Largest Tin Users.

The United States is the largest consumer of tin in the world, but derives its supplies mainly from the Straits Settlements, from Banka and other eastern sources.

Gold Jewelry.

Gold jewelry, says an authority, may be perfectly cleansed by being placed for half an hour in a bowl of warm water to which a generous quantity of ammonia has been added. Stir the jewelry around in the water for a moment, cover the bowl and let stand.

Oil For Waves.

Lighthouses in Denmark are supplied with oil which is pumped on the waves during a severe storm.

Stewed Figs.

Stewed figs are a delicious sauce and make a nice dessert if served with whipped cream. Simmer the figs in sufficient water to cover them, adding a little sugar. Cook till they are tender and have swelled till they seem somewhat plump. Let cool and eat.

Black Diamonds In Brazil.

The black diamonds fields in Brazil belong to the government, which farms them out and makes a further profit by a 13 per cent export duty.

Germany's Oldest Inn.

The oldest inn in Germany is the Gasthof Zum Riesen in Miltenberg-on-the-Main, which was already of considerable age when the Emperor Frederick I. stayed there in 1158. Since then it has entertained a succession of historical personages, including Gustavus Adolphus and Martin Luther and in more recent times General von Moltke

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 11th 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased:

On receiving and filing the petition of Elfrida Anderson of the County of Red Lake representing, among others things, that Peter John Anderson late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to S. J. Swanson granted;

It is ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 6th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 11th day of April, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corparation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.

Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd., 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
Register.

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.
In Probate Court.
Special Term April 10th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Ole H. Haaven, Deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Hans Haaven the Administrator of the estate of Ole H. Haaven deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate of the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Monday the 8th day of May, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 10th day of, April A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Red Lake
District Court,
14th Judicial District
Joseph Heim Plaintiff
vs. } Summons.
Isaac La Gesse Defendant

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendant:

You Isaac La Gesse are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff which has been filed with the Clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state aforesaid, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgement against you for the sum of Two hundred forty two dollars with interest upon one hundred five dollars from the 4th day of January, 1903, at 8 per cent per annum, and interest upon One hundred twenty seven dollars from the 4th day of January, 1902, at ten per cent per annum, together with the costs and disbursements herein.

Dated March 9, 1905.

W. A. McINTYRE
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Fifty-Eight and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3.) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5.) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All our undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 15th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Raddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.

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Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervcher, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate

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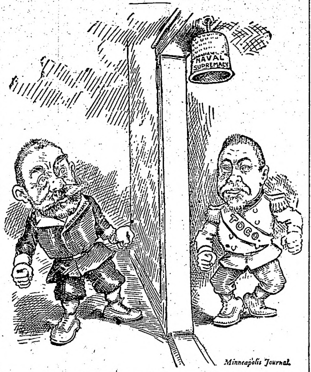


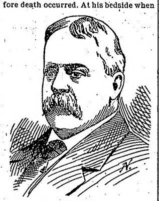
Minneapolis Journal.

GEN. FITZHUGH LEE SUDDENLY DIES

FAMOUS SOLDIER EXPIRES IN A HOSPITAL IN CITY OF WASHINGTON.

He Is Stricken with Apoplexy on Train En Route from Boston to the Capital—Family Fails to Reach His Bedside—His Career.

Washington, April 29.—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, died at the Providence hospital in this city at 11:20 o'clock Friday night, as the result of an attack of apoplexy and paralysis with which he was stricken early Friday morning while traveling by rail from Boston to Washington. A pathetic feature was the fact that no member of his immediate family, consisting of his wife and five children, was able to reach the city before death occurred. At his bedside when he died were his brother, Daniel Lee, and Drs. Edie and Kean. The end came quite suddenly and was without pain.



Gen. Fitzhugh Lee.

The Attack.

Gen. Lee was stricken with apoplexy, the entire left side being affected, at three o'clock Friday morning. He was on a train en route from Boston to Washington. The train had just left the Harlem river when the stroke came. Two physicians were summoned and Gen. Lee remained on board the train while it was transferred by float to Jersey City and proceeded to Washington. When the train arrived here the patient was removed to the Providence hospital. Gen. Lee's attack is attributed largely to his activity in behalf of the military and naval review, which is to be held in the vicinity of Jamestown, Va. His heart and soul have been in the work and he labored zealously to make it a success.

His Career.

Gen. Lee was a nephew of the famous Gen. Robert E. Lee, commander-in-chief of the confederate army. In Washington he was well and popularly known, and his appearance on public occasions always was the signal for outbursts of applause from hosts of admiring friends. Gen. Lee's record includes an honorable service in the cavalry branch of the army of the United States up to the time of the civil war, years of active service in the confederate army and the filling of important federal and state positions since that time, including the governorship of Virginia, the presidency of the Pittsburg & Virginia railroad, the collectorship of internal revenue for the Lynchburg district, and the consul generalship at Havana. Following his honorable discharge from the volunteer army on March 2, 1901, Gen. Lee was appointed to the regular army February 11, 1901, with the rank of brigadier general, and with this rank he was retired in the March following.

Against Trusts.

Lansing, Mich., April 27.—The lower house of the Michigan legislature on Tuesday passed unanimously the Bland anti-trust bill. It defines and declares illegal all corporations which aim at the monopoly of any business, trade, avocation of profession, and nullifies any agreement binding individuals not to engage in a certain occupation.

DEBTS ARE ENORMOUS.

Defaulting Ex-President of Milwaukee Bank Said to Have Liabilities of $3,277,000.

Milwaukee, April 28.—The latest step in the career of Frank G. Bigelow, the former bank president who defaulted in the sum of $1,000,000, is the filing of a petition in involuntary bankruptcy. The revised schedules show a total liability on the part of Mr. Bigelow of $3,277,000, of which $1,975,000 is wholly or in part secured. Of the remainder, $1,100,000 is a secondary liability on notes and bills discounted, in which Bigelow figures as indorser.

The balance, $192,000, represents unsecured loans, the largest one being an indebtedness of $100,000 to the Broadhead estate, of which Bigelow was executor.

The assets of the banker are estimated at $1.849,800, against which a homestead exemption of $5,000 is placed. The rest of the assets consist chiefly of stock in various industrial and other enterprises and 1.600 acres of coal land in Huerfano county, Colorado, valued at $160,000. The schedule states that he has no cash on hand.

Late Tuesday Judge Landis appointed the Wisconsin Trust and Security company receiver of the bankrupt estate of Frank G. Bigelow.

Milwaukee, May 1.—Fred Vogel, Jr., was Saturday elected president of the First national bank of this city, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Frank C. Bigelow, the defaulting president. Mr. Vogel is one of the wealthiest business men in Milwaukee and has long been a director of the bank.

BASEBALL.

Tables Which Show the Standing of the Clubs in the Struggle for Championship Honors.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Games.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	7	3	.700
Pittsburg	7	4	.636
Cincinnati	6	5	.545
Chicago	6	6	.500
Philadelphia	5	5	.500
Brooklyn	6	8	.429
Boston	5	7	.417
St. Louis	3	7	.300
American league:			
New York	7	4	.636
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
Chicago	6	5	.545
Washington	7	6	.538
Cleveland	5	5	.500
Detroit	5	5	.500
St. Louis	5	6	.455
Boston	3	10	.231

BIG SUM FOR COLLEGES.

Daniel K. Pearsons, Chicago Philanthropist, Donates $135,000 to Five Southern Institutions.

Chicago, April 28.—Dr. Daniel K. Pearsons, wealthy capitalist, well-known philanthropist, and former alderman from the First ward, Thursday made gifts amounting to $135,000 to five southern colleges. At the time he rejected the requests of some 400 institutions from various parts of the country. The recipients are: Guilford college, Greensboro, N. C., $25,000; Piedmont college, Demorest, Ga., $25,000; Washington college, Tennessee, $25,000; Grant university, Chattanooga, Tenn., $50,000; West Virginia seminary, Morgantown, W. Va., $10,000.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Milwaukee, April 28.—Fire Thursday gutted the north half of the five-story structure of the Hansen Empire Fur company, on East Water street, and badly damaged the stock in the piano warerooms of William Rehlfing & Sons, occupying the south half of the building, causing a combined loss estimated at $300,000.

Death of a Philanthropist.

Monmouth, Ill., May 1.—William P. Presley, 94 years old, a philanthropist, is dead. He founded the Warren county library of Monmouth, and endowed the chair of chemistry and physics at Monmouth college, and the Presley memorial school for girls at the Presbyterian mission at Asyut, Egypt.

MINERS MEET DEATH.

Twelve Killed by Explosion Near Dubois, Pa.—Ten Dashed to Pieces at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Dubois, Pa., April 29.—An explosion, the exact nature of which is as yet unexplained, occurred in the Eleanora shaft near this city, Thursday night. Twelve were killed and one had both legs and both arms broken. He will probably die. An examination of the bodies as they were laid on the floor of the little building near the shaft indicated that death had come instantly. Those that had the black dust washed from their bodies showed evidences of having been burned, scarlet spots showing all over their bodies. Their clothing tears as though it were made of paper.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 27.—Ten miners were instantly crushed to death Wednesday at the Conyngham mine of the Delaware & Hudson company, located in the northern part of this city. The men were being lowered into the mine, and when 350 feet from the surface the rope broke and the cage fell to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 400 feet.

A rescuing party was at once organized, and they found the bodies of the men in the sump at the bottom of the shaft beneath a mass of debris. They were terribly mangled. Most of the victims lived in the vicinity of the mine, and when the rescuers brought the crushed forms to the surface a large crowd was in waiting. The grief of the relatives of the dead was heart-rending.

Wilburton, Okla., May 1.—Thirteen miners were entombed and probably killed by an explosion at 1:20 Sunday morning in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Coal company's mine No. 19, four miles west of here. There is little prospect of their bodies being recovered for several days. It is the universal opinion of experienced miners that all the men are dead. Foreman Steiner was killed at the bottom of the shaft. He had returned to the surface a few minutes before the explosion to look after Bud Cole, a negro belonging to the preceding shift, whose leg had been cut off by a trip. He had, according to the engineer, barely reached the bottom of the shaft when the explosion occurred. The heels of his shoes were torn off and thrown to the top of the shaft.

A DEADLY TORNADO.

City of Laredo, Tex., and Vicinity Swept by Fierce Wind—Twenty-One Lives Lost.

Laredo, Tex., via Bermuda, Tex., May 1.—Twenty-one persons were killed and scores injured in Laredo and New Laredo by a tornado which tore through this vicinity late Friday night. Rumors of others killed in places outside Laredo are heard. The property damage is large. Five of the dead are members of one family, and were employed on the ranch of George Woodman. They were crushed to death by the falling in of the heavy walls of the adobe house which they occupied. The other victims met their fate in a like manner. The entire town has suffered more or less from the storm. Trees, fences, telegraph and telephone poles, roofs, chimneys, walls and debris of all kinds strew the streets. Laredo is a city of 15,000 inhabitants, the census of 1900 giving it 13,429. It is located on the Rio Grande river, on the Mexican border, in the southern part of the state, just opposite Nuevo Laredo, Mex.

CARNEGIE'S LATEST GIFT.

Establishes Fund of $10,000,000 to Care for Wornout College Professors.

New York, April 28.—A gift of $10,000,000 by Andrew Carnegie, to provide annuities for college professors who are not able to continue in active service, was announced Thursday by Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the National City bank of New York. Professors in the United States, Canada and Newfoundland will share in the distribution of the income of the fund. United States Steel Corporation five per cent. mortgage bonds for $10,000,000 have been transferred to a board of trustees and steps will be taken at once to organize a corporation to receive the donation. Dr. Pritchett, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Mr. Vanderlip have been selected by Mr. Carnegie to obtain data on the subject, to be presented at the first meeting of the board of trustees, which will take place on November 15.

Bowen Ordered Home.

Washington, May 1.—Secretary Taft Saturday received instructions from the president to call Minister Bowen, now at Caracas, to Washington, also, to send Mr. Russell, now minister to Colombia, to Caracas, and Mr. Barrett, now minister at Panama, to Colombia. It is stated that if Mr. Bowen's action relative to certain charges affecting Assistant Secretary Loomis are not subject to criticism, it is the president's purpose to send him as minister to Chili and then probably as ambassador to Brazil.

Bribe-Takers Sentenced.

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 1.—Carey P. Bissell, John T. Donovan, Adrian Schriver and Ryner Stonehouse, former city officials, who had pleaded guilty to accepting bribes in connection with the Lake Michigan water scandal, were fined in sums ranging from $100 to $500 by Judge Newnham as his last act before retiring from the bench. All the men paid their fines.

Japs Defeated.

St. Petersburg, May 1.—Gen. Linevitch in a message to Emperor Nicholas says: "Two Russian forces on the night of April 29 simultaneously attacked the Japanese near the town of Tunghusiang, driving them from five consecutive positions and occupying Tunghusiang."

New line of correct spring stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

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WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Paved streets are booked for Eveleth.

Koochiching is to have a brass band.

Henning is to have a $15,000 starch factory.

Wadena had three fires in one day recently.

The State Bank at Fosston has hanged hands.

Detroit's band is strutting around in new uniforms.

Northdome will spend $8,000 for water works this year.

There are six applications for saloon licenses at Ada at $1250 per.

Crookston is planning on welcoming their ball players who will arrive this week.

Carl Zant, an old and well known resident of Perham, was killed by a train last week.

Twenty two young men, who wish they hadn't, enlisted in the U. S. navy from St. Cloud.

A meat market at Northdome was burglarized one night recently the thief securing $6 in cash.

The Great Northern division headquarters were moved from Grand Forks to Crookston last Sunday.

Breckenridge girls have won the medal for talking.--they won the state high school debating contest.

Charley Sky, a Chippewa Indian, was killed by a Great Northern train at Deer River one evening last week.

The Halstad Reporter suggests to the Red Lake county papers that it would be economy for them to have the word "crooked" electrotyped.

Someone set fire to the Synod church at Mentor during the night. It was discovered in time to save the building. Damage about $1000.

Roseau now thinks perhaps the Great Northern may build to that town this year after all. First they cuss Jim Hill, then they pat him on the back.

The "Mud Hens" and the "Pot Gang" are certain delectable organizations of young boys who roam the streets of Moorhead at night. It would be hard to find a proper name for their parents.

Detroit Standard: A pretty young Hubbard county teacher to prevent tardiness offered to kiss the first arrival at school each morning. The next morning at 5 o'clock a number of young men were seen roosting on the fence and at 8:30 all the small boys and two directors had put in an appearance.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned up to 3 o,clock p. m., Monday, May 15th for the building and erection of a bridge over Badger creek in Terrebonne township. Plans and specications can be found at Town Clerk's office. Bid calls for labor only as lumber and material is already on the ground.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, anc on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

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IN some conditions the gain from the use of Scott's Emulsion is very rapid. For this reason we put up a fifty-cent size, which is enough for an ordinary cough or cold or useful as a trial for babies and children. In other conditions the gain is slower—health cannot be built up in a day. In such cases Scott's Emulsion must be taken as nourishment; a food rather than a medicine. It's a food for tired and weak digestions.

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Good or Bad Roads.

After dragging through the mud or bumping in the holes after the mud has dried up on some of our roads—says the Princeton Union, one is moved to say amen to the following from the Mankato Free Press: "The difference between good and bad roads is often equivalent to the difference between profit and loss. Good roads have a money value to farmers as well as a political and social value, and leaving out convenience, comfort, social and refined influences which good roads enhance, and looking at them only from the 'almighty dollar' side, they are found to pay handsome dividends each year."

The farmer is not the only man for which the good road has a money value. Good roads leading into a town have a greater money value to the merchant than to the farmer. Everything else being equal the farmer will haul his produce to and do his trading in, the town which has the best roads, leading to it. In fact he will go a little further and accept a little less for his produce if he can have good road over which travel.

The World's Greatest Cities.

The relations of the world's five greatest cities is changing rapidly, but American cities seem to grow the fastest. Berlin is growing much faster than Paris so that either Chicago or Berlin will soon supplant Paris as the third largest city. New York will be second for about ten years when it is expected to take first place away from London. In other words, America is growing in city population and will soon lead the world. Our golden grain belt beer already stands among the best if it is not the best home tonic ever brewed. This delicious beer is another testimonial to American skill and care in manufacturing. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

The Richest Man in the World.

The richest man in the world can not have his kidneys replaced nor live without them, so it is important not to neglect these organs. If Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at the first sign of danger, the symptoms will disappear and your health will be restored, as it strengthens and builds up these organs as nothing eles will. Oscar Bowman, Lebguon, Ky, writes: I have used Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainla would cost me my life." A. L. Reichert.

BADGER.

Dona Laurent was a visitor at Gentilly Sunday.

Joseph Ducharme and Regis are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Ducharme were guests of friends here Sunday.

Damasse Lachance and wife drove to the county seat Monday on business.

Mr. Ed. St Yyes was a business caller on several neighbors Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis St Yves were visitors at L. C. Cadieux of Terrebonne Sunday.

Annie and Anrore Ducharme spent Monday at the home of Damasse Lachance.

Summer must be approaching as quite a number of women are seen working in their gardens.

Messrs. M. and E. Quesnell comenced working on A. O. Davisons farm Monday morning.

Alfred Pontbrient and family left Tuesday for the Falls where he intends to make his future home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bourdon of Red Lake Falls were guests at the home of Michel Quesnell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnell spent last Thursday at St. Hilaire with their daughter, Mrs. Chas Bourcier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Demarais of the Falls were guest at the home of Joseph Ducharme over Sunday and Monday.

Adelard Champeau drove out to Perrault Station Saturday afternoon and was accompanied back home by Mr. Ruddy.

The Misses Alyca and Anna Quesnell, Annie and Aurore Ducharme spent Saturday evening at D. Champeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quesnell took advantage of the nice roads Sunday and drove out from Mentor and visited at Mr. Adelard Laurent.

Theo. Robillard of North Yakima visited with old time friends around here last week. Theo. say that Badger has improved a good deal during his absence.

Onezime and Theo. Robbillard passed through the Badger limits Tuesday morning on their way to Mr. M. Lucharme of Perrault Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Laurent on their way to J. Ducharme Monday evening were obliged to stop at M. Quesnell's an account of their horse taking sick suddenly. He unhitched the horse as fast as possible and all was done to save the animal's life but it was impossible.

A fine buggy horse for sale. Perfectly reliable and can be trusted. Inquire of Milton Converse.

Cattle wanted for pasturing. Plenty grass and water. Sec. 10, Polk Center township.—M. A. Baumgardner.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Steaans, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores, 25c at all druggist.

A Sad, But True Story.

Ten years ago a farmer put his initials on a dollar, went down town and spent it with a merchant. Before the year was out he got the dollar back. Four times in six years the dollar came back to him for produce, and three times he heard of it in the pockets of his neighbors. The last time he got it he sent it to a mail order house. He has not seen the dollar since and never will. That dollar will never pay any more school or road tax for him, will never build up or brighten the homes of the community. He sent it entirely out of the circle of usefulness to himself. —Estherville Democrat.

There is no Need

to go into the science of a cough. It will only cost you 25c for a bottle of Gloria Lung Balsam. Gloria Lung Balsam has fooled many a Doctor. It has relieved and stopped coughs that were treated as consumptive indications. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The Anti-Cigarette Laws.

In Indiana smokers who are found with cigarettes in their possession are arrested and punished by a fine big enough to equal the cost of several thousand cigarettes. In Wisconsin an equally drastic law will soon go into effect. In Nebraska men who manufacture or sell cigarettes or cigarette papers will be punishable with a fine of from $50 to $100. In other states laws forbidding the sale of cigarettes to minors have been passed. All this is the result of one season's anti-cigarette crusade. And Michigan and Illionis, in both of which states cigarette prohibition bills are pending, are yet to be heard from.

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Gloria Lung Balsam not only removes the irritation but it heals the throat and aids nature in rebuilding and restoring to health the inflamed organs of speech and breathing. It is made of healing balms and is best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Caught the Coal Man.

A rather amusing incident it is reported occurred in a county not much farther away than Faribault, where a farmer got a little suspicious as to the weight of a coal dealer. So some farmers got up a job on him. While some of them kept him busy talking another drove in and said he would like to get about five hundred pounds of coal, but, that if he was busy, he could load it himself. The wagon was weighed, and the farmer went into the yard, pretending to be loading the coal. He had a triple box on his wagon. Came back, drove on the scales, the dealer weighed it, and reported 610 pounds. The farmer said he thought he was mistaken and that the dealer should weigh it again. He weighed it again and pronounced it 610 pounds without a doubt. The farmer told him he had certainly made a mistake. The dealer insisted he was right. Finally the farmer asked him to take a look in the wagon. So the dealer stepped upon the wheel and looked into the box,—and there was not a pound of coal!

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905,

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffering or threatened with fire and he fails to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of forest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
C. C. ANDREWS,
Cnief Fire Warden.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake } ss.
City of Red Lake Falls }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the City Council of said city Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on May 7th 1905, and terminating on May 6th 1906, by the following persons, and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively to-wit:

JOSEPH H. PARADIS

In that certain brick building situated on lot 19 of block 3 in Champagne and Dows Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday the 11th day of May, A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Falls this 27th day of April A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned to May, 11th, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the construction of a bridge over Clearwater river on Bottineou Ave., according to the plans and speifications now on file in my office. Bids are to be received in two forms. One for the construction of said bridge with all new lumber and material and one for part new lumber and material and such lumber and material as the city now owns and situated as mentioned in specifications.

Each bid must be accompained with a certified check to an amount not less than ten per cent of the bid payable to the order of the City Treasurer. In case the bidder fails to enter into contract and bond as shall be directed by the city council.

This bridge will be paid in city warrants of the city of Red Lake Falls out of the general fund as soon as the bridge is completed and duly accepted.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 27th day of April A. D. 1905.

A. P. Toupin
City Clerk.

Red Lake County Land for Sale Cheap

SW¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire, 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy terms. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it, or once write me, D. M. Frederiksen, 172 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

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Slaves of the Orient.

"In Zanzibar and Pemba slaves are very slow to take advantage of the regulations that give them the right to claim their freedom," says a traveler. "They realize that so long as they are well used their position is superior to that of the man whose freedom is his sole asset. I have found the same attitude in north Africa. From Morocco to Tripoli one sees most of the slaves well content and flourishing. The famine, the locusts, the drought and the tax collector have no terror for them. Work keeps them healthy, they have enough to eat and drink, and the future has no meaning at all. There is promotion, there are confidential missions to governors and friends that elevate a slave, if only in the eyes of his fellows, and there is always a chance of manumission when the owner dies and wishes to have some good deeds recorded in the books of Islam's recording angels. The sorry truth of the matter is that slaves under Mohammedan rule are much better off than they ever were under the rule of white men in America and elsewhere."

The Permanent Novel.

"The novel that has inherent and permanent value that will secure for it a place in literature," said a well known author a few days ago, "rarely exceeds an edition of ten or fifteen thousand copies, and more often the limit is 5,000, while the one that is ephemeral, but catches the public fancy, may have a sale of fifty or a hundred thousand. Books of the latter class put money into the pockets of both author and publisher, but it does not come from the most discriminating readers. Of the class in question the field is limited, and, while they establish the reputation and permanent value of the really literary production, they are not included in the clientele of the author who is willing to sacrifice quality and style to increase his revenues from royalties. The novel that attains a wide but brief popularity does not appeal to the literary class."

A Report from Switzerland.

Mr. John Schneeberger, of Ashtabula, Ohio, writes that Gloria Tonic was sent to a very severe test by his sister in Switzerland, who had been an invalid from rheumatism for 40 years, with the result that it completely cured her. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Farmers' Trust.

The farmers of the western part of Winona county have organized a local union of the Society of Equity with the following officers: President, C. L. Blair; vice president, Timothy Daly; secretary, O. P. Boysen; treasurer, Charles Rabben.

The object of this society which is national in its scope, is to regulate the prices of farm products according to demand and not permit them to be fixed by the arbitrary rulings of speculators. It is probable that the farmers in other parts of Winona county will also organize.

A Valuable Paper.

The state historical society has come into the possession of an autograph letter written by George Washington two days after his retirement from the presidency. It has been handed down in the family of Christopher Gist, Washington's guide in the expedition to Fort Euquesne, and was donated to the society by Annette Ralpe, a sister at the Episcopal home in St. Paul. The letter was written to Sir John Sinclair, a Scotch baroness, March 6, 1797.

News Notes.

A big seizure of deer hides is made in Minneapolis.

The officials of the new capitol object to the order of cooking.

The revised code would restrict the correspondence of county officials.

Blue with the cold and half famished, a 6-weeks-old baby was found on the doorstep of Damas M. Chamberlain, Minneapolis.

St. Louis county will pay only ten cents a meal for the board of its prisoners, if a house bill which passed the senate is signed by the governor.

The state supreme court hands down decision in seven cases.

Thieves broke into the McCadden machine works at St. Cloud and stole tools and ransacked the office.

C. S. Foster of Milaca has brought suit for $1,500 against Frank Starr who operates a sawmill near Royalton for timber trespass.

Selrog Bros.' block and saloon at Warroad was burned to the ground. Photographer Wetherly and his wife were carried from the building in their night clothes and lost everything.

Governor Johnson received formal invitation to the launching of the battleship Minnesota at Newport News, April 8.

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AN ALL DAY SERVICE.

Possibility of an All Day Electric Service in the Near Future.

The Red Lake Falls Electric Light Company are ready to install an all day service as soon as enough patrons are secured to warrant the venture. The company does not expect it to be a paying venture at the start and are willing to begin the service when enough patronage is assured to pay the services of one extra man.

In a talk with one of the representatives of the company yesterday we were told that it is thought there are business houses and concerns who would make use of the service to make it an assured fact in the near future. A continuous service—night and day—is beneficial to a town in more ways than one. Besides being a cheap and economical power it would be an inducement to outside capital to locate factories here. Cheap power is always looked upon with favor by those looking for the investment of capital. It is to be hoped that all who use power in any form will encourage this movement and help it along at every opportunity.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

WEALTH OF DIAMONDS.

Hidden Treasures in Northern Minnesota and Canada.

Old mining men and prospectors in this region did not need to be told by Dr. Ami, of the geological survey, that great diamond wealth undoubtedly lies hidden in that part of Canada between the Great Lakes and Hudson Bay, says a corrospondent at International Falls. In the Rainy Lake district, and in the auriferous valley of the Seine, many "sparklers" have been obtained from Indians and French-Canadian voyageors, who had picked them up in their wanderings without any idea of their character and value.

At the hamlet of Mime Center, in the Seine river county, George R. Douglass is the resident agent and assayist for the Rothschild interests, who are buying large tracts of land in the district that give evidence of gold bearing quartz. Mr. Douglass was long a resident of South Africa. He says the geological conformation of the Rainy Lake and Seine territories is almost identical with that of the Kimberly district, which has given to the world the famous diamond mines.

Forty miles from the mouth of the Big Fork river, which empties into the Rainy from northern Minnesota, are many ancient mounds whose origin extends beyond the traditions of the Ojibways. Until recently these mounds had been inviolate, for they are in a wild region but little visited by white men and accessible only by canoe. One summer, however, a party of scientists from the University of Toronto came out to explore them. From one of the mounds, on which a sturdy oak was growing, a large human skeleton, perfectly preserved, was exhumed. It was not that of an Indian, and in the cavity whence it was taken were evidences of prehistoric civilization, in the form of many articles of pottery, some stamped with unique and beautiful designs.

Around the skeleton's neck was a massive band of pure copper and on its bosom rested a curiously wrought necklace of the same metal, into which were interwoven shells and colored stones. What arrested the attention of the exploring party, however, was a stone which gleamed from the center of a bendant to the necklace. At first it was judged to be nothing more than a clear piece of quartz, but closer examination and testing proved that it was a diamond.

An Aged Resident Gone.

Crookston Journal: Thos. Ralph, the aged father of State Ditch Engineer Ralph, breathed his last at St. Vincent hospital Sunday. Mr. Ralph has been in very poor health for several years and has during the past few months been confined constantly to the hospital with a bone trouble. A short time ago he underwent an operation for the removal of a lower limb and never fully recovered from the ordeal. Mrs. Ralph, wife of the deceased, died some time ago at Red Lake Falls.

Better Prune Some More.

Bemidji Pioneer: The capitol commission has done well to cut expenses. While it was pruning it would have done better to have adopted Governor Johnson's suggested of dispensing with the guides provided for the building. It would be a very nice thing indeed if every stranger could have some one to show him about the capitol but it is doubtful if one visitor out of twenty ever sees the official guides or even so much as knows that they exist.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Stationery at the Courier office.

SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

Red Lake County Teachers hold a big Meeting at St. Hilaire.

About fifty of Red Lake county's teachers met at St. Hilaire last Friday and Saturday in what proved to be one of the best meetings ever held by the association.

Friday morning a spelling contest was held, pupils of the rural schools being the only scholars allowed to compete. Prof. J. B. O'Brien, Catherine Pirath and Hulda Gigstad were the judges while President Weld pronounced the words. Miss Mary Miller, of Huot, was the winner of this contest. In the afternoon a musical program and short speeches occupied the time of the teachers.

Friday evening President Frank A. Weld, of the Moorhead Normal School, delivered an address to the members of the association. Mr. Weld is an educator of note and his address was listened to with great interest by those present.

Saturday musical selections and a general discussion of school matters was the order of the day. The question of teachers' wages, rural school consolidation and ventilation were thoroughly talked over.

The meeting was by far the largest gathering of the kind ever held in the county. Supt. McAunlty is to be congratulated upon the success of the occasion as his untiring efforts were no doubt the cause of the successful and entertaining meeting.

The following teachers attended: Katie McAnulty, Laura Lizee, Lerraine Longtin, Guy Willcuts, Elmeda Gonigam, Lillian Swason, Annie Fellman, Eugenia Perrault, M. Clare Allison, Rose Helm, Lena Tschirhart, Julia Toban, John O. Swanson, Dora Marchand, Clara Berg, Clara Richard, T. J. Krouse, Carl Schusser, Wm. J. Harlow, H. T. McAnulty, Chas. Moller, Florence Columbus, George Netteland, Maggie Rose, Emma Lonson, Marias Roland, Nannie Swanson, Charloy Swason, Ester Olson, Walter Johnson.

The Country Merchant Has a Snap.

"Yes." remarked the country merchant to a newspaper reporter, "I certainly have a snap. The wholesale houses send me duns every month and draw on me at sight, but if I send a bill to a farmer he comes in swearing mad and quits trading at my store. While I am hard up for ready money many of those who owe me are sending cash in advance to mail order houses If I contribute money to any cause people say I am a hog. Every day I am expected to dig up for everything that comes along, from a raffle ticket to a church fund, by people who say I ought to do this because they do part of their trading here, but my friend Montgomery Ward neither buys raffle tickets nor helps the church fund and yet gets the cash in advance business; and if I were to circulate a subscription paper among the city wholesale houses where we trade I would get the horselaugh proper. If I sell a pair of pants I must treat the family to candy and cigars; if I buy a load of potatoes I must do the same. Customers who are able to pay hang onto their money while I pay ten per cent at the bank to get ready cash. I have a big business during hard times and poor crops from people who are willing to trade with me providing I can duplicate catalog house prices and wait until after harvest for my money. My scales weigh too heavy when I sell sugar and too light when I buy butter. I am a thief, a liar and a grafter, If I smile I am a softsoapy hypocrite; if I don't I am a grump. Yes, this is certainly a snap." And then he looked over $10,000 worth of book accounts, all good. and wondered how he could raise $350 to pay a sight draft due tomorrow.

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STEAM POWER FOR TURNING SOD

Farmers of the Red River Valley Believe in it.

With the arrival at Crookston of a carload of improved steam plow machinery, including wide-tire traction engines of improved design and great power, a movement has been started in the Minnesota Red river valley which will, in time, disturb the usefulness of the horse as a means of turning over the virgin soil.

Heretofore farmers have been skeptical of the value of steam power as an agent for plowing, but recent tests have turned out so satisfactory and the saving over old methods has been so apparent that they understand the benefit which is derived from the steam system, both from a monetary standpoint and the quality of the work done.

The steam plow outfit consists of thirty-five-horsepower engines with tires nearly three feet wide. The wide tires are made necessary because of the unstable character of the average field, which would almost bury an engine of the ordinary type. The plow proper consists of sixteen 16-inch shires and at each trip across a two-mile field six acres of ground is turned over. The two-mile stretches can be covered by the machine in an hour, making the result for the day's work of twelve hours 144 acres, or three weeks' work for one man with team.

Farmers are enthusiastic and it is likely that many outfits will be shipped to Crookston for use in the fall. The engines are so made that they can be used for threshing and other farm purposes.

The Dying Drummer's Sweethearts.

A gay and handsome traveling man
Lay on a bed of pain;
All hope was past, his life ebbed fast,
He ne'er would rise again.
"Have you no sweetheart, fair and true?"
They whispered o'ver his bed,
"Whom would you tell a last farewell?"
The young man softly said:
"There's Daisy back in Warrensbury,
And Bess in Sandy Hill,
There's Millie down in Albany,
Kate in Mechancville.
There's darling Jess in good old Ti,
And Mary up in Jay,
And write to Sue in Ruthlad, too,
Or h—I will be to pay."

The watchers stared in mild surprise
And then they said once more—
"And tell us, pray, without delay,
The girl whom you adore.
The girl whom you have sworn to love
And bring both wealth and fame;
Your promised wife, and hope, and life,
Quick, let us know her name."
"In Saratoga Jennie lives,
Go, phone her quick," he said;
"And Carrie calls from dear Glens Falls,
And Ann from old Fort Ed,
There's Mamie down in old Fort Ann,
And Maudie in Whitehail,"
The young man sighed, "Its time I died,
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GOOD CROP ASSURED.

Rain of the Past week Practically Insures a Large Yield.

Any fears that the crops of the northwest might be injured during the early stages of their growth by dry weather have been dissipated by the weather of the past week. Every acre of land in northern Minnesota and North Dakota has received in the neighborhood of two inches of water in the form of either rain or snow, and a storm could not have been more welcome or more timely. In the valley there was no special need for rain, just at this time, as there was sufficient moisture in the ground to sprout the grain in the absence of usually dry winds. But even in the valley the soil was dry enough to receive all the water that fell without flooding, and in the western part of North Dakota the storm was a godsend. There the fall rains were lacking, and there was beginning to be some anxiety concerning rain, both on account of the grain crops and because of the pasturage. Wheat seeding was practically all over before the storm came, and most of the oats had been sown. The ground has been too wet since to resume operations, and there is still abundance of time in which to sow all the later grains that are desired.

LINKING UP ROADS.

Rumor of Great Narthern Building to Winnipeg Junction.

St. Paul Dispatch: It is rumored "up north" that the Great Northern road will build a line this season from Pelican Rapids northwest to Winnipeg Junction, and there connect with the Northern Pacific road' This extension would make possible a through line from Pelican Rapids to Thief River Falls and Winnipeg.

Fire Alarms By Wireless Telegraphy.

It may be that wireless telegraphy will enter almost every sphere of human activity. In railroading there will be small excuse for accident when an engineer can be overtaken between stations, or when he can hear from a fellow engineer on the track long before a collision could occur. London is already trying a wireless fire alarm system. In ten years you can order golden grain belt beer from almost any spot on the globe by wireless telegraphy and get your beer at once. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson Crookston.

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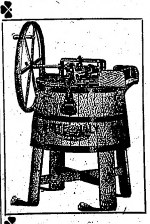

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When cholera appears in the flock, give no water save that in which pokeroot has been boiled. This is both a preventive and a cure.

It has been estimated that the average annual crop of honey in the United States amounts to 125,000,000 pounds, with a value of $8,000,000 to $10,000,000.

From figures given out at Washington we learn that there are now about 200,000,000 bearing apple trees in the United States, producing enough fruit to give every man, woman and child in America at least two bushels of apples annually.

They do not fag out on a long drive, and have plenty of energy, with coats sleek and bright. Horses out of condition always gain rapidly on this diet, as it seems to have an especially good effect on the digestion. It will make inferior hay more palatable.

For the morning feed for heavy work horses, give a quart of molasses diluted with three quarts of water, mixed with one quart of corn meal and two quarts of wheat bran, and from five to six pounds of cut hay. At noon give four quarts of oats. At night give the same ration as in the morning with the addition of a little long hay in the manger.

Cultivate the best side of your neighbor and don't forget that he thinks you need as much charity from him as he needs from you. A man to a large extent makes his neighbors, for take men as they run, if treated kindly, generously, justly, they will nearly always make good neighbors. There are exceptions, however, and this sort it is best to let entirely alone.

When the farmer and his wife and boys, and all the rest, go to bed, they want to sleep and rest. That is what they are there for. But what lots of poor beds there are in this world! Dear, good housewives, make a study of your beds. Make them comfortable. Make them look nice. Air the clothes on them every day. Keep the air in the rooms pure and sweet where they are, always. By doing this you will add greatly to the length of life of the farmer and all his folks.

A short time ago some men were engaged in putting up telegraph poles on some land belonging to an old farmer, who disliked seeing his wheat trampled down, according to the veracious "Register." of Great Bend, Kan. The men produced a paper by which they said they had leave to put the poles where they pleased. The old farmer went back and turned a large bull in the field. The savage beast made after the men, and the old farmer, seeing them running from the field, shouted at the top of his voice: "Show him the paper! Show him the paper!"

Juggling With Dynamite.

Is no more dangerous than to neglect kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure corrects irregularities and has cured many severe cases after other treatment has failed. It builds up the worn out tissues and restores health and vigor. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. A. Davis of Mt. Sterling Iowa, "but two bottles of Foley's Kidnep Cure effected a permanent cure." Sold bp A. L. Reichert.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, April 27, 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, April 27th, 1905.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Minutes of two previous meetings were read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed.

John Deforge, street work.....	$ 19 80
Levi Miller, do	4 50
Dr. J. C. Wilkinson, services as health officer, bill of $32 allowed at..................	22 00
W. A. Schreiter, mdse.........	2 40
Eusebe Normaudeau, blacksmith acct.....................	4 55
John Deforge, burying carcasses.........................	3 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Light street lamps for March, 1905..	112 46

Aldermen Crompe and Brady were duly appointed a committee to confer with the fire department relative to the Tournament to be held at Blackduck in June, 1905.

It was moved and carried that the arc light near the bridge on Bottineau's ave. be discontinued, and that a 32 candle light be inserted in its placd thereof, and that another 32 candle light be inserted on said ave near William Zaiser's residence.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 3rd day of May, A. D. 1905.

J. A. Duffy,
Mayor.

Attest.
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing by dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At all druggists, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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All on Board But One Woman Saved—Squall Capsizes Pleasure Craft Near New York.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., May 9.—With the arrival here Monday of the tug Patience came news of one of the most remarkable marine disasters in the history of Vineyard sound shipping. The Joy line steamer Aransas, bound from Boston for New York, was struck by the coal-laden barge Glendower, in tow from Boston for Philadelphia, and sank less than 15 minutes later, but out of 47 passengers and a crew of 29 on the steamer, most of whom were asleep at the time of the collision; only one life was lost. Miss Mamie Keller, 27 years of age, residence unknown, was missing when the roll of passengers was called.

The scene of the collision was about a mile and a half southeast of the Pollock Rip Shoals lightship. The disaster was due to the fog.

The engine room and fire room of the Aransas were quickly flooded and some of the firemen barely escaped being caught by the torrents of water. It was seen at once that the steamer was sinking and orders to lower the boats were given.

Most of the passengers and crew were in their berths at the time of the collision, but all were awakened by the crash. They dressed hastily and rushed upon deck. Although there was great excitement there was no panic and the discipline of the crew was excellent, every man taking his appointed station.

While some of the passengers were being transferred to the steamers' boats, the Patience came alongside the rapidly sinking Aransas and took off those who had not already taken to the boats. Those who had taken to the boats were then transferred to the tug or to the barges in tow. Few of the passengers saved anything except their clothing and small hand baggage.

The Aransas was a twin screw of 1,156 gross tonnage. She was built in 1877 at Wilmington, Del. She carried a cargo valued at $150,000.

New York, May 9.—Squalls Sunday upset several pleasure craft on the East and North rivers and on Long Island sound. In one wreck a life was lost, and there were many narrow escapes from drowning. Joseph R. Dreising, of Hoboken, was asleep in the cabin of a sloop yacht on the Hudson when a sudden squall capsized the boat. His seven companions managed to save themselves with much difficulty, but Dreising was overwhelmed by the water which rushed in upon him. Police boats and tugs were kept busy during the afternoon picking up imperiled persons who had taken advantage of the warm weather for pleasure trips in the harbor.

KILAUEA IS ACTIVE.

Fear Enormous Mass of Lava in Great Crater May Explode and Overwhelm Hawaii.

Honolulu, May 9.—The three-mile long crater of Kilauea, a constantly agitated lake of liquid lava, is showing great activity, and fears are felt that the enormous mass may be thrown into the air by an explosion and overwhelm a part of the island of Hawaii and its 25,000 inhabitants. The burning lava in the great crater, the largest in the world, is steadily rising. Should the pressure increase there is great danger of a terrific eruption. Fishermen on the east coast of Hawaii say Kilauea has never presented as grand a sight as in the last few days. On account of the relative smaller height of Kilauea an eruption from it might not reach the north coast, but it is feared Mauna Loa, which is 7,000 feet higher and in the center of the island, would be exploded by the eruption of the other and cover the whole island. The town of Hilo is considered safe from a more overflow of Kilauea, and it is only an explosive eruption that is feared. The overflows from Kilauea usually go down the south and west slopes and away from Hilo. In any event, it is likely that the activity now begun will leave its mark on the topography of the island. In one of its overflows 100 years ago Kilauea gave forth 15,000,000,000 cubic feet of rock and lava, changing the formation of the coast for miles.

Pays Penalty for Crime.

Union, Mo., May 9.—William Rudolph was hanged in the jail yard at 10:01 o'clock Monday. About 200 persons witnessed the execution and a large crowd collected in the street outside the jail. The crime for which Rudolph was executed was participation with George Collins, who was hanged last year, in the killing of Detective Charles J. Schumacher, of St. Louis, at Rudolph's home, near Stanton, on January 25, 1903.

Minister Bowen Arrives.

New York, May 9.—Herbert W. Bowen, American minister to Venezuela, arrived here Monday on the steamship Philadelphia. He said he would say nothing on Venezuelan affairs until he had reported at Washington. He inquired as to the present status of the Loomis charges, but declined to discuss the matter. He said he probably would go to Washington Tuesday.

Arbitration Treaty Signed.

Christiania, Norway, May 9.—An arbitration treaty between Norway and Portugal was signed Monday at Lisbon.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

Seed Wheat.

According to Dean W. M. Liggett and Prof. C. P. Bull of the state experiment station, the question of a seed wheat famine in Minnesta depends entirely on securing a proper distribution of the supply of good seed. A bulletin has just been issued from the state experiment station in which it is said that there is enough good seed to sow the 6,500,000 acres of wheat land, provided the supply is properly distributed, and also provided farmers use proper precautions in selecting seed grain from their rusted wheat.

There is plenty of seed in some localities and none in others. The authorities at the experiment station are making efforts to relieve the situation, and farmers who have good seed are asked to advertise the fact, the suggestion being made that they can probably get more than the market price, and at the same time assist in protecting the state's chief product.

There is an idea prevalent among farmers that rust, like smut, is carried from one crop to another by the use of infected seed. This, the authorities assert is not true. Methods have been found for the prevention of smut, but as yet no definite methods have been found for the prevention of rust.

Wheat rust is propagated by spors and from field to field. Precaution is the only way the farmer has combating rust. The authorities claim that all stubble and rubbish which would tend to harbor the spors of this disease should be burned, and crop rotation practiced. After these precautions have been observed and some rust-resistant variety of wheat is planted the farmer will be reasonably sure.

State Fair Races.

The management of the Minnesota state fair has fairly outdone itself in the race program for the feir of 1905, which has been completed and given by Secretary E. W. Randell. The total of purses offered has been increased by $2,000 from last year and reached the handsome amount of $27.650. This is the largest amount yet offered in purses by any western race meeting, whether at a state fair or elsewhere.

The 2:40 class trot is cut and a 2:19 class is inserted while the 2:17 class is made a 2:14. These changes meet the views of horsemen.

Perhaps the most interesting change is the increase for the purse of the 2:09 pace and the 2:10 trot (formerly) 2:12) from $1,000 to $1,500. These are the fastest classes on the program and the increase is intended to draw out a larger field of starters.

The great $5,000 races for Minneapolis and St. Paul days are retained as are the $2,500, 2:35 trot and 3:30 pace introduced last year. The special novelty, however, is the introduction of two colt races, for three-year-olds or under, bred and owned in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and the two Dakotas with purses of $800 for each.

The rules are substantially the same as last year, with the popular provisions for substitution and withdrawal, except in this important particular:

"Horses not standing for money at end of third heat cannot start in fourth or fifth heats."

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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

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PRESIDENT BEGINS HIS RETURN TRIP

SPECIAL LEAVES GLENWOOD SPRINGS AT 5 A. M. BOUND FOR DENVER.

EXECUTIVE PERMITTED TO DEPART IN QUIET

Citizens Refrain from Cheering So That He May Rest—Farewell Dinner Given to Guides and Companions of His Hunt.

Salida, Col., May 9.—The presidential special left Glenwood Springs at 5 a. m. Monday over the Denver & Rio Grande railroad and was scheduled to arrive in Denver at 5:30 p. m. The early start gave the party an opportunity to view from the rear end of the train the best scenery in Colorado, which is said to be the canyon of the Grande river.

Most of the occupants of the train were up at 5 a. m., although the president did not arise until 7:45 a. m. His breakfast was served at 8:30, after which he joined the sightseers on the observation end of the car "Rocket." Citizens of Glenwood Springs were particularly considerate of the president's feelings. He went to bed on the train at 11 p. m. and wanted to get a good rest. A crowd was assembled at the station when the train was made up for the start.

Train Departs in Quiet.

When it was announced that the president was asleep the early-risers, who were prepared to give the party a rousing send-off, refrained from cheering, and without demonstration of any kind permitted the president to depart in quiet.

The trip from Glenwood Springs to Denver is one that the members of the party looked forward to with great expectation. While the running schedule of the train is fast, officials in charge arranged for slow time while passing all points of interest.

These arrangements included a ten minutes' stop at Hanging Bridge, one of the greatest engineering feats of the railroad. The bridge spans a narrow gulch above which rise the walls of the Royal gorge, 2,700 feet to the top. At Minturn the train took on a helper engine. From that point the climb ranges from three and a half to four feet to the hundred for 21 miles. One engine cannot pull even such a light train as the special, which is made up of the "Rocket," the "Denver," the private car of C. H. Schlacke, vice president of the Rio Grande, and a Union Pacific buffet car. The highest point is the Continental divide, from where the best view of Mount Massive and the Collegian peaks is had. From the divide there is a descent for 150 miles.

Breakfast was served in the president's car when the train passed the divide. The curtains were raised and Mr. Roosevelt took a keen interest in the scenery.

Dog Greets President.

"Skip," the little terrier bear-dog which the president is taking back to Washington, bounded into the car to greet his new master as soon as Mr. Roosevelt got up. The dog slept in the president's cabin while he was in the mountains. The active little animal appeared lonesome on the train until Mr. Roosevelt took him up. After that the terrier made friends with everyone on the train.

The personnel of the party on the presidential special is: Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb, Dr. Alexander Lambert, F. B. Stewart of Colorado Springs, A. C. Ridgway, general manager; Major S. K. Hooper, general passenger agent, and I. H. Luke, division superintendent of the Pullman company; two stenographers to the president, newspaper men, two secret service men and two messengers to the president.

Pupils of the state reform school lined up beside the railroad tracks at Buena Vista, the train slowed and the president waved an answering salute to the boys. A brief address was made by the president at Salida to several hundred persons. A five minutes' stop was made.

Gives Farewell Dinner.

As a climax to the president's hunt in the Rocky mountains Sunday night he gave a farewell dinner to his guides and companions of the outing at Glenwood Springs. The rest of the day was occupied by a trip to church, a visit to the taxidermist who is mounting the trophies of the chase and a short address to the people who had come to the springs to pass Sunday. Mr. Roosevelt retired at 11 p. m.

Tragedy in Georgia.

Covington, Ga., May 9.—Lemuel Walker, of Mansfield, shot his wife to death with a shotgun early Monday while she was asleep. He then made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide with the remaining load in the gun and, in a further endeavor to end his life, sought to hang himself in the barn with a plowline. He was overpowered by his son. Domestic troubles are alleged to be the cause of the murder and attempted suicide.

Battle with Hereros.

Berlin, May 9.—A force of Hereros on April 27 fell upon a German column under command of Capt. Winterfeldt in the mountains east of Gananis, German Southwest Africa, and in a lively fight which followed 16 Germans were killed or wounded. The natives were beaten off with the loss of 15 men killed.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Defective Eyesight.

St. Paul.—Reports received by the state board of health indicate that there are 60,000 to 70,000 pupils in the public schools of Minnesota who have defective eyesight, and that less than 10 per cent of these wear glasses or are taking any treatment to improve their eyesight.

This condition is all the more remarkable when it is known that owing to the nature of the test applied by the teachers, only the more serious defects are discovered. If the pupils' eyes were examined by oculists the number showing defective eyesight, it is believed, would be much larger.

The reports received by the state board of health show that 10 to 15 per cent of the pupils examined have defective sight. In many cities the percentage is much greater. For instance, in the public school at Tower, of 290 pupils examined, 86 had defect eyesight. In Sauk Rapids 43 had defective sight of of 260. In Red Wing the percentage of defective eyes was about 20, the figures being 196 and 927.

No More Mineral Leases.

No mining leases to operate in the beds of meandered lakes will be issued by State Auditor S. G. Iverson for at least two years. The recent legislature refused to pass a law expressly authorizing the state auditor to lease beds of lakes, and in the absence of authority from the legislature the state auditor will issue no such leases.

Scores of applications for leases covering the beds of most of the lakes in the vicinity of the iron range have been filed with the state auditor. Two years ago he issued prospecting leases on a portion of the bed of Long lake in St. Louis county, town 58, range 20, in accordance with an opinion filed by Former Attorney General W. B. Douglas, who held that the state owned the land and that it should exercise its ownership.

Irrigation.

Minnesota and North Dakota are taking steps to catch a good share of the immigration that is being directed toward the northwest province of Canada. The legislatures in both states appropriated large sums for the purpose of advertising their agricultural, commercial and educational advantages.

In Minnesota annual appropriation is $15,000, and will be expanded by State Auditor Iverson, who is ex-officio land commissioner. Mr. Iverson is given authority to advertise the advantages of Minnesota lands within and without the state and to prepare such literature and statistics explaining the resources of the state as he may deem advisable.

Sugar Factory Burns.

St. Louis Park.—The factory and sugar refining plant of the Minnesota Sugar company at St. Louis Park was totally destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $400,000, with insurance of $240,000.

Flames were first discovered by workmen in the roof of the laboratory and before the village volunteer fire department and the factory hands could get a stream of water playing upon the burning structure, the flames had spread to the entire roof and the building was doomed.

From the southwest end of the big building where the flames originated, they traversed the entire plant, comprising four buildings about 200 feet in length and nearly as wide. A telephone call was sent in to Chief Canterbury of the Minneapolis department, and he hurriedly dispatched District Chief Hernlund with three engines, three hose carts and a chemical to the scene, but when the local apparatus arrived the building, machinery and manufactured stocks had been destroyed.

Indian Allotment.

White Earth.—The reallotment of of additional land to Indians under the Steenerson land bill closed here. The allotment of land will resume again on Monday, May 15. About 1,000 allotments have been issued.

Most of the logging camp matters connected with the cutting of dead and fallen timber on the reservation during the last winter have been settled. The result to both loggers and purchasers was, on the average very satisfactory. A total of about $100,000 was paid out.

News Notes.

St. Paul.—The St. Paul club will join the Northwestern LaCrosse league.

St. Paul.—Attorney General Young says there is no ground for the fear that the omnibus bill is invalid.

Frazee.—The eighty-sixth anniversary of Oddfellowship was celebrated in the Methodist church here.

St. Peter.—Business men of Courtland have organized the State Bank of Courtland.

Rice.—The house and all the buildings of Lasper Jenskey, a farmer living near Rice, were destroyed by fire Monday morning, entailing a loss of $2,500.

Hastings.—Roy, a little son of William Kleeberger of Randolph, fell over a washtub, while playing around the house, breaking his arm just above the wrist.

Chatfield.—The Chatfield Canning company shipped four cars of last year's pack of corn, two to St. Paul and two to Minneapolis. Each car contained 1,500 cases.

St. Paul.—Complaint has been made by Edward T. Young, attorney general, that the South St. Paul Stock Exchange is violating the Minnesota antitrust law, and an investigation is to be instituted.

DEPARTMENT STORES RESUME DELIVERIES

CHICAGO EMPLOYERS ACT ON THEORY THAT TEAMSTERS' STRIKE IS OVER.

UNION LEADERS FIGHT INJUNCTION ORDER

Men Oppose Subpoenas for Their Appearance in Court—Mayor Orders Inquiry Into Trouble—Six Persons Hurt in Rioting.

Chicago, May 9.—The employers set out Monday to make deliveries on the apparent theory that the teamsters' strike is broken. Thirteen hundred wagons were said to be on the street. Some of the State street stores sent out the normal number for the first time. Deputy sheriffs and private guards, many armed with rifles, were pressed into service to aid the police. With the general movement came an order from Chief of Police O'Neill permitting patrolmen to ride upon the wagons of the employers. The chief instructed his inspectors that in future it will not be necessary for the police to follow the wagons on foot, but that they will be permitted to sit beside the drivers and guard the deliveries from the wagon seats.

Fight Injunction Order.

Lawyers representing the Employers' Teaming company and the 60 labor leaders temporarily enjoined from interfering with the property of the teaming concern organized by the Employers' association, argued before Judge Kohlsaat on the question of forcing the labor men to appear before Master in Chancery Sherman to give testimony. Levy Mayer and Alfred Austrian appeared for the Employers' Teaming company, and John F. Geeting, Daniel L. Cruice and Jacob Le Bosky represented the labor leaders. Attorneys Mayer and Austrian asked the court to authorize the issuing of subpoenas to force the leaders to appear before Master Sherman, who was empowered by the court to hear testimony in support of an interlocutory injunction, to be followed by a permanent injunction. The counsel for the defendants under the writ answered by saying that the federal courts have no jurisdiction in the matter, and that, inasmuch as a criminal offense is likely to be charged against the men, they cannot be forced to give testimony which might be used against them.

Labor to Retaliate on Banks.

Retaliation on the banks which subscribed $50,000 as a fund with which to help fight strikers was voted by the Chicago Federation of Labor Sunday when a resolution was passed providing for the withdrawal of deposits of labor unionists from "unfair" banks. Further initiatory action was included in the call to the state's attorney for the prosecution of members of the Employers' executive committee for alleged conspiracy to ruin the business of several individual teaming companies.

Six Hurt in Rioting.

Six men were severely injured in two downtown riots Monday, the disturbances being a continuation of the wave of violence which started at an early hour far out on the South side, where two other men were almost done to death for attacking a nonunion teamster. The downtown battle was fought in the alley between the Ashland block and the Olympic theater, in which two negroes were badly hurt by a yelling mob of strikers. Desperately battling with four strikers in view of more than 1,000 men, Deputy Sheriff Robert Mulhall rescued the driver of a United States Express company wagon, and after wounding four men arrested them for interfering with property protected by a federal injunction.

Mayor Orders Inquiry.

Mayor Dunne has issued a proclamation providing for an investigation of the charges and countercharges between merchants and strikers arising out of the teamsters' struggle. He also named a commission of three men, whose duty it shall be to conduct the inquiry. This commission consists of the following: Prof. Graham Taylor, sociologist, head of the Chicago Commons, chairman; Towner K. Webster, manufacturer, head of the Webster Manufacturing company, engineers, founders and machinists; William C. Bayden, lawyer, resident in Winnetka, member of law firm of Matz, Fisher & Boyden.

Charges Against Each Side.

In the mayor's statement of the case, he finds that in general the charges against the union officials are blackmail and the breaking of contracts, while the Employers' association is accused of willfully spreading the strike with the intention of precipitating a greater labor crisis. It is to investigate these charges that the mayor's commission is formed.

Ask Deneen to Arbitrate.

The next most significant move of the day was an appeal by President Shea and President Dold to Gov. Deneen to provide a commission of three, headed by the governor himself, to arbitrate the strike difficulty. The governor says the request will receive due consideration.

Two Killed in a Row.

Cumberland, Md., May 9.—Information has reached here of the murder of two Italians during a general row near Gorman, on the West Virginia Central railroad, about 40 miles south of here. It was a pistol battle. The murderers are under arrest.

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CONGRESSMAN MC CLEARY will probably cut Frank Eddy off his visiting list.

BELTRAMI county paid over $1,000 for her election ballots. Red Lake paid less than $200. This shows that Red Lake county officials are either more honest or that they exercise better business judgment.

NORTH DAKOTA placed an act at the recent session of the Legislature on its statute book stimulating the the planting of trees, which should produce excellent results, since it allows an annual reduction in taxes of $3 for each acre planted in any kind of trees set not more than eight feet apart, in holdings of 80, 120, or 320 acres.

THE investigation of the Beltrami officials shows a bad condition of county affairs. According to the correspondent of the St. Paul Dispatch there was collusion between he auditor, county attorney and at east two members of the board by which the county was systematically robbed of at least $30,000. The inference is that this money went into the pockets of the officials, less a small amount graciously given some of the newspapers in overcharges for official work. It is high time a stop was put to this kind of work.

THE attorney general's office under E. T. Young's regine seems to be intelligently and efficiently administered. The grafters are finding opportunity for further exploitation nor waiver of punishment for past offenses. There promises to be a higher political and civic morality throughout the state as a result of co-operation between the executive and judicial branches of the state government in ferreting out dishonesty and insisting upon prompt and proper punishment.

MR. CARNEGIE in his pension endowment for professors has discriminated against sectarian colleges which are expressly excluded. Mr. Carnegie's own test, as stated in his letter to the trustees of the fund, seems liberal, yet it is specific enough to compel its application against certain institutions. Speaking of sectarian colleges, Mr. Carnegie said: "Many of these established long ago were truly sectarian, but to-day are free to all men of all creeds or of none—such are not to be considered sectarian now. Only such as are under control of a sect or require trustees (or a majority thereof), officers, faculty or students to belong to any specified sect, or which impose any theological test, are to be excluded."

THE revised code was passed by both bodies and will become the law of the state on March 1, 1906. It was originally intended to have it take effect on December 1, 1905, but it was found that the time was too short to edit and publish it. The time was therefore extended and it is expected that the new code will be published and ready for delivery about January 1, 1906. The state will publish it and the book will be sold at not to exceed $5 a copy. The code will contain all the laws of the state and they will be so arranged, condensed and classified that "anyone" who can read can ascertain what the law is.

DO NOT allow yourself to believe that fortune has passed you by, says the Elsworth News. The road she travels is an endless circle. She reappears again and again to the watchful and observant eye. If she has passed your door today and knocked while you were sleeping and you awoke to see her retreating far down the roadway, do not despair and say the opportunity of your life has gone. Remember it is only one opportunity. Set yourself about your business, keep busy, hopeful and expectant, and look for the return trip of the fortune. Do not expect to see her in the same gown and bonnet. She loves new apparel. She is a woman, and fond of new effects.

HARPER'S WEEKLY originates the theory that President Roosevelt has already picked his successor to the presidency in the person of Judge Taft, the present Secretary of War; and is now embarked on a campaign to deliver him the nomination in 1908. The Weekly holds that while Mr. Roosevelt, by the terms of his pledge, is debarred from accepting nomination three years hence there is nothing to prevent him aspiring to the presidency in 1912 or 1916. By using Mr. Taft as a warming pan the Roosevelt administration might thus be stretched over the next decade. This is an interesting speculation, but circumstances change so rapidly that there is no assurance that, even if the Weekly has guessed right, the President can command the future as he proposes.

JOHN ALEXANDER DOWIE, the self-stayled Elijah III, has returned to Zion City in his private car, after spending the winter in Mexico. He reports on coming back—doffing his silk hat the while, according to the Chicago newspapers—that he has an excellent appetite, at which joy fills the faithful and peace reigns in Zion, though there have been rumors of impending financial disaster while Dowie has been away taking his sun bath in Mexico. After making the announcement about his appetite, he announced that he had purchased 1,000,000 acres of land in Mexico on which he will build a new Zion. This new Zion will be an agricultural colony, and will in no way disturb the north shore Zion near Chicago, which is devoted to manufacturing, and which "will remain the headquarters of the Christian Catholic Church."

SOME of Goveonor Johnson's critics allege that the warfare on George Ralph, state drainage engineer, is being made because of Ralph's activity as a Republican politician. Nothing could be further from the facts. The governor is not granting amnesty to anyone because of race, color or politics, and he has given assurance heretofore that he will not countenance the appointment of any man whose public record is not straight. It is understood that charges of a serious nature against Mr. Ralph have been filed by the public examiner. The governor would be recreant to the oath he gave the people did he not insist that these charges be explained before his re-appointment is sauctioned. When the governor condones a Democratic offender it will be in order to charge "persecution" because Ralph happens to be a Republican.

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS.

Here is an installment of "trade at home" paragraphs copied from The Journal of Faribault, Minn. They are equally applicable to Red Lake county. The Journal says:

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Every dollar spent away is a dollar lost to Rice county. Don't forget it.

Rice county dollars mean Rice county prosperity. Don't forget it.

Rice county prosperity is our business. It's up to us. Don't forget it.

The catalogue houses never return a dollar to Rice county. Don't forget it.

A catalogue house never fixed a road or built a bridge in Rice county. Don't forget it.

A catalogue house never built a building or paid a cent of tax in Rice county. Don't forget it.

The pennywise policy never made a man rich. Don't forget it.

It will make him the secret laughing stock of his neighbors, though. Don't forget it.

Everybody knows who is building up Rice county with good old Riee county dollars, and who is building up some other county with Rice county dollars. It cannot be kept a secret. Don't forget it.

Washington School Notes.

Joseph Tschirbart was absent Monday.

Carl Buse was absent Monday and Tuesday.

Eula Vance entered the fourth grade last week.

The fith grade has begun the study of Australia.

Thomas Payment has a black nose. We wonder how he got it.

Our grades took advantage of the new library books last Friday.

Ella Jackson and Emma Klos have been absent on account of work.

The fifth grade began to study the history of Minnesota last Monday.

The third and fourth grades have begun a review in most of their studies.

On Wednesday of last week our school had no recess because it was so rainy.

The boys could not work much for their field meet last week as it was muddy.

Austrid Kindseth has returned to school after a five weeks absence on account of sickness.

The sixth grade has finished history and is now taking up the period of settlement in review.

Lizzie Schlesinger has been absent for a few days on account of sickness. We hope to see her back soon.

We have a new pupil who entered our school Monday by the name of Herold Vance. He comes from Cottonwood and is in the fifth grade.

Last Friday Miss. Norby's room went over to the Lafayette building to engage in a spelling match. The entire third grade of the two schools spelled against the entire fourth grade.

Last Thursday Mr. Healy measured off the running track and the boys have started to practice in earnest. We are to meet the last year's sixth grade of the Washington school, who are now members of the seventh grade of the Lafayette school. Altho they are larger than we are on Friday, May 19th, we want to beat them. Our girls are making pennants and practicing yells and we are going to have a big time.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Wadena is to have a commercial club.

Some of Wadena's citizens want to organize a county fair.

A large saw mill at Anoka was recently destroyed by fire.

A class of 143 was recently confirmed at one of Perham's churches.

Marshall county is to have several new school buildings the coming year.

Itasca county farmers are going to hold a big meeting at Northdome May 12th.

The offices of fire warden, marshall and street commissioner have been abolished at Mentor.

Koochiching is to have a $50,000 peat factory. The factory will be 600 feet long and will employ 100 men.

Fred Foote, a notorious character at Spooner, has been arrested charged with the murder of Matt Gannon.

Ada is to have a new telephone company. The town exchange will connect with all the rural lines in the county.

Emil Lundberg, a hospital nurse at St. Peter, went out for a walk one day last week and nothing has been seen of him since.

The mayor of Fergus Falls has ordered all slot machines and gambling devices to be destroyed or shipped out of town.

Col. Willard Glazier, well known as an early explorer of the Lake Itasca region, died recently at his home in Albany, N. Y.

Clearwater county is to have a county seat fight. Shevlin has served notice that they are going after it and Bagley is ready for the scrap.

The Great Northern is making great improvements on its roadbed. The entire line north of Barnesville is being put in first class condition.

Two little boys were out hunting near Fosston last week when a gun was accidently discharged and one of the boys was shot through the foot.

The deputy game warden living at Hubbard has been a very busy man lately. He has confiscated over 1,000 feet of sein besides arresting a number of fishermen who were violating the law.

Recently the outlet of the lake into Blackduck river has been dredged and lowered so that quite a volume of water is going out. The object was to raise the water in the river to carry out the logs that have been accumlating for some time.

Farmers living in the vicinity of Erskine are congratulating themselves upon the fact that they are to have a rural free delivery in the near future. Two routes will be established running out of Erskine, one covering twenty-six miles and making Woodside, the other covering twenty-seven and making Winger. The examination for carriers will be held in a very short time and it is expected that the appointments will be made and the routes established by the first of next month. The farmers are much elated over the prospect and are looking forward to a daily mail with much pleasure.

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Great American Game.

The baseball season is on once more, and lovers of the game are packing the "bleachers" and the grand stands and cheering their favorites on to victory. Baseball has a greater hold on the American people than any other athletic game. It is a game of skill and science, it furnishes exercise for participant and spectator, it takes those who play and watch out of the daily grind of business and gives them fresh blood and fresh air and fresh impulse. The growing boy who does not love to play ball should be looked after carefully. The grown man who does not love to watch a good game betrays the fact that he missed something in his early training. One reason why baseball has so long retained its place in the hearts of the people is that it has been kept practically free from the taint of gambling. It is a "clean sport," and as long as it remains such it will retain its place at the head of American games of athletics.

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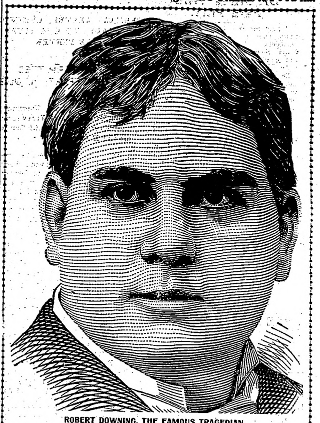

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POLLY'S CAREER

By Izola Forrester

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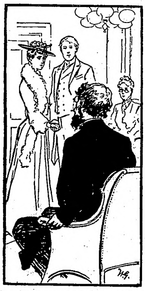
"If you would only speak to her, Murray, it might do some good. Her father and I have tried our level best to discover a glimmer of ambition or talent in her, and she hasn't an atom of either. She's nothing but a girl."

Mrs. Allan's hands fell on the wide arms of her rocker with despairing expressiveness. The colonel nodded his head soberly and sympathetically, as befitted the solemnity of the moment.

"She's still very young, isn't she?"

"She's the youngest of all. Bess is thirty, Louise nearly twenty-five and Florence is twenty-one. But look at them! Each one is established in her chosen profession and winning success."

The colonel was silent. Remembering some of Bess' poems, Louise's patients and Florence's copies of old masters, he did not feel that either affirmation or denial was called for.



"THAT'S JUST WHAT I DO FEEL, COLONEL HARTWELL—A SPECIAL PREDILECTION."

"And at eighteen they had all decided definitely what they wanted to make of themselves, while Polly—Murray Hartwell, when I asked Polly this morning if she had even the vaguest sort of an inclination toward any occupation in the world, what do you suppose she said? She told me that she hoped some day to be the mother of as many charming daughters as I had, and if they were half as much worry as mine were she thought she would have occupation enough. Murray, are you laughing at me?"

The colonel leaned his head back and laughed heartily in spite of the accusing, reproachful stare of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"It's just like Polly to say that," he explained. "And, by Jove, I believe she means it too. If I were a little younger—say thirty years—I'd have a try myself and encourage her in her chosen career. By Jove, I would indeed, Cousin Sarah! Polly's a mighty pretty, level headed little girl, and I'll be bound she's a good cook."

"If it were Jack's career that was at stake you wouldn't turn a serious problem of this kind into a joke. What if his only ambition in life were to be married?"

The colonel's face sobered suddenly at the thought. Jack—debonair, twenty-two-year-old Jack—married!

"But it's absurd, Sarah. Jack's a man. It's different. One expects such ideas in a girl's head, the same as a taste for ice cream or rose color or matinees. But Jack is ambitious and talented and well started in his profession now. By Jove, I'm proud of the boy—I am indeed. He's a fine fellow. Takes after his dad. But married?" The colonel leaned back his head and took another laugh.

"Why, if the young rascal even suggested such a thing I'd fire him back to college or send him down to the mines to work off an attack of romance on the brain."

"And yet you censure me for desiring something better for Polly than mere marriage." Mrs. Allan's tone was aggrieved. "I thought surely that you would understand and sympathize with me, Murray, and your influence might possibly direct Polly into making some sort of a choice."

"Wait a minute." The colonel rose from his deep chair near the fire. There was the slam of the front door and the sound of quick, light steps in the hall.

"Come and get warm before you go home, Jack," called a voice. "There's a fire here in the study."

The long, dark green portieres parted, and Polly stood in the doorway, tall, blithely youthful and pink as a rosebud where the wind had teased the color to her face. There were snowflakes clinging to her big brown hat and to her furs, but she was merry eyed and happy, suspiciously happy, the two in the study thought.

"Hello, dad." Jack's face looked over her shoulder. "Awful glad you're here. We've been for a trot along the drive. Polly and I."

"I thought that you were upstairs studying with Bess, Polly," said Mrs. Allan, "but as long as you are here you may come in. The colonel and I have been talking of your career."

Polly drew off her long brown fur stole and trailed it meditatively along the edge of the rug at her feet. The colonel coughed and realized that he was expected to speak on the subject. He beamed down upon Polly paternally. He had always liked Polly somewhat better, privately, than Cousin Sarah's more talented daughters.

"Of course you are too young to—to understand your own capabilities and—er—and any lurking talents which you may possess, Polly, but you must not give up or be discouraged. Some of the great geniuses of the world only discovered their gifts at middle age."

"Well, it's a pity some of them didn't die young," said Jack cheerfully.

The colonel ignored the interruption and looked at Polly. He felt the approving attention of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"But if you can consider the question of a career or should feel any special predilection"—

"That's it." Polly nodded her head until the snowflakes scattered in raindrops from her hat. "That's just what I do feel, Colonel Hartwell—a special predilection."

"For what, in the name of sense, Polly Allan?" Mrs. Allan leaned forward in amazement.

"For Jack." Polly smiled assuredly, and slipped her hand into the one that sought it. "He's going to be the object of my career."

There was a tense silence. The colonel stared frowningly at Mrs. Allan, and Mrs. Allan looked back at him with conflicting sensations. The paramount one was a small but solid sense of amused satisfaction in the colonel's utter discomfiture.

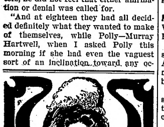
"Shall it be college or the mines, Murray?" she asked.

The colonel squared his shoulders. He had met honorable defeat before and could face it like a soldier and a gentleman.

"Neither, madam, neither. Seeing, as it is, Polly and her career are at stake, I give my consent and wish her all success."

Jack stretched out his disengaged hand.

"You blessed old dad!" he said, and the colonel had the honors of war.



Wine of Cardui Cured Her.

213 South Prior Street,
ATLANTA, GA., March 21, 1903.

I suffered for four months with extreme nervousness and lassitude. I had a sinking feeling in my stomach which no medicine seemed to relieve, and losing my appetite I became weak and lost my vitality. In three weeks I lost fourteen pounds of flesh and felt that I must find speedy relief to regain my health. Having heard Wine of Cardui praised by several of my friends, I sent for a bottle and was certainly very pleased with the results. Within three days my appetite returned and my stomach troubled me no more. I could digest my food without difficulty and the nervousness gradually diminished. Nature performed her functions without difficulty and I am once more a happy and well woman.

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Wanted a Big "Bar'l."

A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Jos. Lambert and Marie Louise Lambert, his wife, Mortgagors, to Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin co-partners as Redmond & Morin Mortgagees, bearing date the first day of March, 1890, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, on the 25th day of March, 1890, at 10:40 o'clock a. m., in Book 49 of Mortgages, on page 93 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, in Book B. of Mortgages page 211.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Jas. R. Redmond and August Morin Co-partners as Redmond & Morin, Mortgagees, to Chapin-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota Corporation, by written assignment dated the 14th day of July 1890, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds of Polk county on the 4th day of November 1890, at 9 o'clock a. m., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 350 and now of Record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county in Book 30 of Mortgages on page 552.

Which said Mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Chopin-Wells Hardware Company after legally changing its name to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a Minnesota corporation the Assignee and holder thereof, to Marshall-Wells Hardware Company, a New Jersey corporation, by written assignment dated the 18th day of March 1905, and recorded on the 24th day of March 1905, at 2:10 o'clock p. m., in Red Lake county in book 15 of Mortgages on page 585 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Commencing at a point 350 feet south from the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section twenty-three in township one hundred and fifty north of Range forty-one west in Red Lake county Minnesota, running thence south on the east line in said section, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running west, at right angles, two hundred eighty one and one half (281½) feet, thence running to right angle North, three hundred and thirteen (313) feet, thence running to right angle east two hundred eightly one and one half (281½) feet to place of beginning: In Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 15th day of May 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Three Hundred Twenty-eight and 75-100 dollars, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursement allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 29th A. D. 1905.

MARSHALL-WELLS HARDWARE CO.
Assignee of Mortgagees.

Germo & Farley Attorneys
for assignee of Mortgagees
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd., 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597. for the Lots 2. 3, Sec. 31. T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Levquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
Register.

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Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship [illegible] for final settlement and allowance of [illegible] of the above named [illegible] be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate

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First Life Insurance Policy.

The first life insurance policy of which the details are on record resulted in a lawsuit. William Gybbons insured himself on June 15, 1583, for £[illegible] against dying in twelve months. He did die on May 18 of the next year, and the disgusted underwriters (the company of those days) contested payment on the plea that he had lived twelve months of twenty-eight days each.—World's Work.

Determination.

"Our Willie shows great determination," said the boy's mother.

"Yes?" queried the proud papa.

"Yes. He spent the whole day making soap bubbles and trying to pin one to the wall."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Horse Dealer.

"What is the secret of your success?" asked the young man.

"In buying," said the old horse dealer, "I look sharp, and in selling I look just as ignorant as I can."—Chicago News.

A Costly Poem.

"My hat is a perfect poem, isn't it, John?"

"It ought to be. I paid more for it than Bryant got for 'Thanatopsis.'"—Houston Post.

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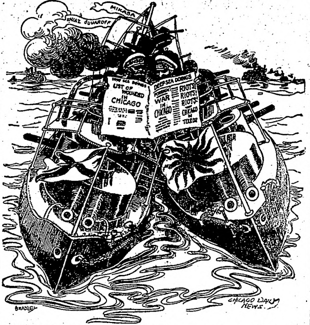

Maybe Togo and Rojestvensky Are Too Busy Reading the War News.

OYAMA IS AIMING AT VLADIVOSTOK

PREPARES TO INTERPOSE FORCE BETWEEN THAT PORT AND HARBIN.

SUCH IS THE BELIEF AT ST. PETERSBURG

Russian Troops Have Already Retreated Eighteen Miles — Junction of Squadrons Practically Assured—Division Passes Saigon.

St. Petersburg, May 9.—Interest is once more directed to Manchuria, the news from the front indicating that Field Marshal Oyama is pressing Gen. Linevitch's advance posts east and west of the railroad with considerable force, as if about to undertake a general offensive movement. The Russians are offering slight resistance and are falling back upon their first line of defense. The Russian advance post covers a front of about 100 miles, extending from Singtmantsu, on the Liao river, in a southeasterly direction across the railroad above Changtu to the Mandarin road, leading to Kirin, to Kamal Pass, about 70 miles due east of Tie Pass. The Russian cavalry protect both wings, small bodies being probably beyond the Liao river, in Mongolia, to guard against a surprise turning movement in that direction. Experts believe, however, that Oyama's purpose is to thrust in from the east, turn Kirin and interpose himself between Harbin and Vladivostok preparatory to the investment of the latter place.

Linevitch's dispositions seem especially taken to meet such a plan. He would not give battle along his present line, but would gradually retire and draw in his forces as Oyama's strategy develops to the main Russian positions, which extend due east and west from Kirin through Kuanchangtsu to Huaitaihanen.

Juncture Practically Assured.

St. Petersburg, May 9.—Admiral Nebogatoff's junction with Vice Admiral Rojestvensky is now considered by the admiralty as practically assured. If Vice Admiral Kamimura fails to prevent a juncture of the Russian fleets, as the admiralty here believes he has, the impression is strong that Vice Admiral Togo will not dare risk an open battle against the united divisions of Rojestvensky and Nebogatoff, but will content himself with torpedo attacks and possibly long range action, being prepared to draw off in the event that he is unable to make an impression. Naval officers are prepared to see Rojestvensky lose half his convoy, but in the face of the united divisions it is believed that Togo will accomplish little or nothing in the way of opposition to the advance to Vladivostok, and that he must be content, with the aid of the army, to try to invest by land and sea and make Vladivistok another Port Arthur.

Fleet Passes Saigon.

Hongkong, May 9.—A special dispatch from Saigon, Cochin China, reports that Rear Admiral Nebogatoff's division had passed Saigon. A Russian cruiser was off Honkohe bay, a short distance north of Kamranh bay, May 5 when the British steamer Charterhouse, which arrived here Monday, passed that point. The latter also noticed a collier leaving the bay and steaming east, but the main Russian squadron was not seen.

Decides Against Bucket Shops.

Washington, May 9.—The United States supreme court handed down a decision Monday in the Chicago board of trade case in which the bucketshops are defeated in their fight to force the board to furnish them its quotations. The legality of puts and calls is established and the bucketshops are prevented from using the board of trade's quotations, except by its consent. This ends a long continued fight between the board and the outsiders and will force the bucketshops out of business.

STREET CAR LINE FOR CITY

AN IMPORTANT DECISIONDELIVERED BY JUDGE GROSSCUP.

Jurist Declares That Adams Street Car Franchise Is Property of Chicago.

Chicago, May 9.—The city has possession by right of Judge Peter S. Grosscup's ruling Monday of the streets upon which to operate a car line from West Twenty-first street and the city limits to Adams and Clark streets in the downtown district.

The court decided that the franchise to the old Chicago Passenger Railway company, under which the Union Traction company has been operating the so-called Adams street line, expired April 21, 1904. The contention of the traction interests was that it would not expire until March, 1907, argument being made that the ordinance of 1887 was not intended to confirm an ordinance granted in 1884, but declared invalid because frontage consents had not at that time been secured, but was a new and independent ordinance. The court held that the ordinance of 1884 being invalid was not susceptible of cure or confirmation, but that it was clearly the intention of both council and company at that time that the franchise should run for the unexpired period of the grant of 1884 and not twenty years from 1887.

The ruling was on motion of counsel for the traction company for an injunction to prevent the city from depriving it of the use of the line until March, 1907.

SETS TIME FOR HEARING.

Chadwick Case Goes Over Until Fall Term of Court—Will Precede All Others.

Cincinnati, May 9.—The case of Mrs. Chadwick was Monday set for hearing by the United States court of appeals for October 3. Judge Lurton announced the decision of the court to the effect that in view of the statement of former Judge Wing, attorney for the defendant, that he would be unable to prepare the case properly in time for the June term of court, and because considerable time would be required on both sides after the filing of the transscripts, the case would go over until the fall term; but that in the interests of speedy justice this would precede all others at the October term of court. This will bring it up for hearing on October 3.

Exclusion Decision Valid.

Washington, May 9.—In the case of Ju Toy the supreme court of the United States Monday held that the decision of the secretary of the department of commerce and labor is final in Chinese exclusion cases. Ju is the son of Chinese parents, but claims to have been born in the United States. His exclusion was ordered after a temporary visit to China, and he took the case to the federal courts.

Scores Poisoned by Cheese.

South Bend, Ind., May 9.—Physicians here Monday and Sunday attended to 50 victims of cheese poisoning, and telephone messages say thirty families were made ill in Elkhart from the same cause. The symptoms were those of arsenical poisoning. The grocers made efforts to notify their customers of the danger, but were too late in most cases.

Hargis Released on Bail.

Lexington, Ky., May 9.—Judge James Hargis, whose trial for the murder of James Cockrill resulted in a hung jury here Thursday, was granted bail Monday by Circuit Judge Parker in the sum of $25,000, with John and Floyd Day, of Jackson, as bondsmen. The bond was made out and Judge Hargis was released.

Immigrants Coming in Droves.

New York, May 9.—All records were broken Sunday in the number of immigrants passed quarantine. Within 12 hours 12,039 foreigners, arriving in steerage, were permitted to enter New York, indicating that the spring influx of immigrants this year will probably exceed the records for former years.

Big Money in Chickens.

In a booklet just received by the experts of the university experiment farm of the state university, on the subject of "Poultry Culture in Minnesota," the authors take the position that more attention could profitably be paid to poultry raising as a business in this state.

The article says in part: "By far the largest part of the eggs and poultry in our markets at the present time come from the farm where poultry are kept only as a side line. We find these fowls are being kept in houses of every conceivable style and generally receiving very little care from the owners. The eggs and poultry produced in the United States in one year are valued at $281,000,000. Minnesota produces about seven and one-half million dollars' worth of poultry and eggs in which could easily be doubled if proper attention were given to this branch of farm work. But profit in poultry is gained in exact proportion to the care and thought devoted to the business."

Of the influence of climate, the article says: "While it is true that poultry will live and thrive in nearly every climate, we find that about 40 degrees north latitude is best adapted to their requirements.

We would prefer a colder climate than this, rather than warmer. Disease germs are more numerous and seems to develop much faster in a warm than in a cold climate. Eggs laid when the weather is moderately cool are of a better quality.

Norwegians To Celebrate.

On account of the Norwegian Independence Day Celebration at Crookston and Minneapolis, the Great Northern will sell tickets to the above points at one and one-third fares for the round trip. Tickets good going May 16th and 17th, with return limit good until May 18th to Crookston and May 19th to Minneapolis. Consult local Agent.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tubs. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Brain Leaks.

A man may be humble without cringing.

A victory bought by money is always a failure.

Satan seldom worries about the man who always has an excuse handy.

The most successful men are those who have profited by their mistakes.

The man who takes an interest in his work is seldom without employment.

The man who does his very best has done all that God expects of him.

Some men are wise enough to make their ignorance appear to be mere eccentricity.

The agnostic is generally a man who prides himself on his inability to believe.

If men had to harvest all the wild oats they sow the crop of seed would soon disappear.

The man who is always boasting of being self-made is a poor advertiser for his architect.

A woman thinks she has the prize husband if he can look happy during house cleaning time.

Some men never know what success is until they score what they think is their greatest failure.

The man who takes life easy is very apt to fall into the habit of taking everything else the same way.

We would rather be in jail than in a home where the children quit laughing as their father comes in.

There is a vast difference between telling God what you want and asking Him to give you what He sees you need.

The Richest Man in the World.

The richest man in the world can not have his kidneys replaced nor live without them, so it is important not to neglect these organs. If Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at the first sign of danger, the symptoms will disappear and your health will be restored, as it strengthens and builds up these organs as nothing eles will. Oscar Bowman, Lebgnon, Ky, writes: I have used Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainla would cost me my life." A. L. Reichert.

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A man who hollers down a well,
About the goods he has to sell,
Won't reap as many shining dollars
As the man who climbs a tree and hollers.

Moral—Keep an ad in The COURIER, the best advertising medium in the county.

There is no Need

to go into the science of a cough. It will only cost you 25c for a bottle of Gloria Lung Balsam. Gloria Lung Balsam has fooled many a Doctor. It has relieved and stopped coughs that were treated as consumptive indications. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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On sale every day from May 30 to September 23, to the

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For Rates and detailed information, call on or address Local Agent, Great Northern Railway.

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The County in General

The Presbyterian church at Thief River Falls recently won a piano in a contest.

Thief River Falls has let the contract for the construction of water works and a sewerage system.

J. M. Reed, of Plummer, went to Grand Forks last week to be with his family to celebrate his twentieth wedding anniversity.

Hon. L. C. Simons was at Plummer one day last week and conducted the business of the First State Bank during the cashier's absence.

Plummer is divided on the question of who is the rightful owner of a horse. Several arrests have been made and trouble is brewing.

Miss Tessie L. Hughes, of St. Hilaire, has been appointed stenographer by State Librarian King and will begin her new duties June 1st.

Editor Ives of St. Hilaire is racing his automobile against ambitious bicycle riders. One rider took a header recently and broke a finger.

During a performance at St. Hilaire's opera house one evening last week a lamp was accidently overturned and nearly caused a panic. Fortunately the fire was put out before any damage was done.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET.

Proceeding of County Commissioners for May Term.

Pursuant to call dated March 3, 1905, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met in special session at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present, Commissioners Johnson, Sutor, Shaw and Falaradeu.

The minutes of the meeting of March 1, 2 and 3, were read and approved.

The petition of O. N. Olson et. al for the formation of a new School District was read and arguments for and against the granting of the same were heard by the Board.

On motion carried unanimously, the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

The petition of O. N. Olson and others, who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School District, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such Districts so to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age:

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners, held on the first day of May, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board,

It is by said Board ordered, that a School District be, and the same is hereby formed within the Towns of Rocksbury and Smiley in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

All of Sections one (1) and Twelve (12), the East one half of Section Two (2) and the north-east quarter of Section Eleven (11) in township One Hundred fifty-three (153), Range Forty-three (43).

All of Sections Seven (7) and Eighteen (18) and the West one half of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred fifty-three (153), Range Forty two (42).

The same to be School District No. "26" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held May 1, 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
[Seal] Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor, Red Lake County.

The petition of Ole L. Ottum and others, for the formation of a new School District was read, and arguments for and against granting the same were heard by the Board. On motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

The petition of Ole L. Ottum and others, who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School district, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such District so to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age:

Now said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners, held on the 1st day of May, 1905 and it having been duly considered by said Board.

It is by said Board ordered, that a School District be, and the same is hereby formed within the Town of Silverton in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All of Section Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-eight (28), Twenty-nine Thirty (30) and Thirty-one (31), the North one half of Sections Thirty-two (32) and Thirty-three (33) all in township One hundred fifty-four (154), Range Forty-two (42), the same to be School District No. "28" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held May 1st. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON.
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal) Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

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The petition of A. B. Newton and others for the formation of a new school district was read and arguments for and against the granting of same were heard by the Board, on motion carried unanimously, the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

The petition of A. B. Newton and others, who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the District hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School district, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such district so to be formed the required number of resident between five and twenty-one years of age: Now said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners, held on the 1st day of May, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board,

It is by said Board ordered, that a School district be, and the same is hereby formed within the Towns of Smiley and Silverton in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The South one half of Section Thirty-two (32) the south one half of section thirty-three (33) in Township One Hundred fifty-four (154), Range Forty-two (42), and all of section Four (4), Five, (5), eight (8) and Nine (9) in township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-two (42), the same to be known and numbered as School District No. "30" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held May 1st. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal)
Attest: JAMES E. FORD.
County Auditor.

The petition of M. T. Wold and others for the formation of a new School district was read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of the same, on motion carried unanimously the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

The petition of M. T. Wold and others, who constitute a majority of freeholders who are legal voters residing in the District hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School district, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such District so to be formed the required numbered of residents between five and twenty-one years of age:

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners held on the 1st day of May, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said board,

It is by said board, ordered, That a School District be, and the same is hereby formed within the Town of North in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and decribed as follows, to-wit:

The east one half of the South-east quartr and lots Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) o Tection Nine (9), the South one half of Section Iese(10), the South one half of Section Eleven [11], the South one half of Section Twelve (12), All of Sections Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), the East one half of the North-east quarter and the East one half of the South-east quarter and the East one half of the South-east quarter and Lots Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) of Section Sixteen (16), Lots Three (3) Four (4) and Five (5) of Section Twenty-one (21) and the East one half of Section Twenty-two (22) and the East one half of the North-east quarter and the East one half of the South-east quarter and Lots three [3], Four [4] Five (5) and Six (6) of Section Twenty-two (22) and all of Sections Twenty-three (23) and Twenty-four (24) in Township One hundred Fifty-four [154], Range Forty-three (43), the same to be school district No. "29" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota at a meeting held May 1st. 1905

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
[Seal] Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

The petition of H. A. Helgeson and others for a new School District was read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of the same on motion duly carried the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA. }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

The petition of H. A. Helgeson and others who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School District, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such District so to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age:

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners on the 1st day of May, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board,

It is said board ordered, That a School District be, and the same is hereby formed within the Town of Smiley in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All of section one [1], Two [2], Three [3], Eleven [11] and Twelve [12] all that portion of sections Ten [10], Thirteen [13], Fourteen [14], Fifteen [15], Twenty-three (23) and Twenty-four (24) lying north of Red Lake River in Twp. 153, Range 42 in said County, the same to be School District No. "31" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held May 1st. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON.
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
[Seal] Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

On motion carried unanimously, the application of M. J Ford for correction of assessment and real estate taxes for the year 1904, was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

Commissioner Shaw offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved, that the sum of $290 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road & Bridge Fund to aid the Village of Plummer in the construction of a wooden bridge across the Clearwater River in said Village, the same to be paid to the Treasurer of said village out of any available funds in the County Treasury when the proper bond is filed with the County Auditor.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by unanimous vote.

On motion duly carried the application of Louisa F. Douglas for correction of assessment and abatement of real estate taxes for the year 1904 was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

On motion duly carried the application of K. K. Kinslea, T. G. Kinslea and Lettie Kinslea for correction of assessment and abatement of real estate taxes for the year 1904 was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

On motion duly carried the application of C. A. Chelin for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes on real eatate for the year 1904 granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

The application of Ingvald Husby for Auctioneer's license was read and on motion carried unanimously the same was granted.

The application of Patrick Moylan for abatement of Personal property taxes for the year 1004, was granted subject to approval of the State Auditor.

On motion duly carried the purchasing committee was instructed to purchase twelve Birth and Death Registers.

A recess was taken to May 2, 1905.

May 2, 1905, the Board reconvened with all members present.

The petition of Carl Magnell and others for a new School District was read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of the same, on motion duly carried the same was granted and the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOLA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

The petition of Carl Magnell and others, who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the District hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a School District, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such District so to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age:

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commissioners held on the 2nd day of May, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board.

It is by said Board ordered, that a school District be, and the same is hereby formed with Township 152, Range 41, in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All of sections Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), Twenty-four (24), Twenty-five (25), Twenty-six (26) and Twenty-seven (27), the north one-half of Section Thirty-six (36), the North-west quarter of the South-east quarter and the North one-half of the South-west quarter and lots two (2), five (5), Six (6) and seven (7) of Section Thirty-six [36], the north one half of Section Thirty-five [35], the north-east quarter of the South-west quarter and lots one (1), five (5), Eight (8) and Eleven (11) of Section Thirty-five and the North-east quarter of the North-east quarter and lots two (2), Three (3), five (5), Six (6). Seven and Ten (10) of Section Thirty-four (34) all in township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-one (41), the same to be School District No. "32" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held May 2, 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board County Commissioners.
(Seal) Attest. JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County.

The application of H. A. Johnson for license to sell intoxicating liquors in the Town of Polk Centre was read and on motion carried, said license was ordered to be issued on the filing of Statutory bond.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Shaw was duly carried:

Be it resolved that the sum of $100 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road & Bridge Fund to aid in grading the highway bbween Section 31 in Twp. 154, Range 43 and Sec. 6 in Twp. 153, Range 43 and between Sec. 36 in Twp. 154, Range 44 and Sec. 1 in Twp. 153, Range 44 and that said amount be paid to the Treasurer of the Town of North out of any funds in the County Treasury available for that purpose when the proper bond has been filed with County Auditor.

The petition of Peter Lefaivre and others for a new School District to be composed of the following territory, to-wit:

All of Section 13, 23, 24 and 25 and the South one-half of Section 14 in Twp. 150, Range 43, the south one half and the North-west quarter of Section 18, the north one-half of Section 19, the north-west quarter of Section 30, the South half of the Southwest quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section 17 and the north half of the north-west quarter and the north half of the north-east quarter of section 20 in Twp. 150, Range 42, was read and after hearing the arguments in the matter, on motion carried unanimously, the said petition was rejected.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Shaw, was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, that the sum of $100 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road and Bridge Fund to aid in grading the highway between sections 25 and 36, 26 and 35 and 27 and 34 in Twp. 154, Range 42 in Rrd Lake County.

The petition of R. A. Kromer and others for the organization of Township 154, North, of Range 41 West in Red Lake County, Minn., was read and on motion carried unanimeusly, the following order organizing said Town was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

Upon receiving the petition of a majority of the legal voters of Congressional Township No. 154 North, of Range No. 41 West, in said County, asking that the same be organized as a Town under the Township organization law, be named "Clover Leaf", we, the Board of County Commissioners of said County did, on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such new Town and to name the same "Clover Leaf" in accordance with the expressed wishes of said petitioners, and designate the residence of Joseph Duchamp on the north-east quarter of section 15 in said Town as the place for holding the first Town meeting in such town, the same to be held on Monday the 22nd day of May, 1905 for the purpose of electing one Chairman of Supervisors, two Supervisors, one one Town Clerk, one Treasurer, one Assessor, two Justices of the Peace and two Constable to serve until the next annual town meeting, and designate, R. A. Kromer, Jchan Engebritson and Joseph Duchamp as Judges of election.

The boundaries of said Town of Clover Leaf as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the north-east corner of the south-east quarter of section 12 in township 154, North, of range 41 west, in said county, thence west on the quarter section line to the north-west corner of the south-west quarter of Section 7 in said town and range, thence south along the township line to the south-west corner of the south-west quarter of Section 31 in said town and range, thence east to the South-east corner of the south-east quarter of section 36 in said Town and range, thence north along the town line of the place of beginning.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota at a meeting held May 2nd, A. D. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
(Seal) Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board

A petition asking that that portion of township, 152 north, of Range 42 West in Red Lake County, be attached to and made a part of the Town of Wyandotte was presented to the Board and on motion carried unanimously the following order was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

Upon receiving a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters residing within the unorganized territory of Congressional Township 152 North, of Range 42 west, in said County, and a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters of the organized Town of Wyandotte in said County, accompanied by the proper affidavits as required by law, asking that the said unorganized territocy be annexed and attached to the said Town of Wyandotte, the same being and adjoining Town, we, the Board of County Commissioners of said County, did on the 2nd day of May, 1905, after careful consideration of the matter, grant the request contained in said petitions, and the said unorganized territory is hereby attached to and made a part of the said Town of Wyandotte.

The boundaries of said Town of Wyandotte as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the south-east corner of the south-east quarter of section 36 in Township 152 north of range 42 West, in said County, running thence North to the north-east corner of the north-east quarter of section 1, Town and Range as aforesaid, thence west on the Town line to the north-west corner of the North-west quarter of section 6, Town and Range aforesaid, thence south along the town line to the south-west corner of the south-west quarter of section 31, Town and Range aforesaid, thence east along the Town line to the place of beginning, being all the territory lying and being all the territory lying and being within said Red Lake County, in Township 152 North of Range 42 West.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota at a meeting held the 2nd day of May, 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Attest: JAMES E. FORD.
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Shaw and unanimously adopted.

STATE OF MINNESOTA. }
County of Red Lake } ss.

Whereas, It appears from a report from the State Auditor to the Auditor of said County, that, at the time of the organization of the Township of BIG BEND in said County, at the January, 1905, meeting of this Board, there was in this State another Township of that name.

Therefore be it resolved, that we, the board of County Commissioners of said County, hereby proceed to change and altar the name of said Township of Big Bend in said county, (the same being Township 153, north, of range 42, west,) to the name of Smiley and that said township is hereby designated and named Smiley.

Commissioner Sutor offered the following resolution and the same was unanimously adopted.

Resolved, that the sum of $50 be and is hereby appropriated out of the county road and bridge fund to aid the Town of Red Lake Falls in grading the highway between section 1 in township 151, range 36 and section 6 in township 151, range 44, the same to be paid out of any funds in the county treasury available for that purpose when the said grade is completed.

A petition signed by W. A. Swanson and others for the formation of a new school district to be composed of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17 and 18 in township 152, range 40 was presented to the board and hearing on said was set for Tuesday, July 11, 1905 and notices issued accordingly.

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The application of D. N. Winton for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes was on motion duly carried, rejected.

The application of Peter Nimesgern for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes, was on motion rejected.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Sutor was unanimously adopted

Resolved, that the sum of $30 be and is hereby appropriated out of the county road and bridge fund to aid the town of Black River in grading the highway between sections 26 and 35 in said town, the same to be paid to the treasurer of said town out of any money in the county treasury available for that purpose, when the proper bond is filed with the county auditor.

The application of C. W. Nelson for license to operate a ferry across Red Lake River at a point on quarter section line, where said quarter section line intersects the said Red Lake river, between Gort. Lots 5 and 8 in section 21 in township 153, range 41 in Red Lake county, was placed before the board and on motion carried unanimously said license was granted for a term of five years, the fee for same to be $5 per annum. The fees authorized to be charged for the use of said ferry to be as follows:

For teams and single rigs 25 cts. For foot passengers 15 cts. where two trips are necessary, and 10 cts. for single trips.

The petitions of Martin Moylan, John Longren, Nils Myrin and W. O. Long asking that they with their lands be attached to Independent Schoo District No. 18 in Red Lake County was placed before the board and on motion duly carried a day of hearing on said was set for July 11. 1905.

Commissioner Sutor offered the following resolution and moved its adoption;

Resolved, that the sum of $75 be and is hereby appropriated out of the County Road and Bridge Fund to aid the Town of Numedal in grading the highway running east and west on the north line of Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30 in said town, the same to be paid the said town of Numedal out of any funds in the county treasury available for such purposes, when the proper bond is filed by the treasurer of said town.

The toregoing resolution was adopted by unanimous vote.

The petition of George Singer and others asking for the organization of Township 152, Range 40 in Red Lake County was read and on motion carried unanimously the following order organizing said town was made:

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Upon receiving the petition of a majority of the legal voters of the Congressional Township 152 North, of Range 40 West, in said County, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the township organization law, to be named Deer Park, we the Board of County Commissioners of said county did on the second day of May, 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundries of such new town and to name the same "Deer Park" in acccordance with the expressed wishes of the petitioners and to designate the residence of George Singer in said township as the place of holding the first town meeting in said town, the same to be held on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1905 for the purpose of electing one chairman of Supervisors, two Supervisors, one Town Clerk, one Treasurer, one Assessor, two Justices of the Peace and two Constables to serve until the next annual Town Meeting, and designate George Singer, William A Swanson and H. M. Lillo as Judges of said Election.

The boundaries of said Town of Deer Park as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the North-east corner of the North-east quarter of Section 1, in Township 152 North of Range 40 West in said County, thence West to the North-west corner of the North-west quarter of Section 6 in said Town and Range thence South along the Town line to Clearwater River, thence in an easterly direction along the Clearwater River to the Township line at a point on the East one half of the North-east quarter of Section 36 in said Town and Range, thence North on the Town line to the place of beginning.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota at a meeting held May 2nd. 1905.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
(SEAL) Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

(Continued next week.)

A Report from Switzerland.

Mr. John Schneeberger, of Ashtabula, Ohio, writes that Gloria Tonic was put to a very severe test by his sister in Switzerland, who had been an invalid from rheumatism for 40 years, with the result thst it completely cured her. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Farmers' Trust.

The farmers of the western part of Winona county have organized a local union of the Society of Equity with the following officers: President, C. L. Blair; vice president, Timothy Daly; secretary, O. P. Boysen; treasurer, Charles Rabben.

The object of this society which is national in its scope, is to regulate the prices of farm products according to demand and not permit them to be fixed by the arbitrary rulings of speculators. It is probable that the farmers in other parts of Winona county will also organize.

A Valuable Paper.

The state historical society has come into the possession of an autograph letter written by George Washington two days after his retirement from the presidency. It has been handed down in the family of Christopher Gist, Washington's guide in the expedition to Fort Euquesne, and was donated to the society by Annette Ralpe, a sister at the Episcopal home in St. Paul. The letter was written to Sir John Sinclair, a Scotch baroness, March 6, 1797.

News Notes.

A big seizure of deer hides is made in Minneapolis.

The officials of the new capitol object to the order of cooking.

The revised code would restrict the correspondence of county officials.

Blue with the cold and half famished, a 6-weeks-old baby was found on the doorstep of Damas M. Chamberlain, Minneapolis.

St. Louis county will pay only ten cents a meal for the board of its prisoners, if a house bill which passed the senate is signed by the governor.

The state supreme court hands down decision in seven cases.

Thieves broke into the McCadden machine works at St. Cloud and stole tools and ransacked the office.

C. S. Foster of Milaca has brought suit for $1,500 against Frank Starr who operates a sawmill near Royalton, for timber tresspass.

Selrog Bros.' block and saloon at Warroad was burned to the ground. Photographer Wetherly and his wife were carrid from the building in their night clothes and lost everything.

Governor Johnson received formal invitation to the launching of the battleship Minnesota at Newport News, April 8.

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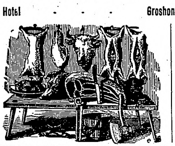

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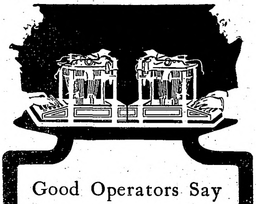

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THESE WILL COUNT NOSES

Enumerators for State Census Announced This Week by Secretary of State.

Representative Simons, who was delegated by Secretary of State Hanson to divide Red Lake county into the proper district and appoint enumerators to take the census, has completed his duties and forwarded to St. Paul his recommendations.

This is the year in which the state takes the census and the enumerators will commence work the first of June. Their work must be completed by July 1. The following is a list of those who will be appointed:

Norden and Numedal, H. E. Albue, Tweet.

North—G. K. Haavi, Thief River Falls.

City of Thief River Falls, Alex Sweaas.

Sanders—N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire.

Rocksbury—F. T. Sathre, Thief River Falls.

River Falls—A. F. Lang, St. Hilaire.

Wyandotte—H. R. Kolseth, St. Hilaire.

Louisville—J. F. Mathews, Dorothy.

Red Lake Falls township—J. H. Lasha, Red Lake Falls.

Gervais and Emardville—A. J. Hempstad, Plummer.

Garnes—O. N. Skomedahl, Grit.

Equality—H. C. Iverson, Lillo.

Lake Pleasant—Moses Ducharme, Red Lake Falls.

Terrebonne—J. L. Cossette, Terrebonne.

Poplar River—Rock Fortier, Brooks.

Lambert—Louis Falardeau, Lambert.

Red Lake Falls city—Joseph Belair.

Tps. 152-39, 152-40 and that part of 153-40 south of the Clearwater river—Olaf Tande, Garnes.

Tps. 153-39, 153-40, 154-39 and 154-40—Peter C. Wold, Kratha.

All of 153-41, 153-42, 154-41 and 154-42—Warren E. Wood, Thief River Falls.

Black River—Ed. Enright, Red Lake Falls.

Polk Center—Gunnard Lindquist, Wylie.

Bray—Emil Larson, Wylie.

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OLD RESIDENT DIES.

Treffle Doust, one of Lambert's Oldest Citizens, Passes Away.

Word has reached the city that Treffle Doust, an old and respected resident of Lambert, died this morning at his home.

He had been a merchant and hotel keeper of Lambert for over fifteen years, and had been sick for a number of years. His death will be mourned by many friends in this and adjoining territory.

MEMORIAL SUNDAY.

Old Soldiers will observe the Day with Appropriate Services.

On Sunday, May 28, appropriate memorial services will be held at St. Joseph's church. All old soldiers are requested to meet at the city hall at 7 o'clock p. m. and march in a body to the church where the services will be held. It is hoped the services will be attended by all who honor the memory of the heroes who lost their lives in the services of their country.

Several members of the G. A. R. have been wondering if the citizens of the city would take hold and observe Decoration Day with appropriate services. This day is sacred to most old soldiers and it seems as though the old veterans are entitled to all the honor that can be heaped upon them. It is to be hoped that arrangements will be made to observe the 30th of May as it should be.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

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BELTRAMI INVESTIGATION

Testimony Reveals State of Corruption Many Fold Worse Than Anticipated.

It is intimated by the members of the special commission appointed by Governor Johnson to inquire into the Beltrami scandal that all the charges made in Public Examiner Kerst's report have been substantiated at the public hearing, conducted for the last two weeks at Bemidji.

The hearing was completed Thursday and two of the members of the commission arrived in St. Paul last evening. The evidence which they have collected will be submitted to Governor Johnson today upon his return from his vacation and the two county commissioners, F. O. Sibley and W. Wright, will be given a hearing before Governor Johnson on May, 19 at 10 o'clock. It is intimated that removal from office is almost sure to follow from the findings of the commission which will be made public on that day.

R. A. Stone, who represented the attorney general's department, had in his pocket the written resignation of H. J. Loud, who resigned under fire. He will not file it with Attorney General Young until the governor decides what must be done in the case of the two county commissioners. Should Loud's resignation be filed at this time the county commissioners, who are now under a cloud, would have a hand in electing his successor, and that is just what the state does not want to happen.

"We just skimmed the surface during the hearing," said a member of the commission last evening, "and then found more than enough to substantiate the charges made in the report of the public examiner. The hearings were public and the evidence which was brought to light as to the conditions of Beltrami county were certainly appaling. The graft and looseness of practice which has been going on in the county dates back as far as four years. Since that time there has grown up a number of irregularities.

"At first we found the residents of the county loath in testifying, but as the hearing went on they gradually realized that the good of the county was at stake, as well as their own welfare. Some persons almost had to be dragged into testifying and when they were put on the stand would not volunteer the least bit of information. All had to be brought to the surface by the most severe cross-examination. The county commissioners who are charged were both represented by attorneys and did all to fight their case.

"It was stated that there was a feeling among the better element of the county to have the whole affair aired and secure a thorough renovation of the county's government.

"In brief, the charges against the officials are that they allowed illegal claims against the county, passed on applications for abatement of taxes which had no merit in them and irregularities in awarding the county printing."

CLUB ORGANIZED.

Tennis Association Meets and Elects Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Red Lake Falls tennis association held last evening in the First State Bank the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President Rev. Herbert W. Knox, Secretary and Treasurer, Sam E. Hunt, members of board of control, R. E. Wyer, V. M. Higinbotham and W. A. McIntyre.

The association voted to amend its rules so as to allow ladies to become members of the association upon the payment of a membership fee of fifty cents. This will entitle ladies to full privileges of the association with the exception of the use of the grounds after 7:00 p. m. This latter clause was decided necessary because of fact that the majority of the members of the club are unable to play except in the evening and because the lack of room on the courts it becomes necessary to restrict the number of the membership entitled to the use of the courts in the evening.

The courts are being put into first class condition and play will begain at once. As other cities of the valley are taking renewed interest in tennis it is quite probable that touraments may be arranged with the neighboring citie-

Annual Meeting.

Tuesday evening the Study Club held its annual meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Knox and elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows:

Pres., Rev. H. W. Knox;

Vice Pres., Mrs. S. M. Sivertson;

Secy., Mrs. E. F. Marshall;

Treas., Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain;

Chm. Program Com., Wm. A. McIntyre.

It was deceded to discontinue the meetings for the summer the next gathering to be in the fall. An entire new new line of topics is talked of for the next season's study, and elaborate preparations will be made during the summer months for the meetings next fall and winter.

Polk County Digs Up.

Probate Judge Tarrant received a draft for $80.90 from the auditor of Polk county Wednesday morning to pay the costs Red Lake county has been to in sending Edwin Olson to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. It will be remembered that Olson was found in Terrebone township one day last winter in a demented condition and was adjudged insane and sent to the hospital. No one knew where his home was, but it was afterwards ascertained that he was a citizen of Polk county. That county was requested to pay the costs which has been done.

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When the county seat petition was first presented to the Auditor, the Thief River Falls committee, represented by Alex Sweaas, agreed to post all notices of the meeting of the County Board to consider the petition, free of charge to the county. This was no more thsn right as Thief River Falls is the only place interested in having the county seat removed, and the farmer tax-payers ought not to be asked to pay for Thief River's sole benefit.

But this week when the Auditor prepared the notices of meeting, he at once wrote Mr. Sweaas stating that the notices were ready for posting and asking him to make good his offer of free posting. By return mail he received answer that Sweaas refused to act. Consequently all this work will have to be done by the Sheriff and his deputies at a big expense to the county, as three notices must be posted in each town of the county, and the mileage and fees will run up into the hundreds of dollars.

This is the way Thief River Falls makes good her FREE offers.

The tax-payer must pay for it all.

This is just an instance of what the Thief River boomers would do if they had the county seat.

That offer of a free court house would melt away in air. Sweaas would refuse to act as he did this time. Their next move would be to build a fifty thousand dollar court house at Thief River at the expense of the farmer tax-payer. That is just what one of their county seat committee said they would do when he was in Red Lake Falls the other day.

SPECIAL TERM OF COURT.

Judge Watts holds Special Term of Court and Adjusts Differences.

Judge Watts and Stenographer Lohn came over from Crookston Tuesday morning and opened court, the session being an adjourned one from the regular April term.

The case of Bertha Ropp vs. First State Bank of St. Hilaire was dismissed on motion of the plaintiff.

Case No. 28, entitled Daoust vs Antonio Bachund the plaintiff was allowed twenty days to amend complaint and was ordered to pay defendent $5 and one witness fees. Case was continued to the Oct. term. This was an action to recover land in Lambert township.

In the case of Treffle Daoust vs. Antonio Bachund, an action to replevin horses and farm machinery, the Court found the plaintiff was entitled to the property.

Case No. 30, Treffle Daoust vs. Zelia Daoust, an action to replevin certain household goods, Judge Watts ruled that the plainstiff was entitled to recover a greater portion of the property claimed.

Part of the evidence in the case of O. W. Simouson vs Merchants National Bank of Crookston was taken and the case will be concluded at Crookston at a later date. This controversy is over Thief River Falls property.

In the Rice vs Freund horse difficulty the plaintiff was given a judgment for $75.

The sidewalk cases at St. Hilaire were tried but no decision rendred.

To Appraise State Lands.

Adam Zeh, of this city, Louis Parenteau, of Terrebonne, and Gilbert Haave, of Thief River Falls, have been appointed appraisers of state lands in Red Lake county. It will be the duty of these gentlemen to look over all state land in the county during the summer months before the sale next fall.

The members of this board are appointed by the county commissioners, the governor and state auditor, each naming one member of the board. Mr. Zeh was appointed by the county commissioners, Governor Johnson named Mr. Parenteau while Mr. Haave was appointed by the state auditor. It will probably take the appraisers about thirty days to perform their duty.

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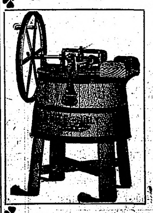

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California shipped its first cherries of the season eastward on April 7.

Cape Colony has borrowed $10,675,000 for railway works, local improvements, etc..

A car off the track is absolutely helpless. Many people are like a car off the track.

The backyard should be kept as clean and tidy as the lawn in front of your residence.

He who can take no interest in what is small, will take false interest in what is great.

Thirst for knowledge and the delight of overcoming difficulties are the true motives for study.

Mr. Bigelow is clearly entitled to the distinction of being the banker who made Milwaukee famous.

Just remember, if you please, that oftener than occasionally fools rush in and win—where angels fear to tread.

The cost of living, according to an official bulletin, has increased 200 per cent in Guam since the American occupation.

The Garden of Eden from the top of the apple tree wasen't a maker to the garden of millinery as seen from the pulpit.

What are the rich in America doing to-day?" asks the Boston Globe. We do not think it necessary to reveal our plans.

According to Santos Dumont, air-yachts will soon become the fashion. "Castles in the air" may yet lose its significance.

The secret of many a man's success in the world resides in his insight into the moods of men, and his tact in dealing with them.

An ordinance has been sent to the council in Chicago to fine the landlords $15 to $100 who bar children from living in their flats.

Confidence is great. But it is well to remember that it is better to have too little confidence in yourself than to have too much in others.

In the calendar year 1904 the importations of rice into the United States amounted to 137,000,000 pounds as against 178,000,000 in 1903.

Every one has his vanity card to play. The preacher gets a man into the fold by telling him of the "great influence" he has upon others.

In Japan the morning salutation, "Oheyo!" is pronounced exactly the same as the name of the State, Ohio. In Japan it means "Good morning."

"How shall the masses be reached?" asks Secretary Shaw. We can assure the Secretary that there is no better way than through the advertising columns of this paper.

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Some men wish they had a million dollars. What for? They cannot take care of what they now have. It is not the amount of money we have that counts, but what we do with it.

Do not tell everything you know or you will soon be without friends. If some men knew enough to conceal about two-thirds of what they know they would find that they would be more popular.

Men dope themselves with medicines
And let dejection lurk,
Within them when they might display
The signs of health if only they
Would take mild doses day by day
Of good, hard work.

There is much talk of the advantages for education that the children nowadays have over the children of a generation ago. But it should not be forgotten that the latter had the benefits of Webster's spelling book and McGuffy's readers.

Dewey's birthplace, which was valued at $10,000 a few years ago, is now regarded as being worth less then the mortgage of $2,500 that some body has on it. The public can loose a lot of interest in a hero in the course of six or seven years.

Do not send away for a wife or husband—in other words do not patronize matrimonial bureaus. The Chicago police have closed up 64 of these meccas for lovelorn men and women who cannot be suited with the homegrown stock.

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THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Meeting Held Thursday, May 11 1905.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall May, 11th 1904.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called: Alderman all present.

Minutes of previo meeting read and approved

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed.

King & Chase city printing....	$ 15 07
James Brady, plans and specifications for bridge	10 00
Len Miller street work........	9 00
John Deforge do	17 35
Ephriem Chatel do	3 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., for burning of street lights April 1905..................	112 71

The application of Joseph H. Paradis for liquor license was on motion duly granted and his bond with Theo. La-Bissionere and A. P. Toupin as sureties approved.

Bids for the construction of a bridge over Cleaswater river were opened and laid on the table to be cousidered at the next adjourned regular meeting.

An ordinance granting to W. A. Schreiter, a telephone franchise for the term of five years was introduced and passed its first reading.

On motion meeting adjourned to May, 12th 1905. at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 17th day of May, A. D. 1905. J. A. DUFFY. mayor.

Attest A. P. Toupin, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting held at the city hall, May, 12th 1905 at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers president.

Roll called Alderman all present.

On motion duly carried the bid of the North-Western Bridge Company in the sum of $925.00 for the erection of a bridge over Clearwater river on Bottineau a. was accepted and the Mayor and city clerk were authorized and instructed to enter into contract with said company, on part of the city which contract shall be made to read according to plans and specifications now on file, be completed on or before August 12th 1905 and paid in city warrents, etc., that said company also file a bond with the city clerk in the sum of $925.00 to be approved by the Mayor or Council conditioned for the proper performance of the contract and as provided by law.

On motion unanimously carried the sum not to exceed $250.00 is hereby appropriated for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the fire department team to the tournament at Blackduck in June 1905, and the Mayor and city clerk are hereby instructed to issue a city warrant for said amount from the general fund of the city.

Bill of H. Hennemuth in the sum of $250.00 for service as Chief of the fire department was on motion allowed.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers.
President.

Approved this 18th, day of May, A. D. 1905. J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest A. P. Toupin. City Clerk.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET

Proceedings of County Commissioners for May Term.

(Concluded from last week.)

On motion duly carried a recess was taken to May 3.

May 3, 1905. the Board reconvened with all members present except Commissioner Falardeau

On motion duly carried, bills were audited and allowed as follows:

Harmon & Dow Co., 2000 Del. Tax Statement and receipts, $52 allowed at......$	26 00
Free Press Printing Co.. Blanks & Doc. Envelopes,..........	11 25
Geo. D. Barnard & Co., Assessment Books & blanks, & Gumed Leather Labels,..........	87 85
C. F. Greenwood, Eyelets and Postal Scale,..........	5 25
Miller-Davis Printing Co., Blanks,........	13 75
W. M. Welch & Co., Supplies for Co. Sup't $27, allowed at..........	20 20
Pioneer Press Co., Blanks and Mortgage Record,..........	31 20
McGill-Warner Co., 1 Reg. fee Book......	17 50
John E. King. Stationery and supplies for Co. Offices,..........	75 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, Stationery for Co. offices,..........	63 00
Joseph Perrault, Clerk's fees, Del Real estate tax proc-..........	243 50
Joseph Perrault, Filing bonds and oaths of Town 6fficers,..........	4 90
Joseph Perrault, Misc. Fees of Clerk of Court,..........	23 90
D. Linnihan, Sheriff's fees, State of Minn., vs Jalmer Carlson, Carl Engen, Cyrus Rockstad, Frank Gardner, Jas. Torgerson, Knut Torgerson and H. W. Lee....	13 00
D. Linnihan. Sheriff's fees summoning Grand & Petit Jurors,..........	117 65
D. Linnihan, Boarding Prisoners	39 33
Oscar Carlson, Constable fees, State vs. Knut and Jas. Torgerson..........	9 10
Geo. Jarman, Dpty. Sheriffs fee, State vs. Chas. Gardner,	19 13
" " bringing witnesses before Grand Jury....	12 00
" " Dpty. Sheriffs fees Henry W. Lee and P. Engelstad, vs. Board of Co. Comr's..........	3 60
Geo Jarman Dpty. Sheriffs fees, State vs. Peter Rochefort,..........	2 00
Joseph Belair, Coriners fees in the matter of the death of Norman Shanon and W. A. Crawford	24 05
Frnka Jeffers, Recording bonds of Town Treasurers, County Surveyor and making list of real estate mortgages for assessment,..........	40 45
Torrison Bros., Undertakers fees, in the matter of the death of W. A. Crawford,	40 50
Red Lake Falls Elec. Lights in Court House and Jail Feb. and March. 1905,	27 20
Swan Akenson, 15 cords Poplar Wood,....	41 25
Adam Zeh, Premium on $1500 insurance, on Court house,..........	39 50
John Grady Premium on $500 insurance, on Jail,..........	5 00
Red Lake Falls Telephone Exch. Rent of Telephones March and April, 1905......	10 00
D. Linnihan, amount paid for long district Telephone calls,..........	3 60
Frank Jeffers, Amt. paid for postage and Gov't Envelopes,..........	14 15
K. M. Hansen, Co. Treas. amt. paid for postage and Gov't Envelopes,..........	33 55
James E. Ford, do	21 20
Dr. J. C. Wilkinson, Med. attendance on Knut Torgerson a prisoner, $7 50 allowed at	5 00
Peter Nimesgern, Cleaning 5 chimneys in court house,..........	2 00
H. E. Albue, services as Fire warden, Town of Numedal,..........	1 50
Swan Englund, do	1 50
Emil Carlson, do	1 50
Selmer Olson, do	75
Fred Roesner, do	1 50
Louis Olson, do	75
Nils Berggren, do	2 00
Erick Olbue, do	1 50
Oscar Larson, do	1 50
Magnus Winberg, do	8 00
Theodore Syverson, do	75
Thorald Waslie, do	1 50
Thief River Press Pub. notice teachers exam. $4, allowed, at	1 00
King & Chase, Publishing Commissioners proceedings and other official notices,	37 80
L. Philion, cleaning county jail,..........	3 00
James Sutor, Attending meeting of Board of County Commissioners and services on Co. Road and Bridge Committee 7 days-120 miles,..........	32 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, do 5 days. 88 miles..........	23 80
O. J. Johnson do 4 days 65 miles..	18 50
Daniel Shaw, attending meeting of Board of County Comr's., 3 days. 40 miles.....	13 00
Daniel Shaw, Posting notices of hearing on School District petitions	4 50

The bill of McGill-Warner Co. for Classification Registers was on motion rejected,

The following bills were laid over:

Nick Helm. painting bridge sign,..........	10 00
Free Press Printing Co., Dednction on bill,..........	12 33
Erick Iverson, Meals for Knut and Jas. Torgerson,..........	1 00
Ole Skavhang, Guarding Knut and Jas. Torgerson,..........	2 00
Oscar Carlson, livery hire for conveying Knut and Jas. Torgerson to Co. Jail,...	11 80
W. A. Schreiter, Medicine,..........	2 30

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die,

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board, Co. Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor,

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Macaroni Wheat.

During the past year or two macaroni wheat has grown into much favor in the markets, and certainly much favor among the farmers. It yields more per acre than other kinds of wheat, and it is less liable to failure. It is especially adapted to growth during dry weather, and in dry seasons it yields well when other varieties of wheat fail. It also resists rust in wet years. In this market, and others as well, it has been only two cents per bushel lower in price than No. 1 Northern.

Until lately it was not deemed suitable for bread flour, but of late there has been an active demand for it wherever people have been acquainted with it. It has compelled recognition. Its advantages have been appreciated by many and its popularity has been on the increase. Like every other good thing it had its detractors. Some of the millers at Minneapolis and other points feared their machinery would have to be changed to convert the macaronia wheat into flour and yet bought it by stealth to mix with other grades of wheat, the result of which was all sold as flour from No. 1 hard blue stem and fife, and the flour was as good as the best. Conservative people did not want to admit there was anything new under the sun and would have none of the new wheat. The "crop experts" who regulate the universe said the macaroni wheat was a kind of an illegitimate offshoot and was not admissable to good wheat society. The macaroni kept right on growing and yeilding from 10 to 50 per cent more bushels per acre than any other kind, and the quality of the flour was just as good as the most aristocratic wheat with a pedigree a yard long. Then came the rust this year. Other kinds of wheat fell victims to the invader. The loss was from 10 to total. The macaroni, like a young gaint stood proudly in the fields and defied the attacking forces. Scoffers began to treat it with respect. Knockers are putting away their hammers. The "experts" admit they may have judged the grain too hastily and concede some of its advantages. Practical farmers see wealth in its production and are preparing to grow larger crops of the new wheat next season.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast apptoaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., described his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life I have tried many different doctors and several medicincs, but got no benegt, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at all druggists price 50c.

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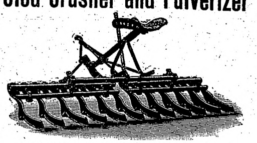

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

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PRESIDENT ENDS HIS HUNTING TRIP

PRESIDENT RETURNS TO WASHINGTON PLEASED WITH HIS OUTING.

He Delivers a Noted Speech at a Banquet in Chicago—Again Announces That He Will Not Be a Candidate for Reelection.

Washington, May 12.—President Roosevelt reached home at midnight from his western trip, which he regards as one of the most enjoyable journeys he has taken since he has been president. He traveled 6,006 miles and passed through 12 states and three territories — Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Indian Territory, Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, Nebraska and Iowa. Every state and territory in the United States except Florida and Arkansas have been visited by Mr. Roosevelt since he became president, and it is his intention to accept the hospitality of these states before his term is finished. It is probable that he will make a tour of the south some time before the convening of congress in the fall of this year. The demonstrations at every point where the president spoke are said by the official members of the party to have been the heartiest that have ever been accorded him on any trip. The president was particularly pleased with the manner in which he was received in Chicago.

Chicago Greets President.

Chicago, May 11.—President Theodore Roosevelt arrived in Chicago promptly at noon Wednesday. A hearty welcome was extended him as he stepped off the presidential train at the Northwestern station, fresh from his extended hunting trip in the west. Gov. Deneen, Mayor Dunne, delegations from the Merchants', the Hamilton and the Iroquois clubs, a committee of aldermen and other city officials extended a greeting. After the greetings at the station were over the president passed through the waiting-rooms and entered his carriage and with an escort of national guard, police and citizens, was driven to the Auditorium hotel, where he was the guest of the Merchants' club at luncheon. The entire route was packed with people, who cheered the president. At the conclusion of the Merchants' club luncheon a committee arrived from the Hamilton club to conduct the president to the organization's headquarters at Monroe and Clark streets, where the chief executive held and was given a reception.

Law Must Upheld.

As honored guest of the Iroquois club, the most potential democratic organization west of New York, President Roosevelt talked on the theme of capital and labor, making the point that both must be compelled to observe the law and that violence on the part of either should call for a swift visitation of justice. He condensed his speech so far as it touched on the relations between employer and union into two asphorisms:

"This government is not and never shall be the government of a plutocracy."

"This government is not and never shall be the government of a mob."

The president gave his remarks a local application by turning to Mayor Dunne, who sat on his right, and tendering his support in enforcing the law, in keeping order and in uprooting violence. He called attention to the dangers in class hatred, and after touching on the necessity for exhausting all resources before calling for help, made a statement that brought the 600 guests to their feet with vociferous cheers. He said:

"But if ever the need arises, back of the city stands the state, and back of the state stands the nation."

President Roosevelt also gave the trusts and corporations his attention. He declared the federal government must take control of corporations, and strongly advocated the passage of a law conferring on some executive body the power of supervision and regulation of the great corporations.

Not Candidate for Reelection.

Omaha, Neb., May 11.—The Bee quotes President Roosevelt as making the emphatic statement that he will not be a candidate for president. It says: "You are authorized to state that I will not again be a candidate for the office of president of the United States. There are no strings on this statement. I mean it. I made my speech at Denver for the purpose of convincing the people of my earnestness in regard to the matter of railroad rate legislation. I will not be satisfied with any compromise that does not bring relief to the people from the conditions that now exist in regard to transportation affairs in the country.

To Rest in Annapolis.

Washington, May 13. — President Roosevelt has approved the recommendation of Secretary Morton that the body of John Paul Jones be buried at Annapolis, Md. Rear Admiral Sigsbee's squadron will be sent to France to bring back the remains.

Death of a Jurist.

Portland, Ore., May 13.—Judge Charles B. Bellinger, of the United States district court, died Friday. He had been prominent at the Oregon bar for many years, and was appointed to the federal bench in 1893.

Missing Banker Returns.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., May 15.—E. E. Snyder, the Olin banker, who disappeared in March last, returned to Iowa Saturday. Snyder was arrested in St. Louis, charged with embezzling $125,000.

HORRIBLE DISASTER.

Explosion of Dynamite Wrecks Passenger Train—Twenty Killed and 100 Injured.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 12.—Nineteen persons are known to be dead and more than 100 others were injured in a railway wreck and dynamite explosion which occurred early on Thursday on the Pennsylvania railroad in the southern part of this city. That not more persons were killed is considered remarkable by the Pennsylvania officials, as a full box car of dynamite exploded directly at the middle of the heavy express train.

There are various stories of how the wreck occurred, but the official version is as follows: About 1:40 o'clock the engine on the east-bound freight train was flagged by the crew of a shifting engine ahead on the same track. The engineer quickly put on his air brakes, and the train, an unusually long one, came to a sudden halt. The strain on the air valves was a severe one, and a connecting air hose in the middle of the train blew out. This caused the middle of the train to "buckle" and the damaged cars fell over on the passenger tracks. Just as this happened the Cleveland express came thundering up and "side-swiped" the wreck. The express was stopped within its own length, and the third sleeper was opposite the wrecked cars. Before anyone could leave the passenger train, which was not very badly damaged, a few slight explosions occurred and then there was one great flash and roar that shook the earth. The whole affair occurred within a period of a few seconds. A scene of horror followed the explosion of the dynamite. The passenger cars and some of the freight cars instantly took fire and a number of passengers were burned to death before rescuers could reach them.

MAUSOLEUM FOR M'KINLEY.

Brief Description of Magnificent Tomb to Be Built for Remains of Late President.

New York, May 11.—The trustees of the McKinley National Memorial association met Wednesday and formally approved the design for a mausoleum submitted by H. VanBurne Mc Gonigle, who was appointed consulting architect to the board six months ago. It was decided, also, that work should be begun at once, and a subcommittee was appointed, which will exercise the function of a building committee. At present the body of President McKinley is in a public vault in Westlawn cemetery, Canton. The association has purchased a tract of land adjoining the cemetery, which will be known as Monument hill. The approach to the hill, which is 74 feet high, called "the Mall," which is 600 feet in length, will be beautified at an approximate expense of $50,000. Along the middle of this mall, with a walk on either side, will be a "waterway," or artificial lake. A broad and massive flight of steps will lead from the foot of the hill up to and, in fact, form a part of the mausoleum. From the foot of the hill to the top of the mausoleum, the height of the stone structure will be in the neighborhood of 175 feet. The detailed description of the monument will not be made public yet, because the committee desires first to copyright the plan and pictures that they may be placed on sale for the benefit of the monument fund.

Killed Two and Himself.

Memphis, Tenn., May 15.—A triple tragedy occurred here about dusk Sunday night, when Thomas McCall, a night watchman for the Illinois Central railroad, shot and killed Edith Ferguson and Hal Williamson. The murderer an hour later turned the weapon upon himself, firing a bullet into his head. McCall is said to have been jealous of Williamson's attentions to the woman.

Floating Mine Sinks Steamer.

Tokio, May 15.—The Japanese mail steamship company's chartered steamship Sovralence, on its way from Kobe to Kinkow, port of Newchwang, with beancake for the Japanese army, was blown up at noon Friday by a floating mine near the Lisotishan promontory, off Port Arthur, and sank. Sixty-three of those on board were rescued. Twenty-eight of the passengers and crew were drowned.

Fighting in the Philippines.

Manila, May 15.—Fierce fighting the past two weeks on the island of Jolo between troops under the personal command of Gen. Leonard Wood and an outlaw Moro chief named Pala, with 600 followers, has resulted in the killing of 300 Moro and the loss of seven killed and 16 wounded by Gen. Wood's force. Pala and his remaining followers are surrounded in a swamp.

Receives Pallium.

St. Louis, May 15.—In the presence of one of the most notable gatherings of Catholic church dignitaries in the history of St. Louis, the pallium, the official insignia of an archbishop, was on Sunday bestowed by Cardinal Gibbons upon John Joseph Glennon, archbishop of the archdiocese of St. Louis.

Formally Elected.

Hartford, Conn., May 11.—The legislature in joint session Wednesday formally declared Frank B. Brandegee elected United States senator for the unexpired term of the late Senator O. H. Platt, which began March 4, 1903.

Postal Treaty Signed.

Mexico City, May 15.—A treaty between France and Mexico has been signed whereby a reduction of postage rates is brought about. The rate of postage to France is now the same as the rate to the United States.

ARMISTICE IN THE BIG STRIKE.

TEAMSTERS ARE NOW AWAITING AID FROM THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS.

Several of the Employers "Marked for Assassination." With Financial Help Teamsters will Contest to the End.

Chicago, May 16.—A practical armistice in the teamsters' strike was declared last night, to last until the officers of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters meet here, either on Wednesday or Thursday of this week.

At a meeting of the teamsters' joint council, held last night, to reconsider the action of Sunday night, when it was decided to refuse the demand of the Teamowners' association that deliveries be made to strike-bound houses, the members of the council reaffirmed their stand and stated they would not accede to the demands of the Teamowners' association.

It is known to members of this latter organization that this action would be taken, it having been agreed that the matter should await the arrival of the national officers of the teamsters' union.

As a result of yesterday's developments in the teamsters' strike the labor leaders assert that the strike, aided financially by unions all over the country, will spread in a marked degree.

"Marked for assination" are several members of the Chicago Employers' Association it is alleged.

Men hired to break the strike hardly pass a day that they do not receive a letter threatening death to them if they persist in figuring in the labor troubles.

Frederick Job, John G. Shedd, Robert Thorne and many others of the employers' forces have been condemned to death no fewer than a hundred times by anonymous letter, writers during the past few days, it is claimed.

Those picked out to die do not appear greatly worried, though the wives of some of them are said to be in a nervous state.

Body guards follow each "doomed man" every hour of the day and night.

Serious consideration is being given the letters since exposures made by a confession of a hired thug that he and others made a business of slugging at the rate of $15 per person slugged.

NO VERDICT.

Koch Jury Fails to Agree in the Celebrated Murder Case and Are Discharged.

Mankato, Minn., May 15.—The Koch jury stands seven to five.

Whether the seven favor conviction or acquittal is not known.

The jury reported in court this morning at 8:30 o'clock and judge asked them if there was any prospect of an agreement. The answer was in the negative, the statement being made that there had not been no change in the last eighteen hours.

The court then wanted to know how they were divided and was informed that the jury stood seven one way and five the other.

The judge then made a talk to the jurymen, explaining that the expense of trial was great and there should be a conscientious effort made to arrive at a verdict. It was their duty to make an honest effort to agree. He then sent them back for further conference.

After the jury had retired the court informed the attorneys that he would call the jury again at 11 o'clock, and if there was no prospect of agreement at that time then he would discharge them. At 11 a. m. they were discharged.

Robbed.

Minneapolis, May 16.—A telegram was received by Superintendent Doyle from a St. Louis train conductor in charge of the excursion train from Des Moines, Iowa, which brought some 1,500 visitors to Minneapolis Sunday that Louis Rathje, one of the excursionists, had been robbed by pickpockets of his pocketbook containing $15 in money and checks to the value of $5,569.

The man was unable to tell whether he had been robbed at the depot before taking the train or after he had entered the coaches. Superintendent Doyle had three detectives detailed to protect the crowds and as many more policemen, but no suspicious characters were noticed.

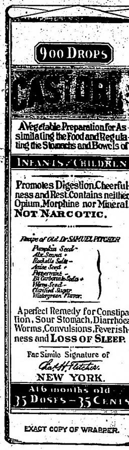
Aged Pair Burn in Home.

Winfield, Kan., May 16.—William Buchels and wife, at Udall, were burned to death in a fire, started apparently from an exploding lamp, destroying their home. Buchels was 90 years old and his wife, who was blind, was 88.

Killed by Sheriff.

Owatonna, Minn., May 15.—While resisting arrest for highway robbery, Ivan Tomajis was shot and killed by Sheriff Chambers.

Tomajis made no statement, and little is known of him. He and Martin Eukawina and Martin Arnik came from Minneapolis and spent the night in a barn. The first two, it is alleged, learned that Arnik had $400 and was returning to Slavonia to bring over his family, whereupon they held him up and took his money from the lining of his trousers and vest.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You occasionally hear a man boasting of his charitable qualities, observes the St. Peter Herald, when you know that nothing short of a hydraulic press could squeeze a drop of the milk of human kindness not of his weazened carcass.

Frank Eddy says a pretty girl can conceal a heap of deviltry behind an innocent look, and the Duluth News-Tribune wants to know how he found it out. Evidently Frank is going to have hard work in proving himself as unsophistocated as he appears.

The Windom Reporter thinks it was most unkind of Dr. Arnold to come out with the scientific statement that men are more graceful than woman, just after the ladies had been informed by the scientific world that women are mentally superior to men.

The Beltrami county investigation disclosed the fact that the tax-payers have been systematically robbed of nearly $50,000 by dishonest officials, and yet some of the newspapers declare that the investigation is "a piece of petty political persecution" on the part of Governor Johnson.

Minneapolis seems to be a mecca for the country statesmen of both parties. John Lind and Loren W. Collins are already old residents, and now ex-Governor Van Sant is to make that city his domicile. And many are wondering if the doughty merger fighter hasn't his eye on Loren Fletcher's seat in congress.

The Preston Times tells Prof. Hicks that there is no sense in "eternally blabering about stroms which may never come, and if they do come must find suffering humanity unprepared and helpless notwithstanding his warnings. Let us enjoy the sunshine while we have it and take the cellar when the storms come but not before."

The only thing the matter with Julius Schmahl's candidacy for secretary of state is the fact that if successful it will batter down the walls of sacred tradition in Minnesota politics. Long years ago, way back in the days of Col. Hans Mattson the secretary of state's office was turned over to the Swedes, and down to the present day no man has dared to suggest a change.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

Here's a little consolation for the Hallock News, the editor of which is alleged to be a candidate for Peter Hanson. shoes. Mr. Nelson seems to fulfill the traditional requirements, and besides has no particular aversion to office-holding.

Probably no president since Lincoln has done so much to demolize party lines as Theodore Roosevelt. He has friends and admirers almost as strong and as numerous in the Democratic as in the Republican party. The last election returns show that almost a million Democratic voters supported him in preference to their own candidate. And, now, comes the startling and anomalous announcement that the president was the guest of honor at a banquet given by the Iroquois club of Chicago, one of the great Democratic political organizations of the country. And the president seemed to feel at home. Many phases of his excellent administration were applauded by Democratic orators, and in reading accounts of the function it is almost incredible that American politics could produce such an extraordinary and unusual occasion.

A BAD BREAK.

Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston is reported as saying at a recent banquet speech:

"I have always held that it not to the interest of this city to antagonize the railroad: I have always advocated the sending of men to the legislature who are in sympathy with the railroads, so that at any time something of interest to their district with reference to securing appropriations and the establishment of such an institution as the one just secured is wanted, they may be in a position to get it, end this I am pleased has now come about, You are now represented by that class of men and you are now reaping the reward. I hope you will continue them in office and I have no doubt thegood work will be continued. This opposition to railroads is all wrong and the quicker it is known the better for you."

This sort of doctrine is unhealthy and pernicons, and if Mr. Stephens is ever a candidate for congress his little syeech will cause no end of trouble for him.

The idea that the representative of great agricultural constituency must be the tool of a railroad company in order to get a slice of the appropriation! The utterances accredited the distinguished senator from Polk do him no credit. They insult the intelligence and the honor of his people.

The railroads are entitled to fair play, as is every other interest of the state. It is not the desire of the people that their legislators should favor the railroads at the expense of other interests. The railroads should not be the speeial objects of favoritism. The state constitution maintains that "government is instituted for the security, benefit and protection of all the people," and if our legislators are going to special agents for special interests how are the common people going to get a square deal?

In this connection the Wadena Pioneer-Journal gives the sum and substance of the popular contention:

"A community which want a square deal is not necessarily opposed to the railroads. No sane man wants to persecute them, or drive them to the wall. The railroads are a necessary public institution, but under our present system they enjoy too many unfair advantages. There should be a general shake-down and and adjustment. The consumers have rights as well as the railroads, and if Crookston sent men to the senate, who were less friendly to the railroads and more mindful of the whole people, not only Crookston but the whole state would be better off in the long run."

CAN'T BE RECONCILED.

Since Mr. Johnson has been meekly lead by Dick O'Connor into the camp of those whom his private secretary is fond of calling the plutocrats, there is less talk of the possibility of his re-election. There has never before been known in this state so complete a surrender to corporate power and the great financial interests, as that of the present governor. He uses President Lowry's private car at will. He is entertained by the jobbers of both cities. He is dined and wined by representatives of Standard Oil. He is made an honorary member of the millionaire club. He spends his time dining and speech making and squabbling over who shall mop the floor of the new capitol and most carefully avoids doing any thing for the people.—Fairmont News.

Here is an example of partisanship gone mad. The gangrene of disappointed political hopes sinks deep into the heart of Charlie Michell, the private secretary who missed connections with the job by an abrupt disturbance of Republican reign. It is doubtless a sad thing to be rudely jolted away from the public trough at the moment of greatest promise, but Charlie should take it more more philosophically and endeavor to hide his sore toe from public gaze as much as possible.

Really, Charlie hasn't much of a kick coming. He has been pampered and fed on the richest political cream for a long time. In fact he has been able to dove-tail his jobs so artistically as to secure the benefit of two salaries for a long period of time. As postmaster of Alexandria he was enabled to connect himself with an $1,860 annuity without interfering with his private business or curtailing his liberty to chase down other soft snaps. While a faithful suborinate worked the cancelling machine and signed the money orders Charlie attached himself to the superintendency of the Minnesota building at St. Louis. This job carried a salary of $2,500 and almost unlimited personal expense account for upwards of two years. Meantime the government salary went on without intermission. All this did not prevent him from spending several of the busiest exposition months in St. Paul, looking after the Republican campaign and fastening his avaricious tentacles to the private secretaryship, which like a dream of youth passed out of sight but never for a moment out of mind.

Thus Charlie's sourness is accounted for. The lances he hurls at his imaginary enemies are so blunt and rusty that they fall of their own weight and excite no comment save that of pity. It is noticeable, too, that there is little criticism of the administration outside the ranks of disappointed seekers of office. From these there is no alarm, since the voters of Minnesota have already spoken on that issue.

So much for the animus of the attack. A grosser or more undeserved misrepresentation could not be conceived. No administration of the state government, in its acts, deeds and appointment, was ever more out of touch with corporate interests and influences than of John A. Johnson. Governor Johnson is under no obligation to the railroads, lumber barons nor any other special interest. He is doing his duty as he finds it, and the people of the state are giving him their support and applause.

HOW TWO BEAUTIFUL WOMEN ESCAPED SPRING CATARRH BY USE OF PE-RU-NA.

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Miss Helen Whitman.

Miss Helen Whitman, 308½ Grand Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

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First, repair the injury already done to your nerves. The way to do this is to do exactly as did Mr. Hal. P. Denton, Chief Department Publicity and Promotion of National Export Exposition.

He writes: "Toward the latter part of August I found myself in a very much run-down condition. My family physician said I had nervous prostration and recommended a sea voyage. I gradually grew worse. A kind friend whom I had known in Ohio recommended Peruna. Though skeptical, I finally yielded to his advice. After using one bottle I was much improved and with the fifth bottle came complete recovery. I am in perfect health today and owe everything to Peruna."—Hal. P. Denton.

A Spring Tonic.

Almost everybody needs a tonic in the spring. Something to brace the nerves, invigorate the brain, and cleanse the blood. That Peruna will do this is beyond all question. Everyone who has tried it has had the same experience as Mrs. D. W. Timberlake, of Lynchburg, Va., who, in a recent letter, made use of the following words: "I always take a dose of Peruna after business hours, as it is a great thing for the nerves. There is no better spring tonic, and I have used about all of them."—Mrs. D. W. Timberlake.

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Washington School Notes.

Lloyd Moran has not yet returned to school.

The fifth grade find their new Minnesota hard.

Ella Jackson was absent a few days last week.

The girls are busy playing "knife" this nice weather.

We did not have recess Thursday on account of the rain.

Robert and Laura Poirier were absent last Wednesday.

Mr. Healy has put some new maps of Australia on the wall.

The second grade had a test in arithmetic last Friday.

The fourth and second grades won the banners for this month.

The fifth grade is through with geography and are reviewing.

Hurry up girls with your pennants for the field meet will soon be here.

The fifth and sixth grades had a final examination in spelling Monday.

Many of our little folks were absent Wednesday on account of the rain.

Miss Norby is reading one of the Elise books to the third and fourth grades.

Clara and Dora Bourdon were absent Wednesday on account of the rain.

The pupils are glad that school will soon be out, especially the small folks.

We received our report cards last week and some of the red marks have been removed.

Lizzie Schlesinger has returned to school after a two weeks absence on account of sickness.

A boy who tried to be funny in school had to stand out in the hall. We wonder who it was.

The sixth grade are now drawing a map of the United States and cutting it up in states.

The boys were much disappointed last week as they could not practice jumping on account of the rain.

The fifth and sixth grades went down in Miss Norby's room last Wednesday morning to pratice the yells for the field meet.

Some of the girls and boys had to go home after their report cards and make up the time lost after school.

Mr. Healy tried an experiment one day by putting a ten cent piece in nitric acid. He also dissolved some marble in acid.

The fifth grade have been hearing Bryant's "To a water fowel." They find it hard to get the expression as Mr. Healy wants it.

The "A" class of the second grade has begun to read graded Literature III. They like the stories very much.

Last Friday the second grade pupils wrote descriptions of some one in the room and then guessed who the person was.

The field meet will be Friday of this week if the weather is nice, and you are all invited to attend. Our colors are "yale" blue and white.

Mr. Healy has a nice silk banner for the boy of the Washington school who wins the most points in the preliminary meet which they are holding.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Steaans, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores, 25c at all druggist.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

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Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

V. M. Higinbotham was a business visitor at Brooks Tuesday.

G. O. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, was in the city over Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson were at Fargo the first of the week.

Mrs. F. F. Marshall has been at St. Paul this week visiting friends.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

Miss Cora Laurent left Tuesday for Breckenridge where she will attend school.

S. J. Swanson, one of Wylie's grain buyers, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

B. E. Burkee, of St. Hilaire, was in the city Tuesday on business connected with the court.

Arthur LaPlante was at Thief River Falls last week on business connected with the J. B. Cigar Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LaPlante moved Monday into the Moran house directly west of the Lafayette school building.

J. K. Hannay, of St. Hilaire, was a county seat visitor Tuesday, having business at the special session of court.

Atty. Lee, of Thief River Falls, was here Tuesday on business connected with the special term of the district court.

Found.—A fountain pen. Owner can have same by proving property, paying for this notice. Call at the COURIER office.

The weather the past week has been most ideal for the growing crops and the fields are becoming green very rapidly.

A heavy hail storm is reported at Brooks and Lambert Monday evening. We have not learned of any great amount of damage done.

The concert given at the K. P. hall Monday evening was very poorly attended. It is said the performers were very ordinary and not specially gifted for that kind of work.

Wm. Holdberg returned from St. Paul last week where he had been in St. Luke's hospital for some weeks. His injured foot has been taken out of the cast and is improving every day.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher was at Plummer and Brooks the first of the week.

Miss May Lee, of Crookston, has been in the city this week visiting her sister.

Rufus Poirier came in from Brooks Saturday and remained over Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pateneaude, the hotel people of Brooks, were county seat visitors Saturday.

Attorneys Grady and Boughton were in Lambert township Saturday looking after legal matters.

Congressman Steenerson, of Crookston, was in the city the first of the week attending court.

R. St. Marie, living east of Terrebonne post office, was in the city Tuesday on a business mission.

August Moran was at Brooks Tuesday where he landed a contract to build a residence this summer.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Noel, who has been quite sick, is improving nicely at this writing.

Joseph Lachance is on his farm near Brooks this week putting up a fence and making other improvements about the place.

Geo. Emery, of Northwood, Iowa, is in the city this week looking after his land interests. He has three farms in Red Lake county.

The ladies aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Findeisen on Wednesday, May 24. A 10c lunch will be served from 4 to 6 o'clock.

County Auditor Ford has been very busy this week making out certificates of tax judgment sale for the lands sold last week for taxes. Something over 350 sales were made and it is no small task to attend to all the details of the transaction.

There is talk of a ball game in this city Decoration Day between the Ada team and a nine representing this city. Just how strong a team can be organized here yet is unknown but here's hoping an aggregation can be got together that will make a good showing.

I intend to have a class in music this summer and will give lessons on either the piano or the reed organ. I intend to begin the class on the first Monday and Tuesday of June. If you have a child whom you wish to take lessons during the vacation I will be pleased to confer with you.—Lee C. Healy.

Rev. H. Knox was at Thief River Falls the first of the week visiting friends.

Editor Latta and Julius Pleth, of Plummer, were county seat visitors Monday.

Mrs. K. M. Hansen was down from Thief River Falls one day last week.

Atty. P. W. Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor over Monday night.

A. L. Reichert and family are moving today into the Wolfe house on Third street.

Theo. Robillard and bride left here Thursday evening of last week for North Yakimo, Washington, where they will make their home.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice for the week ending May 13 1905: Sever Charbeneau, F. G. Kalak and John Welsh.

Onezime LaBissoniere, who has been in this section for a year past, departed last week for his home in Washington.

The first open air concert by the band will be given Friday evening, the weather permitting. A good program has been prepared and an enjoyable time is looked for.

The marriage of Dona Laurent and Miss Cerisa Trudeau was solemnized at the home of relatives in Gentilly township Monday, Rev. Father Theillon officiating. The young couple have many friends in this neighborhood who will join the COURIER in wishing them happiness and prosperity in their new relation.

The operation performed upon Mrs. Chris. Gedde last week by Dr. Wilkinson and Pleth has proven a success and the lady is doing nicely at this writing. The operation was an unusual one and of a very delicate nature. A new opening was made in the stomach and the intestines fastened to it, an operation of rare occurrence and one only performed in extreme necesity.

Atty. McIntyre returned from Bemidji last week where he had been for a number of days serving on the investigating board appointed by Gov. Johnson to look into the doing of some of Beltrami's officials. Mr McIntyre was president of the board and says the citizens of the city treated the members of the committee with every courtesy. It is probable that the committee will meet again during the summer to complete their work.

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Mrs. H. Knox went to Thief River Falls Saturday for a few days visit with friends.

A small dancing party enjoyed themselves at the K. P. hall last Friday evening.

Fred Zaiser spent Sunday at Crookston. We are going to have this item electrotyped.

M. DeLormme, of DeLormme Station, transacted business in this city the first of the week.

The tennis club promises to have a large and enthusiastic membership this year. About twenty have signified their intention of joining the organization.

The heavy rains of last week caused the rivers to rise and the log drivers are happy. Pat Sullivan is on the way down with a big drive for Grand Forks.

The fire boys are training these days for the tournament at Blackduck in June. They will enter all the contests and will no doubt give a good account of themselves.

Henry Castello, wife and neice, of Espetvet, were Red Lake Falls visitors the first of the week. They left Tuesday for Gentilly where they will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. J. H, Glass, of Lake Pleasant township, leaves this evening for an extended trip "down below." She will visit Watertown, S. Dak., Fairmont, Minn., and Armstrong, Iowa, before her return.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Sylvan Hall and Arthur Mercier drove up from Red Lake Falls last Sunday and Sylvan returned the same evening. Mr. Mercier. finding the atmosphere congenial, remained until Tuesday,

Station Agent Mizen of the Northern Pacific presented the COURIER with a copy of "Wonderland," a descriptive magazine of the northwest, issued by his company. It is certainly a work of art, the illustrations especially being of a high order. The book treats of things of interest to every resident of Minnesota and the Northwest, and should be in the hands of every loyal citizen of this section. A copy can be obtained by sending six cents to A. M. Cleland, G. P. & T. A., St. Paul.

A mad dog has been doing mischief in Poplar River and Lambert townships the past few days. Henry Cyr, living near Brooks, had a hog bitten by the animal some days ago and was obliged to kill the pig Saturday. A sheep was also a victim of the dog and it is being watched closely, but so far has showed no signs of rabies. Mr. Cyr advises the farmers of that vicinity to have their shot guns loaded and ready for the dog as it appears suddenly, does his damage and is off again in a very few minutes.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm.—Louis Sieff.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufer remained in Thief River Falls for a day or so from Sunday's excursion to visit their daughter, Mrs. Murphy. A nephew accompanied them home.

Mrs. Vague left Tuesday for Tacoma, Washington, to join her husband who has been in that section for some time past. They will make their home in that city hereafter.

Sam Allard is reported as improving steadily and is on the high road to recovery. His condition has improved wonderfully the past week and hopes are entertained of his soon being able to be out again.

Judge Tarrant is said to be a great singing master and he organized a class last Sunday while at Thief River. It is said some of his pupils are practicing faithfully and will soon be ready to appear in public.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrent entertained Miss Elma Milkkelson, and mother of Thief River Falls, over Tuesday night. The ladies were on their way to visit relatives at Euclid.

Louis Alberts has been appointed deputy state boiler inspector for the 61st senatorial district. He is well qualified for the position, having been in the work for some time past, and will no doubt make an efficient official.

Band concert tomorrow evening.

J. B. Foote, president of the Scandia-American bank of Crookston, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Saturday. He is of the opinion that this city has a bright future and predicts a most prosperous community.

Seventy tickets were sold at this station for Thief River Falls for Sunday's excursion. The base ball game between Crookston and Thief River Falls resulted in a victory for Crookston, the score being 7 to 3. Thief River had one bad inning, otherwise the game was a good one. A large crowd was present and all report a good time.

Nearly 700,000 school children in Minnesota have defective sight, according to reports made to Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health. Less than 10 per cent of these are supplied with glasses or have received any treatment. From 10 to 15 per cent of all children thruout the state, examined at instigation of the state board of health, have some form of eye trouble.

Attorney General Young rendered last week two opinions in regard to the educational department of the state upon request of Superintendent of Public Instruction Olsen. Rural schools employing a second grade teacher are allowed to share in the $100,000 apportionment appropriated during the recent session of the legislature, and a county superintendent who receives up to $1,400 anually is entitled to $250 a year traveling expenses, according to the opinions.

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I had been troubled with Rheumatism for two years, had been under the treatment of physicians, and tried everything recommended to me, but all to no avail. My knee and elbow joints were so stiff that I could not use them. I was unable to do my household work, and was truly in a pitiable condition. S. S. S. cured me after using it for awhile, and I unhesitatingly give it the credit it so much deserves.
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POLLY'S CAREER

By Izola Forrester

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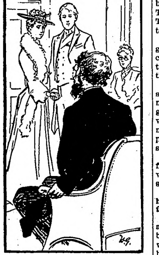
"If you would only speak to her, Murray, it might do some good. Her father and I have tried our level best to discover a glimmer of ambition or talent in her, and she hasn't an atom of either. She's nothing but a girl."

Mrs. Allan's hands fell on the wide arms of her rocker with despairing expressiveness. The colonel nodded his head soberly and sympathetically, as befitted the solemnity of the moment.

"She's still very young, isn't she?"

"She's the youngest of all. Bess is thirty, Louise nearly twenty-five and Florence is twenty-one. But look at them! Each one is established in her chosen profession and winning success."

The colonel was silent. Remembering some of Bess' poems, Louise's patients and Florence's copies of old masters, he did not feel that either affirmation or denial was called for.



"THAT'S JUST WHAT I DO FEEL, COLONEL HARTWELL—A SPECIAL PREDILECTION."

"And at eighteen they had all decided definitely what they wanted to make of themselves, while Polly—Murray Hartwell, when I asked Polly this morning if she had even the vaguest sort of an inclination toward any occupation in the world, what do you suppose she said? She told me that she hoped some day to be the mother of as many charming daughters as I had, and if they were half as much worry as mine were she thought she would have occupation enough. Murray, are you laughing at me?"

The colonel leaned his head back and laughed heartily in spite of the accusing, reproachful stare of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"It's just like Polly to say that," he explained. "And, by Jove, I believe she means it too. If I were a little younger—say thirty years—I'd have a try myself and encourage her in her chosen career. By Jove, I would indeed, Cousin Sarah! Polly's a mighty pretty, level headed little girl, and I'll be bound she's a good cook."

"If it were Jack's career that was at stake you wouldn't turn a serious problem of this kind into a joke. What if his only ambition in life were to be married?"

The colonel's face sobered suddenly at the thought. Jack—debonair, twenty-two-year-old Jack—married!

"But it's absurd, Sarah. Jack's a man. It's different. One expects such ideas in a girl's head, the same as a taste for ice cream or rose color or matinees. But Jack is ambitious and talented and well started in his profession now. By Jove, I'm proud of the boy—I am indeed. He's a fine fellow. Takes after his dad. But married?" The colonel leaned back his head and took another laugh.

"Why, if the young rascal even suggested such a thing I'd fire him back to college or send him down to the mines to work off an attack of romance on the brain."

"And yet you censure me for desiring something better for Polly than mere marriage." Mrs. Allan's tone was aggrieved. "I thought surely that you would understand and sympathize with me, Murray, and your influence might possibly direct Polly into making some sort of a choice."

"Wait a minute." The colonel rose from his deep chair near the fire. There was the slam of the front door and the sound of quick, light steps in the hall.

"Come and get warm before you go home, Jack," called a voice. "There's a fire here in the study."

The long, dark green portieres parted, and Polly stood in the doorway, tall, blithely youthful and pink as a rosebud where the wind had teased the color to her face. There were snowflakes clinging to her big brown hat and to her furs, but she was merry eyed and happy, suspiciously happy, the two in the study thought.

"Hello, dad." Jack's face looked over her shoulder. "Awful glad you're here. We've been for a trot along the drive. Polly and I."

"I thought that you were upstairs studying with Bess, Polly," said Mrs. Allan, "but as long as you are here you may come in. The colonel and I have been talking of your career."

Polly drew off her long brown fur stole and trailed it meditatively along the edge of the rug at her feet. The colonel coughed and realized that he was expected to speak on the subject. He beamed down upon Polly paternally. He had always liked Polly somewhat better, privately, than Cousin Sarah's more talented daughters.

"Of course you are too young to—to understand your own capabilities and—er—and any lurking talents which you may possess, Polly, but you must not give up or be discouraged. Some of the great geniuses of the world only discovered their gifts at middle age."

"Well, it's a pity some of them didn't die young," said Jack cheerfully.

The colonel ignored the interruption and looked at Polly. He felt the approving attention of Mrs. Allan's eyeglasses.

"But if you can consider the question of a career or should feel any special predilection"—

"That's it." Polly nodded her head until the snowflakes scattered in raindrops from her hat. "That's just what I do feel, Colonel Hartwell—a special predilection."

"For what, in the name of sense, Polly Allan?" Mrs. Allan leaned forward in amazement.

"For Jack." Polly smiled assuredly, and slipped her hand into the one that sought it. "He's going to be the object of my career."

There was a tense silence. The colonel stared frowningly at Mrs. Allan, and Mrs. Allan looked back at him with conflicting sensations. The paramount one was a small but solid sense of amused satisfaction in the colonel's utter discomfiture.

"Shall it be college or the mines, Murray?" she asked.

The colonel squared his shoulders. He had met honorable defeat before and could face it like a soldier and a gentleman.

"Neither, madam, neither. Seeing, as it is, Polly and her career are at stake, I give my consent and wish her all success."

Jack stretched out his disengaged hand.

"You blessed old dad!" he said, and the colonel had the honors of war.

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A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 820,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

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Notice to the Legal Voters

OF THE COUNTY OF RED LAKE, STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Notice is hereby given that a petition is now on file in my office signed by the legal voters of said county to the number of two thousand six (2006,) praying that the county seat of said county be changed to the city of Thief River Falls which is situated in Township number one hundred fifty-four north, of range forty-three west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and that a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County will be held at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to consider and determine as to the genuineness of the signatures to said petition, and as to the number of Legal voters of said county whose genuine signatures were attached thereto within sixty days preceding the filing of said petition and affidavits in the office of the said County Auditor, at which time and place any legal voter in said county may appear in person or by counsel, and be heard respecting the matters so committed to the determination of said board.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of May, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red-Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accuring costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
m 18-22. Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.
J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 16, 1905.

Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs.
vs
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit. All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit;

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.
D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff Red Lake County.
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Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term May 17th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased, late of the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to S. J. Swanson.

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of Said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 20th day of November, 1905, at ten o'clock a. m., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 17th day of May, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th; 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd., 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
a13m18 Register.

Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervcher, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
a20m4 Judge of Probate

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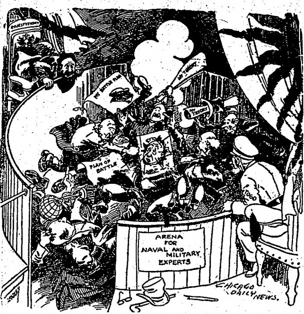

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CYCLONE CAUSES WOE IN OKLAHOMA

THE LITTLE TOWN OF SYNDER IS ALMOST TOTALLY DEMOLISHED.

The Loss of Life Is Placed at 125, While from 25 to 40 More Were Killed in the Surrounding Country —Stricken Town Appeals for Aid.

Snyder, Okla., May 13.—All estimates of the number killed by Wednesday night's tornado in and south of Snyder make the total at least 125. The tornado traveled a distance of 35 miles, cutting a path from a quarter to a half mile wide. The farm houses in this path were demolished and the occupants killed or injured. All the men available are needed here to clear away debris, bury the dead and care for the sick, and the fate of the farmers struck by the storm has not been fully investigated. Estimates of the number killed outside of Snyder range from 25 to 40. More than 100 laborers brought here by the 'Frisco railroad company, together with a big force of volunteers, began moving and burning debris Friday. Two men dead and another barely alive were found in a heap of rubbish piled up against railroad freight cars near the station Friday morning. They had been there since last Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock, at which time every clock in town stopped. Statements that 400 persons were injured are correct, but most of these suffered only slight bruises. Forty-five persons are receiving hospital treatment. On account of lack of accommodations here, the wounded are being taken to larger towns.

Fire Completes Havoc.

To add to the general confusion and distress, after the tornado had passed fire broke out and burned up all that remained of the buildings on one of the business blocks. So far, it has not been possible to find out whether or not any bodies were cremated, but it is highly possible that such is the case.

The havoc wrought by the tornado is complete. Out of a town of 1,000 people, not more than a score of houses are intact, while two-thirds of the buildings are totally wrecked. The storm formed south of Olustee, near the Texas line, and took a northeasterly course through a well-settled section. At eight o'clock it was observed by the people of Snyder, but the usual funnel-shaped formation was lacking, although the roar was plainly heard for some time before the storm broke, Many were of the opinion that it was a hail storm. Within a few minutes the sky became suddenly dark, and a terrific downpour of rain began, lasting for several minutes, when it stopped almost as suddenly as it had commenced. A few moments after an ominous calm followed, and then the tornado struck, tearing buildings to pieces as though they were made of paper.

A Call for Aid.

A relief committee, headed by E. Dowden, chairman, has been formed and the following appeal for outside aid has been issued:

"To the People of the United States: This place was almost totally obliterated by a cyclone on the evening of May 10. The people here are dividing their all, but have not enough to relieve the pressing necessity. Neighboring towns are strenuously supplying us with hospital supplies and food. Fully 300 families have been ruined by the storm; 1,500 people are more or less dependent on the good will of the generously inclined to tide them over the present distress. Money is urgently needed. Property loss, including crops, stock, homes and other property will reach $500,000, with a portion of the stricken district yet to be heard from. Almost continuous rains since the cyclone have rendered many of the roads almost impassible. The stricken people have helped the less fortunate to the extent of $500 in cash, besides dividing food, provisions and clothing with those who lost their all. In view of these circumstances, we ask assistance from the American people."

NAN PATTERSON FREED.

After Three Mistrials for Murder She Is Discharged from Prison Without Bail.

New York, May 13.—After more than 11 months in prison and three mistrials on the charge of murdering "Caesar" Young, Nan Patterson walked from the Tombs Friday a free woman. As she left the great building which has been her home since a few days after Young was found dying in a cab in lower New York, 2,000 people greeted her with cheers. Her release was made at the instance of District Attorney Jerome, who said he did not believe another trial would result other than in a disagreement. At the same time he declared that there had been a serious miscarriage of justice. He said that many of the newspapers had labored to create sympathy for the girl and that this step had "caused one more step in this country toward trial by newspaper rather than trial by jury."

BASEBALL.

Standing of Clubs of Leading Organizations in the Race for Championship Honors.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	18	5	.783
Pittsburg	15	9	.625
Chicago	14	11	.560
Cincinnati	12	12	.500
Philadelphia	10	12	.455
Brooklyn	11	16	.407
Boston	9	15	.375
St. Louis	7	16	.304

American league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Cleveland	12	8	.600
Washington	12	11	.522
Chicago	10	10	.500
Detroit	10	10	.500
New York	10	10	.500
Philadelphia	10	10	.500
St. Louis	10	10	.500
Boston	9	14	.391

NOTED SINGER DIES.

Jessie Bartlett Davis, Famous on Comic Opera Stage, Passes Away in Chicago.

Chicago, May 15.—Jessie Bartlett Davis, leading star of the comic opera stage for years, died Sunday morning at her home, No. 4740 Grand boulevard, after a serious illness of only two days. Death resulted from uraemic poisoning and a valvular weakness of the heart. At the beside of the singer when death rang the curtain down were her husband, Will J. Davis, her son, Will J. Davis, Jr., and her sister, Mrs. Birdie Quackenbos. The prima donna had been unconscious for several hours and passed away as if settling into a peaceful sleep.

Hiram Cronk Dead.

Ava., N. Y., May 15.—Hiram Cronk, the last survivor of the war of 1812, is dead, aged 105. During the last few years of his life he drew a special pension from the state. Under a resolution passed by the New York city board of aldermen the body of Mr. Cronk will lie in state there, and will be buried in Mount Victory, Cypress Hills cemetery, in Brooklyn, where more than fifty of his fellow soldiers in the war of 1812 have been laid to rest.

Will Aid in Peace Efforts.

London, May 15.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent says: "Baron Rosen (formerly Russian minister to Japan, and who has been appointed to succeed Count Cassini as ambassador to the United States) openly belongs to the peace party and will assist President Roosevelt in his efforts for peace. He was aware of Japan's preparedness for war, but was unable to stay his government's hands."

Delegates on a Tour.

Washington, May 15.—Two parties of foreign delegates to the International Railway congress, which closed its seventh session here Saturday, left Washington Sunday night on tours of the United States. The parties include about 300 delegates and occupy four special trains.

Twenty-Two Miners Killed.

Buda-Pesth, May 15.—Twenty-two miners were killed Saturday by a premature explosion during blasting operations in the Almasy coal mine, at [illegible].

The County in General

Thief River Falls has another dentist.

Plummers youngsters delight in killing small birds with rifles.

The ladies of the St. Hilaire's M. E. church held a big fair last week.

Thief River sports have pulled off several wrestling bouts the past week.

St. Hilaire's council met in special session one evening last week to attend to the proper drainage of the town.

Thief River Falls now has nine cases of smallpox of a very mild form. The authorities expect to have the disease wiped out in a very short time.

Farmers about St. Hilaire have organized the "Farmers' Threshing Machine Association." At a meeting last week a complete threshing outfit was contracted for.

Julius Pleth is offering prizes to the amount of $82.50 to the patrons of the Plummer creamery. The prizes are for the farmers who take the best care of their cows and cream between now and Oct. 1st. Six prizes are offered and they should be the means of stimulating interest in dairying in that neighborhood.

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to go into the science of a cough. It will only cost you 25c for a bottle of Gloria Lung Balsam. Gloria Lung Balsam has fooled many a Doctor. It has relieved and stopped coughs that were treated as consumptive indications. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

WOLVES NOT TIMID

State Auditor Pays $3,256 in Warrants for Wolf Bounties.

Minnesota wolves are not afraid of the progress of civilization. According to reports received by State Auditor S. G. Iverson many of the counties in the state which are the most thickly settled produce the largest number of wolves. At least more wolves are killed in these counties than in the more sparsely settled districts.

Warrants aggregating $3.256 for wolf bounties were issued by the state auditor yesterday. Dodge county, one of the most thickly settled in the state, gets $143, whereas Becker county on the Minnesota frontier gets only $38.

Other populous counties in which several wolves were killed the last few months and the bounty paid follow: Fillmore, $38.50; Jackson, $31; Morrison, $29.50; Mower, $36: Murray, 22.50; Ramsey, $10.30; Rice, $90; Rock, $30; Stearns, $83.50.

Red Lake county gets the largest amount of bounty, $504, and Roseau is next with $495. Itasca gets $367.50, Sherburne $316 and St. Louis county $293.50.

Can't Be Satisfied.

St. Cloud Journal Press: It was only a few weeks ago that certain papers were asserting that while John A. Johnson was a good fellow, that the real governor was Dick O'Conner, and later they concluded that Frank A. Day was the real thing. Now, having discovered that Johnson is governor, these same papers are denouncing him as "the Czar of Minnesota." Some people are so constituted that they will even grumble when the sun is shinning, a gentle breeze is blowing from the south, and the bass are biting with the enthusiasm of a Democrat seeking office!

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LOCAL NEWS.

Efforts have been made the past week to interest the local shooters in the formation of a gun club and the prospects are bright for a most enthusiastic and successful organization.

For Sale.—Two Brussels carpets, in good condition. Were originally intended for double parlor but can be used in separate rooms. Also one hall rug, 3x12 feet. For particulars enquire of Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, North Side.

Rev. Knox thinks a base ball game between the professional men and the business men of the city would prove an interesting contest. There is talk of arranging for a series of three games, and no doubt they would prove winning attractions.

Game Warden S. F. Fullerton, of St. Paul, says that prairie chickens as a game bird will entirely disappear from this state within fifteen years. He is very enthusiastic over the ring-necked pheasants., which he says will take their place. The state has started a pheasant hatchery, and he beleives that within a few years the state will be alive with them. They are very prolific, hatching as high as sixty birds to one setting of eggs.

Fred Enright, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Enright of East Grand Forks, and nephew of Ed. Enright of Red Lake Falls, passed away in Duluth last Wednesday forenoon at 11:35, after a brief illness with congestion of the lungs. News of his death was received in a telegram which came about 1 p. m. The first notice that his parents had of his illness was at 9 o'clock yesterday morning when they received a telephone message from Duluth informing them that Fred was very ill and asking them to come at once. They were preparing to take the evening train for Duluth when the second message came.

A man stopped us on the street the other day and said we did not publish all the things that happened. We should say we don't. In the first place, there's somebody else depending on us for a living. If we published all that happened we would soon be with the angels. In order to please the people we must print only the nice things said of them and leave the rest to gossip. Yes, it's a fact, we don't print all the news. If we did wouldn't it make spicy reading? But it would be for one day only. The next day you would read our obituary, and there would be a new face in heaven. "All the news" is all right when it's about the other fellow.

Shoe Social.

The ladies of St. Mary's society will give a "shoe social" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Zaiser, on the evening of Thursday, May 25th. Games will be played and refreshments served. The admission charged will depend upon the size shoe you wear, two cents being asked for each size, If you wear a number three shoe you will pay six cents, while the wearer of a number twelve shoe will be required to pay twenty-four cents. It may be mentioned, however, that no measurements will be taken at the social. Bags of peanuts will be sold at five cents, after which an auction will be held. We are not at liberty to state what kind of articles are to be sold, and whoever desires furthur information and particulars regarding the sale must be present when it commences. All are most cordially invited to put on their biggest shoe and come to the social, Thursday, May 25.

Alumni Meeting.

There will be a metting of the alumni of the Red Lake Falls high school at the home of Mrs J. E. Argue Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present at this meeting.

Memorial Day.

William J. Bryan's Commoner says: "Memorial Day is but little less than a month in the future, and the veterans are preparing to observe it. For several years the soldiers have been protesting against making it a day of sports, and the Commoner heartily seconds the protest. Memorial Day is a day set apart to pay our respects to the men who fought and died for their country, and whether it by the memorial day of the northern or the southern soldier it should be a day of solemnity and fervent thankfulness for the valor which proved beyond dispute that the American soldier, fighting for what he belives to be right, is the best soldier the world has ever known. In justice to the memory of these brave men the day set apart for paying tributes to their memory should not be desecrated by making it a day of revelry and dissipation. After the proper tribute have been paid to their memory, the day should be spent in teaching patriotism to the children, and reviving the patriotism of those who may have grown lukewarm. The spirit of Memorial Day seems destined to be lost in the tendency to make the day a mere holiday to be enjoyed, and not a day of remembrance. The protest of the veterans is founded in justice and should be heeded by every citizen"

Fatigue Cause of Accidents.

That a tired man is much more apt to meet with accidents than one in full possession of his strength, physical and mental, has been shown conclusively by a series of stateistic collected in Paris. These figures show that few accidents occur in the early hours of the day or right after the noon hour of rest, but that they increase enormously toward evening and when people are tired. This means but one thing—golden grain belt beer to keep the world fresh and strong. "Never let yourself grow weary" is more than an idle song. Use this delicous tonic and be healthy, strong and happy. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thomspon, Crookston.

It's Up To Teddy.

Adrian Democrat: John Brunts, who rents E. Cooper's eight hundred acre farm in Pope county, is the father of thirty-one (41) childrens, all of whom are living. Mr. Brunts has been married twice. He had fifteen children by his first wife, and up to this date, his second wife has that record faded by a majority of one.

This item will be marked and sent to President Roosevelt, and if he doesn't "do something" for Brunts, he should now henceforth and forever cut out all talk of preventing race suicide by rewarding the parents of large families.

To-day Succeeds Tomorrow.

Redwood Gazette: The Democrats of Minnesota and many Republicans have undoubtedly regretted many mornings since May 1st the non-appearance of the St. Paul Globe, which on the previous announced its final suspension in the superb editorial "There'll be no To-Morrow." But they should remember that up at the head of the lakes—up in the Zenith City by the Unsalted Seas, there still blossoms forth every afternoon a mighty, Democratic organ, carrying with it all the news of the day, and editorials straight from the Democratic standpoint. We refer to the Duluth Evening Herald, the one remaining great Democratic paper in Minnesota—a daily furnishes all the news and, unlike the Globe, is a paying proposition, and bound to remain so and Democratic as long as A. C. Weiss remains at the helm. Democratic reader, have you thought of this?

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that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

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GEORGE RALPH RE-ELECTED

Crookston Engineer Wins Despite Strenuous Protest of Governor Johnson.

George A. Ralph of Crookston was re-elected engineer of the state drainage board yesterday. In spite of the oppositon of Gov. Johnson, the other two members of the board, Secretary of State Hanson and Auditor Iverson, voted for Mr. Ralph, and he will continue to act as engineer of the board. The opposion of Gov. Johnson to the Crookston engineer was based on a report of the public examiner concerning alleged malfeasance in office on the part of Mr Ralph. The report charges Mr. Ralph with duplicating accounts in official report of work in Polk, Red Lake, Marshall and Roseau counties. The report covers a pariod from 1901 to 1903. It contains evidences of charges made to two counties for the same work and other charges which are said to be illegal.

Secretary of State Hanson and Auditor Iverson took a decided stand in the matter. They claimed that these charges had been submitted previous to the election two years ago. At that time both officials made a thorough investigation and found that many of the charges could not be proved, and it was their belief that many of them were erroneous. They stood by Mr. Ralph and stated that they had elected him two years ago, believing that he had performed his duties previously in an efficient manner.

The drainage board elected John Abercrombie of Alexandria as special engineer to conduct the survey of the northern part of the state ordered by the drainage act of the last legislature. This work will be independent of the regular work of the state and will result in the state having two drainage engineers, each at a salary of $150 a month.

The survey of the state will be made for the purpose of obtaining a systematic manner of draining all northern parts of the state. Arrangements have been made for a large public meeting at Bemidji on Saturday, June 10, at which representatives of all parts of the state interested in drainage will be present.

In the Love League.

Clerk of Courts Perrault has issued licences to wed the past weed as follows:

Dona Laurent and Miss Cerisa Trudeau, of Lake Pleasant.

Willie Montreuil and Miss Ste Marie, of Terrebonne;

Esidore Audette and Miss Eugenie Provost, of Louisville;

Edward R. Brooten and Miss Alma Simonson, of Thief River Falls.

Rug Factory.

Answering Mrs. Rice's query in the Farmer of recent date as to address of a rug factory, I will say that at 285 W. 7th St., St. Paul, Minn., is located a very reliable and up-to-date firm known as the Acme Rug Mfg. Co., which makes a specialty of old carpets, weaving them into the most excellent rugs of all sizes, colors and designs. Their prices are right and work pleases. For further information address Acme Rug Mfg. Co., St. Paul, Minn.

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ADVISES STOCKRAISING.

Iowa Farmer thinks Red Lake County Farmers should Raise Stock.

A. T. Gordon was up yesterday from Kensett, Iowa, looking after some breaking which is being done on his large farm in section 36 of River Falls township, says the Plummer Pioneer. Mr. Gordon has lived in Iowa nearly all his life and has traveled much, but says he has never seen a country better adapted than this for the successful raising of timothy and clover, or where those crops do so well as here and do not winter-kill as they do in Iowa. He is an ardent advocate of stockraising and says he would advise the farmers in this country to discontinue wheat raising and go in more for oats, barley, timothy, clover and stock. He says that while the latter course is not always as quick a money making system for the farmer it is always sure. The farmer should raise all the stock and feed he can and patronize a good home creamery which will bring him sure cash income every month in the year with the lowest outlay and the least worry This kind of an income belongs to the farmer who while engaged in that kind of farming does not have to devote all his money to paying of old machine notes and such things.

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When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's Few Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheekn; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind, Try them. At all druggists 25 cents.

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Thief River Can't Do It

Village Has No Power to Donate Village Property to a County to be Used for Court House Purposes.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

A. V. Rieke, Esq., County Attorney.

Dear Sir: In response to your verbal request, I have examined somewhat further the subject of your former inquiry with reference to the power of a county to receive conditionally a deed to certain real property in the village of Bird Island from private citizens of that village.

I see no reason to change in any substantial particular the opinion written rather hastily July 15th to Mr. W. B. Coles, president of the village council of Bird Island, a copy of which was on that date forwarded to you, as being a reply to a joint inquiry.

A settled rule in this state, adopted repeatedly by our supreme court, prevents a donation to be made by a village to a county of any property to be used as a court house, or of any funds to be used in its construction and authorizes the recovery back of any money so donated. The cases cited by you of Borough of Henderson vs. Sibley Co., 28 Minn. 555 and Village of Glencoe vs. McLeod Co., 40 Minn. 44, support this proposition. The supreme court, in case of Bazille vs. Board of Co. Commrs. of Ramsey Co., 73 N. W. R. 845, held that the county had no power to purchase land for the express purpose of making a donation, and that if it entered into a contract to purchase, which was known to the vendor, that the purchase price could not by such vendor be recovered in an action.

W. B. Douglas, Attorney General.

Relief None Too Soon.

St. Hilaire Spectator: The Beltrami county investigation has caused a small panic among office holders. The county has gone $225,000 in debt in seven years which would indicate that the investigation was none too soon.

Don't let the children suffer. If they If they are fretful, peevish and cross, give them Hollister's Rocky Monntain Tea. The best baby tonic known. Strength and health follow its use. 35c. A. L. Reichert.

Problem in Mathematics.

Sauk Centre Herald: If a congressman can earn $500 in mileage while a clock is ticking once, how much could he earn if he travelled all the time?

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LAFAYETTE WINS FIELD MEET

Lafayette and Washington Schools Indulge in Athletic Sports, Lafayette Winng By a Score of 34 to 35.

Last Friday afternoon the seventh grade of the Lafayette school and the fifth and sixth grades of the Washington school held a field meet on the Washington school grounds. Both schools had worked hard for some time preparing yells, penants and streamers had been made of the school colors, red and white for the Lafayette school and "Yale" blue and white for the Washington school. The ground had been well prepared by the pupils and the time for the meet found everything in readiness. The enthusiasm was at a high pitch, the day ideal and the members of the teams were in first-class condition.

The pupils representing Washington were Marcus Marshall, Carl Buse, Preston Hall, Henry Skala, and Thomas Payment. The Lafayette team consisted of Walter Garceau, Robert Zaizer and Thomas Majeres.

The events and results follow:

50 yard hurdle race (24 in.)—1st., Robert Zaizer time 9 seconds; 2d, Preston Hall, 9½ sec., 3rd, Walter Garseau, 9 1-2 sec.

Shot Put (12 lbs.)—1st., Robert Zaizer, distance 26 ft., 9 in.; 2nd, Preston Hall, 25 ft., 10 in.; 3d, Carl Buse, 24 ft., 8 in.

Standing high jump—1st., Robert Zaiser, height 3 ft., 2 in., 2nd., Robert Marshall, 3 ft., 1 in.; 3rd., Carl Buse, 2 ft., 9 in.

Running High Jump—1st., Robert Zaiser, height 4 ft. 1 in.; 2nd, Thomas Payment, 4 ft., 3rd. Henry Skala, 3 ft., 11 in.

Standing Broad Jump—1st., Thomas Majeres, distance 7 ft., 8 in., 2nd., Robert Zaiser, 7 ft., 7 in.; 3d, Walter Garceau, 7 ft., 3 in.

Running Broad Jump—1st., Henry Skala, 14 ft., 9⅝ in., 2nd, Marcus Marshall, 14 ft., 8½ in.; 3rd, Robert Zaiser, 14 ft., 5 in.

Standing Hop, Step and Jump—1st., Robert Zaiser, 21 ft. 7½ in.; 2nd Thomas Majeres, 21 ft., 5 in.; 3rd Carl Buse, 21 ft., 3½ in.

Running Hop, Step and Jump—1st. Walter Garceau, 30 ft. 8 in.; 2d., Robert Zaiser, 30 ft., 2 in., 3rd., Thomas Majers, 30 ft.

50 Yard Dash—1st., Marcus Marshall, time 6 sec.; 2d., Henry Skala, 6¼ sec.; 3d., Robert Zaiser, 6½ sec.

100 Yard Dash—1st., Marcus Marshall, time 14 sec.; 2d, Robert Zaiser, 14½ sec.; 3d, Henry Skala, 14¾.

Three points were given the first place, two the second and one the third. This gave the Lafayette school 34 points and the Washington school 26 points.

While both sides did themselves justice in yelling tne Washington school easily outdone their opponents in this respect. The contests were witnessed by a large crowd.

NEW FURNITURE FIRM.

Harry Healy Sells his Interest in the Furniture Business.

Last week a deal was made whereby Harry Healy, of the firm of Anderson & Healy, sold his interest to M. Wader, possession to be given immediately. Mr. Wander comes from Barnesville, is an experienced furniture dealer, and comes highly recomended in a business and social way. The COURIER extends him a hearty welcome and trusts his residence in this city will prove both pleasant and profitable. He is expected to arrive in the city on Saturday. Mr. Healy has not decided just where he locate or what business he will persue. He will look around for awhile and if a desireable opening is found will again engage in business. He has made many friends in this city who would be loath to have him leave, and all hope he will become indentified with the business interests of Red Lade Falls. He is a young man of sterling worth, a credit to any town.

WON THEIR FIRST GAME.

High School Base Ball Team wins from Fertile last Saturday.

Our high school baseball team went to Fertile last Saturday and played a team representing the seat of knowledge of that place, winning by a score of 13 to 2. This was the boys first game of the season and they put up a remarkable game considering the limited practice they have had. Connaughty and Toupin were at the points for Red Lake Falls and the small score made by the Fertile scholars indicates that the battery work of our nine was first class.

The boys report a loyal time and say Fertile entertained them lavishly. They are loud in their praises of the treatment received from the residents of the lower city, and hope to return the compliment when the Fertile boys come here June 3rd to take paat in the field meet.

Following is the score by innings:

Red. Lake Falls	2	3	0	3	3	1	0	1	x	—13
Fertile	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	— 2

Alumni Reception.

All alumni of the Red Lake Falls High School are requested to be present at the reception to be given the Senior Class of 1905 at the K. P. Hall. The date is Thursday evening June 8 and the hour 8:30. You are further requested to wear your class colors at this reception and to do all you can to inform the members of the association of this invitation. You are futher requested to assemble Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock a. m. at the K. P. Hall to help in the preparations and to lend as much of your time and aid during the day as you can.

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Court House Purchase Legal

Judge Watts Says So in the Order Given Below

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF RED LAKE }

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

I, Joseph Perrault, Clerk of the District Court in and for Red Lake County, Minnesota, do hereby Certify that I have carefully compared the paper writing hereto annexed with thee original judgment in the case of Peter Engelstad against the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, James E. Ford. County Auditor, Karl M. Hansen, Treasurer, and Ernest Buse, on file and record in my office, and find that it is a true and correct copy of said original.

In Testimony, Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand affixed the seal of said District Court at Red Lake Falls, on this 23rd day of May, A. D. 1905

(SEAL) JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk of the District Court, Red Lake County, Minnesota

State of Minnesota, }
COUNTY OF RED LAKE. }

In District Court, 14th Judicial District

Peter Engelstad, Plaintiff,
vs.
The Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, and James E. Ford, County Auditor, Karl M. Hansen, Treasurer, and Ernest Buse, Defendants.

JUDGMENT

This action wherein the plaintiff prays that the defendant county officers of Red Lake County be enjoined from purchasing or paying for the court house property at Red Lake Falls, having been regularly on the calender of said court for trial at the general March, 1905, term thereof, between Plaintiff Peter Engelstad, and the defendants, James E. Ford, Karl, M. Hansen, and Ernest Buse, no service of the summons herein having been made upon the Board of County Commissioners in this action, and said trial having come on before said court, and the court having heard the evidence adduced on behalf of the respective parties, and having duly made and filed its Findings of Fact and Conclusions of law, and order of judgment herein,

Now, Therefore, on motion of Chas. E. Boughton, attorney for Defendant Ernest Buse, IT IS ADJUDGED, That said prayer for injunction be, and the same is in all things denied, and this action dismissed, and that the defendant Ernest Buse recover from plaintiff the sum of $12.60 his costs and disbursements herein.

JOSEPH PERRAULT,
Clerk of District Court of Red Lake Co.

Seal of
District Court
Red Lake Co.,
Minn.

State Aid to Schools,

More of Red Lake county will be benefitted by the state aid, under a new ruling of the state department of public instruction. Last week superintendent McAnulty received a circular from State Supt. J. W. Olson setting forth the requirements which will be exacted of schools applying for the aid. Heretofore there have been two classes, $250 being allowed to semi-graded schools and $125 to districts employing teachers with first grade certificates. These remain the same, but a third class is created which makes an allowance of $50 to districts with second-grade teachers. In all other respects the districts must meet the same requirements as those receiving $125, but the new class presents an opportunity which Red Lake county school boards should promptly grasp.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Maybe the reason it is heaven is because there is no servant problem there.

It does seem that nearly always the most fun is in the things that are not good for you.

Anyway, a horse race can't fool you as many different kinds of ways as a woman can.

The first a man loses when he gets into public life is his self-respect; then his character seems no loss at all.

Every girl's feet are three sizes smaller than they would be if the shoemaker's marks were three and a half times larger than they are.

FIELD MEET IN JUNE.

Red Lake Falls High School is Making Efforts to Secure other Teams.

The high school boys are trying to induce teams from the surrounding towns to meet them in a field day contest on Saturday, June 3rd. So far Fertile is the only team that has agreed to come, but strong hopes are entertained that Warren will be represented. Running races, jumping, hurdle races, and all othea sports usual in such meets will be pulled off and our team expects to make a creditable showing in all the contests. It is to be hoped that other high schools will decide to be represented at this gathering. Everything possible will be done for the comfort and entertaiement of the visitors and we can promise them a most delightful time.

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M. Carroll to M. B. Laughlin, s½ ne¼ 28-153-44	$2200 00
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John Hetchmann to Louise Hetchman, lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, block 3, Bottineau's add, Red Lake Falls	200 00
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WE SAY THAT when you buy a box of NUTRIOLA you buy also the privilege of consulting our Staff of Physicians, receiving Free Advice, Free Chemical or Microscopical Analysis, at any and all times until you are cured. We never charge any fees for their services.

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WE SAY THAT in proof of the above statements we will give YOU an Ironclad Agreement under Seal of our Company, signed by our Treasurer, backed by AMPLE CAPITAL, and the highest medical skill, to absolutely cure YOU perfectly and permanently or refund every cent of money you paid for our Preparations or treatment.

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Every horse should have a bran mash at least twice a week.

Show your neighbor how to be a good neighbor by being that kind yourself.

A cow in full milk flow needs and will drink from 80 to 125 pounds of water every day.

Nearly a million dollars a day is paid by the United States to foreign ships for carring its products.

In Russia the average price of agricultural land is $14 per acre. In England farm land ranges in price from $60 to $120 per acre.

They seem to forget that besides the water needed to sustain her life, like the horse, 87 per cent of all the milk she secretes is water.

Milk weighs two pounds and fifteen one-hundredths to the quart on the average, or eight pounds and sixty one-hundredths to the gallon.

Whenever a farmer or any other man says he ought to have done such and such work but didn't have time to get around to it, it is conclusive evidence that the poor fellow is trying to do more than he can do well.

It is all right to economize in money matters, but lots of folks whoare real stingy of money, are wasteful as they can be in the matter of time and strength, which is a hundred times as valuable as money. So don't overlift; don't make the hours too long; don't be stingy of the hours of sleep; and, above all, don't waste the heart by worring about troubles that probably never will come.

South Carolinia has 14,000,000 acres of unoccupied land, and her officials are making an effort to direct immigrants to that state by sending to New York city a commissioner of immigration. It would be a good thing for the entire country if a few thousand Italians and immigrants from Southern Europe could be induced to settle on the cotton and rice plantations of that state instead of locating in the over-crowded cities of the East and Middle West.

Comparatively few people realize the extent to which the American navy has been built up in the past few years. Today there are in the navy of the United States 24 battleships of 10,000 tons or over, 12 coast defense vessels, 10 armoured cruisers, 5 cruisers above 6,000 tons, 17 cruisers of from 3,000 to 6,000 tons, 23 cruisers of from 1,000 to 3,000 tons, 16 torpedo boat destroyers, 32 torpedo boats and 8 submarine torpedo boats. The total tonnage of the navy is 643693, represented by a total of 147 vessels. In point of tonnage the United States stands third on the list of nations of the world. First comes Great Britain with 502 vessels aggregating 1,926,000 tons, second France with 508 vessels, aggregating 978,000 tons.

A swarm of bees consists of a queen bee and from 2,000 to 3,000 drones, and if a large swarm, all the way from 40,000 to 60,000 worker bees. When pollen and honey is scarse the worker bees have been known to go seven miles in search of it. Every wideawake beekeeper knows that just a few days before swarming the queen, in some mysterious way, sends out several thousand workers in search of a home for the coming swarm. These bees we call "homeseekers," for they cover many thousands of acres in flying back and forth searching out every nook and corner until a home is found, and when all is ready the queen comes forth with her swarm and is conducted on a "bee line" by these homeseekers to their new homes.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing by dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough. which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At all druggists, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Cost of Koch Trial.

There has been considerable speculation as to the cost of the Koch trial. We are uuable to give the expenses to the Koch family, but County Auditor Weaver, of Brown county estimates the state's expenses as follows.

Boarding jury	$600 00
Jury	1,285 00
Witnesses	559 88
Triers	150 00
Coroner, securing venires	70 88
Deputy clerk	33 00
Clerk of court	150 00
Bailiffs	450 00
Sheriff	150 00
Janitor	50 00
Court stenographer	150 09
Gen. H. W. Childs, state	875 00
County Attorney S. B. Wilson, state	500 00
A. Pfaender, attorney, state	500 00
Total	$5,523.68

The cost will be paid by Brown county. The total cost of this, the second trial, will probably be $6500 or $7000 when the defence expense is added to that of the state.

In estimating the cost to the Koch's the Minneapolis Tribune says: Ernest G. Koch has employed constantly since Dec. 29, three attornoys at $50 a day; two attorneys at $25 a day; one Thiel agency detective at $10 a day, and has in addition, spent large sums for witness fees. The Koch relatives acknowledge that the first trial cost nearly $7000. The defence of Geo. Koch by his aged father has cost not less than $25,000.

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Is no more dangerous than to neglect kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure corrects irregularities and has cured many severe cases after other treatment has failed. It builds up the worn out tissues and restores health and vigor. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. A. Davis of Mt. Sterling Iowa, "but two bottles of Foley's Kidnep Cure effected a permanent cure." Sold bp A. L. Reichert.

WOMAN'S COLUMN.

Newsy Home to Interest the Fair Sex.

You can count thirty different shades of brown stockings.

A woman always thinks her dressmaker keeps half the goods.

White stockings and white petticoats are coming back hand-in-hand this summer.

If ideas were as plentiful as words what charming convessationalists we all would be.

Nothing is prettier than the spectacle of a laughing trio or quartet of a mother and her daughters.

Nine tenths of the things people quarrel over do not make any difference one way or the other.

Blessed with a love for the good and the beautiful, no woman can make a really serious mistake.

A woman was fined at Milford, county Donegal, Ireland, recently for having eleven pigs in the house.

Good nature is beautiful except when it is used by lazy folk as a means of making others do their work.

A man keeps his wife in hot water most of the time when she is forced to take in washing in order to support him.

Life is to short to nurse one's misery. Hurry across the lowlands that you may linger longer on the mountain tops.

Rather than become a spinster the average girl will marry a man without a very close inspection of his pedigree.

Don't forget to pinch the ends of the fingers now and then. This will do a good deal toward making the fingers taper.

No stains are more common than those made by coffee, tea and cocoa. Boiling water is the one sure application that will get rid of them.

The eyes of the pretty girl are of the shinning variety, beautifully clear and of the kind which can open widely and look one right in the face.

With genuine affection in your heart and plenty of work in your mind you can be tolerably indifferent to the unpleasant matters of life.

Had the old fashioned children acted like the present generation there would be no children. Their parents would have beaten them to death.

Out in Chicago a council of women has declared that to three deadly d's—dissipation, desertion, divorce—are due the delinquency of truant children.

Mme. Modjeska says she has indignantly refused an offer of $1,750 a week to go on the vaudeville stage. Hetty Green will regard that as sheer madness.

A fashion item says the jeweled hosiery is now the correct thing. Until the next windy day it will not be known if the fad has yet struck the Red Lake Falls smart set.

Do not allow white gloves to become too much soiled before having them cleaned. They have to be rubbed so hard to remove the soil that the kid becomes roughened and stiff.

Never neglect small repairs—a stitch in time saves not only nine, but ninety! Don't let buttons hang by their last thread, darn small holes, brush off mud, and bind frayed skirts.

Colored stockings—silk and otherwise—require a good deal more care in their laundering than the usual black. And colored stockings are promised very definitely to be used during the spring and summer seasons.

A mother should endeavor to remain as young in disposition as her children. When they are infants she usually does make herself childlike in her ways in order to amuse them, but as soon as they are able to play at their own games she is apt to let them go by themselves and drift away from her.

Before tea became cheap enough to be considered a drink it was largely used as a medicine. A familiar advertisement in the Tatler used to proclaim a "famous chymical quintessence of Bohea tea and coconuts together, wherein the volatile salt oil and spirit of both," formed "the highest restoratives that either food or physic affords."

Mrs. Fairbanks, now the second lady of the land, is a woman of the home type in that she loves her five children, one daughter and four sons, devotedly, and has shown her fine instincts and training in the lovely home so well known for its hospitality and comfort. But she has been more than that—she has gone with her husband into public life.

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The richest man in the world can not have his kidneys replaced nor live without them, so it is important not to neglect these organs. If Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at the first sign of danger, the symptoms will disappear and your health will be restored, as it strengthens and builds up these organs as nothing eles will. Oscar Bowman, Lebgnon, Ky. writes: I have used Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainla would cost me my life." A. L. Reichert.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast apptoaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., described his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life I have tried many different doctors and several medicincs, but got no benegt, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at all druggists price 50c.

Button's Business College, Crookston, Minn., has more graduates working in that city as stenographers and book-keepers at a good salary than all other business colleges combined and offers $100 to anyone who will prove the contrary.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot each the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tubs. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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There are seven main features of heart disease, viz.: (1) Weakness or Debility; (2) Rheumatism or Neuralgia; (3) Valvular Disorder; (4) Dilation; (5) Enlargement; (6) Fatty Degeneration; (7) Dropsy.

Documentary evidence will prove thousands of so-called "incurables" have been absolutely cured by Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.

Patients often have no idea their disease is heart trouble, but ascribe it to Indigestion, Liver Complaint, etc.

Here are some of the symptoms: Shortness of breath after exercise. Smothering Spells. Pain in Chest, left Shoulder and arm. Discomfort in Lying on one side. Fainting Spells. Nervous Cough. Swelling of Feet and Ankles. Paleness of Face and Lips. Palpitation. Nightmare. Irregular Pulse.

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Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

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PLANS FOR PEACE MEET WITH CHECK

CHICAGO TEAMSTERS AGAIN REJECT TERMS FOR SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE.

Express Companies Refuse to Reemploy Striking Drivers and the Trouble Will Be Continued—Industrial War May Spread.

Chicago, May 22.—Complications suddenly have arisen in the teamsters' strike situation that threaten the overthrow of all peace negotiations and the precipitation of a general strike. The Teamsters' Joint Council, at an hour when the calling off of the strike was looked for, rejected the proposition for a settlement agreed to by the employers and the union leaders, and voted to continue the struggle. The refusal by the express companies to reemploy any of their old drivers was the cause of the joint council's action. The arbitration that the Chicago team owners requested several days ago, regarding the right of teamsters to refuse to make deliveries to strike-bound firms, also was turned down in the renewed manifestation of the war spirit.

Strike May Spread.

The situation, therefore, has been put back exactly where it was before peace negotiations were begun last week, following the arrival of President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor. This situation, however, promises to become aggravated when lumber and hay and grain interests attempt to deliver their products to boycotted houses. The inevitable result, unless other means of bringing about a settlement are found, will be the adding of thousands more to the ranks of striking and locked-out teamsters.

With a spread of the strike may come troops to cope with the law and end of the situation. This is regarded as a certainty, and Sheriff Barrett, who had been awaiting the outcome of the joint council meeting at the Sherman House, a few doors away, announced his determination of taking immediate action.

Terms Voted Down.

The terms of the Chicago Employers' association, formulated at a conference in Levy Mayer's office after a series of peace negotiations through 48 hours, and which were voted down by the joint council, were:

1. The unions to fix a date for the end of the strike.
2. The employers to announce the evening before how many men would be reinstated the following morning.
3. Policemen, special guards, detectives and private operatives to be removed from the barns and wagons within 30 minutes after strike is settled.
4. Employers to take back employes without discrimination.
5. Wages, hours and working conditions to remain unchanged.
6. No agreements to be signed on either side.
7. Agreements to apply to department stores, furniture dealers, coal firms and all other strike-bound firms except railway express companies.

HOCK IS FOUND GUILTY.

Self-Confessed Bigamist Convicted of Wife Murder—Death Penalty Recommended.

Chicago, May 20.—Johann Hoch was found guilty of wife murder by a jury in Judge Kersten's court Friday afternoon. The 12 men decided he administered arsenic to Mrs. Marie Wacker-Hoch to cause her death. The jury recommended the death penalty.

The jury's verdict as read follows: "We, the jury, find the defendant, Johann Hoch, alias John Hoch, alias John Schmitt, guilty of murder in manner and form as charged in the indictment and fix his punishment at death."

William G. Messler was foreman of the jury. He said the jurors would not divulge what took place in the jury room. It was said, however, the first ballot was unanimous for guilty. On the first ballot for punishment two are reported to have voted for life sentence. The next ballot resulted in an unanimous vote for a death sentence.

Hoch's trial has lasted a month and the indictment under which he was tried charged him with the murder of Mrs. Marie Walker-Hoch, to whom he is said to have given arsenic. The man who by his own confession is several times a bigamist received the news in a stupor.

KILLED HIS FATHER.

Young Man Becomes a Parricide to Save His Mother from Attack.

Bellport, R. I., May 22.—While defending his mother Sunday from the attack of his father, who is said to have been frenzied with drink, Joseph Connell, a youth of 18, shot and instantly killed his father, John T. Connell. According to the statements of Mrs. Connell and her two sons, Connell began to beat his wife, and on his elder son, Joseph, interfering in his mother's behalf, assailed him with an ax, when Joseph drew a revolver and fired, the bullet passing through his father's heart. Joseph was arrested.

Empress Is Injured.

Wiesbaden, May 2.—Empress Augusta Victoria fell down stairs Sunday and was slightly injured on the forehead. Thought the hurt is not serious the incident has caused the postponement of the departure of the emperor and empress for Berlin.

WILL NOT BE CALLED.

President Said to Have Abandoned Idea of Summoning Congress in Extra Session.

Washington, May 18.—President Roosevelt's decision to make a southern trip in October is believed to settle permanently the question of an extra session of congress. Before the president left Washington for the southwest his mind was made up apparently irrevocably, to assemble the Fifty-ninth congress in extraordinary session not later than October 1, for the purpose of enacting railroad rate legislation along lines that would insure permanent reform for many of the evils of railway management. He was only dissuaded from calling an extra session immediately following the adjournment of the Fifty-eighth congress in March by promises of leading republican senators and representatives to support his legislative programme so far as it applied to railroad rates, if the call was delayed until October. Now the president appears to have voluntarily changed his programme, and instead of calling congress here in October he will make a prolonged tour of the southern states which will keep him on the road at least three weeks. He may decide to issue the call for the 1st of November, but this is purely conjectural.

Senators and representatives who keep in touch with his purposes are inclined to believe that there will be no extra session; that the president is satisfied that the Fifty-ninth congress will heed the demand of the people for satisfactory railroad legislation and that a bill can be passed as speedily at the regular session as it could at a special session. He has received positive assurances from Senators Elkins, Cullom, Dolliver, Clapp, Kean and other influential members of the committee on interstate commerce that a bill will be reported to the senate at the beginning of the next congress, and that it will embody many needed reforms in keeping with the president's suggestions. All this is very gratifying to Mr. Roosevelt. It seems to assure the passage of a satisfactory bill next winter and the president does not feel that he ought to ask for more than that.

YACHTS IN BIG RACE.

Eleven Vessels Start on Voyage of 3,000 Miles Across the Atlantic.

New York, May 18.—A splendid fleet of sailing yachts swept across a starting line at Sandy Hook lightship at 12:15 p. m. Wednesday, and with the queenly American schooner Atlantic leading the way, headed out to the broad Atlantic ocean on a race of 3,000 miles to the English coast for a $5,000 cup offered by Emperor William of Germany. When last seen as they vanished into the mist, they were strung out in a line six miles long, heading southeastward and pointing as nearly as possible to a wind that was dead ahead. The starters and their owners were:

Schooner Atlantic, Wilson Marshall, American, 206 tons.

Yawl Ailsa, H. S. Redmond, American, 116 tons.

Schooner Hamburg, a syndicate, German, 185 tons.

Schooner Hildegarde, Edward R. Coleman, American, 146 tons.

Schooner Endymion, George A. Lauder, Jr., American, 116 tons.

Schooner Fleur de Lys, Dr. L. A. Stimson, American, 86 tons.

Schooner Thistle, Robert E. Tod, American, 235 tons.

Topsail schooner Sunbeam, Lord Brassey, British, 227 tons.

Barque Apache, Edmund Randolph, American, 307 tons.

Schooner Utowana, Allison V. Armour, American, 267 tons.

Ship Valhalla, earl of Crawford, British, 648 tons.

DEATH OF JUDGE TOURGEE.

Noted Author and American Consul at Bordeaux, France, Passes Away.

Bordeaux, May 22.—Judge Albion Winegar Tourgee, of Mayville, N. Y., American consul general here, died Sunday morning of acute uraemia, which resulted from an old wound. Judge Tourgee was taken seriously ill some months ago, but his condition afterward improved and it was believed his recovery was probable. Recently, however, the disease took another serious turn and Judge Tourgee lingered until Sunday morning. He was born at Williamsfield, O., May 2, 1838.

Washington, May 22.—A cablegram was received at the state department announcing Judge Tourgee's death. He was formerly consul general at Halifax, Nova Scotia, and was well known as a lawyer, writer and lecturer.

Plans for McKinley Tomb.

Canton, O., May 22.—On September 14 the fourth anniversary of the death of William McKinley, the corner stone of the national monument will be laid on Monument hill. Justice William R. Day will place the corner stone. It is planned to have the monument completed and the dedication ceremonies held on September 14, 1907, the sixth anniversary of President McKinley's death.

Election Ordered.

Springfield, Ill., May 19.—Gov. Deneen has ordered a special election for Saturday, July 1, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles B. Gainsey, judge of the 12th judicial circuit.

Metal Workers Elect President.

Detroit, Mich., May 22.—P. J. McArdle, of Muncie, Ind., was Saturday elected president of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers on the second ballot.

A BIG BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS.

JAPANESE DRIVEN OUT OF POSITION RECOVER THEIR LOST GROUND.

Reported that Linevitch has Occupied Two River Valleys. Japanese tell of Bloody Repulse of Russian Troops.

Gunshu Pass, May 23.—Practically the entire Russian right army is engaging the Japanese west of the railway between Khanda and Kaik rivers. The battle line extends beyond the old mandarin road from Mukden to Harbin, taking in the Liao river district. While the main forces are not in conflict, it seems certain that the attack begun by General Linevitch on last Friday must bring on a general engagement. Two brigades on Saturday swept the Japanese from small villages in the Khanda river valley, but at night the Japanese cavalry and infantry dislodged the Russian forces from positions gained during the day.

Gen. Martynoff, in command of the extreme right, drove the Japanese forces from Ted Lu and routed their cavalry outposts across Liao river at Wao. Shortly after midnight on Sunday, the Japanese, estimated at two regiments of infantry, attacked with bayonets, and in severe engagement which lasted three hours forced the Russian lines northwest accross Khanda river. Reinforcements have come up on both sides, and yesterday afternoon an artillery engagement began in Changtu mountains, extending from Nan-shensi to Shaho valley. Many small skirmishes are in progress along entire line southwest of this point. Japanese attempting to force right flank of Russian position.

Paris, May 23.—Advices have been received here by a firm of French bankers, who have been active in floating Russian loans, from their confidential agent at St. Petersburg, to the effect that Admiral Rojestvensky had died of dysentary, and that Admiral Nebogatoff has assumed command of the Russian fleet.

Log Jam.

Minneapolis, May 23.—Every bridge over the Mississippi in Minneapolis and St. Paul and even the government dam is in danger of being swept away by an immense log jam in the river, three miles north of the workhouse. There are 100,000,000 feet of lumber in the jam, which is grinding with fearful pressure against the feeble piers. While the river falls or remains stationary, say rivermen, there is no danger, but if the river rises the logs may be released to carry everything away in their course.

The jam is the largest that has ever been formed by the logs waiting for the use of the Minneapolis sawmills at the booms. It extends from a point almost opposite where the Brooklyn Center road runs into Lyndale to a point about two miles north. The width of the jam is about one-third of a mile, as the logs block the channel from Dunham island to the east shore of the river.

Saved by Tree Tops.

Mankato, Minn., May 23.—While Bernal Morrison, son of A. M. Morrison, editor of the Mankato Journal, and Ralph Sinot, accompanied by two young women, were boat riding on the Minnesota river near Sibley Park, the boat was overturned. They succeeded in grasping the tops of willow trees standing in the swollen stream, and clung to them until rescued.

Morrison and one of the young woman had a narrow escape from drowning. Morrison having gone down twice.

Corner on Corn.

Chicago, May 23.—A stampede of shorts Monday advanced the price of corn for May delivery precisely 6 cents a bushel. It was current gossip that the May option is practically cornered by a few prominent traders. A desire to avoid possibly greater loss was the cause of the urgent demand from those on the wrong side. The May delivery opened at 53c. The price quickly jumped up to 59c a bushel. Realizing sales caused a reaction to 57⅛c.

High Water.

La Crosse, Wis., May 23.—The Mississippi has risen six inches yesterday and two feet in the last three days, and is still rising slightly.

In North La Crosse a large section is under water, people going about in boats where the land is usually dry. Manufacturing industries are greatly unconvenienced and can only be operated with difficulty.

Sulphite Plant Burns.

Appleton, Wis., May 23.—The sulphite plant of Riverside Fiber & Paper company was destroyed by fire Monday. The insurance is $100,000. The loss is possibly 20 per cent more.

Woman Clerk Fined.

Deadwood, S. D., May 22.—The United States court, in the case of Mrs. Sadie Ford of Hill City, who was indicted at Sioux Falls at a recent term of the United States court, fined her $50. Mrs. Ford pleaded guilty to the charge of opening mail which passed through her hands as assistant postmaster. The fine was made light on account of the pleadings of her attorney, and Congressman E. W. Marton, who stated that Mrs. Ford had not fully recognized the wrong of the act.

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A FEW more Equitable suits and the St. Cloud Times wonders if it pays to continue to pay life insurance premiums.

RAY JONES has been assuring the newspaper reporters that he could be induced to accept the nomination for governor next year.

GOV. JOHNUON has appointed O. J. Johnson, of Glenwood, a member of the fish and game board, to succeed Capt. William Bird, of Fairmont.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER O'BRIEN has appointed Edward Peterson, of St. Paul, as fire marshal. This is a new office created by the last legislature.

THE Fairmont News has discovered that the Pioneer Press is absolutely free from corporate control. The discoverles being made by Bro. Mitchell are alarming.

WHETHER Nan Patterson killed Ceasar Young or not, the Winona Independent refuses to recommend her methods of advertising to other girls seeking a dramatic career.

THE Duluth Herald doesn't believe in the theory of removing temtation from legislators. The effect would be more salutary to remove the legislators who are so fond of temptation.

THE Sauk Center Herald sagely observes that when an employe gets it into his head that his employer cannot run his business without him he is of no further use; and when a public official gets the idea that the public business cannot be properly transacted without him he is of no further use to the public.

EDITOR EASTMAN is in imminent danger of being again hailed for les majeste. In the current issue of the Thief River News he says:

"Ray Jones, of Minneapolis, it is said, may become a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor. It ought not to be hard to find a candidate that could easily defeat him, and we hardly believe that he would be able to secure the support of his home county."

A FAMOUS physician upon being asked recently what was the chief cause of ill health, replied: "Thinking and talking about it all the time. This ceaseless introspection in which so many of the rising generation of nervous folks indulge is certainly wearing them out. When they are not worrying as to whether they sleep too much or too little they are fidgeting over the amount of food they take or the quantity of exercise necessary for health. In short, they never give themselves a moment's peace."

ACCORDING to the report of Insurance Commissioner O'Brien, the insurance companies made a big profit during the year 1904, says the Fairmont Sentinel. His report will show that the net earnings of the legal reserve companies admitted to Minnesota were $117,247,130, as compared with approximately $59,000,000 in 1903. The Minnesota department is one of the few insurance departments in the United States that prepare a statement showing the exact profits of each company, and annual report of the Minnesota commissioner for this reason is much in demand among life underwriters of other states.

STATE CAPITOL LETTER.

St. Paul, Minn., May 24, 1905.

The new Democratic administration is proving a thorn in the side of grafters and special interests. Heretofore innumerable violations of the spirit and letter of the law have been considerately overlooked and condoned by those in authority because the offenders have invariably been high in party councils and were supposed to be entitled to "get something out of it." The Johnson regime is on an altogether different basis. The administration is not in the business of protecting wrongdoers from the consequences of their misdeeds. An instance in point is the removal of two commissioners in Beltrami, one of the newer counties up north where graft has held high carnival and the tax-payers have been systematically robbed of at least $200,000 by dishonest officials. The condition of affairs up there was not unknown to the preceding administration. The robbery has been going on for years, but the county was "reliably" Republican and could be depended upon to return a thousand majority—and more if necessary—for the state ticket. A number of well known timber exploiters—also "reliably" Republican—were past masters in the art of telling "dead and down" timber by the way it stood up, and succeeded admirably in dodging taxes on logs they had purloined from the state. Hence no outcry was made by those in authority. As soon as Governor Johnson had the reins well in hand he sent the public examiner up to investigate. He succeded in finding all sorts of corruption. The public officials were rooting in the spoils of office, and even the newspapers were in connivance with the conspirators. As a result of the investigation two commissioners were removed from office, the county attorney resigned under fire, and suspicion of crookedness is directed to others. The gang of looters has been broken up, Beltrami County has been redeemed from the public corruptionits, and the investigation will have a chastening effect on other counties where official probity is held lightly. And the end is not yet. Other counties are to feel the lash of searching investigations, and at the close of Governor Johnson's first term county corruption and mismanagement will be at a minimum.

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The results of the public examiner's bureau are not the only achievements of the early months of Governor Johnson's administration. The dairy and food commissioner, the insurance commissioner and the labor bureau have all contributed to the improved conditions, and the Republican departments have caught the atmosphere of reform. For instance the auditor's office and land department have been regenerated and the loose and incomplete methods of former years discarded. The timber board, consisting of the governor, auditor and treasurer, now holds stated meetings and all matters of conquence are considered by the entire board instead of delegating full authority to a single member. The same is true of the drainage commission, and all the other of which the governor is a member. An instance of the effect of the governor's contention for the wise expenditure of public money is illustrated in the action of the capitol commission in lopping off $6,800 in salaries when he was reported to have said that the janitors, firemen, guides and other factotums were falling over in the halls and corridors of the new capitol.

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The new dairy and food commissioner, Mr. Slater was selected wholly on the grounds of fitness and ability. The leading dairymen of the state told the governor that Mr. Slater was the best qualified man in the state for that position. And he is proving to the people that he was worthy of this confidence. His service to the people of St. Paul and Minneapolis in compelling the venders of adulterated milk and cream to obey the law is in itself a great achievement, but this is not all of his record. Dealers in adulterated food products all over the state have been prosecuted, and it no longer pays the manufacturer or dealer in poisonous or adulterated preparations to prey upon the public. Mr. Slater brings to his work an unusually high order of ability and a teachnical knowledge of the industries within the scope of his department. His work is resulting in a betterment of quality and greater improvements are hoped for under a continued rigid enforcement of our laws.

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Fourth of July orators are coming in demand, and many of the state house officials are already engaged for this day. Governor Johnson goes to Luverne. He is in great demand from every quarter of the state at all sorts of functions, and has been compelled to decline more than half of the invitations owing to the press of public business. Cleve Van Dyke, the governor's brainy confidential clerk, who made a magnificent race for congress in the Sixth district last year, will pull a few tail feathers from the American eagle at Delano.

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Visitors from all parts of the United States are still numerous about the capitol. It is the universal expression of the casual visitor that the building is magnificent in appointment and architectural design, but the officials who inhabit the structure are not so profuse in their praise. There is no criticism of the beauty of design or magnificence of finish, but it is the almost universal opinion that practicability and utility has to a laage extent been sacrificed to dignity and harmony. The windows are often disadvantageously placed, and the rooms of many departments illy arranged. But the people demand stateliness and symmetry and all that sort of thing in a great public building—and they have it.

BADGER.

Damasse LaChamce drove to the county seat Monday on business.

Miss Alice Quesnell was a business caller at the Falls Tuesday.

Miss Zelia Quesnell visited with friends in Terrebone Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Homer and Henry Laurent, of Terrebone, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. A. and Mrs. D. Laurent called at the home of Roy Walker Friday.

A number of friends and relatives dined at the home of M. Quesnell Sunday.

Willie Montruel spent Sunday evening with the Misses Annie and Aurore Ducharme.

Edward Cadieux passed through here Monday with a herd of cattle on his way westwaad.

Misses Annie and Aurore Duchaame spent Monday evening at the E. Quesnell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dona Laurent were over night visitors at the home of Mrs. Laurents Saturday.

Mrs. E. Quesnell and daughter, Mrs. W. St. Yves, visited Mrs. Chas. Bourcers at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

Rodolph Ducharme, of Perrault, and Ed. St. Iyes, of this place, spent Sunday evening at B. Derosier's.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Champeaux and children visited at the home of Dolphus Champeau Friday evening.

Messrs. and Medames M. Quesnell and O. Robillard spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs Joseph Dandaneau.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Gervais, of Terrebonne, passed through Badger's limits Saturday afternoon on their way to Gentilly.

Mr. Mrs. Louis St. Iyes, Mrs. D. Champeaux, Misses Alice Quesnell and Miss Emma St. Ives spent Friday at the home of R. Gagnon.

Mrs. Louis St. Yves visited at Crookston several days last week and was accompanied home by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William St. Yves.

Rodolph Fucharme, of Perrault Station, accompanied by the Misses Alyce and Anna Quesnell, spent Friday evening at the home of W. Champeau.

How nice it would have been to have the people of the "far west" see the lovely shower we had Sunday afternoon. It lasted but a short time but words cannot express how pleased our people were over it.

Joseph Dandaneau's eight year old boy breathed his last Monday morning after an illness of several weeks. The funeral was held at St. Anthony's in Terrebonne Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The sympathy of their large number of friends is extended to them in their bereavement.

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Miss Hattie Grace, 254 West 46th St., New York, writes:

"Peruna has changed me from a fretful, irritable, nervous woman into a healthy and a happy one. Nothing seems to worry and to fret me any more. Since early womanhood I suffered with bearing down pains and nervousness. I was thin and worried, but Peruna restored me. Those who knew me before cannot understand the change, but I can sum it all up in the blessed word, Peruna."--Hattie Grace.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson, No. 151 51st St., Brooklyn, N. Y., President West Brooklyn Audubon Society, writes:

"I am pleased to tell what a blessing Peruna has been to me. Several years ago my constitution seemed broken down and I cared little whether I lived or died. I had taken so much medicine that the sight of a bottle made me sick. I had read about Peruna curing women, and I thought perhaps it would help me. I bought a bottle and before it was finished I felt better. I kept on taking it, and after three months' faithful use I was a well woman and able to do the work and undergo the strain of younger days."---Elizabeth Ferguson.

In view of the great multitude of women suffering from some form of female disease and yet unable to find any cure, Dr. Hartman, the renowned gynecologist, has announced his willingness to direct the treatment of as many cases as make application to him during the summer months without charge.

The treatment will be conducted by correspondence. The doctor will prescribe all medicines, applications, hygienic and dietary regulations necessary to complete a cure. The medicines prescribed can be obtained at all drug stores. This offer will hold good only during the summer months. Any woman can become a regular patient by sending a written statement of her age, condition of life, history and symptoms of her derangements.

All cases of female diseases, including menstrual irregularities, displacements, ulcerations, inflammations, discharges, irritation of the ovaries, tumors and dropsy of the abdomen, should apply at once and become registered as regular patients. All correspondence will be held strictly confidential.

As is well known, Dr. Hartman is the president of The Hartman Sanitarium, an institution which has a department devoted exclusively to the treatment of female diseases. He is thus brought to see thousands of such cases every year, the most of whom return to their homes to be treated by correspondence. The principal remedy he relies upon in such cases is Peruna, which every woman should have who has any affection of this kind. Those, wishing to become patients should address Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Atty. Grady is at Crookston to-day

Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

County Attorney Germo was at Plummer Monday on business.

Harry Healy was at Grand Forks over Sunday the guest of friends.

Mrs. Ed. L. Healy spent Wednesday with Thief River Falls friends.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge tomorrow evening.

A. L. Post, of Grand Forks, has been in the city this week tuning pianos.

K. Movold, of Fosston, transacted business in this city the first of the week.

P. K. Olson, of Plummer, was a Red Lake Falls visitor the first of the week.

Attorney Boughton was at Plummer Monday on business connected with the Sieff case.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff,

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned yesterday from an extended trip to the twin cities and other points in the southern part of the state.

Louis Sieff went to Plummer Monday to answer to the chaage of stealing horses but he didn't get a chance as the case was dismissed by the prosecution before the trial was begun.

Band concert to-morrow evening.

The city council meets this evening.

Plummer is talking of celebrating July fourth.

The Big Store has a list of special bargains in this paper.

Lawn mowers $3 50 to $6.00 at Hunt's hardware store.

Several cases of mumps are reported in different parts of the city.

Atty. Chas E. Boughton was at Crookston over Tuesday night.

Olaf Bakke, of Mentor, was a business caller at this place yesterday.

Local fisherman are catching nice strings of the finy tribe these days.

Frank F. Hunt calls your attention to "hot weather stoves" in this issue.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

K. O. Gigstad, of St. Hilaire, was a business visitor at this place over Tuesday night.

The Busy Store gives a timely talk in this issue of seasonable goods. Look up their adv.

There are great patches of yellow about the city these days caused by the dandelions being in full bloom.

There will be an open ais concert by the band Friday evening. The progrsm will begin promptly at 7:30.

Guy Wilcutt left the first of the week for Crosby, North Dakota, after finishing a term of school north of the city last week.

While working near the Healy dam Tuesday Nick Majeres fell into the river but was promptly rescued by the means of a log hook.

Do not forget that at least one-half of your real estate taxes must be paid before June 1st or a penalty of ten ner cent will be added.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending May 20 1905: May Neil, Joe Neil.

Lightniug struct a church in Virginia while the preacher was preaching and the only man hit was a newspaper man. He was the only one there.

The north mill is running but three days a week now on account of not being able to secure wheat. Good milling wheat is said to be a very scarce article.

Plummer Pioneer: P. K. Olson left on Monday for Fargo with a crew of seven men and teams to work on the Great Northern railroad at different points in that vicinity. He has work enough in sight to keep him busy all summer.

The weather yesterday was most peculiar and timid hearts trembled at the wierd appearance of the sky. Clouds covered the skies and the hard southwest wind completely filled the air with dirt and dust from the fields, giving the sky a most peculiar and dangerous appearance At times it was unusually dark.

The music pupils of St. Joseph's church gave a recital at the church Monday evening which was attended by a large audience. The program was made up of piano numbers, solos, duetts, etc., and the young players displayed much ability. It is announced that the program will be given at the Metropolitan opera house sometime in the near future.

Special Sale at the Big Store
FOR THIS WEEK

Ladies 4 strap slippers, finest kid, turn sole, $2.50 values	$ 1 75
Ladies flexible sole, fine kid, dressy shoe, $1.75 quality for	1 38
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They All Say it Pays to Trade at **THE BIG STORE**

THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Prop.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

S. M. Sivertson was at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday.

A large number of logs have been going down the Clearwater the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre were at Grand Forks one day last week.

Messers. Sivertson and Padden of Red Lake Milling Co were at Crookston Sunday.

Mrs. N. A. Tarrant and Mrs. Wm. Zaiser drove to Crookston Tuesday morning, returning in the evsning.

Grain and vegetation has been jumping the past few days and the prospects never looked brighter for a bumper year.

I have a first class rat and mice killer guaranteed to do the work. If not satisfactory money returned. Write or call on Theo. W. Zaiser, Red Lake Falls.

Arthur Stivers, who has been a member of the Courier force for a number of months, left Saturday for Crookston where he has secured a position with the Journal.

A very hard rain storm passed four miles south and west of this city Sunday afternoon. It is said that it rained very hard for two hours. Not a drop fell at this place.

The Misses Smith and Reed, lady evangelists who conducted a series of meetings at this place a few weeks ago, are at East Grand Forks where they will hold meetings for two weeks.

For Sale.—Two Brussels carpets. in good condition. Were originally intended for double parlor but can be used in separate rooms. Also one hall rug, 3x12 feet. For particulars enquire of Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, North Side.

A bridge crew and a pile driver arrived on the Great Northern Tuesday morning and have been at work putting in a new bridge just north of the section house. The old structure was not considered safe.

I intend to have a class in music this summer and will give lessons on either the piano or the reed organ. I intend to begin the class on the first Monday and Tuesday of June. If you have a child whom you wish to take lessons during the vacation I will be pleased to confer with you.—Lee C. Healy.

County Treasurer Hansen is getting things in shape at the office for the semi-anual tax settlement June 1. Real estate taxes will be delinquent at that time and a penalty of ten per cent will be attached to all taxes remaining unpaid at that time. Payments of real estate taxes from this time until the final day are expected to be brisk.

St. Hilaire Spectator: David Berger, the well known Rocksbury farmer, left last evening for St. Paul where he goes to see his mother who is one hundred and two years of age and in poor health. He has not seen or heard of her for nearly twenty years and recently learned of her whereabouts through an advertisement in a Scandinavian paper.

Preparations are being made for the annual commencement excercises of the Red Lake Falls high school, to be held June 4. Rev. Ansgaar will deliver the baccalaureate sermon this year. The commencement program will consist of the usual orations and musical numbers. The graduating class numbers ten members, seven girls and three boys, and is one of the largest classes graduated from the school.

One provision of the new game laws passed by the Minnesota legislature last winter is brought to the attention of local sportsmen. This is a restriction regarding the granting of licenses. Hereafter a hunter can kill birds in his own county without taking out a license, but if he wants to hunt in some other county he will have to take out a license at a cost of $1. This arrangement premits farmers to hunt around their own farms without taking out a license.

Alma (Kan.) Signal: If you send a package marked "Handle with Care" by freight, the railway employees will take every opportunity to tumble it around and dump it on the depot platform as though it were a bale of hay. We once saw a railroad employee so sick he could scarcely hold up his head, but when his wandering eye happened to fall on a package marked "Handle with Care" he arose with an expiring effort and threw the blamed thing the length of the depot platform, danced upon it, then shrieked and died.

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Ladies Vest, cream, only	**3½c**
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Your costume is not complete without fancy hoce, which is right to buy now. Shown in tan, lisle, silk embroidered and white fancy lace hose 15c to 50c a pair. Tan 18c to 30c. Cuff top hose do not bind. Only 20c per pair.

THE BUSY STORE

GARCEAU & ZAISER

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

Mrs. L. A. Dautremont and daughter, Mrs. Sam S. Haislet, left last week for a several weeks trip in Northern Iowa and Southern Minnesota.

The open air concert by the band last Friday evening was the means of bringing out a large crowd on the streets and the occassion was one of enjoyment and good cheer.

Mrs. K. M. Hansen and children arrived from Thief River Falls last Thursday and the family are now comfortable settled in the Benoit house near the Lafayette school building.

Mrs. Fred L. Farley and daughter returned Saturday morning from their trip in the southern part of the state. While away they were in a bad runaway accident, but luckily escaped without injury, except a few scratches and bruises.

All who will attend the great concert at Crookston June are requested to notify M. O. Sortedahl by the last of this week so seats can be reserved. The management at Crookston wish to see that all people from outside towns have good seats and will reserve any number spoken for.

The Alumni met last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. J. E. Argue and elected officers for the ensuing year. Miss Pauline Neland was elected President, Miss Etta Garceau Secretary and Lee Healy Treasurer. It was decided to give a reception for the seniors and further business of importance was transacted. Notice of the reception appears elsewhere in this paper.

While the increase in the value of farm land during the last decade is a subject of frequent comment there are other things belonging to the farm in which the increase is fully marked yet which are seldom considered. And one of these is the value of a dairy cow. Ten years ago Minnesota cows averaged only sixty pounds of butter a year. The state farmers institute has been holding sessions regularly during recent years and more attention has been given to stock and dairy matters, with the result that the average Minnesota cow now gives 160 pounds of butter annually. And the cost of keeping the cow that gives the 160 pounds of butter is no more than the cost of keeping and caring for the bovine ten years ago. The next ten years will no doubt see an even greater gain.

Washington School Notes.

Albert Kriel was absent Monday.

Remember to remove your red marks.

Henry Skala hurt his eye Monday while playing ball.

Clara Bourdon was among those who were absent Tuesday.

Cornel Schmitz was absent for a week on account of farm work.

Miss Hennemuth's room went on a trip to pick flowers Wednesday.

A number of the first grade pupils are absent on account of the mumps.

The fifth and sixth grades had another final examination in spelling Friday.

Marie Kaus was absent Monday for the first time this year. She has the mumps.

The pupils of the second grade are at present reviewing their addition subtraction.

The second grade had a field lesson Thursday afternoon. They are studying birds at present.

Last week there were three cases of mumps in Miss Norby,s room. This week there has been two cases already.

The fifth grade is through with their geography and are reviewing the maps of the world.

In the preliminaries to the field meet Marcus Marshall made the most points and won the pennant Mr. Healy had offered.

At the field meet last Friday the Lafayette school was over and their colors were red and white. They had great pennants with gilts letters on, but you bet for all that we gave our yells better than they did. They won the meet, beating us by eight points. Well we will beat them next time.

Raffle.

Chances on a fine oil painting by Mrs. Converse. Tickets from one cent to one dollar. Call at Freunds confectionery store,

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

It does more than that.

Gloria Lung Balsam not only removes the irritation but it heals the throat and aids nature in rebuilding and restoring to health the inflamed organs of speech and breathing. It is made of healing balms and is best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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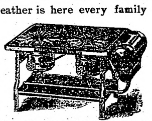
Now that the warm weather is here every family should have a



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The air arising from low, marshy places, damp cellars, stagnant ponds and pools and from decaying vegetable matter, as well as the gases from sewers, is loaded with germs of malarial poison. The water we drink, that has not been properly filtered and purified, is also full of these germs and microbes, and as we daily breathe and drink millions of these into the system, to be absorbed by the blood, the entire body begins to feel the effects of the poison. The most common form of Malaria is "chills and fever," but when the blood is thoroughly saturated with the poison it becomes so weak and polluted that abscesses, carbuncles, boils, sores, ulcers and other skin diseases result. Malaria also affects the liver, kidneys, bowels and stomach, producing a chronic state of biliousness that often results in jaundice or some malignant fever. In cases of Malaria the blood must be purified before the body can regain its natural health. S. S. S. contains purifying and tonic properties possessed by no other blood medicine, and is the ideal remedy for the treatment of Malaria. It destroys the germs of the disease and builds up the weakened, polluted circulation. It enters into the blood and forces out every particle of poison and waste matter and adds strength and activity to it. S. S. S. improves the appetite and digestion, tones up the entire system by its alterative and purifying action, and Malaria, with all its bad effects, is permanently driven from the system. Book on the blood and any medical advice, without charge. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

MALARIA IN HIS SYSTEM FOR YEARS.

For several years I suffered with Chills and Fever, caused by Malaria in my system, and each summer for several years I would have a relapse. Finally my physician prescribed S. S. S. It entirely cured me; I have never been troubled since. 913 W. Market St., Louisville, Ky. I. SHAPOFF.

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STATE LAND SALE.

State Auditor Announces Thousands of Acres Will Be Sold.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson announces that he will sell from 50,000 to 100,000 acres of state lands in the northern part of the state this fall. The maximum acreage which the state may sell under the law each year is 100,000, and the state auditor intimates that he may go the limit.

The exact dates and places of the sales have not been fixed, but it is understood that they will take place in St. Louis, Aitkin, Carlton, Beltrami, Crow Wing, Hubbard and possibly Polk, Fed Lake and W.dena counties. The sales will probably be held in September or October.

Mr. Iverson says that much of the land that will be put on sale is located in settled districts, within a few miles of railroads, school houses and churches.

The Higher Life.

St. Cloud Times: Senator Depew says Washington is the only place in the country where "mind can separate from and enjoy the lights and shadows of the higher life." The Senator's mission in Washington is doubtless the spiritual improvement of Senators who corrupt legislatures and of railway magnates who seek to prevent railway rate legislation.

Three From Dinkelspiel.

Some men are so dense mit der noddles that they can't get next efen in a barber shop.

Ven a man succeeds der vorld takes off its hat; ven he fails der vorld takes off der man's hat und his coat und shoes also.

Somedimes I feel glad dot Eve happened to be in der garden, udderwise Adam vould have blamed it on der cat, und dot vould haf been such a ridiculous.

There is no Need

to go into the science of a cough. It will only cost you 25c for a bottle of Gloria Lung Balsam. Gloria Lung Balsam has fooled many a Doctor. It has relieved and stopped coughs that were treated as consumptive indications. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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In cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, The Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

Opposes Death Penalty.

Gov. Johnson declares that he is opposed to capital punishment, but as long as such is the law of the state, he can see no other way than to carry out its mandate.

"I have my views on capital punishment," said Gov. Johnson, "and they are in accord with those of my private secretary, Mr. Day. I am opposed to it. I do not think it is right."

"However," added the executive, "my views will not be allowed to interfere. The law provides for capital punishment, it says that I shall fix the punishment, it says I shall fix the date of execution, and that settles it. I have no alternative but to obey. I suppose I could evade the disagreeable task, but I shall not."

Gov. Johnson, in fixing the date for hanging of Gottschalk, practically extended his time one month from that fixed by the trial judge.

Gov. Johnsen says he has no especial reasons for selecting Aug. 8 as the date. Gottschalk could not be executed within the two months, and the governer says he thought adding another month would do no harm.

The Folly of It.

Albert Lea Standard: Rockefeller, Schwab, Carnegie, Harriman and many others have in a few brief years "made" their millions—and yet most of them are not satisfied and are striving for more. And for what? Naked they all came into the world and naked they will soon leave it.

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's Few Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheekn; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind, Try them. At all druggists 25 cents.

Governor Names Flag Day.

The removal of the battle flags captured by the Minnesota regiments in the civil war from the old to the new capitol will be the feature of the celebration of Flag day in St. Paul, according to the proclamation of Gov. John A. Johnson, issued yesterday, designating June 14 as Flag day.

J. M. Bowler. D. L. Kingsley, J. H. Abbott, C. R. Fix, J. S. McDonald and L. W. Collins are named to make provision for the proper removal of the flags from the old to the new capitol building and to arrange for fitting ceremonies for that occasion.

Do Not be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for FOLEY'S Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

There Are Other.

"The best service a postmaster can give to his party is to conduct his office in a proper manner." Postmaster General Cortelyou.

This applies to all public officials from the president down to pathmaster. Why make a grand stand play by singling out postmasters? —Sauk Centre Herald.

A Report from Switzerland.

Mr. John Schneeberger, of Ashtabula, Ohio, writes that Gloria Tonic was put to a very severe test by his sister in Switzerland, who had been an invalid from rheumatism for 40 years, with the result that it completely cured her. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

State Fair.

Hamline.—The state fair of 1905 will be held Sept. 4. to Sept. 9, inclusive, and will be the most comprehensive ever held in the United States. It will be much larger even than the great fair of 1904. No industry will be neglected. Each department will be in charge of a superintendent, selected because of his competency and experience in that particular line, and each part of the fair will be given well-balanced attention. The fair will not be strong in some particulars and weak in others. It will be strong in all.

For instance, the great sweepstakes prize for creamery butter, which has for several years past attracted an enormous display at the state fair is this year, increased from $800 to $1,000.

Another interesting prize and a new one, is that of $100 sweepstakes for exhibits of corn husked and in stalk to be shown on a table three by six feet with wall space. This suggests the developed importance of the corn growing industry of Minnesota. As last year, $2,000 goes to county exhibits and similar liberal appropriations are found all through the book.

The premium list is for free distribution. Anyone interested may obtain it by addressing Secretary E. W. Randall, State Fair Grounds, Minn.

Settled.

St. Paul.—Attorney General Young has made a settlement of the suit he commenced last January for the recovery of a half-section of timberland in the eastern part of Hubbard county.

It was set up that the land had been erroneously appraised in 1902 by three citizens of Hubbard county as being devoid of timber and had been sold in October, 1902, as agricultural land, at $5 an acre. The land was sold to S. W. Allen of Walker and later transferred to West & Bonness of Minneapolis. State Auditor Iverson found the land contained 1,500,000 feet of of white pine timber.

Indians.

White Earth.—Minnesota Indians will not be included in the enumeration of the residents of the state to be made under the direction of the state census department.

Superintendent George Wright stated that the enumerators would be instructed to count only Indians who were entitled to the rights of suffrage. In the Leech Lake reservation a large number of the Indians have participated in the allotments of government money, which gives them the right of citizenship.

The great majority of the Indians of the state, however, are still wards of the government and the Indian reservations will be practically free from the invasion of the census enumerator. The agents of all Indian reservations have been asked for a complete statement as to the number of Indians entitled to citizenship.

A fine buggy horse for sale. Perfectly reliable and can be trusted. Inquire of Milton Converse.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Sixty-two and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3.) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5,) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All the undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 9th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Roddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.

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Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

In Probate Court,
Special Term, May 17th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker Deceased:

Whereas, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Clarance Gibson Walker deceased, late of said County, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Agnes Anna Walker has filed therewith her petition representing, among other things, that said Clarence Gibson Walker died in said county on the 13th day of May 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is the Executrix named in said Last will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and said petition, be heard before this Court, at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls on Friday the 16th day of June A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 17th day of, May A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Notice to the Legal Voters

OF THE COUNTY OF RED LAKE, STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Notice is hereby given that a petition is now on file in my office signed by the legal voters of said county to the number of two thousand six (2006,) praying that the county seat of said county be changed to the city of Thief River Falls which is situated in Township number one hundred fifty-four north, of range forty-three west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and that a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County will be held at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to consider and determine as to the genuineness of the signatures to said petition, and as to the number of Legal voters of said county whose genuine signatures were attached thereto within sixty days preceding the filing of said petition and affidavits in the office of the said County Auditor, at which time and place any legal voter in said county may appear in person or by counsel, and be heard respecting the matters so committed to the determination of said board.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of May, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accuring costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.

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J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 16, 1905.

Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.

DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs,
vs
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit. All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit:

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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Order for Hearing on Claims, Etc

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term May 17th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson, deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased, late of the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to S. J. Swanson.

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of Said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 20th day of November, 1905, at ten o'clock a. m., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 17th day of May, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Crookston, Minnesota, April 5th, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before The Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on May 23rd, 1905, viz: Arcene J. Normandin; H. E. No. 20597, for the Lots 2, 3, Sec. 31, T. 150 N., R. 44 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel Vaudrin, Napoleon Vaudrin, Stanislaw Patenode and Joseph Leyquier, all of Gentilly, Minnesota.

SYLVESTER PETERSON
Register.

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Order for Hearing Guardian's Account.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }

In Probate Court,
Special Term, April 17, 1905.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph E. Patenode, Minor.

Upon filing the final account of Guardianship with a petition for final settlement and allowance of Joseph Dervcher, Guardian of the above named minor.

It is ordered, that said petition be heard, and the settlement and allowance of said account be made at a special term of the Probate Court, to be held in and for said County of Red Lake on Friday, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, in the Court house in Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be given to all persons interested, by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and publishing at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 17th day of April, A. D., 1905.

By the Court:
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate

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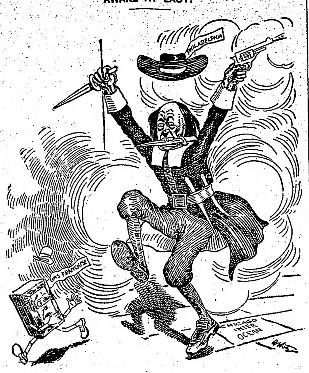

THIEVES STEAL HANDSOME JEWELS

FIRM OF TIFFANY & CO., ROBBED OF THREE STONES CUT FROM FAMOUS DIAMOND.

Value of the Gems Is Placed at $90,000—Old and Trusted Employes Are Blamed for Carelessness Making Theft Possible.

New York, May 22.—Three diamonds cut from the world famous Excelsior stone and valued in the aggregate at $90,000 were stolen from the shop of Tiffany & Co. on May 4. The fact was made public for the first time Saturday. Detective forces on two continents are working to recover the gems. In all ten diamonds were cut from the Excelsior last fall shortly after its purchase by Tiffany from an English syndicate. The stone was found at Jagersfontein, South Africa, in 1893, and in the rough weighed 971 carats. It was the largest diamond that has ever been cut up and the total value of the ten stones taken from it was $500,000. Five of the diamonds were sold by Tiffany to well known New York people last Christmas. Of the remaining five the company now has only two.

Stolen in Workshop.

The robbery was committed in the workshop on the fifth floor of the Tiffany building in Union square, on the afternoon of Thursday, May 4. The next morning, when the manager of the department went to take them from the safe in which they should have been locked for the night, they had disappeared. In fact, the three diamonds upon which a trusted workman had been employed all day on May 4 never had been placed in the safe. Loosely wrapped in paper the $90,000 worth of jewels had been laid by the workman an the shelf window of the wire cage which separates the office from the workshop.

Detectives are working on the theory that one of the 60 men and boys in the shop knew what this particular package contained and that the temptation to take it was too great to be resisted.

Although 16 days have passed since the robbery was committed, not one satisfactory clew has been found, but Tiffany & Co., and the police are confident that the jewels cannot be disposed of without detection.

Wonderful Jewels.

Of the three diamonds, the largest weighs 31 carats and is valued at $50,000. Another of 24 carats is worth $25,000. The smallest one, weighing 20 carats, would bring $15,000. All are pearl shaped and absolutely pure white. Their brilliancy is remarkable. Each one is flawless. Tiffany & Co. were proud of the ten diamonds and experts pronounced them to be as fine as ever known.

They never had been displayed in the store, but were shown to customers in the diamond room. J. Pierpont Morgan, Thomas W. Lawson, the Astors, Vanderbilts and other wealthy people handled and admired them when the firm decided first to sell the ten stones in one set. The price asked—$500,000—proved a stumbling block to this plan, so the diamonds had to be disposed of separately.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 22.—One of the most disastrous fires that has occurred in this city in some years started in the business district at an early hour Sunday morning, and not until afternoon were the firemen able to control the flames. The loss entailed will reach fully $300,000. The Isaac Long dry goods firm is the heaviest loser.

Moro Chief Killed.

Manila, May 19.—News has been received that Pala, the outlaw Moro chief, who has been pursued the past two weeks on the island of Jolo by troops under the command of Gen. Leonard Wood, has been killed. His few surviving followers are being trailed by the troops.

CAUSED AN UPROAR.

Philadelphia City Councils Lease Gas Works to a Private Company.

Philadelphia, May 19.—Amid scenes of disorder unprecedented in the annals of Philadelphia's legislative body, both branches of the city council voted to lease the city's gas works to the United Gas Improvement company for a term of 75 years for the total sum of $25,000,000, the money to be paid in various amounts before the end of 1907. Council chambers and committee rooms were crowded with excited citizens protesting against the lease to the United Gas Improvement company. The climax was reached when the vote in common council was announced, after three hours of debate. The moment President George McCurdy of the common council announced the vote a great uproar was started in the gallery, which was crowded to the door. From all over the gallery came hisses and cries of "Thieves!" The outburst was somewhat startling to the presiding officer, who made a vain effort to quell it. Finally he sent for a squad of police to clear the gallery.

Mayor Weaver is expected to veto the bill, and in that event both chambers will probably pass it over his veto. The vote in the common council was 74 to 9, and in the select council, 37 to 4. There is only one democrat in each body, and both voted against the lease. There is some talk among citizens who fought the lease to take the matter to the courts.

FATAL GALE IN TEXAS.

One Man Killed and Considerable Damage Reported at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Tex., May 22.—A heavy wind storm blowing at the rate of 70 miles an hour struck this city from the southwest at 6:30 Sunday night. Part of the west wall of the Texas & Pacific passenger station was blown in and John Young, a train dispatcher, killed. The storm was most severe west of the city and all telephone and telegraph wires in that direction are down. A passenger on a Texas & Pacific train from the west reports that the town of Mineral Wells was partly blown away. One church building, belonging to the African Methodist Episcopal congregation here, was demolished. Many business buildings lost their roofs, including the First national bank building, a seven-story structure.

RAILROAD BILL PASSED.

Wisconsin Senate Adopts the Measure Advocated by the State Administration.

Madison, Wis., May 20.—The senate Thursday night passed the administration railroad measure by an unanimous vote, after voting down several amendments. The bill in the main is as introduced in its original form, and also passed the assembly by a large majority. It provides for an appointive railway commission of three members, with a salary of $5,000 per year, with power to prescribe just and equitable rates, charges and regulations, to govern and regulate freight and passenger rates and switching and other charges, to correct abuses and prevent unjust discriminations in railroad rates.

Morton to Leave Cabinet Soon.

Washington, May 20.—Secretary Morton will leave the cabinet July 1 if the president will accept his resignation on that date. The secretary has not completed his plans for the future. He has a number of offers under consideration.

Eight Die in Wreck.

Owensboro, Ky., May 19.—Eight persons are known to have been killed in a wreck on the Illinois Central railroad near McHenry Station Thursday afternoon, the result of a collision between two freight trains.

Signed by the Czar.

St. Petersburg, May 17.—Emperor Nicholas has signed the appointment of Baron Rosen, to be ambassador of Russia to the United States.

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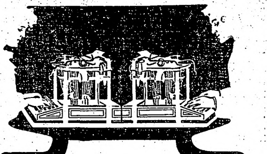

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SIEFF ANSWERS PLETH.

Editor COURIER:—In the Plummer Pioneer of May 6th, Julius Pleth caused to be published a long statement telling why he had caused my arrest on the charge of horse-stealing. While I was very sorry that Mr. Pleth should do all in his power to injure me by. dragging my name in the newspapers as well as in Court, I determined not to answer until I could back up my statements by the decisions of the Court, which I knew must surely prove that I was right and Pleth was wrong.

That time has now come. In justice to myself and my friends I wish to state the real facts as they have been proven in Court. About April 19th last, Julius Pleth and his hired man, Oscar Carlson, a constable, drove to my farm in Equality, and finding my team working in the field, unhitched them and took them away, claiming that they had been mortgaged by F.E. Sullivan. One of this team was already mine and had never been owned by Sullivan. The other had been sold me by Sullivan, and neither of them was included or described in the mortgage which Sullivan had given the Bank of Plummer. Pleth could not find the horses which Sullivan had mortgaged, and so took mine. I immediately replevied the horses, and the case was tried Tuesday this week. I proved the horses mine, obtained judgment against the Bank of Plummer for their return, and damages for their wrongful taking from me. Mr. Pleth did not even show up at the trial, in spite of all his newspaper talk.

Now as to the horse which I was charged with stealing. About April 27th, Pleth and Carlson went to the farm of Thor Gunstenson, and finding Mr.Gunstenson plowing in the field, seized one of his horses, unhitched it from the plow, against his will, and took it away, claiming it under the Sullivan mortgage. This was a horse which Sullivan had never owned or mortaged, or described in any mortgage. I bought the horse at Red Lake Falls, sold it to Alex Arveson, who traded it to Gunstenson. Neither Mr. Pleth nor the Bank ever owned it or had a mortgage on it or any other claim to it. Yet Pleth caused his man Carlson to swear out a warrant charging me and Gunstensen, the owner of the horse, with stealing it. Pleth had no great grudge against Gunstenson, so he was arrested, and premitted to go on his own bond. But I was arrested without any warrant, thrown into jail, andarssulted while helpless in the jail. Bail bonds for my release signed by the cashier of the best Bank in the County were offered, but refused without any reason. News of my arrest was sent to the newspapers and reached my sick wife in the Hospital at Minneapolis Not satisfied with that, Mr. Pleth himself wrote the article I have referred to and had it published. My hearing was put off from time to time, but when it finally came up for trial at Plummer, last Monday, Mr. Pleth did not show up at all, except to come and ask me if I was willing he should drop the case. But I told him in the presence of witnesses to go on and prove what he had said he could prove. Then he instructed the County Attorney to dismiss the case against both Gunstenson and myself, and it was done. I leave the public to judge who is the guilty one.

LOUIS SIEFF.

Dated May 24th, 1905,

THEY WILL FLY.

The Great Northern and Soo Line Trains to Winnipeg.

There is a speed contest on between the Great Northern and Soo Lines between the twin cities and Winnipeg. The stake is the carryng of the mails between the two points. The rivalry between the two great railway systems is resulting in better service by both roads better roadbeds, better and more comfortable coaches and greater attention to passenger service. It is said that the mail contract is worth nearly $400,000 per year. The improved conditions are bringing to the roads a greater amount of passenger traffic.

New heavy steel rails have recently been laid on both roads and the roadbeds are being heavily balasted with gravel. The new trains put on are not excelled by any road in the west. The engines are of the most improved passenger type, the speediest engines made. The time between the Twin Cities and Winnipeg is being cut down and it is said that the Great Northern is contemplating a speed of not less than sixty miles an hour, inclusive of stops.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

A $35,000 fire was the sensation at Marshall last week.

Middle River has decided to celebrate the glorious fourth of July.

Sunday base ball is very popular in Northern Minnesota these days.

The mayor of Morhead proposes to put a stop to the practice of selling liquor to minors.

Work on Fosston's new school building began last week. A local contractor is doing the work.

A lazy dog down at Sanborn sat on a cement walk before it was dry and owner had to chop him out.

Plum thickets throughout the state are masses of bloom, and the foundation is being laid for a lot of plum sass in the fall.

The rivers and creeks of Minnesota have been very high lately and the highest water in years is reported from many places.

Redwood Falls put on a play entitled "Woman versus Woman." There was something doing all the time and between acts.

Indiana and Illinois people are already arriving in Northern Minnesota to spend the summer at the numerous lakes and resorts

The women of Alexandria maintain what is known as a "rest room." 2,300 visitors were at the place from Nov. until April. It is a place where ladies from the country can bring their children and care for them while shopping and it is also designed for a resting place for the weary. A great amount of trade has been drawn to the town by the maintenance of this resort.

Postal Cards That Whistle

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He Obeyed Orders.

Duluth News-Tribune: A theatrical manager, who was in the city recently, related an experience with an Irish stage hand who destroyed a quanity of costly lithographs.

Being busy behind the scenes when they were brought to him he called a stage hand and ordered him to place them in the foyer.

Entering the theater in the evening he noticed that the lithographs were not visible, so he sent for the attendant and asked him where they were.

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Mr. Alex A. Sweaas,
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Dear Sir:—At the time you brought the petition for the removal of the county seat to Thief River Falls to my office you made the proposition that you would post the notices of the special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners in all the towns of the County free of charge. These notices are now ready for posting and if your proposition still holds good either come down or send your men down on this evening's train, and I will deliver the notices to you or them.

Yours very truly,
James E, Ford,
County Auditor

Thief River Falls, Minn., May 17, 1905

Mr. James E. Ford, County Auditor.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir: I have just received yours of of yesterday referring to the offer I gave you in regard posting the notices of the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners at the time we was there with the petition. At that time our committee concluded to do that work and pay the expenses for same, but you know how much unneccessary trouble and expenses this Mr. Duffy's Injunction Case put us into; we had about forty (40) Affidafits to get from nearly all over the county to prove that Duffy's alligations was not true. This alone cost us more than what the posting of the notices would amounted to, and a considerable expense beside that. On these reasons the committee do not feel like doing the posting of these notices, and I for my part, personally have no time now to do it; I have the assessing to do, and the census to take for the whole city, which will keep me very busily up to July 1st.

Yours respectfully,
Alex A. Sweaas.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

How the Expense Is Paid for Quarantined People.

The attorney general has rendered an opinion as who is to pay the expense of the control of contagious diseases which will be of general interest. Part of his opinion is as follows:

"All expenses incurred in the care of a person ill of a contagious or infectuous disease is first charged against such person, his parents or guardian. If he or they are unable to pay the same then the entire expense is a charge against the county in which he has a legal settlement, if under the county system of caring for the poor, if the town system for caring for them in force in your county, and the person ill is unable to pay the same, the political subdivision chargeable with the care of such person as a pauper must meet the entire expense. You will note the distinction between control and care in the forgoing opinion.

"There has been some controversy as to what may be properly included under control, and what may properly be designated as care. In the opinion of this office the establishment of the quarantine, including the services of the board of health, the physicians employed by them for that purpose, the raising of the quarantine and the expense of the guard for the purpose of maintaining the quarantine, are probably chargeable to general control. On the other hand, expenses incurred for a physician, food and other necessaries of life for the person ill are expenses. In my judgment, clearly chargeable to care, and payable as above indicated, whether ordered by the board of health or by the person ill. A person ill of a contagious disease where able, is liable, in my judgment, for the expense of his care even where ordered solely by the board of health."

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BOARD OF AUDITORS OF RED LAKE CO.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.
Dated May 23, 1905.

Worth Reading.

In all the Baking Powder "Wars" that have boen intermittently waged in the last twenty years, there is one point that has been overlooked by the belligerent makers of these goods. Rival manufacturers have contented themselves with accusing their competitors of making an unwholesome product. The question of keeping quality, and therefore, efficiency in raising bred, the only purpose for which baking powder is used, appears to have been generally ignored. There are many powders, which, when fresh, and the can is first uncovered, will do fairly good work, but after standing some time on the pantry shelf, the powder becomes so weak as to be almost worthless as far as raising bread is concerned. This is especially true in the case of the so called "Phosophate powders, which, were it not for this fatal defect, would be satisfactory baking powders. The unsuccessful attempts to overcome this fault of the "Phosopnate" powders has enlisted the services of more chemists and cost more money than the solution of any other problem connected with the raising of bread. The makers of these "Phosophate" powders raise a great cry about the wonderful healthiness of their product, but what matters all this if the powder will not fulfill the only object for which it is purchased? The housewife to whom economy is an object will avoid these "Phosophate" powders.

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BUSY WEEK FOR GRADUATES

Next Week Will Be One of Importance to the Class of 1905.—Program Given Below.

The first of the series of exercises in connection with the graduation of the class of 1805 will be the baccalaureate address by Rev. Father Ansgar at St. Mary's church, Sunday, June 4, at 7:30 p. m. Seats will be reserved for the parents of the graduates until 7:15.

The commencement exercises will be held at the Metropolitan Opera House Monday evening, June 5, 8 p. m.

PROGRAM.

Music—Orchestra........................Turlet
"French National Defili March"
Invocation.... ....Rev. Father Fayolle
Oration........... ....Blanch Berthiaume
Saluatory—"Mothers of the Great"
Class History.........................Rose Sutter
Oration......................Micheal Connaughty
"Opportunities Offered to Young Men of Today"
Music—Orchestra........................ ....Verdi
Miserere" from Il Trovotore
Class Poem ....Lillian Nauman
"More Beyond"
Oration.............. ....J. Drew Marshall
"What Next"
Class Prophecy... ....Iza M. Tibbetts
Vocal Solo "Answer" Robyr....Mrs. E. H. Chase
Oration.........................Mayme Linnihan
"The Power of Music"
Class Will.......................Clara Marchand
Oration, Valedictory....... ....Ralph Healy
"The Industrial Manager"
Music—Orchestra.........................Losey
"Patrol of the Guardsmen"
Presentation of Diplomas.....................
.....................Prof. E. W. Chamberlain
Benediction............. .... Rev. H. W. Knox
Music—Orchestra................. ....Braham
"Storm Center March"

Seats will be reserved for the parents and relatives of the graduates until 7:50.

On Wednesday evening, June 7, at 8:30, the Juniors will banquet the members of the classes of 1904 and 1905 at the assembly rooms in the Lafayette building.

Thursday, June 8, at 8 p. m., the alumni will receive the class of 1905 at the K. of P. hall.

E. W. Chamberlain, Supt.

NEW MAIL ROUTE TO CITY

Uncle Sam will Establish a Route from Dorothy to this City via. Wylie.

Postmistress Marshall received notice the first of the week that a new mail route is to be established in Red Lake county and the following notice has been given a prominent position in the post office at this place:

"Sealed proposals will be received by the Second Assistant Postmaster General until June 13, 1905, for carrying the United States mails for the term from July 1, 1905, to June 30, 1907, on the following described route—including the depositing and collecting of mail along the route—by the schedule stated, or such other schedule of like running time as the Postmaster General may prescribe:

"From Dorothy by Wylie to Red Lake Falls, 18 miles and back, six times a week."

The notice provides for the following time table or schedule: Lv. Dorothy at 6 a. m., arrive Red Lake Falls at 11:00 a. m,; returning leave this city at 12 m. arriving at Dorothy at 5 p. m. Bonds required with bid, $1,600.

It will be noticed that the service will be every week day, and that farmers and patrons living along the route will be allowed the privileges of a rural mail route.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

A Chronic Cough Will Develop

immediately into lung trouble. The throat is irritated and pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, or consumption is bound to follow. Use Gloria Lung Balsam and the danger is banished. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

STATE CAN USE THE CASH

Money to Be Provided for Taking Care of Needs of Counties and School Districts.

State Treasurer J. H. Block will likely recommend to the board of investment the sale of all or part of the state's holding of the Virginia bonds which amount to $2,145,000. He is now investigating the probable price that these bonds would bring in case they were offered for sale.

All these bonds mature in 1901 with the exception of $52,500. The state of Virginia has the option of redeeming them at par after 1906. Mr. Bock is now corresponding with the authorities of Virginia to ascertain what proportion of them, if any, they expect to redeem.

Mr. Block's object in such a disposition of the bonds is to place more funds at the disposal of the board of investment municipalities, and counties for the purpose of building school houses, court houses and construction of drainage ditches.

It has been found at present impossible to supply all of these calls. This is particularly true of the northern part of the state, which is rapidly developing. These loans pay the state four per cent interest or 33 1-3 per cent more than the Virginia bonds. The Virginia bonds only bear three per cent.

Mr. Block thinks that such a disposition of the bonds would not only aid the municipalities and school districts, but it would also result in a much greater revenue to the state school, university and other trust funds.

Ten Weeks in a Hospital.

Mr. Christ Shorr, of Phillips, Wisconsin writes: "Gloria Tonic cured me completely of rheumatism. The hospital failed to do it. I was in it twice, once three weeks and another time seven weeks. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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HONOR THE NATION'S HEROES

Appropriate Memorial Day Exercises held in Red Lake Falls—Civil War Veterans Honored.

Red Lake Falls observed Decoration Day with appropriate exercises at the Metropolitan opera house. Although the preparations were made somewhat hurriedly the affair was a success in every particular.

At 10:30 a. m. the old soldiers formed in marching order at the city hall and proceeded to the school house, led by the band. At the Lafayette school building the school children joined the procession and the parade marched through the principal streets of the city, dispersing at the Metropolitan opera house.

The meeting at the opera house was attended by a large crowd, all bent on honoring the old soldiers. Mayor Duffy persided at the meeting, and the music was furnished by a large chorus and the band. Hon. L. C. Simons, Atty. Fred. L. Farley and Supt. of Schools Chamberlain were the speakers of the occasion. The gentlemen's talks were timely and befitting the occasion. Their addresses teemed with patriotism and honor for the old war veterans and were most kindly received by the large audience present. There are but a few of the old soldiers left in this vicinity and it is a pleasure and a duty the public owes them to meet once a year and pay tribute to their deeds of valor and daring.

In the afternoon a ball game was played between the high school nine and a team picked up about town. The town club won the game by a score of nine to two, but it was a close game until the seventh or eighth inning. The game was witnessed by a number of people.

A number of the local trap shooters held an impromtu shoot in the afternoon. Dr. F. F. Fletcher proved the best shot, making a record of twenty-four birds out of a possible twenty-five.

MASTODON AT FOSSTON.

Homesteader Finds Bones of What was Likely a Mastodon.

Foston has a Mastodon skeleton the head of which is some three and one half feet in length and the teeth four inches in length.

A skeleton was dug up by a farmer fifteen miles north of that place. It was found at a depth of twelve and one half feet and was a very large one. Though badly decomposed its general form and size could be clearly made out. The head itself extended from corner of the well and which is about three feet square. The teeth are well preserved and the largest ones are between three and four inches in length, occuring in groups of three of four in length. The general character of the country where the skeleton was found is hilly. The sub-soil in the locality is sand and gravel, the particular stratum surrounding the skeleton being a black loam.

Various opinions are current as to the character of the skeleton, but the best informed persons who have seen the bones incline to the view that they are of a mastodon. Dr. McKinnon of that place has in his possession some of the best preserved bones.

A Building Without Wood.

Two Baltimore architects have drawn the plans for a sixstory building entirely without wood. The entire structure will be of reinforced concrete and steel. Even the doors, trimmings, window sashes and door jams will be of metal. From the modern idea this will be a "perfect" building, just as golden grain belt beer is a "perfect" food drink. It contains the strength of purest barley malt and hops in a liquid form easy to digest. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

Five Persons Cured.

Mr. Jacob Baatz, 442 7th St. Newark, N. J. writes: Gloria Tonic does exactly what it is claimed for. It cured me of rheumatism, also five of my friends. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

FIELD MEET HERE SATURDAY

Fertile and Red Lake High Schools Will Strive for Honor and Fame in Athletic Contests Saturday.

Word was received this noon that the Fertile high school scholars will be here Saturday to try conclusions with representatives of the local school in a field meet. The events will take place at the base ball park, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m.

The program will call for foot races of 100 yards, 220 yards and 440 yards. There will be 120 yard and 220 yard hurdle races, 12 lb. shot put, 12 lb. hammer throw, running high jump, running broad jump, running hop, step and jump at the pole vault—eleven events in all.

The judges have not been selected yet but will be announced later. The usual school yells and enthusiasm will no doubt be in evidence and a good time is looked for.

PERFORMANCE POSTPONED.

Operetta by the Choral Union to be given Next Week.

"Phylis, the Farmer's Daughter," the operetta to be given by the choral union, has been postponed until Friday evening of next week. It was intended to present "Phylis" this week, but the illness of Prof. Onstad, the director and leading tenor singer, has prevented this.

The singers have been working faithfully on this work and have the operetta well in hand. The leading parts are taken by singers of ability and the chorus is especially strong. The program and cast of characters will be announced in next week's papers, and the evening of the performance will no doubt find a large audience of our music-loving people present at the opra house.

NEW RAILWAY SURVEY.

Great Northern said to be Surveying a New Line to this City.

People in a position to know are led to believe that the Great Northern railway is preparing to build a line from Blackduck to Red Lake Falls the coming summer. At the present time engineers are working in Beltrami county.

E. J. Swedback of Bemidji, engineer for the Bemidji, Red Lake & Manitoba Ry. Co., and one of the best authorities on railroad matters in Northern Minnesota, stated recently that there was no doubt in his mind but that the line would be built this summer.

The County in General

Thief River Falls is going to try to organize a band.

A stranger went crazy while in Thief River recently. Cant blame him.

Plummer has decided not to celebrate July fourth. Lack of money is the reason given.

St. Hilaire is to have a new lodge. The Modern Brotherhood of America expect to begin business there June 1st.

St. Hilrire's school board has decided to put in the Manuel-Smith system of heating and ventilation in each of the six rooms and the work will be done during the summer vacation.

The Plummer and Brooks ball teems played a game recently at Brooks, Plummer winning. The Plummer boys are loud in their praise of the treatment received while in Brooks

Upon the recommendation of Commissioner Shaw the Soo will plant clover along the right-of-way from Thief River to Emerson. This is done for the purpose of showing travelers what the soil of Northern Minnesota will do.

It Is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

NEW DEAL ON GRAIN BOARD

Red River Valley Given Two Places—Kelso of Hallock and McManus of Crookston.

Five new members of the state board of grain appeals were appointed yesterday by Gov. John A. Johnson, and the sixth member, Arthur F. Evenson of St. Peter, was reappointed. He was appointed by Governor Johnson to succeed N. Lally of Crookston last February. He is an old friend and neighbor of the Governor and a Democrat. Mr. Evenson is a nephew of C. F. Johnson of Red Lake Falls. The positions pay $2,200 a year.

The five new members who will take office Aug. 1, follow: Theodore Thorson, Republican, Glenwood; S. B. Thorson, Republican, Winthrop; W. F. Kelso, Democrat, Hallock; J. F. Cargar, Democrat, Fergus Falls; T. B. McManus, Democrat, Crookston. The law provides that not more than four members shall be of the same political party.

Following are the five members whose service on the board will end Aug. 1: E. H. Pugh, Duluth; G. J. Strang, Alexandria; James K. Stone Montevideo; Franklyn L. Greenleaf, Minneapolis; A. C. Aaby, Rockdell, Olmstead county.

This announcement closes one o the most vigorous contests for appointments since Gov. Johnson became the chief executive of the state. There were nearly eighty applicants for the positions, and many delegations waited upon the governor to urge the appointment of a favorite candidate.

The action of the governor in not naming a resident of any of the three large cities on the board caused considerable surprise, since the board sits in the Twin Cities and at Duluth. It was stated at the governor's office yesterday that the appointments were given to the country because the three large cities had been well taken care of in the way of appointments and because it was thought a board composed of country members would work more harmoniously.

ASSAULTED BY MAD MOOSE.

Former Red Lake Falls Girl Has a Thrilling Experience.

Big Fork Compass: Mrs. J. M. Allard had a very unpleasant and unusual experience while wandering over her husband's homestead in Grand Falls township, four miles from the village. With her 22-calibre rifle and accompanied by the family dog "Chocolate"—a big Newfoundland—she was looking for rabbits.

Walking alone down a deer trail through a small marsh she heard savage barking far in advance. Later she heard heavy tramping through the brush and grass, accompanied by the repeated snarl of "Chocolate." Suddenly in the path before loomed a big moose, snorting, running toward her, to turn in an instant to charge at the dog which was jumping at his throat and legs.

The moose paused when he saw Mrs. Allard, paused with a snort like a steamboat whistle. Then grunting as the dog hurled itself upon his flanks, he lowered his head and charged full upon her.

Mrs. Allard did not climb a tree or run, as common custom would have her do. Instead she leveled her toy repeater and shot a stream of bullets into Mr. Moose's face until he admitted that a lady was entitled to the road and he swung off to one side and passed on.

Bees for Sale.

I have about thirty-five hives of fine honey bees for sale cheap. Enquire at residence on North Side.

j15 OLIVER CARON.

Low Rates To Crookston.

On account of the Norwegian Student's Concert to be held at Crookston, June first, the Great Northern will sell tickets at one and one-third fares for the round trip. Tickets on sale for trains arriving in Crookston June first, with final limit June 2nd. Consult local agent.

$500,000.00 CAPITAL, THE LARGEST AND MOST RELIABLE MEDICAL COMPANY IN THE WORLD,

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WE SAY THAT Nutriola, Nutriola Laxative Granules and Nutriola Skin Food will aid Nature in curing perfectly, Skin Diseases of every form, however malignant, from Birth Humors to torturing Eczema. They bring relief at once, where all else has failed, and we will give $5,000 for any skin with a disease we cannot cure. NUTRIOLA & NATURE are

"THE KIND THAT CURES."

WE SAY THAT Nutriola, Nutriola Laxative Granules, Nutriola Nerve Plasters, and later Special Nutriola, will enable Nature to perfectly cure Nervous Prostration, Headache, Hysteria, St. Vitus' Dance, and all troubles of the Nerve Centers and Nerve Trunks.

WE SAY THAT Nutriola & Nature assisted by additional treatment as supplied by our Staff of skilled Physicians, Specialists and Chemists, will absolutely cure any case of Heart, Bronchial or Respiratory Organ Troubles, Blood Poison, Syphilis, all Secret Diseases, Tumors, Ulcers, Hydrocele, Epilepsy, and Rupture in every form.

WE SAY THAT when you buy a box of NUTRIOLA you buy also the privilege of consulting our Staff of Physicians, receiving Free Advice, Free Chemical or Microscopical Analysis, at any and all times until you are cured. We never charge any fees for their services.

We Will Cure You or Pay the Bill

WE SAY THAT in proof of the above statements we will give YOU an Ironclad Agreement under Seal of our Company, signed by our Treasurer, backed by AMPLE CAPITAL, and the highest medical skill, to absolutely cure YOU perfectly and permanently or refund every cent of money you paid for our Preparations or treatment.

WE SAY THAT Nutriola Preparations are always sold under this agreement. YOUR MONEY BACK if you are not BENEFITED—your money back if not CURED. WE PAY THE DRUGGIST.

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OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

In Norway less than one acre in every 100 is used for grain growing.

The pregency of a pair of rats, under favorable conditions, will in three years number 1,000.

A cows hide produces thirty-five pounds of leather and that of a horse about eighteen pounds.

When strawberries will net the grower 7 cents a box they are a profitable crop to raise.

Most town folks admire their country relatives—more particularly in summer for visiting purposes.

Good horses are scarce; plugs are abundant. The remedy ought to be apparent. Are you planning for plugs or horses."

The appearance of a farm residence is enhanced by the presence of trees. The world, indeed, would be a dreary place without trees.

It pays to keep fences up in good shape and keep all fields clear of weeds. To do this requires work and to do work needs men.

"Eggshells also have value. Something like 1,000,000 pounds of eggshell are used every year in the manufacture of kid gloves and print calicoes.

Take bbiled linseed oil, and mix it with charcoal dust until the mixture has the consistency of ordinary paint. Give to the posts, which should be well dried two coats of the mixture before setting them and no farmer will live long enough to see the same posts rotten. The posts which may be of the softest wood, will cost less than 3 cents each to prepare.

King Edward and the French government were recently opposing bidders for a horse sold in England at auction. The horse, a thoroughbred, Cylline by name, was finally knocked down to the King for $200,000 and will be maintained as a breeder by the British government. Great Britian never loses an opportunity to improve her supply of cavalry horses.

One of the worst weed pests on the farm is quack grass, and like quack doctors it persists in doing all kinds of harm while farmers feel that it is not a bad weed. I succeded in getting rid of a patch of this pest by summer plowing and putting it to buckwheat, followed by early plowing again and winter wheat. The third crop was again winter wheat and that field has been free from quack grass ever since.

You put blinders on a horse so that he can scarcely see anything that is going on about him and then you blame him for trembling and jumping and starting to run at every little noise. You forget how frightened you were when with blinded eyes you were initiated into the awful mysteries of the High Mightful lodge of Undiased and Superincumbent Chinwaggers. And why shouldn't a horse be frightened as easily as a donkey.

An 87,000 acre farm is one of the big things of big America. In fact, it is the largest farm in the world. Stretching along the southern border of Kansas, near Winfield, and extending across the line into Oklahoma, more than one hundred and fifty miles of fencing are required to surround its fertileacres. Nearly five hundred farm hands are required to till the 12,000 acres under cultivation. Fifty cowboys look after the 15,000 cattle and 5,000 hogs that roam in its 75,000 acres of pasture land. There are 300 work horses, 500 mules, and an immense lot of farming machinery on the place. Its largest cultivated field contains 9,000 acres. A telphone system connects all parts of the farm. Operating expenses exceed $100,000 anually and a rental of $30,000 is paid for part of the tract. Net profits of over $150,000 are banked each year. In addition to its other features, the farm contains the largest and finest herd of full blooded buffalo in existence.

Did You Ever Wonder

Why a baby carriage isn't known as a crycicle?

Why it is so much easier to be wrong than it is to be president?

Why so many of our coming men seem to be handicapped from the start?

Why some people manage to talk a great deal without saying anything?

Why the company that issues the map has the only curveless railroad thereon.

Why a girl seldom objects when a young man steals something from under her nose?

Why the average man invariably makes a fool of himself every time he tries to act up.

Why men are nearly always embarrased when they propose—either financially or otherwise?

Why so many men who are anxious to work when sick are just as anxious to avoid it when well?

Why some men are not as black as they are painted and some are not as white as they are whitewashed?

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Before starting on a trip, no matter where, write for information as to rates, routes, etc.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Bonds.

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The state holds $2,145,000 of these bonds, and all except $52,000 of them mature in 1991, with an option on the part of the state of Virginia to redeem them at par after 1906. Mr. Block is now corresponding with the authorities of Virginia to ascertain what proportion of them, if any, they expect to redeem. These bonds bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent, payable semiannually.

There is a great demand for loans from the state—from our own school districts, municipalities and counties—for the purpose of building school houses, court houses, constructing drainage ditches, etc., and it is at present impossible to supply all these calls. This is particularly true of the northern part of the state, which is rapidly developing. These loans pay the state 4 per cent interest, or 33⅓ per cent more than the Virginia bonds bring.

Mr. Block's object in this disposition of the bonds is thus not only to aid the municipalities and school districts in our own state, but it would also result in a much greater revenue to the state school, university and other trust funds, now holding these bonds.

Business Openings.

It seems to me that the man with a small capital can find no better opportunity for investment and for the establishment of a small business than in some of the many growing towns of the Northwest.

The Great Northern railway issues a booklet 'Business Openings,' which adequately and comprehensively describes the needs of the many towns along its lines and contains a detailed list of the business openings afforded the man with limited means as well as the big investor. I do not know of a section of the country which offers such limitless opportunities to the man who is content to live in a new country. The fact that in nearly every state of the northwest there is an available supply for almost every form of manufacture, offers to the manufacturer a chance to operate close to the supply of raw material.

Life Insurance.

St. Paul.—Insurance Commissioner O'Brien issued a preliminary report of the condition and business of the life insurance companies doing business in the state during 1904. The amount written by the premium companies doing business in the state was $33,439,414 and the losses incurred amounted to $1,777,922. Their total admitted assets were $2,479,716,868, liabilities $2,229,652,260, and surplus $214,064,495.

The general casualty insurance companies have a cash capital of $20,782,681 and assets of $141,165,271. Of fifty-six fraternal societies furnishing the department with statements a total income of $1,977,774 is given in premiums and losses amounting to $1,516,764. There were eleven fraternal societies doing business exclusively in the state and these show an increase of $233,556 for the year and losses paid $163,441.

Less Aid.

Owing to the fact that the last legislature largely increased the number of rural schools to secure state aid without increasing the appropriation, the rural schools will this year receive considerably less than the $125 each, which is the regular amount granted. The legislature provided that a certain class of rural schools which do not employ a first grade teacher shall have $50 aid each. This money must come out of the $100,000 appropriated as aid for first grade schools, and will accordingly, cut down the allowance for each.

Many Fish.

The state fish commission will this year distribute 150,000,000 wall-eyed pike in the streams and lakes of the state. This large number of that species of fish is now being raised at the state hatcheries because it is declared to be the best pan fish in Minnesota waters, and its propagation is in every way assisted by the commission.

Fatal Fall.

Farmington.—Falling headlong from a scaffold suspended eighteen feet in the air, Peter Becka, a prominent farmer living four miles south of Farmington, was fatally injured.

Becka was working on a building located on the farm, when he suddenly fell. A St. Paul physician was called, who found that the neck was broken in two places.

News Notes.

St. Paul—The city clerk has issued 1,300 bicycle licenses.

St. Paul—John C. Eden resigns as assistant general traffic manager of the Great Northern.

St. Paul—The state railway and warehouse commissioners will make their own plans for hay inspection.

Duluth—Complaints that some of the retail meat dealers' and grocers' associations in Minnesota are violating the Minnesota anti-trust law were filed with Gov. John A. Johnson yesterday, and the governor has ordered an investigation.

Fort Snelling—Private A. Ballard, Company A, Twenty-eighth regiment, stationed at Fort Snelling, accidentally shot himself through the left wrist while cleaning his revolver.

St. Paul—State Treasurer Block proposes to cash the $2,000,000 worth of Virginia bonds held by the permanent school fund.

China's Trade Guilds.

Canton, China, boasts of over seventy trades guilds. These guilds have fine halls and spacious courtyards, where their members meet daily and discuss the affairs of their respective trades and other matters.

Business to the Last.

It is asserted by the London Globe that a methodical and business-like bank clerk in a country branch forwarded a letter to the following effect to the head office: "Greatly regret to inform you I died this morning of pneumonia. John Smith, per James Brown."

Feel Impending Ill.

The feeling of impending doom in the minds of many victims of Bright's disease and diabetes has been changed to thankfulness by the benefit derived from taking Foley's Kidney Cure. It will cure incipient Bright's disease and diabetes and even in the worst cases gives comfort and relief. Slight disorders are cured in a few days. "I had diabetes in the worst form" writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure mode me a well man." A. L. Riechert.

Whales, Porpoises and Dolphins.

Neither whales, porpoises nor dolphins can be correctly described as fish, though they were till comparatively recently considered of the finny tribe. They are in the same class of creatures as the rhinoceros and gorilla—the mammalia. They cannot be at all correctly described as fish.

Columbus' Voyage.

It may be of interest to some to know that, according to his own account, Columbus was 33 days and 5 hours in crossing from Spain to San Salvador.

Confronts the Grave.

Neglecting a cough means confronting the grave. Use Gloaia Lung Balsam before it is too late. It is the one remedy which brings quick relief. It is made of honey and tar and other healing balm, and is the best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

A Cemetery Inscription.

In an old Virginia cemetery there is a weather beaten tombstone bearing this inscription: "I await my husband, May 26, 1840." "Here I am, Dec. 14, 1861." Some joker had read the inscription and added with a pencil, "Late, as usual."

Passports In Egypt.

Tourists in Egypt are supposed to be provided with passports, but the law is not strictly enforced. A visiting card suffices.

An Optimist.

The following peculiar advertisement recently appearing in the London Times testifies a human optimism: "Married lady, with five children (husband's income very small), wishes to be adopted by very wealthy old lady or gentleman (without relatives), who would pay for children's education and provide for their future. Replies," etc.

Make digestion and assimilation perfect. Make new red blood and bone. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. A tonic for the sick and weak. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. A. L. Riechert.

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If you want a pretty face and delightful air,
Rosy cheeks and lovely hair,
Wedding trip across the sea
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Strong Sweet Yeast
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Strong Sweet Bread
that makes a
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Yeast Foam is the yeast that took the First Grand Prize at the St. Louis Exposition, and is sold by all grocers at 5c a package—enough for 40 loaves. Send a postal card for our new illustrated book, "Good Bread: How to Make It."

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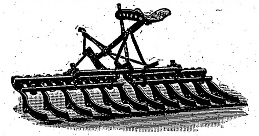

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Red Lake County Land for Sale Cheap

SW ¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire, 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy trems. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it at once and write me, D. M. Frederiksen, 172 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

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REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS IN STRIKE INQUIRY AND ARE HELD IN CONTEMPT.

Two Are Sentenced—Shea Escapes Punishment on Ground That Answers Might Incriminate Him—More Rioting.

Chicago, May 26.—Bernard Mulligan, president of the Express Wagon Drivers' union, and John H. Donaghue, a member of that organization, were ordered to jail yesterday by Judge Kohlsaat. Cornelius P. Shea, president of the Teamsters' International union, who was cited for contempt with the other two labor leaders, escaped punishment because he was under indictment by the Cook county grand jury.

Judge Kohlsaat decided that if Shea answered questions which were put to him in the hearing before Master in Chancery Sherman he might incriminate himself by admitting that he was guilty of conspiracy to injure the business of Montgomery Ward & Co. On this ground the judge declared that Shea need not answer certain questions that had been asked of him in the hearing before Master in Chancery Sherman.

Mulligan and Donaghue had no such excuse as Shea for refusing to answer the questions. Judge Kohlsaat held them both in contempt and ordered Mulligan taken to the Du Page county jail at Wheaton and Donaghue to the Kane county lockup at Geneva. The judge ordered that the two leaders should be locked up until they agreed to answer certain questions asked of them or until released by due process of law.

Mulligan and Donaghue were taken to the Briggs house, where they will remain for five days in nominal charge of Deputy United States Marshals Ruel and Griffith. Meanwhile their attorneys will perfect a review before another federal judge on habeas corpus proceedings, on the outcome of which depends their release.

Governor Pledges Troops.

Chicago, May 23.—Gov. Deneen has given his pledge to Mayor Dunne that he would fill the streets of Chicago with troops within two hours of the receipt of an official request either from the mayor or Sheriff Barrett. This response was made over the long-distance telephone in response to an inquiry from Mayor Dunne. The mayor expressed to the governor his fear that it would be found necessary to ask for troops to restore and preserve peace in this city. The mayor realized that the police department had reached the limit of its ability to cope with the lawless bands of rioters that are hourly causing terrific disturbances all over the city, and had to acknowledge that with the threatened spreading of the war the police arm of the municipal government would be practically paralyzed.

Chicago, May 24.—All the lumber teamsters in Chicago struck Tuesday, 1,800 of them, shutting down the lumber industry absolutely for the time being at least and forcing conditions that will bring stagnation to all the vast building operations of Chicago, with idleness for 100,000 workmen engaged in the various trades connected with building.

Police in Constant Battles.

Chicago, May 26.—Many riots kept the police in constant battle with crowds of pickets and others who sought to interfere with the nonunion wagons, now numbering between 2,000 and 3,000. The idle teamsters, their numbers added to by the ever-increasing procession of strikers from the lumber yards, formed disorderly gatherings, which quickly grew into riotous demonstrations.

Further Rioting.

Chicago, May 27.—The forcing of lumber deliveries with nonunion teamsters Friday caused fierce riots, in which bricks and clubs were used. Caravans of lumber wagons were attacked by mobs, determined to prevent the passage of the vehicles, and battle after battle occurred. A caravan was attacked at Twenty-second street and Ashland avenue by a crowd of pickets, who, taking advantage of the small number of police on hand, hurled bottles and other missiles at the drivers. The street was blocked in a few minutes by the mob that collected, and the wagons were stalled. The police guard advanced in a body and ordered the mob to disperse, but the hooting and jeering only increased. The police then fired over the heads of the crowd, which became panic-stricken and broke up. Two men were arrested and the wagons proceeded on their way. Another riot occurred at Sixteenth street and Blue Island avenue, when a wagon of the John Spry Lumber company was forced into a rut by another truck. Several hundred boisterous men surrounded it, and the police charged the crowd after a number of bricks had been thrown. In a riot at Thirty-fifth and Morgan streets Policeman George Teape was hit on the head with a brick and seriously hurt.

Fresh Complications.

The building industry in Chicago is rapidly being tied up by the teamsters' strike, and now a fresh complication has appeared in sympathetic strikes among carpenters and other building workmen. At dozens of buildings the contractors faced the alternative of sending back consignments of lumber delivered by nonunion teamsters or having strikes on their hands. In a number of these instances the lumber was accepted by the contractors, whereupon the carpenters and other workmen promptly laid down their tools and quit.

SOLVES A MYSTERY.

Man Suspected of Assassination of Dan Berry, at Savanna, Ill., Commits Suicide.

Savanna, Ill., May 26.—The mystery of the murder of Daniel S. Berry was cleared away Thursday by the bullet, fired by his own hand, which blew out the brains of Bothwell Pulford, Savanna's wealthiest citizen, whose name had been connected with the Berry assassination.

Pulford hid in the hayloft of a barn which he owned in the center of the town and sent a bullet into the center of his forehead, which ended life instantly. His wife, whose rumored relations with Berry had been assigned as the cause of Pulford killing the lawyer, became hysterical when informed of her husband's fate.

No one in Savanna, which has been stirred more deeply than ever before by the second act of the heartrending tragedy in which the two most prominent families of the town have been the performers, now doubts that Bothwell Pulford shot down Dan Berry and then ran into his drug store below Berry's office, where he bore himself with amazing calm and heard the news of Berry's death with expressions of regret.

The suspicion which has been whispered openly since the murder, has been confirmed beyond doubt in the minds of Pulford's neighbors by the suicide. The theory of insanity, which was urged for Pulford in the first place, is now accepted as the true one.

Stories of the relations of Mrs. Pulford and Dan Berry, which had been told in this town for years, produced a bitter enmity between Berry and Pulford and made a tragedy such as has occurred a climax to be looked for. Brooding over his wrongs is said to have wrecked Pulford's mind.

Savannah, Ill., May 23.—Daniel S. Berry, who was prominent as a lawyer and who was an ex-member of the legislature, was shot and killed Monday at the door of his office. Mr. Berry had just come from home and was unlocking the door of his office when he was shot from behind, one bullet striking him in the arm and the other penetrating his brain. He died instantly.

HAS NO AUTHORITY.

President Roosevelt Decides That He Cannot Probe Insurance Companies' Affairs.

Washington, May 27. — President Roosevelt, as heretofore noted, has been urged to take steps looking to a government inquiry into the operations of life insurance companies, and especially the Equitable Life Assurance society of New York concerning which embarrassing complications have developed during the past few months. After careful consideration of the subject and inquiry into the legal phases of such a suggested investigation, the president has determined that under the circumstances the government has no authority to take up the matter, either through a special commission or through a bureau of corporations.

Investigations may be instituted and carried on by the state governments in the states where the companies do business. These inquiries may be made as rigid as is deemed necessary to develop the facts. Upon state investigations, therefore, the government officials are of the opinion that the people must rely for information as to the conduct of the insurance business.

SLAIN BY GIRL.

Young Woman Kills Her Lover in Minnesota and Attempts Suicide.

Wheaton, Minn., May 26.—A young man named Herman Speff from Cokato, working near here for Mrs. Deal, and a young girl about 15 years old, named Sidensticker, whose father resides near here, were found three miles south of here near the railroad tracks Thursday afternoon, the young man being dead, having been shot in the mouth with a revolver, and the girl seriously wounded, with two or three bullets in the abdomen. The girl is still alive and claims that she had killed the man and shot herself and that she wished to die as they had planned to die together. She borrowed the revolver from a hardware store here. It seems to be a complicated love affair.

Ohio Bank Closes.

Canton, O., May 25.—The Canton state bank, with individual depositors of more than $600,000, closed its doors Wednesday. The directors state that the bank will not be able to resume business. The failure was brought about by loans amounting to $400,000 to W. L. Davis, vice president of the bank, by the cashier, Corwin B. Bachtell, without the consent of the other directors of the bank.

Receiver Named.

Cincinnati, May 27.—H. P. Boyden, former city auditor, was appointed receiver for Holzman & Co., bankers and brokers, Friday, by United States Judge Thompson, bond being fixed at $200,000. While no regular statement has yet been issued, Mr. Holzman says the firm's liabilities are about $190,000 and that the firm can eventually pay all claims in full.

Illinois G. A. R. Elects.

Rockford, Ill., May 26.—Gen. John C. Smith, of Chicago, was Thursday elected commander-in-chief of the Illinois department of the G. A. R.

Anti-Trust Bill Passed.

Madison, Wis., May 24.—The senate Wednesday passed the McGillivray anti-trust bill.

JAPANESE GAIN BIG NAVAL FIGHT.

ADMIRAL TOGO INFLICTS A CRUSHING DEFEAT ON RUSSIAN NAVY.

Russian Armada Enters the Fighting Zone and Suffers Disastrous Defeat Though not Final. Japanese Suffer some Loss.

Washington, May 29.—The American consul at Nagasaki cabled the state department yesterday that the Japanese have sunk a Russian battleship, four other warships, and a repair ship in the straits of Korea.

The following is the text of the Nagasaki dispatch to the state department: "Nagasaki, May 28.—Japanese sunk the Russian battleship Borodino and four more warships and a repair ship."

The other dispatch reads as follows: "Tokio, May 27.—Japanese fleet engaged the Baltic squadron this afternoon in the straits of Tsu Shima, which was held; cannonading heard from shore."

U. S. officials believe Japanese made free use of torpedo boats.

London, May 29.—The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Mail says that the Russian fleet has been dispersed, that several ships have been disabled and that the remainder are in flight with the Japanese pursuing.

Tokio, May 29.—The embargo on the publications of naval news continues. Absolutely no news consering the operations of the Japanese and Russian fleets were obtainable yesterday. Newspapers are held under absolute leash and all telegraphs and cables are closed to press dispatches.

Tsingtau, May 29.—A telegram from Chinese sources says that in the naval battle in the straits of Korea Saturday and Sunday the Russians have lost two battle ships and three cruisers.

The Japanese losses so far reported are one battleship and ten topedo boats.

The island of Oki is in the Sea of Japan, about 200 miles northeast of the strait of Korea, where the battle between the Japanese and Russian fleets is reported to have had its beginning.

Shanghai, May 29.—A telegram has been received here from Pekin announcing that Rojestvensky's fleet has been defeated off the Tsu islands and is fleeing northward.

P. O. ROBBERY.

John D. Hyatt of the Minneapolis Postoffice is Arrested for Robbing Mails

Minneapolis, May 27.—John D. Hyatt, whose residence is 926 Fourteenth avenue south, for the last twenty-three years an employ of the Minneapolis postoffice, and for many years one of the clerks at the receiving window, was arrested for stealing letters from the mails.

The arrest was the result of a six weeks' work on the part of Postoffice Inspectors H. O. Smith, of Owatonna, and Howard C. Fry, of Fargo. Persistent complaints of valuable letters lost in the mails led to the assignment of the inspectors to ferret out the thief or thieves.

The arrest of Hyatt was made by United States Marshal W. H. Grimshaw in person at just about the time when the heavy evening deposits of mails have been made. In his pockets when arrested were found twenty-five letters, all with stamps uncancelled, and evidently just abstracted from the thousands of letters passed over the counter. Among the letters found on Hyatt's person was a decoy letter addressed to a fictitious person in Winona, containing four marked one dollars bills.

To Help Prosecute.

Mankato, Minn., May 29.—A man from New Ulm who has been more or less prominently connected with the Koch case, was in Mankato and stated that it is the general wish of the people there that either Pierce Butler of St. Paul, Frank Nye or A. H. Hall of Minneapolis be secured to act as assistant for Mr. Childs at the third trial of the case. There is a general feeling that the third trial will be the last, no matter what the outcome. County Attorney Wilson, acting as attorney for Philip Liesch, editor of the Brown County Journal in the contempt of court proceedings resulting from the Koch case, when he was fined $150, has secured a writ of certiorari to Judge Cray from the supreme court, and the case will be reviewed in October.

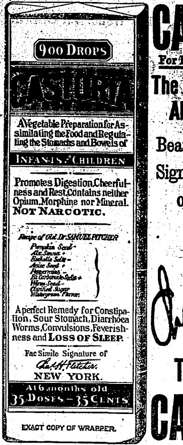
First Divedend.

Washington, May 29.—Checks have been drawn at the treasury for 20 per cent dividend declared in favor of the creditors of the First National Bank of Faribault, Minn., and have forwarded to the receiver by Controller Ridgley.

Forest Fires.

Ashland, Wis., May 27.—Forest fires south of Ashland have destroyed about $15,000 worth of hemlock bark belonging to the United States Lumber company, a half million feet of logs belonging to the Foster Latimer Lumber company, and thousands of cords of pulp and cord wood belonging to small jobbers. A saloon building at York Siding was destroyed and the mill at Tyler's Fork narrowly escaped.

As far as known no lives have been lost but danger is feared if the fires break out anew.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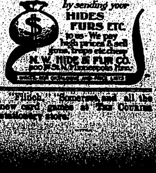
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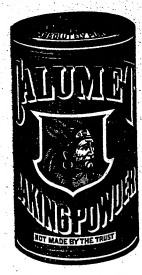

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THE peot Longfellow and Rev. Morril differ materially when it comes to Minnehaha Falls.

NATIONAL politics is quiet this week. Jim Tawney hasn't given the president a piece of his mind recently.

THE Big Fork Compass notes the candidacy of Ray Jones for governor, adds: "Pass the asafoetida bottle quick!"

SENATOR NELSON refuses to "stand pat" on the tariff. The McCleary postoffice organs of the Second district should read him the riot act.

THERE'S no limit to newspaper enterprise. Some of the dalies reported the Togo Rojestvensky naval battle a month before it happened.

Now that we have a hotel inspector why not a church inspector? Isn't it essential to our ultimate safety that they, too, be provided with fire escapers?

PRESIDENT HARPER of the Chicago university is not worrying over the subject of "tainted money." He has eight or nine of Rockefeller's millions and his hand is out for more.

ONE of the bankers who transacted business with Mr. Chadwick has been sentenced to the penitentiary for seven years. He pleaded guilty, and must have been able to show that his profits were small.

"PEACE hath her victories no less renowed than war." Along with the news of the Japanese naval victory comes the announcemnet that Mayor Weaver has been successful in thwarting the Philadelphia gas trust.

THE Fairmont Sentinel has this political bon-not: "Ray Jones is going to be a candidate for governor and dont care who knows it. Wouldn't that stun you? He ought to carry everything in sight in the timbered country."

ADMIRAL TOGO is the hero of the civilized world. He has put a new world-power on the effective blow toward destruction of the Russian autocracy. The Slavs will be benefitted no less than the little Oientals by the result of the awful battle in the straits of Korea.

THE inconsistency of people in high official life is pointedly referred to by Frank Eddy in this short paragraph: "The postmaster general who resigned one cabinet position to manage a political campaign and received another and a better one as a reward for his political services, is out with an order forbidding postmasters to take an active part in politics. Wouldn't that embezzle you?"

JIM TAWNEY has been down to Washington telling the president and Secretary Taft that they're off their base on the tariff question. Jim straightened out the [illegible] statesmen in a jiffy, and we are now all convinced that the protection principle is too sacred to be monkeyed with by presidents. Only the divinine guiding hands of the house and senate leaders are to be entrusted with interpretation of the tariff schedules. Let the tariff be revised by its friends!

SAYS the Chicago Chronicle, (Rep.): "Democratic editors merely waste ink and energy in ringing the charges upon the admitted fact that the Philippines are costing us considerably more than they return in the way of commerce or revenue. Everybody knows it, and everybody knows that we got ourselves into a mess when we assumed charge of the islands."

SENATORS R. B. Brower and Samuel Lord are at present the conspicuous candidates for the Republican nonimation for governor. It is probably a co-incidence that both voted against the gross earnings bill when that measure was the crucial test of the people's fight against railroad donimation and control. Governor Johnson was also a member of the senate at this time. His voice and vote was always found in favor of the gross earnings bill. How beautifully on the defensive would be the Republican party with either Brower or Lord as the leader! To whom would be accorded popular praise? To Governor Johnson, the champion of the people' or to Brower or Lord, apologists and advocates of the railroads? Does the Republican party want to meet the issue?"

No Grounds for Criticism.

Fairmont Sentinel: There is a remarkable absence of complaint and criticism of Gov. Johnson, and instead the press and the people are almost unanimously commending and praising almost everything he does. The truth is, there are no grounds for criticism. Gov. Johnson is giving the state an administration that is able, judicious, strong. clean and above reproach, and we doubt if a man exists that voted for him but is glad he did so.

Morton's Predicament.

The announcement that Secretary of the Navy Paul Morton will retire from the cabinet and the report that he will succeed to the presidency of the Santa Fe railway need occasion no surprise. Mr. Morton is a self-confessed law-breaker, having admitted that while engaged in the active management of the Santa Fe the company gave rebates in violation of the interstate commerce act. That such a man should be prominent in an administration one of whose hobbies is the regulation of railroad rates is an anomaly that is almost farcical.

A short time ago Secretary Morton made an address to railroad men in which he assured them that President Roosevelt did not intend to harm the transportation interests and left the impression that the president would not insist on radical measures.

A few days later Roosevelt came out of the Colorado woods, full of the ardor of the chase. Evidently he had read Secretary Morton's speech, for he took advantage of the first opportunity to deliver an address in which he made it very plain that he would camp on the trail of the railroad magnates and their tools in the United States senate until he brought down some big game.

After that speech there was nothing for Secretary Morton to do but to leave the cabinet as soon as he could decently do so. To be sure, as secretary of the navy he is not in direct conflict with his old pals in the rebate business, but the head of a government department is more than an executive officer; he is a part of the administration, and as such is directly responsible for the policies it adopts. Had Morton given the goverment the bedefit of his knowledge of the breaking of the laws affecting the railroad companies he might have proved a valuable member of the cabinet, but he evidently did not intend to turn State's evidence against his former associates.

If Morton becomes the president of the Santa Fe company it will be interesting to watch his course. Having frankly confessed to violating the antirebate law and having justified himself on the ground that he had done only what all the other railroad men were doing, it remains to be seen whether he will continue the policy of giving rebates or attempt to bring the Santa Fe company to the policy of obeying the law.

The Civil Service.

Ex-Congressman Frank M. Eddy in the Sauk Center Herald is discussing the civil service law in that paper. After commenting at length on the fact that "clerks, elevator men, persons who wrap books, must demonstrate their intellectual and educational superiority over their competitors for the same positions by undergoing a severe examination while there is nothing in the world to prevent a man who cannot read and write from being selected as one of the law-makers of the nation. "To add to this ridiculous situation he further says:

> Three-fourths of the senators and members of congress could not make an average of 70 per cent in the examination required of the department clerks. Take for example Uncle Joe Cannon of Illinois, present speaker of the house, an ideal congressman, I doubt if he is right sure whether Washington crossed the Deleware or the Deleware crossed Washington. No doubt he is a little lazy on the point as to whether the Brandywine was a conflict between English and American armies or a drinking bout be- Yankees and Britishers with brandy and wine for liquids. His handwriting looks like that of a school boy, traced with the wrong end of the penholder. In debate he murders the King's English while he nails his opponent to the cross. I don't believe he could, to save his life, locate the gulf of Ashantee or name the rivers of New England that flow into the Atlantic ocean, and if asked the distance from Earth to Jupiter he would probably answer that he did not come from Danville to Washington that way."

A Query for Today.

Are you honest?

The question may startle you a little, but only last September Frank G. Bigelow, the defaulting Milwaukee banker, made an address to the bankers of this country in which he took occasion to define his ideal of life. He quoted that remarkable prayer of Robert Louis Stevenson—"To be honest, to be kind, to earn a litte, to spend a little less," etc."

You say the man was a hypocrite.

But you think perhaps he did not realize his hypocrisy. If he turned sharp corners sometimes and ventured in forbidden ways, he doubtless said to himself, "If I loose I can make good, but I will not loose." Like so many men he imagined he was an exception to the rule. He could win where other men failed. He would take just one more "flier" and then be good says the Cleveland Express.

Then the smash came.

The fact is, the man was not honest. He had every reason for contentment so far as financial ease can go. He had more money than he needed. He had position, esteem, honor—everything. But for the sake of money—money to pile up uselessly—he risked all. He loved money more than he did honesty.

And this man's love of money for the sake of money grew into moneyphobia. His desire became a disease. The mania mastered him,

But Bigelow began by being at heart dishonest. He affected the appearance of honesty and traded upon that reputation.

Does it not then behoove every man to stop and ask himself: Am I honest?

The world in which you live may regard you as the soul of honor. You may hold your head high. But are you honest? Down at the core of things is all genuine?

If your soul is corrupt at this course, be sure your sin will find you out.

Fine Opportunities in California.

Now is your chance to make the delightful trip to California for just one half of the expense incurred in making the trip at any other time. Dont postpone for you may not soon again be offered the low rate of $25 to San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Diego and many other California points. Tickets at this state on sale every day from Sept, 15 to Oct. 31 inc., via Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Literature about California free on application to E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A. Omaha, Neb.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Park Rapids is to have a big creamery.

Wadena is planning on a big county fair next fall.

Americans now go to Canada at the rate of 50,000 a year.

Bemidji and Crookston are planning on big celebrations for July 4th.

Grand Rapids has ball games in the streets. The people want it stopped.

Gov. Johnson will speak at the Woodman picnic to be held at Adrain, June 20th.

A three year old child at Blackduck fell into a well and was drowned one day last week.

Those court house bonds are stirring up all sorts of trouble over in Clearwater county.

Perham was visited by burglars one night last week and they secured considerable booty.

The county commissioners of Brown county have voted $15,000 for the third trial of Dr. Koch.

Wadena people are seeing things at night. Meteors are said to be plentiful in that neighborhood.

A Wadena boy has developed into one of the best shots in the army. He is in the Phillipines and is winning all matches he is in.

Three children near Fosston found a wild parsnip and ate it. One died before medical aid could reach him but the other two were saved.

Blackduck and Tenstrick are indulging in ball games these days. Considerable money is said to be changing hands at the contests.

The Fergus Falls ball players are in bad repute at Vining, a small in Otter Tail county. When in that town recently to play a game Vining residents say they stole several articles. Two horns belonging to the band, a silk flag, silver spoons and other articles too numerous to mention were taken.

There is more catarrah in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was thought to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses faom ten drops to a teaspoonful, It acts directly on the blood and mucuous surfaces of the sys- They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

HOT WEATHER, NERVOUS WOMEN.

BLANCHE GREY.

MISS BLANCHE GREY, a prominent young society woman of Memphis, Tenn., in a recent letter from 174 Alabama street, says:

"To a society woman whose nervous force is often taxed to the utmost from lack of rest and irregular meals, I know of nothing which is of so much benefit as Peruna. I took it a few months ago when I felt my strength giving way, and it soon made itself manifest in giving me new strength and health."—Blanche Grey.

Peruna is without an equal as a nerve tonic and vital invigorator.

Buy a bottle of Peruna. If you do not derive all the benefits from Peruna that you expected, write to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

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Is different from any other so-called Varnish Stain on the market. It is made of a high grade Waterproof Varnish made especially for the purpose, and treated in such a manner as to produce with one application beautiful imitations of natural woods finished in Varnish. Campbell's Varnish Stain is transparent, thereby preserving the grain and beauty of the natural wood, and at the same time giving a splendid colored effect. It dries with a durable gloss, and the colors remain permanent. Campbell's Varnish Stain does not settle in the can. It does not contain any pigment whatever. The colored effects are the results of our own peculiar process perfected after years of labor and costly experiments. Many of our competitors claim they have stains—"just as good as Campbell's"—but they will not produce the effects or wear as well. For sale by

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Having compounded a poultice of wonderful absorbent and curative properties for the positive and permanent relief of almost, every character of stomach troubles, the undersigned will gladly send, express prepaid, a complete course of free treatment to a limited number of sufferers, the only compensation asked is the privelege of referring to the applicant (when cured) in corresponding with the future prospective patients in their locality

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All that is required is your name, address, full particulars regarding your case accompanied by this offer,

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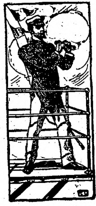

The Annapolis or West Point
Military School

If you are an unmarried American boy between ages of 17 and 23, of good habits and can pass the necessary physical examination, have a knowledge of reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography and history of the United States. Unlike most schools, the government allows you about $500 per year to defray all expenses. You receive a thorough military and academic education, and upon graduation may resign or accept a commission as lieutenant in the regular service.

Further particulars for four one cent stamps by addressing,

H. W. PHILLIPS, Louisville, Kentucky.

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is an emblem of Good Luck. The ***Savings Bank*** is another emblem of good luck; and not only that, but of business shrewdness. Have you one of our banks? It costs you nothing to start.

First State Bank
Red Lake Falls, Minn.
Oldest Bank in Red Lake County

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

H. W. PHILLIPS,
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CASH for EVERY CAN immediately on its receipt.

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St. Paul, Minn.

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The North-Weatern Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

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Good Health to the Children

Children especially are fond of dainties, and the housekeeper must look carefully to their food.

As good cake can be made only with good eggs, so also a cake that is healthful as well as dainty must be raised with a pure and perfect baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable in the preparation of the highest quality of food. It imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, doughnuts, crusts, etc., and what is more important, renders the food wholesome and agreeable to young and old.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

The misquitoes are out in force these days.

Fishing is a very popular pastime nowadays.

The weather has been ideal for growing crops.

Remember the Royal Neighbor dance June 12.

County Attorney Germo is at Crookston to-day.

Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

Prof. A. Onstad was on the sick list the first of the week.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls Monday.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

The Royal Neighbors will give a dance at the Woodman hall, June 12. All are invited.

Mrs. Louis Sieff returned from Minneapolis Tuesday where she had been several weeks.

O'Brien Bros. have a change of ad this week. They tell you about a first class varnish stain.

The Busy Store gives a talk on "Mid—summer materials" this week. Look up their adv. on this page.

Ole Gjerberg arrived home yesterday from Minneapolis where he has been attending the State University.

Mrs. N. A. Tarrant returned this morning from Crookston where she had been in the hospital for a few days.

Misn Etta Zaiser was at Fertile over Tuesday night, where she went to meet her mother upon her return from Minneapolis.

Mrs. B. Zaiser returned from Minneapolis Wednesday morning. She visited a daughter in that city fos several weeks.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

W. C. Schrieter was at thief River Falls between trains Monday.

The roof on the Metropolitan opera house has been repaired this week.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was a county seat visitor Monday morning.

County Attorney Germo made an extended trip in Clearwater county last week.

Editor Latta of the Plummer Pioneer was a Red Lake Falls visitor Saturday.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

Many colored and bright posters about the city announce the fact that Forepaugh and Sells Bros. circus will be at Crookston, June 20.

The Northern Pacific will sell tickets for the Woodmen's convention at Milwaukee, June 15-18 for one fare plus 50c for the round trip.

The tax-payers of Red Lake county have kept Treasurer Hansen on the jump the past two weeks. All want to escape the ten per cent penalty.

Antone Lawrence has been in the city this week visiting friends. He is living at St. Hilaire this summer where he has a position in the saw mill.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church served ice cream at the Chas. N. Bourdon home last evening. A large number of people were in attendance.

Z. Brezier and family have returned to this city, having sold his billiard room at St. Hilaire. He has not decided what business he wiil engage in the future.

There will be services at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:30. Rev. I. T. Aasgard, of Thief River Falls, will have charge of the meeting.

Price the Powerful Attractions at the Big Store

As Prices Go Down Our Patronage Goes Up

We were lucky in making two lucky purchases recently. We will give the public the benefit as usual.

A heavy huck crash towel, striped ends, 19x41 inches worth 15c anywhere........................ **6c**

100 dozen of Misses black hose, fine guage, very elastic, fine combed Maco yarn, fast black, per pair........ **15c**

Compare them with any 25c hose in the city, here or any other store. This is positively the greatest bargain in hose ever offered the public. Don't wait—they are going fast.

Watch Us. Our Scalping Knife is not Worn Out Yet

They All Say it Pays to Trade at **THE BIG STORE,**

THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Prop.

School closes this week. The small boy can hardly wait.

J. B. Armstrong and Sully Hall were St. Hilaire visitors yesterday.

Monday evening, June 12, is the date for the Royal Neighbor dance.

The Big Store calls your attention to some bargains this week in their adv.

Sheriff Linnihan transacted business at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Marcus Johnson of St. Paul, was a business visitor at this place the first of the week.

Miss Iddings' class in botony made a trip into the country last Friday and enjoyed a picnic dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Armstrong drove to Crookston Monday morning, returning home in the evening.

Norman Schrieter returned home last week from Minneapolis where he has been attending the State University.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

The many friends of Sam Allard were glad to see him up town Saturday. It was his first trip out for several weeks.

A party of land seekers from Goodhue county were here over Sunday, guests of the Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Bourdon were at Thief River Falls Monday. Mr. Bourdon conducted a state land grass sale at that place that day.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Miss Gertrude Hennemuth, of Red Lake Falls, was here several days this week visiting with Mrs. Geo. L. Austin.

Wm Knight and family left Monday for Thief River Falls where they will make their home hereafter. Billy has secured a good position in the saw mill at that place.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson, of Park River, North Dakota, arrived in the city last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin, and her numerous friends.

E. Townsend, of Minneapolis, dropped off here Monday evening for a day's visit with old friends. "Bud" formerly lived in this city and has many friends who enjoyed his visit immensely.

For Sale.—Two Brussels carpets, in good condition. Were originally intended for double parlor but can be used in separate rooms. Also one hall rug, 3x12 feet. For particulars enquire of Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, North Side.

Arthur Mercier left Saturday for Thief River Falls where he has secured a position in a barber shop. The people of the upper falls will find "Merc" one of the finest of fellows. His many friends here regret his moving and trust he may soon return.

Thief River Falls News: S. M. Severtson, secretary of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company, and O. H. Peters, of St. Hilaire, were in the city Tuesday en route to Middle River. Mr. Peters will be the agent at Middle River in the future for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Oliver Caron went to Crookston Monday where he will make his home hereafter, having secured a good position. He has been a resident of Red Lake county for twenty-three years, living in Louisville township for eighteen years before moving to this city. The family will follow him in the near future.

Plummer Pioneer: The engineer of the work train pulling into town shortly after daybreak saw a man lying on the track and stopped the train. The crew got out to investigate and found it was a drunken individual who had gone to sleep with the rail for a pillow. Had the train came along half an hour sooner it would have been a case for the coroner.

Fertile Journal: The ball game at the fair grounds Saturday afternoon between the Fertile and Red Lake Falls High School nines was a very interesting game notwithstanding the onesideness of the score. The Red Lake Falls boys were much larger than our boys and no one expected Fertile would win from the start. The score stood 12 to 2 in favor of the visitors. The game was a very orderly one and free of all rag chewing and was much enjoyed by all lovers of the national game who were present. The visiting nine was composed of a nice, gentlemanly lot of young men, good ball players who have not lost a game this year.

Money Cheerfully Refunded | **THE BUSY STORE** | Money Cheerfully Refunded

A fortunate purchase of Spring and Summer Suitings last week enables us to show you some of the most exceptional values in Mid-Spring Materials.

To Convince We Show

Ultra-Soliel Drape, stylish and clingy, 48c value only........ **25c**

Swiss Jacquards, cool and dressy, 38c value only........ **25c**

Soie Tailleur in Red and black, durable and fine........ **20c**

London Cord, altogether new goods, blue only, 38c value........ **25c**

The lady who cares will find Queen Quality quality ***Real Quality.*** Just received new Walking Oxfords, tan and black. Per pair, **$2.50**

One Week Only

One-third off on all new Spring Skirts in shot and plaited effects.

GARCEAU & ZAISER

Old residents say that the dandelions about the city are more numerous and prominent than ever before this year. Something should be done to exterminate them.

Ole Eckern, assistant cashier of the Citizens State Bank of Morris was here the first of the week the guest of his friend, Cashier Storaasli of the Bank of Red Lake Falls.

For the Norwegian Students concert at Grand Forks, June 2 and 3, the Northern Pacific Ry. will sell tickets for a fare and one third. Limit five days. Fare $1.50 for the round trip.

A party of Thief River Falls young people spent Sunday in this city visiting friends. The following persons made up the praty: Messrs. Wilson and McGinnis and Misses St. John and Curren.

The County Commissioners will meet in special session next Monday to decide whether Thief River Falls has the required number of legal signers to call a special election on the county seat removal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Chamberlain's sister, Miss Elizabeth Cushing, who arrived in the city Monday morning. Miss Cushing has been teaching school at Sandstone, Minn., the past year. She will remain about three weeks.

The fire boys are practicing faithfully for the tournament at Blackduck these days. F. A. Grady is the trainer and is putting the boys through the different drills every evening. Great progress is being made and the boys will no doubt make a creditable showing at the tournament.

I intend to have a class in music this summer and will give lessons on either the piano or the reed organ. I intend to begin the class on the first Monday and Tuesday of June. If you have a child whom you wish to take lessons during the vacation I will be pleased to confer with you.—Lee C. Healy.

One of Crookston's base ball teams went through here Tuesday morning on their way to Thief River to play the club at that place. They wanted Fred Richards to go with them but as there was nothing in it from a financial standpoint Fred thought he would rather stay at home and play.

There is a new machine in the Auditor's office called a comptometer." It adds, subtracts, multiples and divides, in fact will juggle figures in any manner desired. Auditor Ford has not yet learned to manage the new machine but thinks he will master the "animal" in a few days.

State grass sales in Red Lake county will take place at the following towns and time: River Falls and Wyandotte, at Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, June 6, at 10 a. m.; Polk Center and Black River, at Bank of Wylie, June 5, 10 a. m.; Gervais, Emardville, Garnes, Lake Pleasant, Terrebonne, Poplar River and Lambert, at Bourdon Land Co's office, Red Lake Falls, June 12, at 11 a. m.

Every time you get a nice letter from a Minneapolis or Chicago catalogue mercantile firm, telling you of the "great bargains" they have to offer you, just drop them a few lines and ask them to send you the goods for inspection at their expense. Will they trust you, not on your life, but did you ever stop and think of the one sided way they do business. You must send your money in advance and trust to luck for a square deal. Are these people more honest than you, think of this. On the other hand your home merchant displays his goods for your inspection and doesn't ask you one cent in advance. Give the home dealer a fair chance.

Washington School Notes.

(Ella Jackson and Hazel Zaiser reporters.)

Thursday is our last day of real school.

Miss Hazel Healy visited our school Wednesday.

Emma Klos was absent Wednesday on account of fishing.

We did not have school Tuesday because it was Decoration Day.

We are all studying good now because it is so close to the last day.

One day last week Miss Norby lost her watch and Judith Rue found it.

Thursday the sixth grade will have their final examination in history.

Wednesday afternoon the fifth and sixth grades had an examination in writing.

Thursday afternoon of last week school was dismissed on account of the storm.

Cornel Smith was out of school for about a week, but has returned again on account of the examination.

We are going to have a picnic on Friday, the last day of school. We will drive into the country and remain most of the day.

These are our last notes for this year. Every one in the room has had a chance to act as reporter. We hope the public has been as faithful in reading them and as interested as we have been in getting them out from week to week.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

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Growth of Woodmen.

Head clerk C. W. Hawes, of the Modern Woodman office, has prepared his biennial report. The document reveals several interesting facts. From Jan. 1, 1885, to Dec. 31, 1904, 1,268,583 officials receipts for remittances were issued: 808 cases where the applicant was supposed to be addicted to the use of liquor were investigated with the result that 657 were declared void and 109 valid. The remainder of the cases are still pending. One hundred and thirty-four expulsions from the local camp occured.

The membership statement of Mr. Hawes dated May 1 shows that at the close of business on April 30, the Woodmen society had 699,633 beneficial members in absolute good standing, a net increase of 7,774 during the month of April. The insurance in force on April 1 totaled $1,160,775,500 and on May 1, $1,171,220,000, a net increase of insurance in force during the month of $10,444.50.

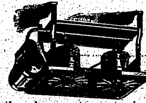
There were 51 camps chartered during the month of April and 10,827 were in absolute good standing on May 1.

There were 1,664 issued to old camps making a total of 100,419 issued for the month.

If the certificates outstanding on which adoptions were not reported by May 1 were counted as members in good standing the society would have on May 1 a beneficial membership of 711,633. Add to this the social membership of 33,191 in absolute good standing, and the society on May 1 had a grand total membership of 744,824.

HOT WEATHER STOVES

Now that the warm weather is here every family should have a



Gasoline or Oil Stove

We have an assortment of one, two and three burner stoves at prices from

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Why not burn gasoline or kerosene during the summer months? CHEAPER, CLEANER and MORE CONVENIENT. See the different styles in our window display.

FRANK E. HUNT

Established 1878 Gen'l Hardware

OLD PEOPLE

Their Pains and Ailments

Any taint of the blood quickly shows itself with old people, and troubles, which a younger, more vigorous constitution holds in check, take possession of those of advanced years. A mole, wart or pimple often begins to inflame and fester, terminating in a sore that refuses to heal. Wandering pains of a rheumatic character are almost constant, the joints get stiff and the muscles sore, while sleeplessness and nervousness make life a burden. The natural activity of the body is not so great in old age and all the organs get dull and sluggish, failing to carry out the waste matters and poisons accumulating in the system and they are taken up and absorbed by the blood, rendering it weak and unable to properly nourish the system. There is no reason why old age should not be as healthy as youth if the blood is kept pure and strong. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and is the safest and best blood purifier and tonic for old people, because it is gentle, but at the same time thorough in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and foreign matter, strengthening it and toning up the entire system by its fine tonic effect. Almost from the first dose the appetite increases, the general health begins to improve and the pains and ailments pass away.

I had a severe attack of La Grippe, which left me almost a physical wreck. To add to my wretched condition, Rheumatism developed. In a short time after beginning S. S. S. I was relieved of the pains and have gained in flesh and strength and my general health is better than for years. I heartily recommend S. S. S. for all blood diseases.

Union, S. C. B. F. GREGORY.

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SIRES AND SONS.

M. Jean de Reszke is said to be the only professional singer who has ever sat at the czar of Russia's dinner table.

Baron Gautsch, the new premier of Austria, is practically self made. He commenced his career as an usher in a school.

Lord Alverstone, lord chief justice of England, will be the speaker at next summer's meeting of the American Bar association.

President Roosevelt is a hearty eater. He consumes three big meals a day and sometimes takes a supper before he goes to bed.

Speaker George L. Rouse of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature is the first farmer to hold that position since the early days of that state.

Comte Guido, visconti di Modrone, a young millionaire well known in society and sporting circles in Milan, has decided to devote himself entirely to music and with this end has accepted the directorship of important operatic performances to be given in Palermo.

Henry H. Rogers, who worked for $1.16 a day, is the most powerful single individual in the world of finance and commerce. He is a little fellow, has a cowlick on each side of the part in the middle of his hair and wears an iron gray mustache with cow horn curls.

The O'Conor Don, the lineal representative of the family of King Roderick O'Connor, the last monarch of Ireland, who submitted to Henry II., has agreed with his tenantry to dispose of his estate at Cloonallis and Ballinagare, County Roscommon, which has been in the hands of the O'Conors for centuries.

Probably the world's greatest oculist is Dr. Pagenstecher of Wiesbaden, Germany, who is consulted by almost every European royalty and by aristocrats and plutocrats from all over the world. He lives a life of absolute devotion to his work, seeing patients rigidly in turn, rich or poor. At his own "klinik" he performs all operations.

SPORTING NOTES.

Umpire Tom Connelly signed an American league contract recently.

Bill Coughlin will probably be appointed captain of the Detroit team.

Who is the owner of Dr. Strong, 2:07½? Some folks say it is still Mr. Smathers.

Emil Frisk, the "Terrible Swede," refuses to sign with the St. Louis Americans.

Robizola, 2:12¼, is on the market. She would have touched 2:08 had she stayed sound.

Report has it that Manager Jimmy Collins will not remain a bachelor for more than another year.

Bert King is the name of a nineteen-year-old boy that McAleer has picked up in Pana, Ill., for St. Louis.

Ban Johnson says that President Hart's statement of the Taylor bribery case is "bosh" and will not hold water.

Lachance seems doomed, as President Taylor of the Boston Americans intends to play Freeman at first base should Grimshaw fail.

Hackenschmidt, the world's champion wrestler, best known as "the Russian Lion," will arrive in San Francisco on April 15 from Australia.

GLEANINGS.

An American spends on an average $70 a year for food, a Frenchman $48, a German $45, a Spaniard $33, an Italian $24 and a Russian $40.

Capital punishment has been abolished in the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, for ordinary criminals, but is reserved for highway robbers, traitors, revolutionists and such other offenders.

It is calculated that in England, Ireland, Scotland and the United States $50,000,000 a year is spent in golf. There are 879 golf clubs in England, 760 in America, 632 in Scotland and 134 in Ireland, numbering altogether 600,000 players.

The London fire department has been experimenting with the American "quick hitch" system and is delighted with it. One company boasts that it can now hitch up in fifteen seconds. From three to four seconds is the time in many of our cities.

THE WRITERS.

Maxim Gorky's real name is Pjeschkoff. He could scarcely read at fifteen. He is now only thirty-six, but one of the world's great writers.

A number of unpublished letters of Robert Louis Stevenson will be included in Dr. Japp's forthcoming book on the author of "Treasure Island." Some of them are mentioned as remarkable.

Captain Cecil Battine of the king's hussars, London, is writing a book entitled "The Crisis of the Confederacy," in which he describes, from his own point of view, the campaigns of Gettysburg and the Wilderness.

Dr. Charles A. Eastman, the noted Sioux Indian lecturer, author and historian, is collecting material for his comprehensive history of the Sioux Nation. The work is being prepared under the direction of the interior department, special attention being given to land titles.

WISE SAWS.

You can't preserve the peace in alcohol.

When a man asks you to invest in stocks jest add "igate" to the process he suggests an' do it mighty thorough.

"What," says the man, "is wit?" "Wit," replies the old philosopher, "is wisdom with a tack in it. Don't step on the tack.'—Puck.

News Notes.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota guardsmen may take part in the national rifle contest at Sea Girt, N. J.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota Historical society holds a memorial meeting in honor of Judge Greenleaf Clark.

Minneapolis.—It was discovered that someone had broken into the basement of the Portland Avenue Church of Christ, Portland avenue and Grant street, and stolen the children's birthday contributions, amounting in all to about $20, which were in a cabinet in the lecture-room.

Warsaw.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sweetser celebrated their golden wedding. Mr. Sweetser was once a member of the legislature.

Rochester.—The public library board was presented with a donation of $20,000 by Mrs. Walter Hurlbut, in memory of her late husband, who passed away in California.

St. Paul.—The state dairy and food department is to have a separate building for its laboratory, apart from the new state capitol, according to the plans of the capitol commission.

St. Peter.—The remains of Emil Lundberg, the state hospital nurse who disappeared on the morning of April 30, were found today in the Minnesota river about a mile below the trestle where he was last seen.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Sixty-two and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages, on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5,) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All the undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 9th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Roddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.
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Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, May 17th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker Deceased:

Whereas, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Clarance Gibson Walker deceased, late of said County, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Agnes Anna Walker has filed therewith her petition representing, among other things, that said Clarence Gibson Walker died in said county on the 13th day of May 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is the Executrix named in said Last will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and said petition, be heard before this Court, at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls on Friday the 16th day of June A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 17th day of, May A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs,
vs
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit. All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit:

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney
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Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accuring costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.
m 18-22.
J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 16, 1905.

Notice to the Legal Voters

OF THE COUNTY OF RED LAKE, STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Notice is hereby given that a petition is now on file in my office signed by the legal voters of said county to the number of two thousand six (2006,) praying that the county seat of said county be changed to the city of Thief River Falls which is situaed in Township number one hundred fifty-four north, of range forty-three west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and that a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of said County will be held at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the fifth day of June, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to consider and determine as to the genuineness of the signatures to said petition, and as to the number of Legal voters of said county whose genuine signatures were attached thereto within sixty days preceding the filing of said petition and affidavits in the office of the said County Auditor, at which time and place any legal voter in said county may appear in person or by counsel, and be heard respecting the matters so committed to the determination of said board.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of May, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

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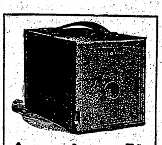

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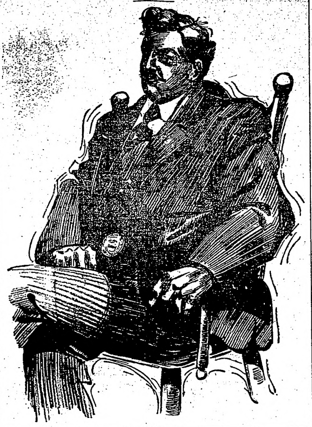

TERRIBLE DEED OF AN INSANE MAN

WILLIAM STEPHENS, OF ROSS VALLEY, CAL., MURDERS HIS WIFE.

Shoots His Five Children—Three Killed Instantly and the Others Die of Their Wounds—Maniac Then Takes His Own Life.

San Francisco, May 25.—William Stephens, who lived at Ross Valley, Marin county, Wednesday murdered his wife, his five children, attempted to murder a passing milkman, and then ended his own life. Stephens, who was 35 years old, was formerly a book agent, but latterly was said to be connected with a rubber goods house of San Francisco. The family also conducted a chicken ranch at their home in Ross Valley. Early Wednesday Stephens emerged from his home, revolver in hand, and fired upon a passing milkman. The milkman whipped up his horses, and Stephens pursued him for 200 yards firing as he ran. Stephens then halted in the roadway, placed the revolver to his breast and discharged the weapon. The bullet did not end his life and he sent a second fatal bullet through his brain. When neighbors and officers entered the home of Stephens, they came upon a shocking scene. The members of the family, each with a revolver wound in the head, were found in their beds. The wife and three of the children were dead, and the other two died later. The children were from one to eleven years of age. There is no known reason for the tragedy, but the theory is advanced that Stephens became suddenly insane.

BARON ROTHSCHILD DEAD.

Head of Famous Banking Firm Passes Away in Paris, France.

Paris, May 27.—Baron Alphonse Rothschild, head of the Paris branch of the richest family in the world, died Friday. The news spread rapidly through the financial centers of the world. He was the real leader of the cousins whose wealth is estimated to be far more than $2,000,000,000, and whose loans to governments in the last ten years have exceeded $600,000,000. An illness of but a few days' duration caused his death.

Baron Alphonse was the leading spirit of the Rothschilds in their relations with practically all the governments of Europe. Besides the colossal task of financing the indemnity which France paid to Germany after the Franco-German war of 1870-71 he actively carried on relations with other governments. In Italy these included both the government and the vatican finances. The house also has large interests in Spain, largely controls Austria's railroad development and held considerable parts of all the old Russian loan issues. The house has also had considerable dealings with American securities through the Belmonts, J. Pierpont Morgan and John W. Gates, including Louisville and Nashville and the Atlantic Coast Line transactions, and also has extensive interests in mines in California.

A Damaging Frost.

St. Paul, Minn., May 27.—Special from points in northern Wisconsin report that heavy frost Thursday night did great damage to garden truck and small fruits and berries. It is estimated that the strawberry crop in Dunn country alone is injured to the extent of $50,000.

Geronimo Wins Race.

Lawton, Okla., May 27.—Geronimo, the aged Apache chief, rode his sorrel horse, Geronimo, in a race at the fair grounds Friday and won a $150 purse.

THEBES BRIDGE OPENED.

Magnificent Structure Across the Mississippi River Is Formally Dedicated.

Thebes, Ill., May 26.—There was opened here Thursday to the north and central west a new "gateway" for commerce and traffic and human intercourse with the south and the "great southwest." The only bridge crossing the Mississippi river between St. Louis and Memphis, attended by ceremonies in which the governor of Missouri and prominent railroad officials, representing the proprietary roads, participated, was formally opened to traffic and dedicated to the uses of five great railroad systems and the business of two great sections of the nation. The bridge proper consists of a continuous steel structure of five spans, built on the cantilever system, and weighs about 28,000,000 pounds. The central or channel span is 651 feet long, each of the other spans being 521 feet long. The total length of the bridge proper, including the concreate approaches, is 3,817 feet, and the total length of the entire double-track construction, including grade approaches, is 4.7 miles. The total height of the bridge, from the bottom of the lowest foundation to the top of the highest point on the superstructure, is 231 feet. The total cost is about $3,000,000.

BLOODSHED IN WARSAW.

Riots in the Jewish Quarter in Which Eight Persons Are Killed.

Warsaw, May 26.—The Jewish disorders here Wednesday night arose from an attempt of the Jewish socialist organization called the Bund to purge the Hebrew district of Warsaw of all disreputable persons. The Bundites, with the view of expelling their undesirable coreligionists, commenced to wreck disorderly houses, cafes and other resorts. Eight persons have been killed and 100 wounded, 19 seriously. The damage to property has been considerable. There has been no pillaging, but the destruction of the furniture in the various houses has been absolute. The mob, armed with axes, smashed the doors and windows and brought the furniture out on the streets, where they broke it into small pieces. The owners of the furniture in attempting to defend their belongings were attacked, beaten and even killed.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Four Persons Instantly Killed on the Pennsylvania Road Near Canton, O.

Canton, O., May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Gust Miller, of Louisville, O., and Mrs. Howell and daughter, Anna, of South Bend, Ind., were struck by a passenger train on the Pennsylvania railroad while out riding late Thursday night and all were instantly killed. The bodies of the three women were found on the front of the engine. Miller's body was found some distance in the rear and was picked up by the train crew. The accident occurred just outside the village of Louisville, a few miles south of this city.

Declared Not Guilty.

Peoria, Ill., May 27.—The jury in the case of Richard Higgins, charged with the murder of Mrs. Nellie Thomasson, on October 15 last, returned a verdict Friday finding the defendant not guilty. But two ballots were taken. The evidence showed that Mrs. Thomasson suffered an affection of the stomach, which might have caused her death.

Blown to Pieces.

Denver, Col., May 25.—M. H. Walley was killed Wednesday by an explosion of nitroglycerine on a vacant lot in this city. Whether it was suicide or accident has not been determined. Fragments of the body were found three squares distant from the scene of the explosion.

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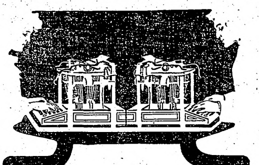

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NO MORE PRIVATE SALES.

Lands Bid in for Taxes Must Be Sold at Public Auction.

After Suly 1, 1905, real property bid in for the state at regular annual tax sales will be sold only at public auction, according to the ruling made by State Auditor S. G. Iverson.

Under the old law absolute property had to be disposed of by the county auditor at a public or private sale as the state auditor might direct. The legislative session of 1802 however, provided that such property must be disposed of at public sale to be conducted by the state auditor, the tax deed to be executed by the governor instead of the county auditor.

Mr. Iverson holds that the property acquired by the state under the old law shall be disposed of under that law, and property acquired since May, 1902, under the 1602 law.

According to Mr. Iverson's intrpretation of the 1902 law, in July, 1905, and each succeeding year a duplicate list of absolute property of the state shall be prepared by the county auditor, one copy to be forwarded to the state auditor and the other to be retained by the county auditor for examination by the public. Public sales will be held once each year, the date to be fixed by the state auditor.

In Mr. Iverson's ruling he summarizes the requirements of the old and new laws as follows:

Tracts acquired under the 1902 law can be sold only at public sale.

After July 1, 1905, tracts acquired under the old law can be sold only at public sale.

The personal notice of expiration of redemption must be given on all absolute property sales.

All absolute property sales are subject to redemption, and taxes on all such forfeited property may be paid, until the termination of the time (sixty days) after proof of service of notice of expiration has been filed with the county auditor.

The tax deeds under the 1902 law will all be executed by the governor, those of the old law by the county auditor.

The county auditor and the county treasurer are required to attend the public sales.

A special distribution of the proceeds of these sales should be made and a special report of all moneys received therefrom be promptly transmitted to the state auditor, who will draw upon the county treasurer for the amount shown to be due the state.

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Just Among Ourselves

Edited by the New Boss and an Ax

A fashion note says "If we can wear almond green, it seems to be the thing." Yes we can wear it. We can wear red, purple, blue, any old color if we only had it.

A woman has got to love something, even if it is only a man.

Many a man gets down on his kness in his wife's presence, but generally to look for a lost cuff button.

"Get in the habit of taking a rest at noon," says a medical journal. There are a few people of our acquaintance who are attending strictly to this advice, and thinking if a little rest is good to rest all the time is better.

The Irish language has only 18 letters. Jumping jupiter, what would Thief River Falls papers do if they only had eighteen letters with which to call Red Lake Falls names. It would be enough to drive "Uncle John" to drink.

Thief River's papers say they are ready to help any town in the county celebrate July 4th, except Red Lake Falls. Now you little boys ought to be ashamed of yourselves. The idea of acting up so.

According to a medical Journal "kissing is dangerous under certain conditions." You bet it is. You want to be sure the old folks are nowhere about before beginning the operation.

Dandelions are selling in the eastern markets for a dollar a bushel. Red Lake Falls ought to be able to make a fortune out of the industry.

A Red Lake Falls woman discharged her hired girl as a Lenten sacrifice and now her husband finds that everything she puts before him is a burnt offering.

Milwaukee did not realize the magnitude of that bank president's steal until it was figured out that it was about the price of 30,000,000 beers.

The latest New York fad is calling cards for dogs. Presumably the dog's card is sent in with that of the monkey that owns it.

BADGER.

Wesley Kelly was a visitor of F. M. Berry Monday.

Medore Robillard entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon.

Damasse LaChance and son Albert drove to the Falls Monday on business.

Peter LaChance and Wesley Kelly called at the M. Quesnell home Sunday afternoon.

The Misses Alice Zelia Quesnell called at the Ducharme home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnell and Master Fred Hudson were shoppers at the Falls Tuesday.

Misses Alice, Zelia and Anna Quesnell spent Friday evening at D. Champeau's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dona Laurent and Mrs. A. Laurent spent Tuesday at the home of Xavier Sauve.

A few of Miss Zelia Quesnell's friends were royally entertained at her home Sunday evening.

Rudolph Ducharme and brother, Theo of Perrault station, hauled oats from their father's farm Monday.

Messrs. Nap Clement, Ed. St. Ives and A. Champeau spent Friday evening with Willie Montruel.

Mrs. Ovila Robillard, who has been confined to her bed for some time past, is not improving very fast.

Messrs. and Mesdames M. and E. Quesnell left last week to visit with friends and relatives at Crookston and Fisher. Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnell returned home Monday but the remainder of the party will return later on.

The chilnren of Desire and O. Robillard had a runaway Sunday morning on their way to church. A young horse had gone but a short distance when he became frightened and turned the buggy upside down. The buggy was banly damaged but luckily no one was hurt.

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THE FIVE DAY MARKET.

It Is Up to the Feeder to Assist In Making a Change In Market Days.

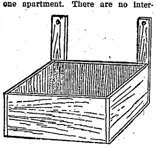
"Our readers are aware that an attempt was made some time ago to install what is known as the five day market in the place of the market held formerly but two days during the week. At the Chicago market a committee was appointed by the Live Stock Exchange known as the five day committee," says Iowa Homestead in publishing the statement recently made by the secretary of the committee. The last item of the statement is as follows:

"The success of a five day market, while of benefit to all engaged in the trade, is of paramount benefit to the shippers and producers, as it will eliminate the bunching of receipts on certain days and thereby avoid the disastrous and expensive depreciation in values always attendant on an overstocked market."

Commenting upon the report, the Homestead remarks: It seems now as though it is up to the feeder to assist in effecting the change from the two day to the five day market. It seems that there is as yet too much temptation to send in live stock on the old market days, and, as shown in this communication, the result is a direct loss to shippers. Could shipments be distributed so that they would be reasonably well cleaned up each day there is no question but what it would result in more money being paid for live stock.

For Her Majesty the Hen.

Considerable experience has taught me that all nest boxes for laying or hatching purposes should be movable, says an Ohio Farmer correspondent. When a hen becomes broody and I wish to set her I place the eggs under her and that evening move her, box and all, to the brooder house, where three sitting hens are given the use of one apartment. There are no interlopers to lay by them and break the eggs. They can get off whenever they feel like it for food and drink, which are kept in all the apartments.


A MOVABLE NEST BOX.

Two cleats are nailed to the back of the box and a hole bored in each cleat, by means of which the box is hung on two stout nails driven in the side of the building. It is well to have these nails all the same distance apart, so that boxes are interchangeable and can be placed anywhere. The nails should be tenpenny and driven with the heads projecting one and a half inches and sloping upward, so as to hold the boxes firmly.

Yield Increasing on Good Land.

Why do Illinois farm lands sell for $125 to $150 an acre? Because they are productive, answers Orange Judd Farmer. This year one Christian county farmer gathered a field of corn which yielded 119 bushels to the acre. The corn was sold for 37 cents a bushel, a gross return of $43 per acre. Taking out the cost of growing the crop, there still remains a big interest on the investment even if the land be valued at $200 per acre. While yields as large as this are exceptional, they are becoming more and more common. With improved seed and improved methods of culture the average yield on good land is increasing. This is one of the reasons land is going up.

GARDEN SNAPSHOTS

The best thing for the garden—brains.

Cut the black knot out of the plum and cherry trees.

A particular titbit of the San Jose scale is the currant.

Bone meal and wood ashes in the soil are great for sweet peas.

Probably no other small fruit will give more weight of crop for the space it occupies than the currant.

Don't trim the cherry trees now. Wait till June and then be light handed.

To bleed the grapevines by cutting during March, April or May is bad management.

Radishes are usually ready for use in six weeks from sowing.

Cold frames are useful for forwarding lettuce and cabbage in spring or early summer.

If the rhubarb is run out or more plants are wanted it can be propagated by dividing the old roots. Each eye or bud when broken apart with a root attached forms a plant.

For the good of the lawn some gardeners scatter fertilizer or bone meal on the last light snowfall, or a light dressing of manure left on through the spring rains will disfigure the lawn only for a short time and can then be raked off.

As soon as the snow is gone it is in order to ply the rake on grass plats and borders, thus cleaning up manure and litter of the winter. The roller, too, well used will remove the roughness caused by the soil heaving with frost.

One of the errors of garden lovers is that they often plan to do more than they can carry out successfully. To have everything neat, thrifty and beautiful on a smaller scale gives far more satisfaction than an overgrown place full of ambitious and unsuccessful attempts.

Ayer's

You can hardly find a home without its Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Parents know what it does for children: breaks

Cherry Pectoral

up a cold in a single night, wards off bronchitis, prevents pneumonia. Physicians advise parents to keep it on hand.

"The best cough medicine money can buy is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. For the coughs of children nothing could possibly be better."
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Ayer's Pills greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

A Fine Distinction.

'Twas twins! The doctor laughed "Ha, ha!"
And the father laughed "He, he!"
A difference in the laughs, you'll note.
Now, wherefore should it be?

"Ha, ha!" is the proper thing to laugh
At thought of the bill and its joys.
"He, he!" is the laugh pronominal
When it's twins and the twins are boys!
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Time Wasted.

Miss Passay—He was so impatient. He wanted to marry me right away. But I said there was no hurry.

Miss Pert—The idea! And you getting older every minute!—Catholic Standard and Times.

Striking Him.

Quietly she came up behind him as he sat in his armchair and whispered:

"Will you let me have $10, dear?"

"I am surprised," he said, "that you would strike a man behind his back."—Yonkers Statesman.

A Trade In Love.

Little Willie; charming Sue.
Little Willie: "I love you."
Charming Susie: "Give to me
Half your apple, then I'll see."
Little Willie: "Take it, Sue."
Little Sue: "How I love you!"
—New York Times.

Took It Hard.

Gunner—I hear that Carter created a great uproar when he lost $200 at poker.

Guyer—Yes, he created as much uproar as if he had lost his collar button.—Detroit Tribune.

In the Near Future.

"The Amalgamated Typewriters are going on a strike."

"What's the trouble?"

"They refuse to be dictated to."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Botany.

There's many a flower that blushes unseen,
But the man that the florist has laid for
Is the man who bestows on society's queen
The flower that blushes unpaid for.
—Washington Star.

Deadly.

"Do you think that using coloring matter on the hair is attended with danger?"

"Well, whoever uses it dyes."—Houston Post.

The Responsible Party.

Policeman—Which o' yez beginned this fight?

One of the Belligerents—He did. His dog pitched into mine.—Chicago Tribune.

Baffling.

A maid neither rich nor romantic
Wed a man neither proud nor pedantic,
And so retired is their life
And empty of strife
That the neighbors are thoroughly frantic.
—Puck.

He Had Tried It.

"Old Mr. Selfmade seems to have such a ready wit."

"Yes; sort of rough and ready, you might say."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Cruel Nurse.

Mr. De Fashion—Why did you discharge that nurse girl?

Mrs. De Fashion—She kicked poor little Fido just for biting the baby.

County Depositories.

Proposals will be received by the Board of Auditors of Red Lake County, Minnesota, until five o'clock p. m., June 17, 1905, stating the rate of interest which would be paid on monthly balances of county funds subject to check and payment at all times on demand, the rate of interest which would be paid on such funds or any part thereof when deposited for any certain length of time and the security which would be given therefor.

BOARD OF AUDITORS OF RED LAKE CO.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.
Dated May 23, 1905.

Low Rates To Fargo.

On account of the Norwegian celebration to be held at Fargo, June 6th to 8th, the Great Northern will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale June 6th and 8th, with final limit June 9th. For full particulars consult local agent.

Three Physicans Treated Him without Success.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief, and three bottles cured permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." A. L. Reichert.

The Secret of Good Coffee

Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored

LION COFFEE, the leader of all package coffees—the coffee that for over a quarter of a century has been daily welcomed in millions of homes—and you will make a drink fit for a king in this way:

HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use LION COFFEE, because to get best results you must use the best coffee.

Grind your LION COFFEE rather fine. Use "a tablespoonful to each cup, and one extra for the pot." First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:

1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 DONT'S
Don't boil it too long.
Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving.
Don't use water that has been boiled before.

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

1st. With Eggs. Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground LION COFFEE before boiling.

2d. With Cold Water instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use LION COFFEE in future. (Sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages.)
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(Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

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John F. Naughtin, Minnesota Manager of the FIDELITY MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO., of Philidelphia, will soon be in Red Lake Falls, and will be glad to explain this plan of life insurance.

Minneapolis Office 704-705 Andrus Building.

Advertised for a Wife

Recently a farmer living near Preston, Minn., advertised in the city papers for a wife. In due time a fair and willing one responded. He suited her and if he would send her money to buy a few necessary things and to pay car fare she would come. He sent the money, secured the license and, wearing a white ribbon for purposes of identification, waited for the train, but the fair one with his money never came.

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ST. JOSEPH'S PIANO PLAYERS

Sister Cecilia's Pupils Give a Recital Tuesday Evening—Young Players of Promise Participate.

Sister Cecilia, who had charge of the music class at St. Joseph's school, may well fell proud of the showing the young people made at the piano recital given at the Metropolitan opera house Tuesday evening. The entertainment was a most pleasant one, made doubly interesting by the fact that most of the performers were very young.

A large audience greeted the little players and every number received hearty applause. The recital was the means of demonstrating the fact that there are some very clever players in the class who will make a name for themselves in the future should they continue their studies.

Four vocal numbers and a mandolin solo gave a tone and variety to the program. These numbers, as well as the piano selections, were rendered in a taking and pleasing manner, and the whole made a program that was good wholesome entertainment from start to finish. It is to be hoped that more recitals will be given by the pupils of St. Joseph's school. The occasions are beneficial to the pupil and patron alike and are the means of stimulating interest in music and the good things of life.

Bees for Sale.

I have about thirty-five hives of fine honey bees for sale cheap. Enquire at residence on North Side.

j15 OLIVER CARON.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

TOO MUCH FOR FERTILE

Red Lake Falls High School Gets the Best of Fertile in Field Meet Tuesday Afternoon.

The long looked for field meet between the Red Lake Falls and Fertile high schools took place in this city Tuesday afternoon. The boys of this place proved too much for the Fertileites and won easily, scoring 47 points to Fertile's 13. The feature of the day's sport was the remarkable showing made by Drew Marshall of this place. He was in nearly every event and won more points than any other contestant. He is an all 'round athlete and will no doubt make a record for himself should he continue "in the game." The other representatives of Red Lake Falls did themselves proud and the team would make it interesting for any high school in a similar contest.

The following young men took part in the "meet:"

Fertile—Olstad, English, Sandvig, Hagen, Hanson, Cunningham, LaDue and Holmes;

Red Lake Falls—Marshall, Garceau, Healy, Buse and Blake.

Following are the events and results of the afternoon:

100 yard dash—1st., Marshall, 2nd Garceau, 3d Blake, time 11½ seconds.

Hammer throw—1st Hagen, 2nd Buse, 3rd Olstad, distance 105 feet, 7 inches.

120 yard hurdle—1st Marshall, 2nd Blake, 3rd LaDue, time 17½ seconds.

220 dash—1st Garceau, 2nd Healy, 3rd Olstad, time 25 4-5 seconds.

High jump—1st Marshall, 2nd Blake, 3rd Garceau, height 5 feet 3 inches.

Broad jump—1st Marshall, 2nd Garceau, 3rd Healy, distance 19 feet 9 inches.

Hop, step and jump—1st Healy, 2nd Olstad, 3rd Marshall, distance 39 feet 9 inches.

Shot put—1st Hagen, 2nd Marshall, 3rd Holmes, distance 34 feet 2½ inches.

Pole vault—1st Marshall, 2nd Olstad, 3rd Garceau, height 8 feet 9 inches.

220 hurdle—1st Marshall, 2nd Healy, time 29 4-5 seconds.

AN OLD LANDMARK GONE

The Washington School Building was Entirely Destroyed by Fire Early Monday Morning.

Citizens of Red Lake Falls were awakened from their peaceful slumbers at 2 o'clock Monday morning by the ringing of the fire bell, when it was discovered that the Washington school building on the north side was a mass of flames. The fire was well under way before it was discovered by persons living near by, and by the time the alarm was given the structure was far beyond control. The fire boys responded promptly to the call and the fire engine and the hose carts were taken to the scene of the blaze to be in readiness to fight any fire that might be started from the burning building. Fortunately a hard rain was falling and the wind was blowing from a quarter that protected buildings near the school house. Fire brands were blown to the west and had it not been for the rain the residences in the "hollow" would have sufiered.

When discovered the building was burning at the top plainly showing that the blaze had been started by lightning. The building was completely consumed and it was impossible to save any of the contents. Insurance to the amount of $4,750 was carried on the building and $1,000 on the contents. Only $3,000 insurance was carried on the building up to last fall, but the directors at that time decided that additional risk should be taken. It proved to be a wise move.

The building was one of the old landmarks of the city, having been built in 1885. The lumber for the building was hauled from Crookston and the construction was attended by the inconveniences of pioneer life.

The insurance adjusters were in the city yesterday and the loss adjusted in a satisfactorily manner. At a meeting of the school board Tuesday it was decided to communicate with architects immediately and get plans and estimates for a new building to be erected as soon as possible.

HONORS FOR CLASS OF '05

Class Exercises Held at Metropolitan Opera Honse Monday Evening—Great Success.

This is the great week of the year to the pupils of the public schools. To the graduates it is the joyous period that intervens between the idealism of school days and the stern realities of life, and to the pupils of the lower grades it means that the long summer vacation has begun.

The commencement exercises of the Red Lake Falls schools opened Sunday evening when the baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. Father Ansgar at St. Mary's church. A large audience was present to listen to the words of good cheer and advise to the young people, and the address was a most appropriate one.

Monday evening the class program of the high school graduates was given at the Metropolitan opera house. The room was most profusely and appropriately decorated with flowers, plants, the class colors, etc., and presented a beautiful sight. A large audience was present and every number was heartily received. The following program was presented:

Music—Orchestra..........................,Turlet
"French National Defili March"
Invocation..................Rev. Father. Fayolle
Oration.............. ....Blanche Berthiaume
Saluatory—"Mothers of the Great"
Class History............................Rose Sutter
Oration ....Micheal Connaughty
"Opportunities Offered to Young Men of Today"
Music—Orchestra....... ....Verdi
Miserere" from Il Trovotore
Class Peom...........................Lillian Nauman
"More Beyond"
Oration.............................J. Drew Marshall
"What Next"
Class Prophecy.........—.......Iza M. Tibbetts
Vocal Solo "Answer" Roybr......Mrs E. H. Chase
Oration............................Mayme Linnihan
"The Power of Music"
Class Will.........................Clara Marchnnd
Oration. Valedictory..................Ralph Healy
"The Industrial Manager"
Music—Orchestra..................................Losey
"Patrol of the Guardsmen"
Presentation of Diplomas.......................... ....
..............................Prof. E. W. Chamberlain
Benediction...........................Rev. H. W. Knox
Music—Orchestra.......................... Braham
"Storm Center March"

Every member of the class did themselves proud and have every reason to feel that their efforts was of the highest order and greatly appreciated by all. The orations were delivered in a free and easy manner and showed a familiarity with the subject treated. The members of the class received many présents and words of cheer and commendation were on every hand. The occasion will no doubt be long remembered as one of the bright times of their life.

The music for the occasion was furnished by the band orchestra and Mrs. Chase. The orchestra numbers were well received as was Mrs. Chase's vocal solo.

The '07 and '08 classes occupied prominent places in the hall and enlivened the occasion with their class yells and a good natured "class fight." Taken all in all the graduating exercises were far ahead of the usual commencement program, and all who took part, and those who managed the affair, may well fell proud of the occasion.

Last evening the Juniors gave a banquet to the classes of '04 and '05 at the Lafayette school building, and this evening the usual alumni banquet will be held at the K. of P. hall.

Business Change in Terrebonne.

The general merchandise business conducted at Terrebonne for a number of years by Dupont & Sons changed hands last week, the elder Dupont retiring. The business hereafter will be conducted by Geo. and Wm. Dupont under the firm name of Dupont Bros. The retiring member of the firm, Louis Dupont, will leave shortly for an extended trip in the east. He will visit Montreal, Canada, and from that place will go to his native home in Maine. He expects to be away from two to three months. Mrs. Dupont will accompany him as far as St. Paul where she will visit relatives during Mr. Dupont's eastern trip.

Dupont & Sons have enjoyed a good business and there is no reason to think but what the new firm will enjoy the same liberal patronage.

THIEF RIVER UP IN THE AIR

County Commissioners find Thief River Falls' Petition is not in Accordance with Law and Refuse to call Special Election.

The Commissioners of Red Lake county at their special meeting in this city Tuesday decided that Thief River Falls' petition for a special election to vote upon the removal of the county seat to that city was not in accordance with the law governing such cases, and that the board was not justified in calling the election.

The commissioners met Monday and immediately took up the county seat petition, for which purpose the meeting was called. After hearing the arguments of the attorneys and testimony of several witnesses the board passed a resolution declaring the petition as not being in legal form.

It seems Thief River circulated 32 petitions instead of one, as they stated they would in their notice before the petitions were circulated. In their notice published at the beginning of proceedings they stated that eight persons would circulate a petition. It seems that sixty-four persons circulated the thirty-two petitions. It was also found that the notices in regard to the circulating of the petition were not posted in the three most prominent places of this city. For these and other good reasons the board refused to grant their request for an election.

It looks as though the Thief River Falls people had used poor judgmnet in getting up their petition and had not consulted competent legal advice at the beginning of the fight. They have been to a great expense, but what is worse they put the county to a great expense in their selfish endeavor to remove the county seat. The tax-payers of the county are getting heartily sick of their work of expense and trust they will use better judgment in the future and not entail further unnecessary expense to the county.

Just what Thief River's next move will be is hard to foretell but it is presumed they will try and dig up some excuse to prolong the contest.

Wm Erb, a resident of Deer Park township, immediately began mandamus proceedings. and served a notice on the commissioners issued by Judge Watts commanding the Board to meet June 20th and reconsider their action. This action no doubt was done to test the legality of the commissioners' action, and the suit will probably be in the courts for years to come.

MARRIED AT ST. PAUL.

Miss Tambling to be Married in Saintly City To-Day.

Miss Carrie E. Tambling left the city Monday evening and is to be married to-day to Dr. Merton Field at St. Paul.

Miss Tambling taught in the high school of this city since the first of the year, and made many friends both with the scholars and the older people of the city. She proved to be one of the best teachers Red Lake Falls ever had and was very successful in that line of work. She made many friends during her short residence in the city who will join the Courier in wishing her happiness and joy in her new home and relation.

Dr Field is a practicing physician of Minnesota Lake, a prosperous town in the extreme southern part of the state. He is spoken very highly of and no doubt will prove a worthy husband. The couple will go immediately to Minnesota Lake where they will make their home.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

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Attorney General Says "No"

Thief River Falls Cannot Give City Hall to the County to be used as Court House.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 27, 1905.

Hon. E. T. Young, Atty. Gen.,
St. Paul, Minn.,

Dear Sir:—Can the City Council of a city legally give to the county authorities a lease of its City Hall to be used as a court house, for the term of ten years, at a nominal rent of one dollar per year, the said City Hall being a building of the value of several thousand dollars, and now used by the city for city offices and fire department? An early answer will oblige,

Yours truly,
CHAS, E. BOUGHTON,
City Attorney of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

St. Paul, Minn., June 6, 1905.

Mr. Chas. E. Boughton,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.,

Dear Sir:—I have the honor to advise you that the City Council has no authority to lease a City Hall or other public building in the manner indicated in your question. A City Council has only the powers granted to it by the Legislature and the Legislature of this state has not yet seen fit to grant to City Councils a power to lease public buildings belonging to the municipality.

Yours truly,
R. A. STONE,
Assistant Attorney General.

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Mrs. S. A. Carter.

Marvelous Cure of Mrs. S. A. Carter.

The following case is fully described in "The Fountain of Life," and is accompanied by the sworn statement of Dr. L. W. Hammons, a leading Physician of Belfast, Maine, who was familiar with the case of Mrs. S. A. Carter:

Language cannot describe what she suffered for 15 years. TOTAL PARALYSIS of left side, Malignant Eczema, body a Mass of Sores; Erysipelas, Constipation, Dropsy, etc. Her suffering horrible. She prayed for death. Seven skilled physicians pronounced her incurable. Nothing helped her. NUTRIOLA AND NUTRIOLA SKIN FOOD CURED HER, made her skin at 76 years as smooth as a child's, filled her veins with rich blood, banished Paralysis. She wept for very joy at her recovery. SAVED solely, entirely and perfectly by NUTRIOLA AND NUTRIOLA SKIN FOOD.

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CITY COUNCIL DOINGS.

Proceedings of Council at the May 25th Meeting.

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the city hall May 25, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The application for abatement of taxes on lot eleven, of block 82 in Kretzschmar's addition by Joseph Tischirhort was on motion duly recommended.

It was moved and carried that the bond of the Northwestern Bridge Co. in the sum of $925 be approved and that the city clerk be and is hereby instructed to return to said bridge company its certified check of $200.

The secretary of the fire department reported the appointment of John Drier as fire warden, and on motion unanimously carried the appointment was duly confirmed.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Crompe and seconded by Alderman Hennmtuh.

RESOLUTION.

By the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls, authorizing the construction of Sidewalks:

Whereas, a majority of the owners of property fronting on Washington Ave., in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, have petitioned the City Council of said city to order a sidewalk built on the east side of said street, as aforesaid, and requested the adoption of the necessary resolution to give effect thereto according to law; Be it

Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls that a sidewalk be, and the same is hereby ordered to be built on the east side of Washington Ave. in said city, in the manner following to-wit: To be four feet wide, built of two inch plank, laid upon 3 stringers 2x6 not less than 6 nails in each plank; said sidewalk to be completed on or before the 20th day of July, A. D. 1905, and further that this resolution shall be served on or before the 10th day of June, A. D. 1905, upon the owners of the lots, parts of lots, and parcels of ground fronting on said Washington Aye. Street where said sidewalk is ordered to be built, and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated, said service to be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided;

Name of Owner	Front Feet	Des. of Property Owned
		Buse & Bottineau's Add.
Elizabeth Ralph	25	Lot 1, Block 3
Lee Steinert	50	Lts 2, 2, Blk 3
G. A. Grusendorf	100	Lts 4, 5, 6, 7, Block 3
Lucinda Witt	25	Lot 8, Block 3
Ernest Buse	75	Lts 9, 10 and 11 Block 3
Thoren Glend	25	Lot 12, Block 3
James Hance	50	Lts 13, 14, Blk 3
		Riverside Add
James Hance	55	Lot 9, Block 3
Eugenie Perrault	50	Lot 8, Block 3
Chas. Brunelle	25	South half of Lot 7, Block 3

All the above described property being in the above described additions to the Village, now City of Red Lake Falls Minnesota.

Adopted May 25, 1905, A. D.

Attest. A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Approved May 25, 1905.

FRED BORCHERS,
President City Council.
J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Upon roll call the following aldermen voted aye: Hennemuth, Cromp, Brady and Borchers. Nays, none.

Whereupon the resolution was declared adopted.

On motion duly carried, the following bills were allowed:

Joseph Helm, for use of gasoline engine	$ 11 00
B. Puschinsky, blacksmith acct.	1 50
Wm. Findeisen, plow	21 00
John Defirge, burying carcasses	3 00
Willie Patnode, street work	12 00
Elhmen Chattel, " "	12 00
John Deforge, " "	19 80
Levi Miller " "	3 00
Joseph Payment " "	10 50
Andrew Lemieux " "	9 00
Nick Bohlin " "	4 50
Joseph Perus " "	4 50

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approvee this 31st day of May, A. D. 1905. J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

RURAL SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION

By Chas. Moller, Terrebonne.

The greatness and prosperity of a nation depends upon the intelligence of its citizens. This is especially true in a republic. In seeking an educational institution the people demand the very best to be had.

Should we find any weakness in our present system we should not hesitate to throw it out. The welfare of the people of the nation demand that school officers should remove and abolish those defects which time, experience and circumstances have shown to exist. They should not be contented to continue along the same lines or pursue the same methods as their forefathers, until they feel confident that the present methods and the present system fill the requirements. That a certain system has been continued for a long time is no evidence that it is the only, or even the best system.

In looking over the history of the last twenty years, we find that an extraordinary progress has been made along almost every line of human action. In the organization of our common school system used in this state and county we can see but very little difference from those systems which were organized in 1879 in the New England States.

Has our common school system arrived at such a state of perfection that it cannot be improved? If not then we have neglected to keep it up to the standard of other lines of progress

The town unit school system was the ancient system of New England. The classic school law of Massachusets, enacted in 1748 ordered that the towns should form schools on their reaching a certain number of householders. Connecticut and other New England provinces followed the example of Massachusetts. The original New England town was a small concentration of people and was well adapted to this system. As the settlement spread from the original center it became convenient for families at a distance to establish new and smaller schools. At first these existed merely by private suffrage. In 1879, however, thew were legalized by law. In speaking of this law, Horace Mann says: "I consider the law of 1879, authorizing towns to divide themselves into districts the most unfortunate law on the subject of common school laws ever enacted in this state."

This faulty district system has spread into a great majority of the the states today. But we find the New England states that were first to adopt it are likewise leading in abolishing it. In Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and New Jersey we find it no more. In Connecticut, Rhode Island, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, Florida, Washington, California and a great many other states, we find some form of consolidated schools, side by side with the old system. From all these states the reports are decidedly in favor of the consolidated system. Considering how much better the consolidated system is than the district system it is not a little strange that its progress has been so slow.

In our present system, the district system, we find many defects. We should ever be on the watch for these and try to remove them. The fact that our present system was good enough a generation ago does not prove that will fill the requirements of the future. New conditions have arisen. Competition has become more keen. In order that the children of the present time may have the same opportunities as their parents, it is absolutely necessary that they should receive a proportionate degree of better school facilities than those of their parents.

In this county we attempt at present to maintain 77 distinct and seperate schools. Does it not seem plain to you that the result mast necessarily be a great many weak and expensive schools? Are you satisfied in scattering your efforts along educational lines? Would it not be better to so arrange our school system, that the greatest amount of good can come to the greatest number of people for the amount of money invested?

It is well to look into the question with care before rendering an opinion. It is well also to be conservative, and not be in too great haste, in adopting new ideas. But we must not make the mistake of the Chinese and allow this conservatism to prevent all progress because of being satisfied with present conditions.

In investigating this question all personal feelings should be laid aside. It should be considered from all points of view without prejudice. Especially when it is recommended by thousands of learned fellow citizens from other states.

One evidence that our rural school system is faulty is the fact that the average country pupil does not remain in the country school after reaching the seventh or eighth grade. It has been and still is the custom for pupils in the country who are ready to enter those grades, to leave the rural school to attend a graded school in some town. In some cases where they have relatives residing in town they leave earlier in the grades to reside with these town relatives to attend the graded school. Again we find parents selling or renting their farms, and moving into town for the sole purpose of letting their children attend the graded school. All children are not blest with these town relatives, and these opportunities for attending the graded school in town. Neither are all parents in such position as to be able to hire board for their children in town. The result is that the average country pupil leaves school at an age when he is best fitted to take up school work to prepare him for the struggle of life. A graded school in the country to which he could have access would enable him to continue without leaving home. Now the question is: How can this be accomplished?

Consolidation of rural schools answers this question. By this system graded schools can be organized in the country and country children can have the privelege of attending without leaving home and going to some town. And it is not in all cases that this change has the best results for the country children. Not every boy and girl who comes fresh from the country with good health and pure morals is able to retain these blessings under the changed conditions in town. They have not been prepared for it; they have grown up under different surroundings and the new life may not be the best for them. The country is the ideal place for the graded school, with its simplicity of manners and dress, the ruggedness of its life, the peace, quiet and contentment of its homes, its formation of good habits, its absence of vice, its opportunities for physical development and its making of men and women of clear consciences. All these are items which argue for rural life and the rural school.

There is a tendency, or rather there has been, on the part of some of our rural population to think think their work less dignified than work in town. The average farmer did not sufficiently "magnify his office." So when able to educate one of his sons he would send him to college to study for the law, medicine, divinity or to to fit him for some department of an imagined higher life in town. To the old style farmer science had not yet made the revelations which have transformed agriculture and shown it to afford gratifications of the highest order to intellect and ambition.

But the transforming influence of the new agriculture is being felt today in every state. It has endowed farming with such facinations that not only do the farmer's sons, when fairly brought in contact with its wonderful agencies, show an increasing tendency to remain on the farm, but multitudes of city youth are attracted to field and garden and forest. The graduate of the modern agricultural school finds himself the peer and more in intellictual equipment of the graduate from the ordinary college.

Formerly the tendency was to educate the boy from the farm. Now the tendency is to reverse this state of affairs. Since a great many boys derive all their education in a country school the subject of agriculture should receive due attention. Unfortunately it is almost entirely neglected in the average country. There are a great many reasons for this among which are the limited enrollment, lack of time, shortness of school terms, etc. If graded schools were established in the country this subject could easily be given the time and attention it ought to have. Then the country boy would be learning something that would insure him a greater chance for attaining a competence than the average city youth.

The question of school consolidation stated simply, is whether or not it would be better to unite small, single room, isolated country schools into graded or semi-graded schools and to carry the children to and from the latter at public expense. It is conceded by state and county superintendents and other administrative officers everywhere that the most rational solution of the rural school problem lies in thus combining these small isolated schools into larger ones and transporting the children.

Regarding the wisdom of the plan, experience has shown the following points in favor of consolidation, as set forth by State Superintendent Olsen: 1st. It allows more time for recitations.

The chief difficulty in a country school where a considerable number of pupils is enrolled, or more strictly speaking, where all the grades—from the primary to the eight—are represented, lies in the lack of time for recitations. Allowing but four recitations for each grade this would amount to from twenty-eight to thirty-two recitations in a single day! Contrast this if you please with the number of recitations required of a teacher in a graded school.

2nd. It makes larger classes, permitting desirable classification and grading of pupils.

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3rd. It enables school boards to

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Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

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ADMIRAL ENQUIST, WITH THREE RUSSIAN CRUISERS, ESCAPE FROM JAPANESE.

Badly Damaged, and Crowded with Wounded, They Reach Manila and Request Time to Make Necessary Repairs.

Manila, June 5.—Three Russian cruisers that escaped from Admiral Togo in the battle of the Sea of Japan reached this port Saturday night. They are the cruisers Aurora, Oleg and Jemtchug, under command of Rear Admiral Enquist, who was commander of the heavy cruiser division of the Russian fleet. The three vessels suffered in the engagement a loss of 68 killed and 135 wounded, and in their appearance bear striking witness to the excellence of Japanese marksmanship. Their funnels are riddled with large and small shot. Several large shells pierced them amidships, and many of their guns are dismounted.

Escorted by American Ships.

The Russians reached port at nine o'clock Saturday evening. Rear Admiral Train, on board his flagship, the battleship Ohio, with the Wisconsin, Oregon. Raleigh and Cincinnati, was outside the Corregidor islands maneuvering when the Aurora saluted with 13 guns and the Ohio answered. Admiral Train and his squadron accompanied the Russian vessels to Manila.

Must Leave or Disarm.

Washington, June 5.—The three Russian cruisers under Rear Admiral Enquist, which escaped from the Japanese in the battle of the Sea of Japan and have staggered into Manila, will be granted a refuge within the limits of the laws of neutrality. They must leave with 24 hours after making repairs necessary to place them in a seaworthy condition, or they must intern and remain in port until the end of the war.

Ask Time to Repair.

Washington, June 5.—The following cablegram was received at the navy department Sunday from Admiral Train dated at Manila, and was sent immediately to the president: "Admiral Enquist states that the Aurora and the Oleg are both seriously damaged, and are not seaworthy. The Jemtchug is in bad condition. He makes the request to fill up with provisions and coal. Will require 14 days to repair damages. A board has been ordered to examine and report their condition. One hundred and thirty men wounded. Permission has been granted 50 to be landed."

Manila, June 5.—The naval board which has examined into the condition of the Russian warships here reports that the Oleg will require 60 days, the Aurora 30 days and the Jemtchug ten days to effect repairs. Admiral Enquist has requested permission to repair here, saying that he would be unable to sail except in a smooth sea, on account of his vessels needing patching near the water line.

The Japanese Losses.

Tokio, June 2.—The Japanese losses in the battle of the sea of Japan were 113 officers and men killed and 424 officers and men wounded. The completion of the revised list shows that the losses were under the original estimates. The flagship Mikasa was the heaviest loser, losing 63 killed and wounded. The losses were distributed among the fleet as follows: Mikasa, 63; Adzuma, 39; Shikishima, 37; Asashi, 31; Fuji, 28; Idzuma, 26; Nisshin, 27; Otowa, 26; Kasaga, 26; Tsushima, 19; Asama, 16; Naniwa, 17; Tokiwa, 15; Yakumo, 11; Chitose, 6; Idzumi, 10; Kasuga, 9; Hashidate, 5; Nitaka, 4. The casualties among the destroyers and torpedo boats were 87. Commander Togo was wounded on the Adzuma.

A Story of Mutiny.

London, June 3.—Mutiny on the Russian ships, or some of them, in the battle of the Sea of Japan, is now generally believed to have contributed in part to the ease with which the Japanese won their victory. Dispatches from official sources in St. Petersburg to the war office assert that Admiral Nebogatoff in his report of the battle to the emperor excuses his surrender by his astonishing statement that when the flag of Russia was pulled down he was a prisoner in the mutinous hands of his own command.

Cruel Order Enrages Men.

The full story of what is apparently one of the most startling occurrences in the history of warfare is understood to have been related to the emperor as follows:

After taking part vigorously in the battle of the first day the soldiers and sailors on the Orel and the Nicolai I. became enraged by the fact that, the wounded hampering the operations of the still able-bodied, Nebogatoff ordered that 140 of them be thrown overboard near the Liancourt rocks. The order was carried out, and the rapidly growing spirit of mutiny was intensified by the sight of the advancing turrets of the Japanese.

Scarcely a shot had been fired, it is understood Nebogatoff explains, when the officers of the Orel and the Nicolai I. were seized, disarmed after a struggle, and confined in the main ward rooms of the vessel.

Run Up Japanese Flag.

The Japanese flag was then run up to the peak by the mutineers and on the mikado's ships ceasing fire a delegation of the mutineers informed Nebogatoff that he was to proceed to the Jap ships and there to tender the submission of his command.

Realizing that it was useless to attempt to maintain any semblance of resistance with the mutinous crew, Nebogatoff complied, and, boarding a small launch, went aboard the Jap cruiser Asama and formally surrendered.

FORMALLY OPENED.

President in Washington Gives Signal Which Starts the Portland Exposition.

Portland, Ore., June 2.—With the gentle touch of a hand upon a golden telegraph instrument, President Roosevelt from the white house on Thursday gave the signal which formally opened to the world the Lewis and Clark Centennial exposition, a monument to the memories of Capts. Merriwether Lewis and William Clark, the pioneers who 100 years ago blazed the trail which opened up to the world the "Old Oregon Country." A more auspicious day for the opening of the exposition could not have been desired. The literary exercises which preceded the formal opening of the fair were of extraordinary excellence. The speakers were Vice President Fairbanks, Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, of the house of representatives; Senator Clark, of Wyoming; Congressman Tawney, of Minnesota; H. A. Taylor, assistant secretary of the treasury department; Gov. Chamberlain, of Oregon, and Mayor Williams, of Portland.

AMERICAN YACHT WINS.

Atlantic Victorious in Race for Kaiser's Cup—She Makes a Remarkable Voyage.

The Lizard, England, May 31.—The American three-masted schooner yacht Atlantic, owned by Wilson Marshall, New York Yacht club, is winner of the kaiser's cup. The German schooner yacht Hamburg finished second, nearly 24 hours behind her successful rival. The Atlantic passed Wolf rock with every stitch of sail set. Her spinnaker was rigged to starboard and the American ensign was at her peak. Shortly afterwards the wind dropped and the spinnaker was taken in. Capt. Barr was hailed by the correspondent's boat. He said the Atlantic had made an average speed of 10½ knots since leaving Sandy Hook. The record sail for one day was 341 knots, which Mr. Marshall believes beats anything hitherto achieved. This was made May 24.

GEN. BOYNTON DEAD.

Civil War Veteran and Famous Journalist Passes Away at Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 5.—Gen. H. V. Boynton, president of the Chickamauga park commission, died here Saturday. He suffered from a complication of diseases. Gen. Boynton had been ill since March, but for a time had rallied sufficiently to permit him to resume his official duties. He suffered a relapse and was moved to Atlantic City from Washington, D. C., a week ago. Gen. Boynton was in his seventieth year and during much of his life was identified with national affairs. He was a veteran of the civil war and was famous as a journalist and author.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of the Clubs in Two Leading Organizations.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of the leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	33	10	.767
Pittsburg	24	18	.571
Philadelphia	22	17	.564
Chicago	21	22	.488
Cincinnati	19	21	.475
St. Louis	17	23	.425
Boston	16	26	.381
Brooklyn	15	30	.333
American league:			
Cleveland	23	12	.657
Chicago	22	15	.595
Philadelphia	22	15	.595
Detroit	20	18	.526
Boston	16	20	.444
Washington	16	23	.410
St. Louis	16	24	.400
New York	15	23	.395

SUNK BY WARSHIP.

British Bark Run Down, Cut in Twain, and 23 Lives Probably Lost.

London, June 5.—A collision, in which it is feared 23 men were drowned, took place in a dense fog off Dungeness. The battleship Caesar of the channel fleet, struck and split in twain the British bark Afghanistan, bound from Hamburg to San Diego. Only 11 of the bark's crew of 34 were picked up.

A Georgia Tragedy.

Rocky Ford, Ga., June 5.—Saturday night Joseph Doughtry, a prominent young farmer, was shot through the heart while in his buggy, and killed instantly. A negro woman, Caroline Riddy, is alleged to have fired the shot. She escaped. Sunday morning Paul Jones, a negro, was arrested as accessory to the murder. While Jones was being taken to the jail at Statesboro he made an attempt to brain the sheriff with a brick. The sheriff was partly stunned, but succeeded in drawing his pistol and firing. The bullet

Bad Fire in Knoxville.

Knoxville, Tenn., June 5.—The ill-fated block of the retail district which has suffered a loss of $2,000,000 by fire in the past eight years, was the scene of a fire Sunday, which destroyed the dry goods, notions and millinery house of M. B. Arnstein & Co., Nos. 412-414 Gay street. The losses amount to $175,000, of which $100,000 was sustained by Arnstein & Co., and the remainder by adjoining establishments.

TORNADO MAKES SAD HAVOC.

STORMS KILL TWO AND SEVEN ARE FATALLY INJURED IN MICHIGAN.

Wisconsin is Hard Hit. In Wake of Severe Storms Come Floods Causing Washouts and Loss of Life.

Detroit, June 6.—An electrical storm which seems to have gone through lower Michigan late yesterday took the form of a tornado in the "Thumb" district. Through the counties of Luscola and Sanilac it swept a path of death and devastation half a mile wide.

The dead:

Mary Smith, child of John Smith, a farmer near Urban.

Child of Edward Philpotts, a farmer near Urban.

Fatally injured:

Three children of Edward Philpotts.

Small son of John Smith.

Mrs. Wagner.

Mrs. William Hutchinson.

William Dosser, a farmer.

Seriously injured:

John Smith, arm broken.

Child of John Smith, arm torn off.

Edward Philpotts.

In addition to the above Elsie Appleman, aged twelve years, was killed by lightning at Hemlock, Saginaw county, and George Morrow was fatally injured by lightning at Central Lake in Charlevoix county. Three men who had taken refuge with Marrow in a vacant building also sustained severe shocks.

Cumberland, Wis., June 6.—A terrible rain, hail and electrical storm prevailed in Northern Wisconsin, last night. The Soo line and Omaha roads are seriously washed out. Many barns in this county were struck by lightning and considerable stock was killed. All telephone wires are down.

Paynesville, Minn., June 5.— A severe electrical storm passed over this section of the country last night, and a large amount of damage was done in this village. The dynamo of the village lighting plant and the dynamo of the North American storage plant were both burned out.

Minneapolis, June 6.—A severe electrical storm raged last night completely demoralizing all telegraphic service besween here and Chicago.

Counterfeiters.

Sioux Falls, S. D., June 6.—The discovery by the United States authorities in this city of a counterfeiters' den in what is known as the old Rowland cemetery, situated near Sioux Falls, explains the mystery surrounding recent movements of a strange nature in the vicinity of the old home of the dead. As the result of a raid on the den, the federal authorities succeeded in capturing the man who, it is alleged, is the maker of a great amount of counterfeit money which has recently been placed in circulation at Yankton and other places in the southeastern portion of the state.

Drowned.

Shakopee, Minn., June 6.—Joseph Ryan, the fourteen-year-old son of William Ryan of Skakopee, was drowned in the Minnesota river, one and a half miles east of Shakopee. The father has offered a reward of $100 for the recovery of the body.

Ryan and a companion, Julius Pingilly, had been searching in the woods near Shakope for ferns and flowers with which to decorate the high school building for commencement. They went in swimming at the point where Pond's creek joins the Minnesota river.

Wants Law Repealed.

Crookston, Minn., June 6.—Congressman Halvor Steenerson believes that the Nelson bankruptcy law has done its service and should now be repealed. He says he will introduce a bill at the next session of congress to repeal the law. The law served a good purpose, he says, but is now taken advantage of by unscrupulous persons to evade paying their honest debts.

Presents Credentials.

London, June 6.—Whitelaw Reid, the new American ambassador, had an audience with King Edward at Buckingham palace at noon Monday and he presented his credentials. Three royal carriages were sent to Dorchester house to convey the ambassador and the members of the embassy to the palace.

Killed by Lightning.

St. Paul, June 6.—Mrs. Mary B. Breetberg was killed by a bolt of lightning which struck her home at 248 Kentucky streetat. Mrs. Breetberg was asleep upstairs. The lightning tore off the roof above her head and rendered her unconscious. Efforts to revive her proved unavailing, and she died two hours after. She was sixty years old and lived with her son-in-law, E. Redler.

Dragged.

Mora, Minn., June 2.—Charles Luce, a liveryman at Lawrence, Mille Lacs lake, met death while returning home from this place. Luce had brought a passenger to this place the night before, being on the road all night. When returning home on the following day he fell asleep in his rig, and when about six miles from this place, in turning a sharp corner, he was thrown from his rig, his legs catching over the front axle of the buggy in such a way that he was dragged beneath the buggy on his head and back.

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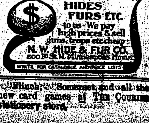

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MORT ADSON, a former Red Lake Falls boy, has been promoted to the position of general passenger agent of the Duluth South Shore. You can't keep Red Lake County folks down.

THE Republican factions are just now enjoying a controversy as to whether the Dunn vote or the Roosevelt vote shall be used as a basis of representation in the next convention. Sic 'em!

GOVERNOR JOHNSON can afford to regard complacently the roar from the Minneapolis and Duluth wheat pits because they are not to be represented on the new board of grain appeals. This board was established with a view of securing the largest measure of protection to the grain producer, and it is proper that the board should be made up of men not interested in the "puts and calls" of the grain gamblers.

HON. ROYAL A. STONE, assistant attorney general, has rendered an opinion that the Thief River council exceeds its authority in offering to lease the city hall for court house purposes. This question was decided several years ago in the Renville county case, as cited by THE COURIER several weeks ago. The Thief River papers said we were wrong, but then sometimes even Thief River Falls newspapers fall into unintentional error.

WITH all our boast of refinement and civilization there must be something radically wrong in our education and code of morals, viewed from the many accounts of hold-ups, defalcations and divers other crimes says the St. Peter Free Press. We are in the habit of picking at little things and ridicule the short-comings of other nations and at the same time furnish a spectacle of corruption and dishonesty that makes every good citizen blush for shame. Look at the bank of Fairbault, the bank of Milwaukee and now again at the doings of Judge Ogle of Mankato. The great trouble with our present generation is that too many live above their means. A man who gets ten dollars a week strives to rival with the well-to-do merchant, the merchant wants to outdo the big capitalist and the capitalist apes European aristocracy, And the remedy? A return to the true republican principles of our forefathers and the application of severe and lasting punishment to the evil doers.

The Tide Has Turned.

John D. Rockefeller is reported to be heart-broken over the public criticism arsiing from his proffered gift of $100,000 to missionaries.

He has given up his vacation, returned to his desk in New York and will seek relief from his depression in hard work.

What will it profit a man to monopolize the earth if he loses his own self respect?

Only two things make life worth living—one is to be respected, the other is to be feared.

No matter how many millions he may possess the person who is neither feared or respected is a miserable wretch.

That is why the system is striving to gain control of the Amerlean government.

If it could control railroad rates and command and recruit the army it is precious little the Rockefellers would care whether the churches accept their ill-goods or not.

As bold as are the American people in expressing their contempt for millionaire crooks, however, the idea of fear has not yet even appeared.

It is no wonder the younger Rockefeller should think of quitting the System.

If the head of the system is thus to be despised, what will become of pusillanimous aldermen and members of the legislature who betray their constituents to the system.

It is evident that the political tide has turned.—Midway News.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

The largest cornfield in the world is down in Missouri, containing 6,000 acres. David Rankin, who owns it, raised in 1904, 15,000 acres of corn on his various farms. He may rightly be called the "corn king."

The Kansas City Journal points out that while farmers compose 50 per cent of our population, they commit only 2 per cent of our crimes. The simple life keeps close to the soil and far from influences that beget crime.

Plant Wizard Burbank is now engaged in crossing the "common potato with the solanum commersoni." We doubt if it will ever be more popular than the common potato crossed with a little fresh butter or brown gravy.

While the Chinese are held to be the most economical people in the world, it has apparently never occurred to them to use the vast areas of their verdant hill and mountain regions as pasturage for cattle, sheep or horses.

As few farms in Iowa are without tenants and farms are eagerly sought after at values never before realized, it would seem that the high price of farming land in that state is responsible for the falling off in the rural population.

The best way to treat a new buggy is to wash it thoroughly with clean cold water before hitching to it. Have a clean sponge and chamois skin. Wash and polish with the chamois. The process hardens the varnish and prevent dust from sticking.

The farmers everywhere should get up on both hind feet and insist that the telephones poles which are now found along almost all public highways stuck out about four feet from the fences shall be moved back on the fence line. As now set, it is almost impossible to move the highways with any ease. What lunatic started this plan of sticking them out in the road?

One man cannot do more than a reasonable amount of work on the farm and do it well and continue to do it. It is possible for a man to put forth extra energies for a day or two, or perhaps several weeks, but to keep up month after month doing more work than one person should do will eventually break down the person doing it and a physical wreck will be the result.

Talking about eggs, if you want to see something phenomenal in this line call at the United States National Museum and inspect the product of the gaint bird called the Aepiornis. It is twelve inches long and ten inches wide, while its shell is nearly a quarter of an inch thick and as hard as rock. Some idea of its size may be had when it is stated that it is capable of holding the contents of six ostrich eggs. A setting of these eggs, or 149 hens' eggs or 30,000 humming birds eggs. A setting of these eggs would be liable to jar the owner of the most vaunted modern incubator and the young Aepiornises, when they come out, would stump the most ambitious brooder to take care of them.

The best way to be miserable is to think about yourself, how much you have lost, how much you have mode, and the poor prospects for the future. A brave man, with a soul in him, gets out of such pitiful ruts and laughs at discouragement, rolls up his sleeves, whistles and sings and makes the best of life. This earth was never intended for glory, and the man who rises above his discouragements and keeps his manhood will only be the stronger for his adversities.

Luther Burbank of Santa Rosa, Cal. has succeeded in producing another wonderful creation, which will come under the head of potato experiments and is known as "potato fruit." Briefy summarized, the evolution is a matter of planting a tuber and gathering from the potato vine the luscious white fruit, one that is delightfully palatable and makes excellent preserves. Mr. Burbank has named the pototo fruit "pomato." When compared with a tomato the pomato is smaller in size and its meat is white instead of red. It is highly flavored. Its flavor is that of a fruit rather than a vegetable. Mr. Burbank has now some 10,000 varieties of potatoes with wich he is experimenting. Most of them are bybred seeding of his own creation.

Ask Garfield.

Duluth News-Tribune: Now that we,re all used to being glad or sorry about the latest great news from the Orient, the beef trust may claim a little attention. By the way, what of the beef trust?

Five Persons Cured.

Mr. Jacob Baatz, 442 7th St. Newark, N. J. writes; Gloria Tonic does exactly what it is claimed for, It cured me of rheumatism, also five of my friends. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The County in General

Thief River wants a band.

The new passenger train on the Soo was put on Monday.

Plummer will pull the tail feathers out of the American eagle July 4th. Preparations are being made for a grand celebration.

Dr. Gambell, of Thief River Falls, has been appointed examining surgeon of the bureau of pensions for Red Lake and surrounding counties.

The Red Lake County Agricultural Society has issued their annual premium lists for the fair this year at Thief River Falls. August 9, 10 and 11 are the dates this year.

Brooks and Plummer indulged in another ball game a week ago Sunday, Brooks winning this time by a score of 23 to 16. Each team has now won a game and the tie will be played off.

St. Hilaire will celebrate the glorious fourth of July in a royal manner. Committees have been appointed to look after the different features of the day and a rousing time is looked for. The Red Lake Falls band will furnish the music for the occasion.

Saving Banks in Germany.

Most of the larger German cities conduct saving banks on a plan entirely different from any we are acquainted with. They are for the benefit of the poor and very small sums are accepted, a fair rate of interest being paid. The banks are run with the greatest economy and are not supposed to do more than be selfsupporting. Not all of the money can be drawn out at any time, so they force savings. The greatest economy in this country is in buying golden grain belt beer, for it gives good health and happiness and strength. Order a case of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

You Are Eligible to Attend

The Annapolis or West Point Military School

If you are an unmarried American boy between ages of 17 and 23, of good habits and can pass the necessary physical examination, have a knowledge of reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography and history of the United States. Unlike most schools, the government allows you about $500 per year to defray all expenses. You receive a thorough military and academic education, and upon graduation may resign or accept a commission as lieutenant in the regular service.

Further particulars for four one cent stamps by addressing,

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50 Members of Congress Send Letters of Endorsement To the Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

Congressman Linney from North Carolina,
Writes: "My secretary had as bad a case of catarrh as I ever saw, and since he has taken one bottle of Peruna he seems like a different man."—Romulus Z. Linney, Taylorsville, N. C.

Congressman Ogden from Louisiana,
Writes: "I can concientiously recommend your Peruna."—H. W. Ogden, Benton, La.

Congressman Smith from Illinois,
Writes from Murphysboro, Ill.: "I have taken one bottle of Peruna for my catarrh and I feel very much benefited."—Geo. W. Smith.

Congressman Meekison from Ohio,
Says: "I have used several bottles of Peruna and feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head."—David Meekison, Napoleon, O.

Congressman Dunnell from Minnesota,
Writes from Owatowna, Minn.: "Your Peruna has been used by myself and friends not only as a cure for catarrh but also as an admirable tonic for physical recuperation."

Congressman Thompson of Kentucky,
Writes: "Besides being one of the very best tonics Peruna is a good, substantial catarrh remedy."—Phil. B. Thompson.

Senator Thurston of Nebraska,
Writes from Omaha, Neb.: "Peruna entirely relieved me of a very irritating cough."—J. M. Thurston.

Congressman Worthington from Nevada,
Writes: "I have taken one bottle of Peruna and and it has benefited me immensely."—H. G. Worthington.

Congressman Bankhead from Alabama,
Writes: "Your Peruna is one of the best medicines I ever tried."—J. H. Bankhead, Fayette, Ala.

Congressman Powers from Vermont,
Writes from Morrisville Vt.: "I can recommend Peruna as an excellent family remedy."—H. Henry Powers.

Senator Sullivan from Mississippi,
Writes from Oxford, Miss.: "I take pleasure in recommending your great national catarrh cure, Peruna, as the best I have ever tried."—W. V. Sullivan.

Congressman Shover of Michigan,
Writes from Port Austin, Mich. "I have found Peruna a very efficient and speedy remedy for a persistent and annoying cough."—H. G. Shover.

Senator McEnery of Louisiana,
Writes: "Peruna is an excellent tonic. I have used it sufficiently to say that I believe it to be all that you claim for it."—S. D. McEnery, New Orleans, La.

Congressman Brownlow of Tennessee,
Writes: "I have taken three bottles of Peruna and feel satisfied that I am now almost, if not permanently, cured of catarrh of the stomach."—W. P. Brownlow, Jonesboro, Tenn.

Senator Mallory of Florida,
Writes from Pensacola, Fla.: "I have used your excellent remedy, Peruna, and have recommended it both as a tonic and a safe catarrh remedy."—Stephen R. Mallory.

Senator Butler of South Carolina,
U. S. Senator M. C. Butler writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble."—M. C. Butler, Edgfield, S. C.

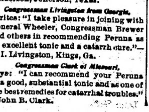
Congressman Brookshire of Indiana,
Says: "From what my friends say Peruna is a good tonic and a safe catarrh cure."—E. V. Brookshire, Crawfordsville, Ind.

Congressman Doviner of West Virginia,
Writes from Wheeling, W. Va.: "I join with my colleagues in the House of Representatives in recommending your excellent remedy."—B. B. Dovinger.

Congressman Broderick of Kansas,
Writes from Holton, Kas.: "I have taken two bottles of Peruna and find it to be an excellent remedy for cold and throat trouble."—Case Broderick.

Congressman Yoder of Ohio,
Writes: "I only used Peruna for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Lima, O.

Congressman Mahon of Pennsylvania,
Writes from Chambersburg, Pa.: "I commend Peruna as a substantial tonic."—Thad M. Mahon.



Capitol at Washington, D. C.

Congressman Sparkman of Florida,
Writes from Tampa, Florida: "I can indorse Peruna as a first rate tonic and a very effective cure for catarrh."—S. M. Sparkman.

Congressman Brewer of Alabama,
Writes: "I have used one bottle of Peruna for lassitude. I recommend it."—Willis Brewer, Haynesville, Ala.

U. S. Senator Gear of Iowa,
Writes from Burlington, Ia.: "Peruna I can recommend to all as a very good tonic."—John H. Gear.

Congressman Culberson of Texas,
Writes: "I can recommend Peruna as one of the very best of tonics."—D. B. Culberson, Jefferson, Texas.

Congressman Livingston from Georgia,
Writes: "I take pleasure in joining with General Wheeler, Congressman Brewer and others in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic and a catarrh cure."—L. I. Livingston, Kings, Ga.

Congressman Clark of Missouri,
Says: "I can recommend your Peruna as a good, substantial tonic and as one of the best remedies for catarrhal troubles."—John B. Clark.

Congressman Pelham of Virginia,
Writes from Bancroft, Va.: "My sister-in-law has been using Peruna for about one week for catarrh of the throat and is manifestly improved."—C. Pelham.

Congressman Burnett of Alabama,
Writes: "I cheerfully recommend Peruna as a very good catarrh remedy and a good, substantial tonic."—John L. Burnett, Gadsden, Ala.

Congressman Botkin of Kansas,
Writes from Holton, Kas.: "Peruna has given me almost complete relief from catarrh of the stomach and constipation."—J. D. Botkin.

Congressman White of North Carolina,
Writes from Tarboro, N.C.: "I find Peruna to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family."—G. H. White.

Congressman Wilber of New York,
In a letter from Oneonta. N. Y., says: "I am fully convinced that Peruna is all you claim for it."—David F. Wilber.

Congressman Dungan of Ohio,
Writes from Jackson, O.: "I recommend Peruna to anyone in need of an invigorating tonic."—Irvine Dungan.

Congressman Barham from California,
Writes from Santa Rosa, Cal.: "I used your Peruna and can cheerfully recommend it."—J. A. Barham.

Congressman Deweese from Indiana,
Writes: "Peruna should be in every household."—John I. Deweese.

Congressman Turner from Kansas,
Writes: "Peruna is certainly a cure for catarrh."—E. J. Turner.

Other members of Congress who endorse Peruna, are.

Ex-U. S. Senator, B. F. Rice, of Oklahoma.

Congressman Fred. S. Goodrich, of Florida.

Congressman Harry Skinner, of North Carolina.

Ex-Congressman L. P. Featherstone, of Beaumont, Texas.

Congressman J. H. Huling, of West Virginia.

Congressman D. L. Russell, of North Carolina.

Congressman Spencer Blackburn of North Carolina.

Congressman Turner of New York.

Congressman Culberson, of Texas.

Congressman Nunn, of Tennessee.

Congressman Fitzpatrick, from Kentucky.

Congressman Purman, from Florida.

Congressman Hazleton, Wisconsin.

Congressman Bartine, from Nevada.

U. S. Senator Call, of Florida.

For free book address the Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Bank Statement.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF MERCHANTS STATE BANK, at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts		$77,888.64
Overdrafts		733.31
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		5,164.74
Other real estate		628.43
Due from banks	$18,914.84	
Checks and cash items	1,278.42	
Exchanges for Clg. house	664.42	
Currency	$2,251.00	
Gold	700.00	
Silver	1,000.00	
Fractional	63.09	
Total available assets	24,871.97	24,871.97
Total		$109,287.09
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock		$15,000.00
Surplus fund		3,000.00
Undivided profits, net		349.24
Dividends unpaid	$2,250.00	
Deposits subject to check	29,913.94	
Demand certificates	1,424.02	
Cashier's checks	567.53	
Total immediate liabilties	34,155.49	
Time certificates	56,782.36	
Total deposits	90,937.85	90,937.85
Total		$109,287.09

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, ss:

I, J. A. Duffy, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. DUFFY, Cashier.

Attest:
A. P. TOUPIN
THEO. LaBISSONAIRE } Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1905.

P. F. POULIOT, Notary Public.

Nocice of Hearing on Petition.

Whereas, a petition has been filed with the board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 4, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17 and 18 in Township 152 North, of Range 40 West of the Fifth Principal Meridan in said County and State, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petion will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the 11th day of July, A. D. 1995 at nine o'clock in the foreuoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this second day of May, A. D., 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.

(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex.Officio Clerk of Board

Feel Impending Ill.

The feeling of impending doom in the minds of many victims of Bright's disease and diabetes has been changed to thankfulness by the benefit derived from taking Foley's Kidney Cure, It will cure incipient Bright's disease and diabetes and even in the worst cases gives comfort and relief. Slight disorders are cured in a few days, "I had diabetes in the worst form" writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure mode me a well man." A. L. Riechert

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Having compounded a poultice of wonderful absorbent and curative properties for the positive and permanent relief of almost every character of stomach troubles, the undersigned will gladly send, express prepaid, a complete course of free treatment to a limited number of sufferers, the only compensation asked is the privelege of referring to the applicant (when cured) in corresponding with the future prospective patients in their locality

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All that is required is your name, address, full particulars regarding your case accompanied by this offer,

ASSOCIATED DRUG STORES

Name of your paper here. Louisville, Ky.

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How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Have you been fishing?

J. B. Armstrong was at Crookston last Friday.

Ernest Buse was at Crookston the first of the week.

W. T. Spillain visited St. Hilaire Tuesday between trains.

A news agent has been put on this branch of the Great Northern.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, transacted business at this place Monday.

Rennie Lefaivre, of Brooks, was a business caller at the court house Monday.

Wm. Erb was in from the reservation the first of the week visiting old friends.

Postmaster Richardson of Thief River Falls has been a county seat guest the past week.

County Supt. McAnulty was at Fosston this week on business relative to the summer school.

Miss Rose Frankoviz left last week for her home at Fergus Falls. She will teach at Grand Forks next year.

Miss Veats left Friday evening for her home at Henning where she is to be married in the near future.

Atty. Henry Lee, of Thief River Falls, has been in the city this week in the interests of his town in the county seat scrap.

The rain last Saturday was most joyfully received by all residents of this section. It was of great value to the growing crops.

Atty. A. A. Miller, of Crookston, was in the city this week in the interests of Thief River Falls in the county seat controversy.

Miss Iddings departed Tuesday evening for her home at Chippewa Falls, Wis. She has made many friends at this place while teaching in the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Little, of Crookston, were here Monday to attend the commencement exercises. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Linnihan.

The scholars of the Washington school enjoyed a picnic last Friday, the last day of school. About one hundred sixty pupils attended the affair and they all had a most delightful time.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Atty. Grady was a St. Hilaire visitor Saturday.

Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

Archie Roux, of Fosston, is in the city visiting his parents.

The Busy Store has a list of bargains in their adv. this week.

The advertising car of the Billy Bennett show passed through this place Monday morning.

J. C. Johnson went to St. Paul the first of the week to attend to some business matters.

W. C. Schrieter was at Thief River Falls the first of the week looking after business interests.

The Red Lake Falls band has several offers to play July 4th. Crookston is the latest applicant.

Miss Josie Kaus returned home Monday from Hallock where she has been teaching school the past year.

School was dismissed Friday for the summer vacation. The small boy will be in his glory for about three months.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Harry Healy and Adelard Lemieux left this morning for Grand Forks, where they will visit friends for a number of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Borchers welcomed a baby boy at their home Friday morning of last week. May he live long and prosper.

Editor Latta, of Plummer, was in the city this morning to meet his family who returned on the Great Northern from a southern trip.

Wm. J. Harlow finished his term of school east of this city last week and has gone to Thief River Falls where he will remain during the summer.

Messrs. Tracy, Lemieux and Lee Healy were at St. Hilaire last Friday evening where they furnished music for a dance. A most enjoyable time is reported.

Frank E. Huut returned from Minneapolis Saturday where he has been with his son William, who has accepted a position with a large wholesale hardware house.

Clearance Sale of Clothing

As usual we will cleen out what last years suits we have left at a big reduetion while there is a demand for goods. Profits not considered in this deal—goods must go.

$1.800 suits for **$14.00**
$8.00 suits for **$5.00**
$12.00 suits for **$8.50**

We have too many boys suits in 3, 4 and 5. These will go at one-half price. Young mens suits at the same reduction.

Special for Saturday

Best Oil Cloth **15c**

Our stock of Butterick Patterns is continually replenished with new styles and old numbers kept up also.

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Messrs. S. L. Lewis and Wm. McIntyre were at Crookston Tuesday.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

Frank E. Hunt wants to know if your barn needs painting. Look up his adv.

Mrs. Fred Moran, of Hallock, is in the city visiting her parents and other relatives,

F. J. Parker, of Marshall, is in the city with a party of Lyon county land-seekers.

Mrs. LaBlanc and Miss Mary Quesnell, of Duluth, are in the city visiting relatives.

A party of land seekers from Morton, Minn., have been in the city the past few days.

Mrs. J. E. Argue accompanied Mr. Argue to St. Hilaire Saturday morning and visited friends over Sunday.

Frank Nicholson, one of the Great Northerns section men at this place, has been quite sick the past week. He is improving at this time.

The glee club announce that the cantata will be given next Monday evening instead of Friday evening of this week as announced last week.

The young people of this city enjoyed a dancing party at the Garlach home west of the city last evening. A good time is reported by those present.

Rev. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, will be in the city next Monday evening and conduct services at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 7:30. All are invited to attend the meeting.

A calf belonging to Geo. Orr was killed by lightning Saturday. Mr. Orr reports the lightning as being very much in evidence about his place that morning.

Miss Anysie Crompe, who has been teaching in the eastern part of the county the past year, finished her term last week and has returned to her home in this city for the summer.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending June 3, 1905: Otto N. Taroldson, B. A. Barker, Cyrus Fertinger, A. G. Rosing, Sec.

The summer term at the Crookston Academy & Business College, Crookston, Minn., commences June 19. Special rates for the summer. Write for particulars.

Dr. J. E. Argue returned from St. Paul Saturday morning where he attended a dental meeting. He went on through to St. Hilaire to attend to his practice in that town.

James O'Neil of Thief River Falls, was in the city the first of the week. He had been down in Norman county looking after a farm he owns. He had 150 acres of wheat washed out.

J. J. Padden, bookkeeper at the Red Lake Falls Milling company, has been spending the week with friends at St. Paul and Minneapolis, incidentally looking after business matters for the mill.

Travel has been heavy on the Great Northern the past week. Yesterday a number of ladies were obliged to ride in the smoking car on account of the rear coach being filled to overflowing.

If you wish a first class business education, or an academic course, attend the Crookston Academy & Business College, Crookston, Minn. Competent teachers, school well equipped. Special rates. Write for particulars. New term June 19.

Probate Judge Tarrant made a thrilling rescue of a life in the Clearwater one day last week. "Bill," the pet dog of the Tarrant home, got under the logs in the river and would have been drowned had not the daring owner rescued him. Nick got wet but "Bill" was saved.

Red Lake Falls is to have a new meat market. George L. Sauer will be the proprietor and he expects to commence business Saturday or Monday. His market will be in the building formerly occupied by the Caillier market on the west side of Msin street. Mr. Sauer is a butcher of experience and will no doubt do a thriving business.

Miss Emma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Finsand, living north of the city, was married last Sunday to Mr. E. Olson, a Chippewa county farmer. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents and was witnessed by relatives and a few intimate friends. The young couple left for their new home in Chippewa county Tuesday, followed by the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

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THE BUSY STORE
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Atty. Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was in the city last night, the guest of friends.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

The Royal Neighbor dance next Monday evening will be held in the Metropolitan opera house. The music will be furnished by the band orchestra.

Log drivers have been much in evidence the past week. A drive for the Crookston mill has been going down the Clearwater for a number of days.

County Treasurer Hansen has had an assistant this week in the person of Adam zeh. There is a large amount of work in the office and it would seem that Mr. Hansen is entitled to a clerk.

The financial statement of the Merchants State Bank appears in this issue of the COURIER. It shows this popular insitution is in a prosperous condition, as it has always been since its organization.

Miss Mamie Erickson returned to the city Tuesday and will remain during the summer vacation. She taught school at New Prague the past year and has accepted the position for next year.

The kid nine from St. Hilaire came down to this city Sunday and beat our youngsters in a game of ball by a score of 8 to 9. In the language of one of the aforesaid youngsters "They can't do it again."

If our fire boys do not win first place at the Blackduck tournament it will not be because they have not practiced faithfully. They are in the pink of condition at present and will no doubt set a fast pace for all contestants in the races.

Anthony Roy, one of the pioneers of Red Lake county, died at his home in Louisville township last Thursday. He had been a resident of that section for twenty-five or thirty years and had a wide acquaintance. His death will be mourned by a large number of friends throughout the county.

Judge Watts handed down a decision Monday that is of interest to a great many citizens of Red Lake county. The title of the case is Asa Paine vs. Town of Gervias. The town of Gervias issued bonds to the N. P. railway back in 1886 which have been purchased by Mr. Paine a resident of Minneapolis. Mr. Paine began the action to compel the township to pay the interest and Judge Watts holds that the bonds must be paid along with the interest.

A party of traveling men back from the Rainy River country report that things up north are generally overboomed and that all the property is in the hands of speculators; town lots on the outskirts of town, with 25 feet frontage, are held up at $300 apiece. Living is high, eggs selling at 60 cents a dozen or 5 cents apiece, butter 50 cents a pound, oats 70 cents a bushel. Common board is $7.00 a week, day laborers are paid $2.00 and $2.25 a day and everything in a like proportion. The town has a posulation of about 600 and all the appearance of a frontier village.

Alick Halvorson, of Garnes, was a county seat visitor several days the first of the week.

The Northern Pacific will sell tickets for the Woodmen's convention at Milwaukee, June 15-18 for one fare plus 50c for the round trip.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

An article by Chas. Moller on rural school consolidation appears in this issue of the COURIER. Mr. Moller is one of the best teachers in this section and his article has attracted wide attentian.

Miss Olga Kretschimre, of Thief River Falls, was here Monday evening to be pressnt at the graduating exercises. She was formerly a member of the class at this place but graduated at Thief River this year.

The band of this place has been secured by St. Hilaire for July 4th. It is said the town to the north of us is to have a monster celebration and we assure our neighbor that Red Lake Falls will be represented by a large crowd.

Editor George of the Fertile Journal came up with the high school students of his town last Tuesday. While here he hied himself to the river and endavored to catch fish. What success he had we have been unable to learn, but presume if he had been successful he would have been around and told us about it.

A party of young ladies were at the N. P. one evening recently to see a friend depart. Thinking the train would pull up to the depot and stop they boarded the cars to visit with the one to depart. Unfortunately the train did not stop until the Great Northern crossing was reached, so the young ladies had a walk of a mile or so in order to get back to town. They think the conductor of that train is a real horrid man.

For Sale.—Two Brussels carpets, in good condition. Were originally intended for double parlor but can be used in separate rooms. Also one hall rug, 3x12 feet. For particulars enquire of Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, North Side.

County Treasurer Hansen's mail has been very large the past two or three weeks. Most of the letters contained checks for the payment of real estate taxes. Mr. Hansen should be given a clerk as it will take some time to catch up with his work without help.

A young tornado is reported as having visited the country about six miles south of this city last Friday. Trees were torn up by the roots and other evidences of a severe storm are shown. Fortunately no buildings were in the path of the storm so the damage was light.

The Great Northern depot has been in the hands of carpenters the past few days. The interior has been rearranged and when the work is completed Agent Tracy and his office force will have more commodious quarters. The office has been enlarged and extends across the entire building now.

Mesdames C. L. Dabney, John Eastman and Dan Shaw, of Thief River Falls, attended the graduation exercises at this place Monday evening, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen. Mrs. Dabner and Mrs. Eastmen returned home Tuesday morning, but Mrs Shaw remained until the county commissioners adjourned.

J. C. Wander arrived in the city last week and closed the deal for Harry Healy's interest in the furniture business of Anderson & Healy. He immediately took possession and the business has been under the new management since the first of the month. Mr. Wander comes highly recomended from his home town, Melrose, and will no doubt make many friends in this city.

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RURAL SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION

(Continued from page 2.)

employ teachers especially adapted to certain kinds of work.

This is an age of specializing. Some teachers are best adapted for primary work while others possess qualities which fit them for upper grade work. Some may have especial ability in mathematics, others may have an aptness for reading and its allied branches. Very seldom do all combine in the same person. In a school where only one teacher is employed it is obvious that some grades or some branches of study will be slighted. In a graded school employing more than one teacher it could be so arranged that each teacher would get the work for which she is best fitted. Music could then be taught in country schools.

4th. It opens the doors to longer terms of school as well as to schools of higher grade; to better appointed school houses, heated, lighted and ventilated on more sanitary plans, affording conditions that insure health of pupils; to better equipment of apparatus and books. All these naturally follow, the concentration of people, wealth, interest and effort.

5th. It economizes in the purchase of text books libraries and needed apparatus. It follows that one school of several rooms can be better provided with these working tools for a stipulated sum of money than half a dozen separate schoolhouses.

One good well appointed four room building will meet the needs of at least six school districts. It is plain that it will be cheaper to maintain the four room building than six separate buildings. Only four teachers need be employed instead of six.

6th. It makes efficient supervision possible. A principal can be employed to organize and direct the work along definite lines, and the county superintendent can devote more time to each school. A competent superintendent is valuable according to the extent of his acquaintance with the teachers and school officers.

The county superintendent has not time nor opportunity to impress his ideas fully upon a hundred teachers and three or four hundred school officers.

7th. It increases attendance, prevents tardiness, quarreling and improper conduct on the way to and from school.

When a pupil is doing irregular fragmentary work in a class by himself it is so easy for him to remain absent for the slightest excuse. There is no competition. When he comes back he can take up the work where he left off. It does not mean much to him. In a larger class which progresses each day he can be made able to feel a distinct loss for a day's absence. With a responsible driver tradiness is entirely unknown. There is no swearing, fighting or vulgar languagt nor imporper conduct along the road. All of which is conducive to better morals.

8th. It is better for the health of the children, they being less exposed to wet feet and clothing and the ills resulting therefrom.

9th. It incidently promotes the "good roads" movement and makes easy the daily distribution of mail thruout the district.

10th. Petty local jealousies are lost in the larger schools, neighborhood difficulties are less liable to occur, and the burdens of taxation will be more evenly distributed,

11th. It adds the stimulating influence of large classes with the resulting enthusiasm arising from keener competition and more active rivalry with classmates.

Prof. Hinsdale in regard to this says, "Once more the interest and enthusiasm of pupils and teachers depend directly upon the number and ability of the pupils present. For the majority of children individual instruction or anything closely approaching it is not to be commended. Children need the inspiration of numbers. You can, as a rule no more make a good school out of a dozen children than you can make a strong galvanic battery with one or two pairs of plates."

12th. To many it affords association with others whose lives are less restricted than their own,—a distinct gain in school grace, and personal culture. The narrow environment of many country school pupils may be appreciated by reflecting that in Minnesota there are 136 schools enrolling fewer than ten pupils, and 1,117 schools enrolling fewer than twenty pupils.

State Superintendent Jones of Indiana says:

"The great evil of the small rural school lies in its nonsocial character. It is wholly unable to furnish each of its pupils that educative influence that comes from association with many of the same age and same degree of advancement; it cannot have in many classes enough of honest and helpful competition to establaish standard to which many a bright pupil would raise himself, and fails therefore to bring from him that supreme effort which develops and ennobles, and which comes only from vigorous contest with his fellows. The humdrum and monotony of a recitation in a one pupil class is discouraging to both pupil and teacher. Not only is the mental work in school thus impaired but the lack of enough pupils to organize a game on the school yard prevents necessary exercise and tend to make morbid, selfish and pessimistic all who live in its atmosphere,—the deadly quiet and inactivity of the small school kills the spirit."

The small country school offers no educational feature for the boy; it holds for him no advancing interest to counteract the allurments outside of school life. The consolidated school, with its better equipment and larger attendance, will hold the pupils because it gives them an opportunity to see what there is for them to do. As has elsewhere been mentioned in this article instruction could be given in agriculture, thus planting in the boy a love for his home and the farm. Under this system the farm becomes the ideal place to bring up children, enabling them to obtain the advantages enjoyed in our centers of population and yet to spend their evenings and holidays in the country "under the constant tender care of father and mother, in contact with nature and plenty of work, instead of idly loafing about town."

It is to be regretted that one of the chief drawbacks to this movement is the fear that it will cost more than the old system.

Whether the expense will be greater or less depends wholly upon local conditions. Where the schools are small so that the teaching force may be materially reduced the expense will lessen. Where the schools are now drawing special state aid and are so large that the number of teachers cannot be reduced, the expense will remain much the same plus the expense of transportation. Experience however has shown that the daily cost of the pupils' schooling has been decreased, where this system has been employed, even though there has been a slight increase in the school tax.

But we should not allow the standard of dollars and cents to govern us too exclusively in a question of such vital importance as the education of our children, and our public schools, The question should not be, How cheap? but, How efficient?—not How may the saving of a few dollars be effected? but, How may boyhood and girlhood be expanded into manhood and womanhood of the very highest type, well equipped mentally, morally and physically to appreciate and perform honestly, faithfully and intelligently, every duty of life to enjoy those highest recreations most helpful to enter and possess the rich heritage to which the twenthieth century falls heir; to construct ideal homes, ideal society, an ideal nation?

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Sixty-two and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3.) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5,) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All the undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 9th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Roddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.
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Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs,
vs.
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estatate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit. All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit:

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney
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Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accuring costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.

m 18-22.
J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 16, 1905.

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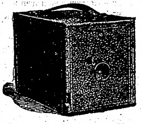

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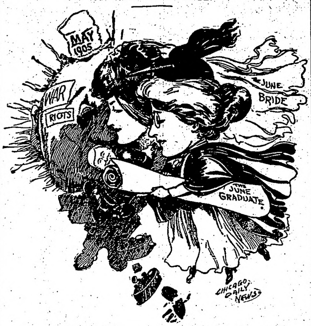

INDICTMENT FOR STRIKE LEADERS

CHICAGO GRAND JURY RETURNS TRUE BILLS FOR CONSPIRACY AGAINST MANY.

Latest Effort to Settle the Strike Fails—Shea Is Arrested on Charge of Criminal Libel—Fierce Riots Still Continue.

Chicago, June 5.—The Cook county grand jury, after a week's consideration, indicted a score of labor leaders for conspiracy. The indictments are broad. Among those indicted are: C. P. Shea, Albert Young, W. J. Gibbons, Joseph W. Young, J. B. Barry, John Smyth, Hugh McGee, Emil Schwark, Charles Dold, G. F. Golden, Steve Sumner, Jerry McCarthy, Michael Kelly, Harry Lapp, John Schultz, John Karpen, Fred Okeson.

Fail to Reach Settlement.

Negotiations which came closer to settling the great teamsters' strike than any peace movement that has been attempted since the struggle began were broken off summarily at midnight Saturday. The employers, in conference with representatives of the unions, insisted that union men, if they returned to work, should do the work of their fellow unionists now on strike against the express companies. The unions refused to accept this condition and all peace plans were swept to the ground. The failure of these plans came as a climax to a day of extraordinary activity in the strike, ranging from unusual and probably fatal violence to the mortal wounding of a policeman, and the indictment by the grand jury of union leaders on charges of conspiracy.

Thorne Sues Shea.

Robert J. Thorne, of Montgomery Ward & Co., began suit during the day for $25,000 damages in the federal court against President Shea. He brought suit in the same amount in the superior court against Albert Young. He charged that his business reputation had suffered to that extent because of charges Shea and Young had made to the effect that he had paid money to union men to call a strike against Sears, Roebuck & Co., one of Montgomery Ward & Co.'s strongest competitors. Attorney Alfred Austin, who filed the suits for him, chose the federal courts, he said, because if Shea was found guilty and could not pay damages to Thorne he could be put in jail. Capiases were issued for both Young and Shea and the latter gave bond early in the evening.

Much Wild Rioting.

Before, during and after the time spent in court there was wild rioting throughout the city. One policeman was shot and mortally wounded in a riot on the West side. Another shot and fatally wounded one of 40 strikebreakers that attacked him on the South side. All through the day police fought crowds with clubs and revolvers. Many arrests were made.

Wisconsin Bank Closed.

Milwaukee, June 3.—A special from Ladysmith, Wis., says: The First national bank of this place, was closed Friday and is in charge of P. F. Earling, special bank examiner. The state has on deposit $8,000 and total deposits aggregate $35,000, which will be paid in full and the bank reorganized.

Seventeen-Year Locusts Appear.

Milwaukee, June 3.—Special dispatches from several points in Walworth county, southern Wisconsin, say that 17-year locusts are reported to have arrived in that section, but not in sufficient numbers as yet to do any serious damage.

Killed by Lightning.

Wanatchee, Wash., June 3.—Charles Cooper, aged eight, and Harry Cooper, aged 14, only children of Rev. Fred Cooper, were struck dead by lightning while working in an orchard Friday.

Exposition Building Burned.

Milwaukee, June 5.—The Milwaukee exposition building, occupying a city block, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday evening. The loss is $300,000, insured for $75,000.

THE EQUITABLE FIGHT.

Stormy Meeting at Which Three Directors Resign—Alexander Deposed—Hyde Asked to Sell.

New York, June 3.—By a coalition of the Hyde and Alexander factions in the directorate of the Equitable Life Assurance society Friday, the report of the Frick investigating committee was rejected, and three of the members of the committee, angered by the turn affairs have taken, resigned as officers of the society. Those directors who resigned were Henry C. Frick, Cornelius N. Bliss and E. H. Harriman. The remaining members of the Frick committee, Melville E. Ingalls and Brayton Ives, both of whom were fiercely attacked by Mr. Hyde during the meeting, are also expected to quit the Equitable directorate. The meeting was stormy, and at times the talk was so plain that it verged on accusations of criminality. Mr. Harriman, in particular, was singled out by Mr. Hyde as the target for attack. While the combined Hyde and Alexander forces were able to dispose of the Frick report, because it recommended that the "deferred dividend" system of doing business be abolished, they were compelled to submit to the adoption of resolutions which strip President James W. Alexander of authority and place the chairman of the board of directors in full power over the affairs of the society. James Hazen Hyde also is requested formally by the resolutions to dispose of the stock he controls within the next three months.

New York, June 5.—Admittedly worse than at any previous time during the Equitable Life imbroglio are the conditions that prevail to-day. If the opinions of directors not controlled either by the Hyde or Alexander factions count for anything there will be several resignations from the board within the next five days. With one exception every member of the Frick investigating committee probably will sever his connection as a member of the directorate of the society. The one exception is Brayton Ives.

Meanwhile it is conceded that James H. Hyde dominates the Equitable and both his friends and opponents are waiting anxiously to see what the first vice president purposes doing. They believe they will have no longer to wait than next Wednesday, when the directors will meet. It is at this session that the committee of seven chosen to submit the names of several men from whom to select the new chairman of the board is to make its report. The indications also are that the directors at their meeting Wednesday will not be able to unite on any man for the chairmanship, as they seem to be hopelessly divided over the matter. A dispatch from Chicago stated that Robert T. Lincoln had declared that under no circumstances would he accept the chairmanship.

Now Rest in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 5.—After reposing in a cemetery vault in New York city for many years, the remains of Stevens Thompson Mason, first governor of the state of Michigan, were on Sunday interred with appropriate ceremonies in a stone-lined grave in Capitol Square park in this city, where stood the state capitol when Gov. Mason was the chief executive of Michigan.

Valuable Securities Found.

Bedford, Ind., June 3.—Workmen engaged in unloading a carload of sand, found hidden in it several bundles of papers which proved to be bonds and securities valued at $300,000. They were identified as the property of the Wilmington, Ill., bank, which was robbed of the papers and $2,500 cash on May 9. The papers have been returned to the bank.

Remember Confederate Dead.

Lexington, Va., June 3.—Confederate Memorial day was observed here Friday by special exercises in Lee Memorial chapel. The burial places of Gens. Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson and other distinguished dead were decorated profusely with flowers and flags.

Man Blown to Pieces.

Dixon, Ill., June 5.—A man was blown to pieces here with dynamite. His head was found intact, but the remainder of his body, in small fragments, was spattered against houses in the vicinity.

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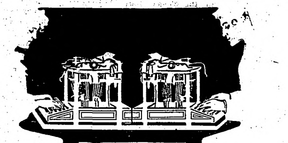

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LOCAL NEWS.

The evangelists, Miss Smith and Miss Reed, will be here next week and hold services at the Presbyterian church Thursday and Friday evenings and twice on Sunday.

I intend to have a class in music this summer and will give lessons on either the piano or the reed organ. I intend to begin the class on the first Monday and Tuesday of June. If you have a child whom you wish to take lessons during the vacation I will be pleased to confer with you.—Lee C. Healy.

Postmistress Marshall is making an effort to have the twin city mail come over the Great Northern to this city. The irregularity of the Northern Pacific trains is a great inconvience to the patrons of the post office and as the Great Northern is always on time the new order of things will be greatly appreciated by all. One pouch now comes over the Great Northern and Mrs. Marshall says all the mail will come by that route in the near future.

The Great Northern system has adopted telephone service between some of their small stations and if the experiment proves satisfactory they will adopt the plan quite generally. The advantage to the company is pecuniary, of course, as operators can be secured at lower salaries. Naturally the telegraphers along the line are "red hot" about the advent of the 'phone service along the system and fear they will lose their jobs to men with only a clerical knowledge of railroading. Between Moorhead and Crookston the plan is being tried.

Crookston Times: Miss Julia Bloom entertained at a parcel shower last evening in honor of Miss Dora Eichoff who is soon to wed Arthur Zaiser of Red Lake Falls. The shower was attended by twenty or more prominent young ladies and proved most enjoyable. Miss Eichoff, the guest of honor, was the recipient of inumerable articles and packages, the contents of some of which were not revealed to the reporter. Miss Eichoff is to be married June 14th in this city and the wedding will be a quiet home affair attended only by the intimate friends and relatives of the contracting young people.

An Editor's Loss.

Brainerd Dispatch: Report comes from the upper country that Col. Edward L. Davidson, editor of the Perham Bulletin, has lost $500,000. This may come as a startling statement referring as it does to a country editor., but Bro. Davidson's loss is the same as was that of the man who did not have pork to sell when it went to a high price on the market. In '75 Davidson was offered a tract of land as a bonus to come to Fargo and start a paper and the piece of property has since sold for the above figure. Bro. Davidson is a prince of good fellows as it is and the Wadena Pioneer-Journal says "a million dollars might have spoiled him."

Three Physicans Treated Him without Success.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah,, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief, and three bottles cured permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." A. L. Reichert.

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A SUDDEN SUMMONS.

Miss Cora Luxenburger Dies After a Short Illness

Miss Cora, the fifteen-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Luxenburger of Lake Pleasant township, died very suddenly in this city Monday afternoon after a sickness of but a few hours. It seems the little girl ran a needle into one of her thumbs a few days ago. The case was not considered serious at all and she was up and around until the day of her death. Monday morning she became very sick and passed away about 5 o'clock p. m.

The case was a most unusual one and the cause of her death is not exactly known. It is presumed heart failure or blood poisoning developed suddenly and took the young life away. Miss Cora made her home in this city the past winter with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bourdon and attended school. Her death was a great shock to all acquaintances of the young lady and the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved parents and friends.

The funeral was held from the Presbyterian church Wednesday, Rev. Knox being in charge of the services.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the kind neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in our daughter's sickness and death. We especially wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bourdon and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bourdon for their kindness and thoughtfulness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Luxinburger

Mayor Duffy's Proclamation.

In pursuance of the recommendation of Governor John A. Johnson, I hereby urge the citizens of Red Lake Falls to observe Wednesday, June 14 as Flag Day, and suggest that all our people display the stars and stripes at their homes and places of business, thus attesting the fact that we are a patriotic people anxious and ready to show our loyalty to the national colors.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.
Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

RAINS GOOD FOR CROPS.

No Damage Done Whatever by Showers the Past Week.

In the opinion of old time crop experts of the Red River Valley the rains the past week were not injurious to the growing crop of grain and, although of a cloudburst nature while they lasted, good effects from the showers will be apparent in the growth of grain during the next few weeks.

The warm weather and moisture is shooting the grain ahead at a phenomenal rate and the appearance of the fields at the present time could hardly be better. Grass in the meadows and pastures is making rapid strides and haying will soon be in full blast.

An Explanation Wanted.

Bailey of the Britt Tribune says that Wesley ladies have adopted a new fashion, They tie corn husks to their knees and when the husks switch together they sound exactly like the rustle of a silk dress, Now we want Bailey to stand up and explain how in thunder he knows about it.—Fairmont Sentinel.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our property.—Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co.

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }
In Probate Court,
Special Term, May 17th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker Deceased:

Whereas, An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Clarance Gibson Walker deceased, late of said County, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Agnes Anna Walker has filed therewith her petition representing, among other things, that said Clarence Gibson Walker died in said county on the 13th day of May 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is the Executrix named in said Last will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and said petition, be heard before this Court, at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls on Friday the 16th day of June A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 17th day of, May A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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New line of correct spring stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

THIEF RIVER CANT GIVE HALL

Attorney General Young Gives an Opinion in Regard to Thief River's Generous Offer.

Yesterday's Minneapolis Journal contained the following news that will be of much interest to the taxpayers of Red Lake county:

Partizns in the strife between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls, for the county seat of Red Lake county, have asked Attorney General Young for an opinion. The city council of Thief River Falls, which is trying to get the county seat, has offered the use of its city hall as a courthouse building for ten years at a nominal rent of $1 a year. The Red Lake Falls people want to know whether the council has the right under its charter to grant the use of the city building for such a purpose, and the attorney general's office is inclined to rule the point well taken.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Hendrum thinks it will have a cannery.

There is a new bank at Karstad, Kitson county.

Bemidji has started agitation for cement sidewalks and some walks will be laid this summer.

Thos. Lansegraf, of Garden, died at the age of 81. He was one of the pioneers of Northern Minnesota.

The Gary Graphic says that thousands of acres of wheat in the west part of Norman county has been washed out by rains.

Roseau and Greenbush play ball about once a week. Roseau has had the best of the argument so far.

The electric lighting plant at Fergus Falls—which is owned by the municipality—earned $14,843 during the past year and the expenses were only $7,140, of which $1,100 was for repairs of the dam.

Perham is going to spend $600 on a Fourth of July celebration.

Little Falls' postmaster has had his salary raised from $2,200 a year to $2,300.

The Minnesota Volksblatt, a German paper published at Perham has failed, and the paper has suspended publication.

In order to improve the appearance of the town the business men's league of Mapleton has offered a prize to the owner of the best kept lawn.

They have music in the park at Deer River. At any rate the Itasca News says the frogs and mosquitos now occupy that beautiful spot.

The Battle Lake Review says farmers who settled in Canada during the boom are longing for a sight of green grass and are trying to get back to Minnesota.

The Bemidji Pioneer believes that if Beltrami county was to make a comparative exhibit of its products the greater part of the floor space would be occupied by politics.

Judge D. B. Searle, who owns a large stock farm near St. Cloud, last week sold a two-year-old heifer for $1,500. The purchaser is A. M. Hill, proprietor of a large stock farm at Spokane, Wash.

The inmates of the state reformatory at St. Cloud will build a twenty foot high granite wall around the institution. The last legislature appropriated $5,000 a year to do the work. The institution is now surrounded by a board fence.

Crookston's saw mill was closed down last week on account of running out of logs.

Forest fires caused Blackduck residents considerable worry last week. Men, women and children fought the flames in order to save the town.

The sweet girl graduate has been the all absorbing topic in northern Minnesota the past week.

Stearns county is to have a drain ditch thirteen miles in length known as the Le Sauk and St. Wendel drain. The county commissioners have authorized its construction. It will cost $15,000 and drain 10,000 acres of land.

K. K. Kragland, a jeweler at Halstad committed suicide by shooting himself through the temple. His body was found by a girl and a boy out walking. Poor health is given as an excuse for the rash act.

E. A. Nelson, of Hallock, former State Librarian, who is said to represent a syndicate of wealthy men, has planned the construction of a railroad from his locality through northern Minnesota to Duluth. If put through, this line would open up the wildest part of the state to settlement and would be a boon to those who have already found homes in the wilds of Roseau, Beltrami, Itasca and St. Louis counties.

NEW DEAL IN LAND SALES.

Purchasers of State Lands Must Make Improvements.

The state land which will be offered for sale by State Auditor S. G. Iverson this fall will be sold on an entirely new basis. In accordance with a law passed by the recent legislature, those who buy land from the state will be required to do one of these things.

First—Fence at least 25 per cent of the tract for pasture and convert such portion into pasture land,

Second—Cultivate at least 5 per cent of the tract,

Third—Build a house and actually reside on the tract for a period of twelve months.

Under the law one of these three conditions must be met by the purchaser or his assigns within five years from the date of sale.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson, who is ex-officio land commissioner, will send out a circular today explaining the terms under which state lands are offered for sale under the new law.

In addition to explaining the foregoing conditions, the state land commissioner says:

"No sale can be made for less than the appraised price, which cannot be less than $5 per acre and may be higher. Four weeks notice of sale is given by publication in a newspaper published at the county seat and in a St. Paul newspaper. The advertisement of the sale contains the legal description of land to be offered. The lands so advertised are then offered for sale at the county seat of the county in which the lands are situated, and are sold at public auction to the highest bidder. No bid can be received for less than the appraised price. Where it is not convenient for parties to attend the sale they may arrange to have some one present and bid for them.

"Fifteen per cent of the purchase price and interest on the unpaid balance of the purchase money from the date of sale to June 1 following must be paid at the time of sale.

The balance can run for forty years on interest at 4 per cent per annum, payable annually in advance on June 1 each year, provided the principal remains unpaid for ten years. If the principal is paid in full before the expiration of ten years, the rate of interest to be paid is 5 per cent. The principal can be paid at any time—all at once or in partial payments, at the pleasure of the purchaser, subject to the before mentioned provisions as to the rate of interest. The state issues certificates of purchase to the purchaser of state lands, which are assignable and should be recorded in the county together with all assigments thereof.

"Not more than 320 acres can be sold or contracted to be sold to any one purchaser."

County Depositories.

Proposals will be received by the Board of Auditors of Red Lake County, Minnesota, until five o'clock p. m., June 17, 1905, stating the rate of interest which would be paid on monthly balances of county funds subject to check and payment at all times on demand, the rate of interest which would be paid on such funds or any part thereof when deposited for any certain length of time and the security which would be given therefor.

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1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

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WEDDING BELLS RING

Arthur F. Zaiser and Miss Dora Eickhoff Were Married at Crookston Yesterday.

At the bride's parents home in Crookston yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the wedding of Mr. Arthur F. Zaiser of this city, to Miss Dora Eickhoff took place.

Relatives and a few intimate friends were present to witness the joyous occasion and to wish the young people all the goed things of life. The home was tastily and neatly decorated for the occasion and the ceremony, while simple and short, was impressive and befitting the occasion. Miss Hannah Eickhoff, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid and H. H. Zaiser of this city, acted as best man. After the ceremony the party sat down to a bountious wedding supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Zaiser left in the evening for an extended eastern trip and expect to visit Chicago and other eastern cities, and will not return for four or five weeks. The young couple are well and favorably known in this city and have hosts of friends who will wish them happiness and prosperity in their new life. May ever blessing be theirs.

Those present at the wedding from this city were: Mrs. B. Zaiser, H. H. Zaiser, Miss Etta Zaiser and Mrs. H. Hennemuth.

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Notable Increase in Number of Lines in Minnesota.

The demand for telephone girls in Minnesota is increasing, if the records of the secretary of state are an indication of the situation. These records show that scores of telephone companies have been incorporated since the beginning of the fiscal year ending Aug. 1, 1905.

"It seems that almost every township has a rural telephone company" said a state official. "I should say that more telephone companies have been incorporated during the present fisical year than any other one class of concerns. The capital stock varies from $10,000 to $50,000, and usually the number of incorporators is large.

Next to the telephone company come mercantile firms. The increase in the number of incorporations from this source in the last few years has been something remarkable. State officials say that five or ten years ago it was a rare occasion to receive an incorporation fee from a country merchant, but it seems that nearly all the larger firms are coming under the incorporation laws. One of the advantages of incorporation is that the liability of the incorporators is limited to twice the amount of their stock in the company, whereas in an ordinary co-partnership each member of the firm is liable to the full extent of the debts.

There has been an equally notable increase in the number of manufacturing companies that have been incorporated. Under the law, firms that engage in no other business than manufacturing do not have to pay the regular incorporation fee, which is $50 for the first $50,000, and $5 for each additional $10,000. Firms have been incorporated to manufacture all sorts of devices in railroad supplies, automobile engines, plumbing, hardware supplies, brass novelties and so forth.

THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER

Operatic Cantata Given by the Choral Club Monday Evening a Big Success.

The Red Lake Falls Choral Club presented their operatic cantata Monday evening to a fair sized audience. The performance was first class from beginning to end and deserved a much larger attendance. The Club has met with many difficulties during the time of preparation and a large number of changes in the cast of characters was necessary before the cantata was ready for the public. Notwithstanding the many changes the Club and the director, Prof. Onstad, have reason to fell proud of their production.

Miss Iza Tibbets, Miss Florence Dautremont, Prof. A. Onstad, L. P. Berthon and J. Drew Marshall took the principal characters and they all done themselves proud. The different solos, duetts, trios and quartetts by these people were all rendered in a pleasing manner.

The chorus was especially strong and sang with a vim that was entertaining.

Everything considered the cantata was a huge success and reflects great credit upon the choral union and its management.

New Office Building.

Work began Monday morning on a new office building for the Bourdon Land Co. It is located just south of the M. W. A. Hall on Main street and will be an ideal location. The building is to be 16x30 feet and when completed will make Messrs. Simons and Bourdon very comfortable quarters.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

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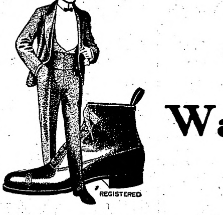

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HUNTING DOGS.

New Game Law Very Stringent in Regard to Their Use.

The new game law of Minnesota has a number of stringent provisions in it which it is believed will prevent the wholesale slaughter of chickens and other game. Hunters must not kill more than fifteen chickens a day, and must not at any time have over forty-five chickens in their possession. The duck limit per day is fixed at fifty, and fishermen must not catch more than twenty-five per day, unless bullheads or worthless varieties. Fishermen must not use more than one hook on a line. Hunting out of season is to be strictly looked after and dogs must not be trained or allowed to run at large in chicken fields before the season opens. The section relating to this follows:

No person shall hunt, pursue, catch, take or kill any of the animals in this chapter mentioned with any dog or dogs. Any dog used or attempted to be used in violation of the provision of this section is hereby declared to be and is a public nuisance, and it shall be lawful for any person to kill any dog or dogs so being used or attempted to be used. The use or running of either pointer or setter dogs in the field or upon lands frequented by or in which the game birds may be found during the month of August or at any time except during the open season for killing game birds, and keeping and maintaining any dog at or about any hunting or lumber camp used by hunters situated in any locality frequented by deer, moose or caribou, is hereby prohibited and made unlawful.

Lost Barn and Cows.

Plummer Pioneer: During the heavy electric storm last Saturday morning lightning struck the barn of John Hedlund, a farmer living about five miles northwest from here. The structure caught fire and was totally destroyed. Mr. Hedlund, after the lightning, went to the barn and succeeded in getting all of his horses removed to safety, but six cows were burned with the building.

The barn was one of the finest in this part of the country and the loss will be a severe one to Mr. Hedluud who carried only a small amount of insurance on the property.

The Dandelion Pest.

The dandelion pest, some authorities contend, is doing more harm in numerous localities than the Russian thistle. The Milwaukee Sentinel says that thousand of acres of good meadow land in that state would be worth fully twice as much for hay if it wasent for the dandelion.

The Sentinel Advocates legislation in this respect. It wants the dandelion declared a nuisance, and steps taken to rid us of this pest. No weed is so indefatigable, so insistant upon living and propagating. Leave a bit of its roots in the ground, it forthwith produces a plant. Dig it out when in blossom and its dying energies are spent in completing the transformation of the flower into a feathery seed, to be caught up by the gentlest breeze and carried to new fields.

The is good sound sense in the arguments of the Sentinel on this question. The dandelion is in reality a pest, and it would be wise to take steps to stamp it out. Each one can do something toward wiping it out, and no doubt in time there will be proper legislation along the lines suggested by the Sentinel.

A True Story.

"Shon my son," said a German father to his 10-year-old son the other day (whom he had heard swearing), Shon, mine son, come here, and I vill dell you a liddle stories Now, mine son, shall it be a drue stories or a make-b'leeves?"

"Oh, a true story," answered John.

"Verry well, den. There vas vonce a goot, nice shentleman, schoost like me, andt von day he heard his son shvearin.' So he dook a sthrap out of his pocket, shoost as I am toing now, and then he dook the liddle boy by de collar dis vay and volloped him shoost so, and then he bull his ears dis vay, and smack his face dat vay, and then dell him to go to bed at vonce, mitoud any supper, shoost like you vil do dis eavenings."

THE PROSPECTS ARE FINE

Wet June Means a Bumper Crop, Say Old-Time Experts of the Valley.

Grain men and crop experts of the Red River Valley are enthusiastic over the condition of the '05 crop of grain now in the fields. "A wet June means a bumper crop, always," said W. L. Beaton, superintendent of the Duluth Elevator company recently. "Crops in the valley are twenty-five per cent better this year than they were the same time a year ago" said Tom Roberts, superintendent of the lumber department of the St. Anthony & Dakota Elevator company who returned to Crookston lately from a trip through the North Dakota and Minnesota valley. "Without any serious trouble there shoud be a bumper."

The feeling of delight at the present favorable crop outlook is not confined alone to crop experts and elevator men, but is shared by the actual farmers of the valley and scarcely one of the many well to do from near this city ever comes to town without a smile over the prospect for a heavy harvest and a successful return for his year's work.

Co-operative Insurance.

The township mutual fire insurance companies of Minnesota have made a record that is creditable to the intelligence of the farmers of the state, and have been a source of vast saving to their members besides. These companies insure farm property only, and it is done on the purely mutual plan, the element of private gain finds no place in them, For instance, the state insurance commissioner's report for 1903 shows that during that year the companies added over 14½ million dollars to their business or risks at a total expense of not over $400. The companies are now carrying insurance agregating over $176,000,000, and at a cost to be insured that is only one year in 22 reaches is high as 20 cents on the $100, and has been as low as 8 cents. The preliminary report of the present commissioneer, Hon. T. D. O'Brien, for 1904, shows that the fire losses that year cost the insured only 12 cents on the hundred dollars, on an average, and expense of doing the business was only five cents for each hundred dollars. The rate of the straight fire companies, organized for profit, charged an average rate of $1.38 on the hundred dollars.

Many other comparisons could be made that would show the enormous saving to the farmers of the state by applying the principle of pure co-operation to the business of insurance, and that would indicate clearly how farmers might be still further advantaged by largely extending the principle of pure co-operation.

Birds Cannot Smell.

It has always been known that if the sense of smell was present at all in birds, its development is but slight. Recent experiments tend to show that they cannot smell at all. This is exceedingly interesting, for it has always been supposed that persons who cannot smell, also lack, to a large degree, the sense of taste. The fact that the two senses are so closely allied explains another reason for the pleasure experienced in drinking golden grain belt beer. It looks good, smells good, tastes good and is good. Isn't it worth trying in your home? Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

New line of correct spring stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

NEW DRAINAGE MOVEMENT

Object is to Secure Larger Appropriations for Work in Northern Portion of the State.

The Minnesota Drainage League was formed at a meeting held at Bemidji Saturday and an executive committee consisting of H. G. Hays of Bemidji, A. G. Bernard of Cass Lake, Representative Cole of Walker, Senator Stephens of Crookston, And A. Tene of Northome, Representative Murray of Wadena and Representative Eckman of Roseau was appointed to draft a constitution by-laws and to extend invitations to the boards of commissioners of all counties in the state to send five delegates to a meeting of the league at Crookston on the first Tuesday in August, when permanent organization will be effected.

The object of the league will be to urge upon southern representatives and senators in the state legislature the need of drainage in the northern portion of the state; to protest against certain regulations regarding dams maintained on the upper Mississippi river, which are said to have resulted in the overflowing of lands above the points where the dams are located and the drying up of lands situated below, and to attempt to secure legislation appropriating larger sums of money for drainage work than have heretofore been voted by the legislature.

The state drainage board met at Bemidji this afternoon. About 300 representative men of Northern Minnesota were present, including senators and representatives from every district and delegations from business men's clubs in various towns and cities. The members of the board were met at the Great Northern depot by a committee of the Bemidji Business Men's club and escorted to their hotel. After dining they proceeded to the city hall, where Gov. Johnson called the meeting to order, outlining its purpose and calling for the opinions of those present.

Mr. Black of Roseau county spoke first and was followed by Representative Asherville Murray of Wadena, A. L. Gorcon of Shevlin, J. A. Quigg of Deer River, H. H. Remer of Grand Rapids, F. J. McPartin of International Falls, Representative Eckman of Roseau, Judge L. D. Pendergast of Bemidji, And. A. Tene of Northome, Representative Anderson of Clay county, Senator Stephens of Crookston, E. E. McDonald of Bemidji, Mr. Nelson of Marshall county, Senator Sundberg of Kitson county, A. M. Greeley of Ripple, Representative Cole of Walker, Representative Bennet of Foston, Representative Washburn of Minneapolis, Auditor Iverson, Secretary Hanson and Engineers Ralph and Abercrombie.

The speakers expressed themselves in favor of extensive drainage, and from the beginning the meeting was very enthusiastic. Many questions were asked of the board and many applications for new state ditches were filed.

Bees for Sale.

I have about thirty-five hives of fine honey bees for sale cheap. Enquire at residence on North Side.

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Getting married is as much of a gamble as swapping horses.

Mrs. J. W. Mackay has just paid $300,000 for a rope of pearls.

Patent leather shoes are no longer to be guaranteed by the makers-

Sewing on buttons is not a wifely duty in Japan—there are no buttons.

There is fixed rule for doing almost anything—except making love.

A cup of salt added to your foot-bath using hot water, will prove restful.

The British Isles are said to contain nearly one million toomany women.

Any woman can be beautiful who has small feet and a large bank account.

Place your sorrows in your book of experience, but keep them out of your daily life.

Capt. Richmond Hobson, of New York, was married recently to Miss Griselda Hall.

For a change, try some strawberries, sugared, and with orange juice squeezed over them.

Anna Dahm is, according to the Topeka Herald, teaching school in Barton county, Kansas.

Nan Patterson will soon be forgotten. New York has on hand a breachof promise case for $250,000.

Forty-one men and 112 women out of every million persons born reach the age of one hundred years.

The elbow sleeve will never become popular in America. Yet, it is one of the most graceful sleeves in the long list.

"Work hard and marry early," says Ella Wheeler Wilcox. "Marry early" is shorter and makes the other advice unnecessary.

Miss Thompson won the women's golf championship of England last week, defeating among others, several American players.

White women are scarse in the German colonies; there are only 254 in East Africa and 229 in German islands in the Pacific ocean.

If you want to be married by a certain minister and he is not in town, take your beloved one to the telephone booth and have the knot tied.

The three happiest peroids in a woman's lifs is when she gets her first long dress, her first beau and is being led to the bridal altar.

Gambling is on the increase among society women and men in the so-called "smart set." Bridge whist has broken many a heart and home. Too bad.

One of Rockefeller's college professors says women are not good mathematicians. Yet he will have to admit that women's figures are generally considered superior to those of college professor.

The abandoument of the corset by fashionable women in Vienna must be a great blow to literature over there if the Vienna magazines look anything like the American magazines in the matter of illustrations.

Vassar seniors at their class dinner answer "Guilty" at the roll call if they are engaged to be married. It is safe to say that all the girl waive the constitutional right by which one is not obliged to give testimony that will incriminate himself or herself.

Don't let the baby suck his thumb. It may keep him quite, but it is apt to disfigure the mouth and cause projecting teeth. As soon as he begins the habit, make a flannel mitten to cover the whole hand; put it on and fasten it to his sleeve with a safty pin.

Sumptoms of a flat chest are often seen in girls as young as young as 9 or 10. Such children must be trained to increase the actual size of the lungs, or more properly speaking, they should learn to expand the unsed portions. When the lungs expand fully they press the ribs and the breastbone outward.

To get just that soft "old" look to lace, dye it in tea, using about a tablespoonful of green tea to a quart of water to make an infusion of the right strength. The lace will come out a discouraging shade at first, but boil it a few minutes in water in which a pinch of baking soda has been dropped and the color will fade to just the right shade.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Government Dam.

Minneapolis.—The government lock dam at Meeker island, known officially as Lock Dam No. 2, is completed. The dam proper was completed a few days ago, and the final test was made when all the gates were closed to see if any defects could be discovered. Everything was found to be in good working order.

Some miner work is yet to be completed. Part of the old coffer dam used used in the construction of the works will have to be removed. Some repairs will have to be made to the lower end of the lock where part of the floor timbers were torn out by the water. A quantity of loose rock will have to be placed on the up-river side of the dam to protect it from the action of the water.

Lock and Dam No. 2 will be of no benefit to navigation between St. Paul and Minneapolis until Lock and Dam No 1 at Minnehaha is completed, which will require two more years of work.

Horses at the Fair.

Hamline—One of the departments of the state fair this fall which will be better than ever will be the exhibit of horses and mules. The horses will be in charge of G. W. Patterson of Worthington, who comes on the board this year as the representative of Southwestern Minnesota, and incidentally as an enthusiastic breeder of fine horses.

Liberal premiums were awarded in every department. The premiums in class 1 for trotting strains, standard bred and registered from $5 to $30.

Similar premiums are offered for coach horses grouped as American and French coach and hackneys, and for various classes of draft horses.

Butter Contest.

New Sweden.—John Grandy of this place won first prize in the May butter scoring contest, the results of which were announced recently by E. K. Slater, dairy and food commissioner. Mr. Grandy's butter scored 98 and was awarded a $5 gold piece.

Alfred Anderson of Litchfield captured the second prize, $3, with a score of 97½. H. J. Rosenau of Meriden, won second prize in the April contest, took third prize, $2.

There were 190 entries as compared with 193 in the April contest. The average was 93 as compared with 94 in the April contest.

Must Not Drill.

St. Paul.—Gov. John A. Johnson may make an official investigation of the movement, in so far as it relates to Minnesota, among Chinamen, who, it is said, are being drilled and armed for service in the Chinese army under the direction of Kang Yu Wei, former Chinese minister of war.

Complaints that Chinamen are being drilled in violation of law were filed with the governor by a resident of St. Paul, whose name is withheld. The complainant says that Chinamen are being drilled in the large cities in the United States by the former minister, and the natural inference from the complaint is that the movement is backed by the Chinese emperor.

Drain the Lakes.

St. Cloud.—If a proposition now on foot is carried through to completion, two of Stearns county's popular lakes and summer resorts, Lakes Anna and Keppers, near Avon, will be growing hay a year hence. A petition was presented to the board of county commissioners by B. E. Davis and others asking for the construction of a deep water ditch to carry the water from these two lakes, which cover nearly a thousand acres, four miles distant to Watab river. It is the intention of the land owners to make meadow land of the lake bottoms. A hearing will be held on the petition in a few days.

Many Calls.

Minneapolis—The superintendent of the state free employment bureau, which has recently been established, is wondering why domestic service is so unpopular with the young women of Minnesota.

The bureau is flooded with applications from house holders for domestic servants. Nearly 50 per cent of the total applications have been for this class of help, and so far few if any girls have appeared to accept the positions.

News Notes.

Fort Snelling.—A prisoner makes a daring escape.

St. Paul.—The corner stone of the new Unity church was laid with appropriate ceremonies.

St. Paul.—The state immigration bureau issues a pamphlet summarizing Minnesota's advantages.

St. Paul—Governor Johnson refused to honor a requisition from the governor of Iowa for Thomas Moran, who is now serving a sentence at Stillwater.

Eveleth—Mike Spellacy of Virginia died here of cerebral hemorhage, caused by a fall down stairs. He was in the saloon business at Virginia and was well-known over the Mesabe range.

Winona—The ministers and former members of Central Methodist church here attending the golden jubilee were guests of Matthew G. Norton on an excursion on the Mississippi river on the steamer Frontenac.

Mankato—Since the recent burglaries have come to light, General J. H. Baker has reported one. His home was entered in the daytime and a watch and chain and a heavy band ring belonging to his wife were stolen from the latter's bedroom.

Minneapolis.—The weekly report of the Northern Pacific shows that the crops are in excellent shape.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

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GOLL ENTERS PLEA OF NOT GUILTY

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CASE WILL PROBABLY BE TRIED IN OCTOBER

Defaulter Bigelow on Verge of General Physical Breakdown, Declares Physician—Banker Reaches Prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Milwaukee, June 13.—Henry F. Goll, former assistant cashier of the First national bank, Monday pleaded not guilty to an indictment containing 13 counts. United States District Judge Quarles fixed bail at $20,000.

Goll's attorney waived the reading of the indictment and entered a plea of not guilty. The United States district attorney informed the court that the indictment charged Goll with personally misapplying funds of the First National bank on three different occasions, the amounts in each instance being large.

Aside from the three counts charging Goll with personally using funds of the bank, ten counts charge him with making false entries in aiding and abetting Frank G. Bigelow in his defalcation. The counts contained in the Bigelow indictments are practically repeated in Goll's case with the exception that Goll in each instance is accused with aiding and abetting the former bank president by making false entries.

Goll's attorney pleaded for a continuation of the old bail, which was $10,000. Judge Quarles said the crime charged against the former assistant cashier was a most serious one and he believed the court could be justly criticised in allowing the bond to stand at $10,000. He therefore increased the amount to $20,000. The amount of bail was furnished and Goll was liberated. The case will probably not come up for trial until the October term.

Bigelow Near Breakdown.

Fort Leavenworth, Kan., June 13.—Frank G. Bigelow, the former Milwaukee banker, who was brought here Sunday night to begin his ten years' sentence in the federal prison, is in the hospital. His nervous condition is such that Dr. Thomas, under whose care he is, fears a general physical breakdown. After Bigelow had been photographed early Monday, his condition was found to be such that it was decided not to put him through the other preliminaries until later. Bigelow utters no word of complaint. After a fairly good rest he ate sparingly of the meager breakfast furnished all prisoners. Later he was dressed in, his hair being cut and a prison suit given him. He was then photographed and measured by the Bertillon system.

Reaches Prison.

Bigelow reached here at 7:40 Sunday night. John Speciale, a counterfeiter under a five-year sentence, was brought along as a fellow prisoner with Bigelow, and they were in charge of Andrew Johnson and Charles Kelley, deputy marshals.

Bigelow bore up fairly well during the trip, except at Moline, Ill., where he broke down and wept. Bigelow gave his name as Frank G. Bigelow, age 58. He was searched, and some plain jewelry and a small sum of money taken from him. He was told to keep his citizen's clothing until morning. He asked no questions, and was assigned to a regular isolated cell, with Speciale, to spend the night.

There are five national bank prisoners in the penitentiary, and four of these are clerks and one answers the telephone in the chief clerk's office. Bigelow's prison number is 4717. If his health is not good, Bigelow may after a few weeks be assigned to Capt. Carter's old position of prison hospital clerk. At first he will be thrown in contact with negroes, Indians and all kinds of prisoners. Bigelow, by good behavior, will win freedom in six years and four months.

Battle with Rustlers.

Blackfoot, Idaho, June 13.—A bloody battle has taken place near the edge of Jackson's Hole, Wyo. A number of cattle rustlers rounded up about 90 head of fine steers and started toward the most favorable railroad point, the intention being to gather more cattle en route. The ranchers to whom the cattle belonged organized a posse and pursued the outlaws, and there was a running fight for 60 miles. Six persons were killed, four outlaws and two ranchers. Several horses were killed during the fight, five being shot down in one spot. The ranchers, it is reported, succeeded in recovering the cattle which the outlaws were attempting to drive away.

Fatal Shooting Affray.

Palmetto, La., June 13.—Quite a sensational shooting occurred near here Sunday in which three men were killed and one mortally wounded. The cause of the trouble is supposed to have been long-standing ill feeling between the parties concerned and Constable Soileau.

Slept on the Track.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., June 13.—Alex Alexander and Arthur Bingham, both of Chicago, went to sleep on the tracks near Marion and were run down by a Milwaukee work train early Monday morning. Alexander was instantly killed and Bingham died a few hours later at St. Luke's hospital.

CZAR SENDS REPLY TO THE PRESIDENT

ANSWER TO ROOSEVELT'S NOTE IS TRANSMITTED THROUGH AMBASSADOR MEYER.

COUNT CASSINI CALLS AT THE WHITE HOUSE

No Hitch in Peace Negotiations—Witte May Be Russian Envoy—Delicacy of Situation Forced Executive to Alter Plans.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—Russia's official reply is now on its way to Washington. Foreign Minister Lamsdorff transmitted it to Ambassador Meyer, and later the ambassador had an interview with the foreign minister at the foreign office.

The warring countries both having formally agreed to try to conclude peace, the next step, it is explained here, will be the first direct exchange in which Japan is expected to take the initiative by indicating, doubtless through an intermediary at Washington, her views as to the time and place of the meeting. Russia will offer no objections to any reasonable suggestion in this respect, being prepared to at once issue instructions to her preliminary plenipotentiary, whose personality for the moment depends upon the place Japan names.

Given Russian Consent.

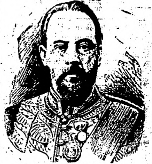
Washington, June 13.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, had a half hour's conference with the president Monday. At its conclusion Count Cassini returned at once to his embassy, dclining to discuss in any way the object of his visit. That the conference related to the reply of the Russian government to the proposition made by President Roosevelt last Friday is known; but whether Count Cassini presented to the president formally the response of Russia could not be ascertained. It can be said, however, that the reply of the Russian government already had been received by the president before his interview with Count Cassini. Later it became known officially that Ambassador Cassini called to express the Russian government's consent to the president's proposition and to state that Russia would appoint plenipotentiaries to meet the plenipotentiaries of Japan to discuss the question of peace. The place of meeting at present is being discussed.

No Hitch in Negotiations.

Assurance is given here by the highest officials that there is no hitch in the peace negotiations and that reports to that effect are entirely without foundation. A long cablegram was received from Mr. Meyer, the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, late Saturday night which was not deciphered at that time. It was generally supposed to have been the Russian reply. The contents of this cablegram have not yet been made public, but it is believed that Mr. Myer in his dispatch indicated the responsive form which he expected Russia's answer would take when formally communicated.

Witte May Be Envoy.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—M. Witte, president of the committee of ministers, is leaving St. Petersburg for abroad in two weeks. This very significant announcement is coupled with the statement that he is going "on public business." His visit was instantly associated with the peace negotiations, and it is possible that Emperor Nicholas has decided if a reasonable basis for negotiations is offered by Japan to make use of the services of the ablest and strongest personality in the empire.


M. WITTE.

All the attempts to create an impression that there is the slightest hitch in the preliminary negotiations are absolutely without the shadow of foundation. Foreign Minister Lamsdorff has formally notified several of the continental powers that a meeting of plenipotentiaries to see whether it is possible to agree to terms of peace is assured. Now that Russia has received formal notification that Japan has sent an official and favorable reply to President Roosevelt, the Russian official reply will be forwarded and it is stated positively that the reply will fully respond to the president's message. There does not seem to be the slightest warrant for the gratuitous idea that some correspondents are putting out that Russia is only desirous of ascertaining the Japanese conditions and at the same time gain a better position for her army in Manchuria.

Await Japan's Move.

St Petersburg, June 13.—Russia is waiting for Japan to fix the time and place when and where the Japanese terms will be placed in the hands of Russia's representative. The foreign office expects that the delay will be brief. The Russian representative will not be a plenipotentiary with full power to negotiate. His duty will practically be confined to the reception and transmission to his government of the Japanese terms for decision as to whether they afford a basis for actual peace negotiations. He will be clothed with power to effect an agreement for the suspension of hostilities, which suspense will probably be for a very limited period, during which Russia must decide the momentous question of peace or a prolongation of the war. During this temporary armistice both countries probably will be free to continue the movement of troops and munitions of war within prescribed limits, although nothing definite on this point will be known until the meeting takes place. If Russia finds that the terms for a basis on which negotiations can proceed, regular plenipotentiaries will be appointed, the number being decided by the belligerents themselves and then it is not impossible that the negotiations might be transferred to Manchuria, as President Roosevelt is believed to have suggested.

President Changes Plans.

Washington, June 13.—The delicacy of the situation in relation to affairs in the far east has made necessary a change in the president's plans for going to Oyster Bay. It is his desire to conclude in Washington the preliminary plans for a meeting of representatives of Russia and Japan, because he is in closer touch with the situation here than he could be at Oyster Bay. Originally it was his intention to leave Washington on the night of the 20th instant, and after attending the commencement exercises of Clark university at Worcester, Mass., and of Williams college at Williamstown, to go directly to Oyster Bay. Instead of going to Oyster Bay from Williamstown, the president will return to Washington, remaining here for nearly a week before going to Massachusetts again to attend the Harvard commencement on the 27th and 28th instant. He expects now to leave Boston late on the night of the 28th and arrive at Oyster Bay on the morning of the 29th instant.

Japan's Terms.

Paris, June 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of Eclair says the following are the terms Japan will offer and those which Russia is resigned to accept:

Japan demands an indemnity of $650,000,000. The essential restitution of the whole of Manchuria to China under a Japanese administrative protectorate. A protectorate over Korea, with a Japanese viceroy and military occupation of ports to be completely under Japanese administration. Cession of Port Arthur. Cession of the entire Transmanchurian railway. Opening of the Transsiberian railway to international commerce. Demolition of the fortifications at Vladivostok. Cession of Sakhalin. Handing over to Japan of all Russian warships interned in neutral ports since the war began. Formal pledge that Russia will not maintain a fleet in the far east for the next twenty-five years. Occupation of Vladivostok and the maritime provinces of the Amur river as a guarantee until the last installment of the indemnity shall be paid.

A RECORD-BREAKING RUN.

Pennsylvania Flyer Makes Trip Between New York and Chicago in 17 Hours, 57 Minutes.

Chicago, June 13.—On its intial run from New York, the Pennsylvania railroad's 18-hour "Flyer," the fastest long-distance train in the world, arrived in this city at 8:52 o'clock Monday morning, three minutes ahead of schedule time. In order to accomplish this feat, extraordinary achievements in the way of fast running were necessary. After leaving Pittsburg, the tender of the big Atlantic type engine, which had been attached at that city for the run to Crestline, O., developed a hot box about 20 miles east of Mansfield, O. The engineer stopped his train and 15 minutes were lost in futile efforts to cool the troublesome axle. Finally a freight engine was attached and the train limped into Crestline. Here the regular engine was in waiting, and when the "Flyer" left the latter place it was 26 minutes late. The run to Fort Wayne, 131 miles away, was made in 114½ minutes, an average of 68 6-10 miles an hour. When the train pulled out of Fort Wayne for the last lap of the long journey, it was only nine and one-half minutes late, 16½ minutes of the lost time having been made up. Miles were frequently reeled off in from 44 to 50 seconds, and an average speed of a mile a minute was easily maintained over long stretches of track.

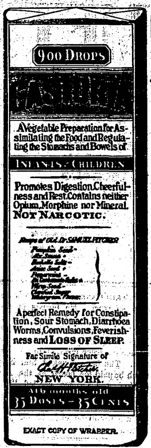
Already the Pennsylvania railroad officials are discussing the possibility of reducing the running time between Chicago and New York to 16 hours, and it is not improbable that such a schedule may be attempted in the near future.

Two Miners Killed by Snowslide.

Silverton, Col., June 13.—Wesley Hannon and John Smith, two well-known miners, have been found dead at the mouth of the tunnel of the Cashier mine a mile above Eureka. It is believed the men were caught in a snowslide which occurred two weeks ago. oBth men were advanced in age and single.

Will Visit New Orleans.

New Orleans, June 13.—A letter from Secretary Loeb to the Progressive Union fixes October 24 and 25 as the days upon which President Roosevelt will visit New Orleans. Arrangements are already under way to make the president's reception a brilliant affair.



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IT seems that Thief River has got something that will hold it for a few years.

THE war can't continue much longer in any event. There is little left for the Japs to fight.

GOVERNOR HERRICK's place in history is secure. He has been mentioned as head of the Equitable.

SENATOR HORTON has announced his intention of going after the congressional nomination in the St. Paul district. The Horton bill will not be used as a campaign document.

THE Equitable muddle is said to be cleaned up by the introduction of a discredited secretary of the navy as president and general manager. Old-line life insurance companies are not just now in high favor.

REPORT has it that half a dozen members of the graduating class of the St. Cloud high school indulged in a disgraceful drunk the night after the commencement exercises, says the Duluth News-Tribune. If any of the six have a spark of manhood in them that "commencement" will be a sad memory to them all through life.

THE editor of the Fairmont Sentinel expresses himself as follows: "Most of the rural telephone lines connecting with the Fairmont exchange charge a fine of $1 for using profane or abusive language over their lines. Just as soon as we can afford it we are going to call up the three year delinquent who sent his paper back marked 'refused' last week and tell him exactly what we think of him."

THE Kansas City Journal says that while 50 per cent of our population are farmers only two per cent of the crimes are committed by them. Another good reason why boys should not be too anxious to leave the farm, but if the cities continue to increase the rate of recklessness and dissipation there will have to be a heavy exodus from the farm to keep pace with the vacancies in the shop, the store and the factory caused by the degeneration of the twentieth century.

SPEAKER CANNON is a great lover of green corn. He boards at the Arlington and one day took one of his Illinois farmer constituents to dinner with him. Cannon made his dinner on green corn, eating seven ears. The farmer asked him how much he paid for board at the Arlington, and Cannon replied "Six dollars a day." "Well," said the farmer constituent, "Joe don't you think it would be cheaper for you to board at a livery stable."

THE superintendent of the state free employment bureau, which has recently been established, is wondering why domestic service is so unpopular with the young women of Minnesota, says the Fairmont Sentinel. The bureau is flooded with applications from householders for domestic servants. Nearly fifty per cent of the total applications have been for this class of help, and so far few if any girls have appeared to accept the positions. The officials of the bureau say that the wages offered domestic servants are better than the wages received by many clerks, stenographers and office girls.

THERE is something peculiar about the following proclamation, issued by John L. Townley, mayor of Fergus Falls: "During the past few days some of the children have brought me robins, song sparrows and other birds that have been killed by malicious boys with air guns and slings. This practice is now going to stop and stop very suddenly, and I hereby give warning that the next boy who is found shooting at birds within the city limits will not be fined, but will be given a term in the county jail. The birds and squirrels in Fergus Falls have been slaughtered for years by malicious boys and the practice has gone on entirely too long. This is a fair warning, and parents will do well to see that their boys put away their guns and sling shots.

THE editors of southwestern Minnesota were delightfully entertained by the enterprising citizens of Jackson last Friday on the occasion of their annual meeting. The banquet in the evening was a most elaborate spread and would have been creditable to the best caterers of St. Paul or Minneapolis. And the toasts were not lacking in oratory or originality. One of them, and in many respects the best, was responded to by a woman, Miss Aurele Huntington of the Windom Reporter. The meeting was most successful from both a business and social standpoint, and the editors present will hope for another occasion to visit Jackson. The writer acknowledges special obligation to Hon. T. J. Knox for his generous hospitality.

Save Big Money

Minnesota farmers will save approximately $300,000 annually in the purchase of binding twine when the new machinery recently installed in in the twine plant at the state prison is run to its full capacity, which will probably be next year, says the Pioneer Press.

The saving this year will approximate $275,000. The state board of control plans to manufacture approximately 11.000,000 pounds, and the prices fixed by the state are about 2½ cents lower than the prices to consumers fixed by dealers in binding twine.

At the close of the present year the amount which Minnesota farmers will have saved through the state twine plant will be nearly $1.5000000, and the profit to the state will be considerably in excess of $500,000. Since the plant was establisded in 1891 more than 60,000,000 pounds of twine have been manufactured.

The state has recently installed new machinery, which will materially increase the output of the plant. The board of control expects to manufacture from 12,000,000 to 13,000,000 next year. The new machinery is in operation, but the plant will not be run to its full capacity this year.

One reason why the state is able to save Minnesota farmers so large an amount this year is because the board of control purchased the raw material early, before the prices went up. In addition to this, the state being a large purchaser can get the the best bargains, and being a large manufacturer, can reduce expenses to the minimum.

Does It Really Pay?

Many local merchants go upon the assumption that there is no money in the country during the summer months and consequently do not advertise. They are satisfled to receive the little that comes their way having to make good after the crops are harvested. The catalogue houses, however, are never caught napping. While the retail merchant is resting on his oars the city dealers are busier than ever, flooding the country with their advertising matter and preparing in advance for fall orders. And they secure in these summer months considerable that should have gone to the home merchant, and would have gone there had the latter been as diligent as the catalogue dealer. Does it pay the mail order houses? One Chicago concern last year did a business of thirty million dollars and it did it on advertising alone. If the home merchant would follow the same course he would have a good part, if not the whole, of his trade. When freight and express charges have been added to the cost of an article purchased at a distance the local merchant can ninety-nine times out of a hundred undersell the outsider on the same quality of goods. He also has the advantage of being on the ground and knowing the wants of the people; of having a personal acquaintance with them; and further he has access to the advertising space of the home papers which is denied these large houses. These great concerns reach the local customers through advertising and the merchant must employ the same tactics if he proposes to hold the trade. The buyer also owes a duty to the local merchant. He should remember that the prosperity of any community depends upon the success of the home concerns; that it is better to keep a dollar in circulation at home than to send it away to help build up great corporations that the interests of the buyers and home dealers are closely allied and the home merchant has a greater interest in supplying him with reliable goods than the mail order house, whose chief interest in life is to grow at the expense of thousands of smaller concerns. In building up a community and your home town nothing counts like a little reciprocity in business.—Alexandria Post-News.

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Writes from Holton, Kas.: "I have taken two bottles of Peruna and find it to be an excellent remedy for cold and throat trouble."—Case Broderick.

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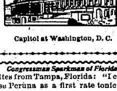
Writes: "I only used Peruna for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Lima, O.

Congressman Mahon of Pennsylvania,
Writes from Chambersburg, Pa.: "I commend Peruna as a substantial tonic."—Thad M. Mahon.



Capitol at Washington, D. C.

Congressman Sparkman of Florida,
Writes from Tampa, Florida: "I can indorse Peruna as a first rate tonic and a very effective cure for catarrh."—S. M. Sparkman.

Congressman Brewer of Alabama,
Writes: "I have used one bottle of Peruna for lassitude. I recommend it."—Willis Brewer, Haynesville, Ala.

U. S. Senator Gear of Iowa,
Writes from Burlington, Ia.: "Peruna I can recommend to all as a very good tonic."—John H. Gear.

Congressman Culberson of Texas,
Writes: "I can recommend Peruna as one of the very best of tonics."—D. B. Culberson, Jefferson, Texas.

Congressman Livingston from Georgia,
Writes: "I take pleasure in joining with General Wheeler, Congressman Brewer and others in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic and a catarrh cure."—L. I. Livingston, Kings, Ga.

Congressman Clark of Missouri,
Says: "I can recommend your Peruna as a good, substantial tonic and as one of the best remedies for catarrhal troubles."—John B. Clark.

Congressman Pelham of Virginia,
Writes from Bancroft, Va.: "My sister-in-law has been using Peruna for about one week for catarrh of the throat and is manifestly improved."—C. Pelham.

Congressman Burnett of Alabama,
Writes: "I cheerfully recommend Peruna as a very good catarrh remedy and a good, substantial tonic."—John L. Burnett, Gadsden, Ala.

Congressman Botkin of Kansas,
Writes from Holton, Kas.: "Peruna has given me almost complete relief from catarrh of the stomach and constipation."—J. D. Botkin.

Congressman White of North Carolina,
Writes from Tarboro, N. C.: "I find Peruna to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family."—G. H. White.

Congressman Wilber of New York,
In a letter from Oneonta, N. Y., says: "I am fully convinced that Peruna is all you claim for it."—David F. Wilber.

Congressman Dungan of Ohio,
Writes from Jackson, O.: "I recommend Peruna to anyone in need of an invigorating tonic."—Irvine Dungan.

Congressman Barham from California,
Writes from Santa Rosa, Cal.: "I used your Peruna and can cheerfully recommend it."—J. A. Barham.

Congressman Deweese from Indiana,
Writes: "Peruna should be in every household."—John I. Deweese.

Congressman Turner from Kansas,
Writes: "Peruna is certainly a cure for catarrh."—E. J. Turner.

Other members of Congress who endorse Peruna, are.

Ex-U. S. Senator, B. F. Rice, of Oklahoma.
Congressman Fred. S. Goodrich, of Florida.
Congressman Harry Skinner, of North Carolina.
Ex-Congressman L. P. Featherstone, of Beaumont, Texas.
Congressman J. H. Huling, of West Virginia.
Congressman D. L. Russell, of North Carolina.
Congressman Spencer Blackburn of North Carolina.
Congressman Turner of New York.
Congressman Culberson, of Texas.
Congressman Nunn, of Tennessee.
Congressman Fitzpatrick, from Kentucky.
Congressman Purman, from Florida.
Congressman Hazleton, Wisconsin.
Congressman Bartine, from Nevada.
U. S. Senator Call, of Florida.

For free book address the Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Modern Woodmen of America Convention.

On account of the biennial meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America and Auxiliary Societies at Milwaukee Wis., June 17-24, the Great Northern will sell tickets at one fare plus 50 cents for the round trip. Tickets on sale for trains arriving in St. Paul or Sioux City June 16-19 inclusive with final return limit June 27. Consult local ticket agent for full particulars. j1-15.

A Chronic Cough Will Develop

immediately into lung trouble. The throat is irritated and pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, or consumption is bound to follow. Use Gloria-Lung Balsam and the danger is banished. Best for children." Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

Ten Weeks in a Hospital.

Mr. Christ Short, of Phillips, Wisconsin writes: "Gloria Tonic cured me completely of rheumatism. The hospital failed to do it. I was in it twice, once three weeks and another time seven weeks. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

The King of Brilliants.

is the Northwestern Limited. Lighted by hundreds of incandescent electric lamps, both inside and outside, this train presents a beautiful appearance, Buffet library cars, with conveniences of the club, private apartments cozily arranged, finest of regular Pullman sleepers and reclining chair cars, mean comfort and pleasure to the traveler between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago on this famous train,

Three Physicans Treated Him without Success.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief, and three bottles cured permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." A. L. Reichert.

Nocice of Hearing on Petition.

Whereas, a petition has been filed with the board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 4, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17 and 18 in Township 152 North, of Range 40 West of the Fifth Principal Meridan in said County and State, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petion will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the 11th day of July, A. D. 1995 at nine o'clock in the foreuoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this second day of May, A. D., 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board

Rheumatism Cured Free

After years of experimenting we have formulated a paste, which when applied to any portion of the body suffering from rheumatism, will immediately relieve, and eventually cure the most persistent case of rheumatism. If you are a sufferer, and among the first to answer this announcement, we will send you by prepaid mail, a box of this wonderful oil, all that is asked in return is the privelege of referring to you [when cured] in corresponding with prospective bupers in your localliy.

No Testimonials Solicited, No Names Published

All that is required is your name and address, full particulars regarding your case, accompanied by this offer.

ASSOCIATED DRUG STORES
Name of your paper here. Louisville, Ky.

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

H. W. PHILLIPS,
Louisville, Ky.

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CASH for EVERY CAN immediately on its receipt.

WRITE
R. E. COBB
St. Paul, Minn.

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The North-Western Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

Bright New Rugs Our Rugs Always Give Satisfaction.
Write for Prices. **from Old Carpets**
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Is combined with convenience in our certificates of disposit.

When you have any sum of money not wanted for immediate use, you can leave it here and we give you a written agreement to pay it back at any time you want it. If you wish to leave it for 6 months or more, we will pay interest upon it.

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5 per cent Interest paid on time deposits.

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Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent.

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has its beginning with the implanted acorn. Likewise the Tree of Fortune takes root with the opening of a Savings Account. With us One Dollar is sufficient to start an account. Smaller or larger deposits may follow.

First State Bank

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Are you going to Blackduck?

The First State Bank has a new adv in this issue.

Father Fayolle was at Crookston over Monday night.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap. —F. E. Hunt.

Mrs. John Drier has been quite sick the past week, but is improving steadily.

Allier Pouliot was at Thief River Falls Monday looking after his property at that place.

Editor Converse of the Cass Lake Times was in the city the first of the week visiting his family.

M. O. Sortedahl returned from Northwood, Iowa, yesterday where he had been to close a land deal.

Arthur Mercier came down from Thief River Falls one day last week and remained over night at home.

Miss Lulu Fletcher returned home Saturday from Moorhead where she graduated from the State Nornal school last week.

The weather has been just the right sort for the growing grain so far this season, and the indications point to a bumper crop.

The advertising car for the Gollmar Bros. circus passed through this place last Saturday. The show will be at Thief River Falls June 20th.

Messrs. Nap Pouliot and Nazare Barrette wentout into Gentilly Monday to begin work on the erection of a barn that they have contracted to build.

Supt. McAnulty was at Moorhead last week and took in the commencement exercises. He also attended to business pertaining to the summer school at this place.

The rear wannagan of the log drive experienced some difficulty in getting over the Healy dam Saturday but finally got over safely and is now on its way to Crookston.

Sheriff Doyle of Swift county passed through here Monday evening on his way home from Thief River Falls where he caught a young man charged with a serious crime in Swift county.

The Thief River Falls base ball club passed through this place Monday on their way home from Bemidji where they played a game Sunday. Bemidji won the game by a score of 8 to 1.

Marcus Johnson and Major Thrope, of Willmar, were business callers at this place the first of the week. This was Senator Thorpe's first visit to this section and he expressed himself as being highly pleased with the country.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

A party of Fertilejties were here Saturday fishing in the Red Lake river.

Old Glory was much in evidence in the city yesterdav, in honor of flag day.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire Monday on official business.

Assessor Moren has been around the past few days trying to find out how rich our citizens are.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pincinault rejoice over the advent of a son who made their acquaintance last Saturday.

Miss Etta Zaiser went to Crookston Saturday to help with the arrangements for the Zaiser-Eickhoff wedding.

Joseph Pouliot, of Granite Falls, has been in the city this week visiting relatives and his many old friends.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

The fire boys have been practicing with a regulation twenty-four foot ladder this week which was loaned them by the Thief River Falls fire department.

The summer term at the Crookston Academy & Business College, Crookston, Minn., commences June 19. Special rates for the summer. Write for particulars.

Station Agent Tracy announces that the Great Northern railway will make a rate of $4.00 to Blackduck and return next week, on account of the firemen's tournament.

Oliver Caron came over from Crookston yesterday and has been visiting his family in this city. He has a fine position in Crookston and expects to move the family to that place next fall.

County Treasurer Hansen reports that his office collected nearly $8,000 more the first five months this year than for the corresponding period last year. This indicates that Red Lake county is growing and developing very rapidly.

Fred Cyr met with an accident at work on the log drive last week that might have proven serious. He was tying the boom at the Healy dam when his foot got tangled in a rope, causing a sprained ankle and other minor injuries.

Adelard Lemieux and Harry Healy returned the first of the week from a trip to Minot, N. D. The boys report that burg as being an exceedingly lively place this summer. Adelard went out to Montana and visited a brother for a day or two before his return.

Special Bargain in Toilet Soap

A 25c box of Kirks Toilet Soap Rose and Violet scented for........................ **10c**

Summer Wash Suits

at *$4.75* and *$5.75*. Up-to-date and worth 50 per cent more.

Childrens Under Waists

with hose supporters attcached, worth 50, 60 and 75c for........................ **25c**

Suits---Men and Boys

Balance of last years goods to clear out quick at ½ price.

Everything guaranteed as good as represented. Never anything misrepresented here.

Some Way or Other They all Say It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE Theo. LaBissonaire Proprietor

Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

The Big Store has a new list of bargains in this week's advertisement. Look it up.

Herman Kruegar has been clerking at Garceau & Zaiser's the past week, during the absence of some of the regular force.

County Auditor Ford is at St. Paul this week helping move the old battle flags and having a good time in general.

The band and fire boys have been busy this week preparing for the Blackduck trip. A large delegation from this city will attend the tournament.

Register of Deeds Jeffers went to St. Paul Tuesday evening to take in the meeting of the state lodge of the I. O O. F. and the Flag Day exercises.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Word was received the first of the week that the evangelists, Miss Smith and Miss Reed, would be unable to fill their engagement at this place, as announced last week. Their many friends will regret to learn that they will not be here.

This office is in receipt of the premium list and race program of Agricultural Association, the fourth annual exhibition of which will take place at Thief River Falls, Aug. 9, 10 and 11. A nice list of premiums are offered and a good race program is announced.

Mankato Review: Louis Kaufer of Red Lake Falls, is visiting in the city as the guest of his uncle, Mr. John Klein. Mr. Kaufer's father operated the old pottery on Warren street in early days. He left here twenty-seven years ago and this is the first time he has been back.

Clerk of the Courts Perrault has been in charge of the Register of Deeds office the past few days during Frank Jeffers absence. Joe is the handy man of the court house, and whenever any of the boys wish to take a short vacation he looks after their duties to the entire satisfaction of all.

W. T. Spillane has leased the Duffy building on the west side of Main street and will put in a stock of confectionery and fruit. He expects to begin business about the 20th of this month. Mr. Spillane has many friends in the city and surrounding country and there is no reason why he should not do a good business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Grady left Monday for Elkton, South Dakota, where they will visit Mr. Grady's parents. Mr. Grady will attend the commencement exercises of the South Dakota Agricultural College at Brookings this week. He is a graduate of this institution. Mrs. Grady expects to be absent for several weeks, but Mr. Grady will return home Saturday.

John Wanamaker, referring recently to the advantage of advertising, says: "The good, sensible merchant sticks to his proposition thruout the year, never withdrawing his announcement but constantly pounding away at the public. There is only one way to advertise, and that is to hammer your name, your location, you business so thoroly into the people's heads that if they walked in their sleep they would constantly turn their faces toward your store. The newspaper is your best friend. It helps to build up your town or community that supports you.

The COURIER is in receipt of a copy of the Legislative Manuel for 1905, presented to us by Hon. L. C. Simons. The "blue book" has many new features this year. The pictures of the state officials and members of the legislature are given a prominent place in the book. Red Lake Falls is well represented in this respect, the pictures of Representative Simons and State Librarian King appearing.

Crookston Times: Tomorrow afternoon at the pretty home on Front street, Arthur Zaiser, the popular Red Lake Falls miller, and Miss Dora Eickhoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Eickhoff, one of the most prominent and charming of Crookston's young women, will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. Ward, of the First Presbyterian church, will pronounce the words making the young people man and wife, and the wedding will be attended by the relatives of both families.

Jim and Paul tell how to be a real gentleman in their adv this week.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

Anderson & Wander, the furniture men, call your attention to a large list of bargains they have to offer in their advertisment in this paper.

If you wish a first class business education, or an academic course, attend the Crookston Academy & Business College, Crookston, Minn. Competent teachers, school well equipped. Special rates. Write for particulars. New term June 19.

J. C. Wander, our new furniture man, left last evening for his old home at Springhill, Stearns county, for a ten days visit with his parents. He will take unto himself a wife during his absence, a young lady of Melrose being the lucky person. Mr. Wander has rented Mrs. Mercier's house and will commence housekeeping immediately upon his return.

J. I. Wyer Jr., for many years librarian at the Nebraska state university, has recently been elected librarian of the Louisville public library. Mr. Wyer is a son of our well-known townsman, J. I. Wyer, president of the First State Bank, and brother of Ralph E. Wyer. He is considered one of the most efficient librarians of the United States, and is secretary of the national association.

Peter Toupin Jr., aged twenty-six years, died at the home of his parents in Terrebonne township on Monday. The young man had been sick but a short time and his death was a great shock to his many friends. The funeral was held Wednesday from the Terrebonne church and the remains laid to rest in the cemetery near by. The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of the entire community in their hour of sadness.

A distinct innovation will be inaugurated this season by the Northern Steamship Company which operates the magnificient steamships the "Northwest" and "Northland" on the Great Lakes and which sail between Duluth, Chicago and Buffalo. Heretofore the service on these boats has entirely been European plan but this year it has been arranged to place in effect an American plan service on both the "Northwest" and "Northland." The first sailing of the "Northwest" from Duluth will be June 27th and the "Northland" from Chicago June 24th

The Minnesota building, at the St. Louis Exposition, is being reconstructed on the state fair grounds to be used as a state fair grounds to be used as headquarters for the publishers of weekly newspapers, which it is believed will add to the enjoyment and comfort of editors while visitors at the Fair. As one of the attractions in this building, a newspaper exhibit will be arranged, consisting of a file of all the weekly newspapers in the state for at least three months previous to the State Fair.

God bless the girl who works! She is brave and good and noble. She is not too proud to earn her own living, ashamed to be caught at her daily task. She smiles at you from behind the desk, the counter or the printer's case. There is a memory of her sewed up in the adage climbing, struggling, rejocing. The sight should be an inspiration to us all. It is an honor to know this girl and be worthy of her esteem. Young man, lift your hat to her as she passes by. Her hand may be stained by dishwashing, sweeping or factory grease, but it is an honest hand. All honor to the brave girl who is not afraid nor ashamed to toil.

Just Pick-Ups.

"What are we to do? Women school teachers are asking as much pay as men teachers." exclaims a purturbed school trustee. And the difficulty in the situation lies in the fact that the women teachers deserve it

The Kansas City Journal points out that while farmers compose 50 per cent of our population. they commit only 2 per cent of our crimes. The simple life keeps close to the soil and far from influences that beget crime.

George B. Cortelyon, the new postmaster general, believes that postmasters should be appointed for their ability to attend to business instead of to play politics. He says that the best service a postmaster can give his party is to conduct his office in a proper manner. Under his reign it is said political activity will be discountenanced and strict attention to business details exacted.

A good cement for mending glass is made by boiling isinglass in spirits of wine.

Nursed troubles grow rapidly: left to shift for themselves, they soon disappear.

The Long Praire Leader says that the farmers' exchange of Todd county will build a $3,400 elevator at that place.

The citizens of Parkers Prairie have united in purchasing 1,100 box elder trees and the same have been set out along the streets of the village.

A colored philosopher is reported to have said; "Lile, my breddern, am mos'ly made up of prayin' for rain and then wishin' it would cl'ar off."

Stearns county is to have a drain ditch thirteen miles in length, known as the LeSauk and St. Wendel drain. The county commissioners have authorized its construction. It will cost $15,000 and drain 10,000 acres of farm land.

Advertised for a Wife

Recently a farmer living near Preston, Minn., advertised in the city papers for a wife. In due time a fair and willing one responded. He suited her and if he would send her money to buy a few necessary things and to pay car fare she would come. He sent the money, secured the license and, wearing a white rnibbo for purposes of identification, waited for the train. but the fair one with his money never came.

Smoking in a Powder Magazine

Is courting death more suddenly but not more surely than neglecting kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure a slight disorder in a few days and its continued use will cure the most obstinate cases. It has cured many people of Bright's disease and diabetes who were though to be incurable. If you have Kidney or bladder trouble, commence taking Foley's Kidney Cure today before it is too late. A. L. Reichert.

A Long List of Bargains

THAT includes our entire stook of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Musical Instruments and Sewing Machines. Our aim is to continue to make the Leader Store worthy of its name. We spare no efforts to secure for our customers the best the market affords. We buy in large quantities, secure the lowest freight rates and have every facility for meeting every want of the purchasing public-

Sewing Machines

We handle the White. The "White is King.',

Wesley Pianos

Peerless Organs

that have stood the test of time. Sold under guarantee. Testimonials from leading musicians and musical conservatories is evidence of their superior worth and high qualities.

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A Good Thing! Push Them Along.

We buy from the leading factory which insures us the best wormanship and the most up-to-date designs.

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We carry a large assortment. Beautiful patterns.

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A good practical business education is the most essential thing in life. Call on or address

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Crookston, Minnesota

Does Your Barn Need Painting?

We have just received a large shipment of Barn Paint. By buying a large quantity we can make you a **Special Price** in 5 gallon pails. It is a first class paint and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Remember that we are exclusive agents for **Minnesota Linseed Oil Co's. House Paints,** the same brand we have sold for the past sixteen years. Guaranteed strictly pure.

For that floor get a can of **Roger's Stainfloor Finish**
Makes Old Floors Look New, Makes New Floors Look Beautiful

FRANK E. HUNT
Established 1878 **Gen'l Hardware**

SSS THE BEST TONIC

When the system gets debilitated and in a run-down condition it needs a tonic and there has never been one discovered that is the equal of S. S. S. It is especially adapted for a systemic remedy, because it contains no strong minerals to derange the stomach and digestion, and affect the liver and bowels. It is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks selected for their purifying and healing qualities, and possesses just the properties that are needed to restore to the body strong robust health. When the blood becomes impure and clogged with waste matters and poisons the body does not receive sufficient nourishment and suffers from debility, weakness, sleeplessness, nervousness, loss of appetite, bad digestion and many other disagreeable symptoms of a disordered blood circulation, and if it is not corrected some form of malignant fever or other dangerous disorder will follow. S. S. S. builds up the broken down constitution, clears the blood of all poisons and impurities and makes it strong and healthy. The nerves are restored to a calm restful state, refreshing sleep is had again, the appetite returns and the whole system is toned up by this great remedy. S. S. S. is a blood purifier and tonic and acts promptly in this run-down depleted condition of the system. Book on the blood and medical advice furnished by our physicians, without charge.

I have used your S. S. S. and found it to be an excellent tonic to build up the general health and give tone and strength to the system. I have used other things highly recommended, but S. S. S. did me more good than everything else combined. As to its tonic properties it gives a splendid appetite, refreshing sleep, and the system undergoes a general building up under its invigorating influence.
548 Woodland Ave., Warren, O. MRS. KATE BECK.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., June 5, 1905.

Pursuant to the call of the County Auditor dated May 16, 1905, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota met in special session at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of considering a petition for the removal of the county seat to the City of Thief River Falls in said county.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Johnson.

Present, Commissioners Johnson, Sutor, Demann, Shaw and Falardeau.

The Board proceeded to examine and consider the petition for the removal of the County Seat.

At 6 p. m., on motion duly carried a recess was taken until June 6.

June 6, 1905, the Board reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. with all members present.

The examination of the petition for the removal of the County Seat was continued.

After hearing the arguments of F. A. Grady, Chas. E. Boughton and Ira C. Richardson and the testimony of witnesses introduced in the matter, the following resolution was offered by Commissioner Demann who moved its adoption which was duly seconded by Commissioner Falardeau:

Whereas, F. A. Grady and Chas. E. Boughton, two legal voters of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, have duly appeared before this Board and objected to the consideration by this Board for a change of the County Seat of said County to the City of Thief River Falls which petition is now on file in the office of the County Auditor of said County, or to any action thereon by this Board on the ground that this Board has no jurisdiction to consider and act on the same; and the Board having duly heard the evidence of A. P. Toupin, John A. Duffy and Theo. Garceau, witnesses produced and sworn in behalf of said objectors, and other evidence together with the files and records in the office of the County Auditor relating to said petition and the proceedings thereon, and having duly considered the same;

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved, that we do find as facts and do hereby certify, that no notice of the intention to circulate the thirty-two petitions for said chanfie of county seat, which were presented for filing to said county Auditor was ever made, given, posted or published in said County prior to the circulation of said petitions;

That said thirty-two petitions were circulated by sixty-four persons, only eight of whom ever signed or made, or gave any notice whatever of intention to circulate any such petition, and that the only notice given by said eight persons was notice of intention to circulate only one petition and that such notice was not posted at three of the most public places at the county seat of said Red Lake County prior to the circulation of said petition or any of them;

That the time set by the County Auditor for this special meeting of this Board to consider said petitions was more than twenty days after said petitions and affidavits thereon were presented to him for filing.

That this Board has no jurisdiction to act upon, consider, or detertime said petitions, and hereby rejects the same and the whole therof.

On the call of Ayes and Noes on the foregoing resolution the vote stood as follows;

Aye, Commissioners Sutor, Demann and Falardeau.

No, Commissioners Johnson and Shaw.

The Chairman declared the resolution adopted and the said petition rejected,

On motion carried unanimously the Board adjourned sine die.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of Board.

THINGS THEATRICAL.

George Ade's "The College Widow" has been already burlesqued under the title of "The College Widower."

Exhibitions of the Japanese gymnasium system, jiu jitsu, are beginning to be exploited as a vaudeville novelty.

Ethel Barrymore says she doesn't care for Ibsen or Bernard Shaw. She thinks Ibsen perverts themes and Shaw is irreverent.

It is announced that early next June Raymond Hitchcock and Flora Zabelle are to be married in Paris. Miss Zabelle is the leading lady of "The Yankee Consul."

Paris has a trades union of ballet dancers under the protection of a body equivalent to what is known here as the Federation of Labor. The Paris journalists call the inspecting members of the union "dancing delegates."

Channing Pollock has written a Napoleonic play entitled "The Great Adventurer," which Thomas E. Shea will later produce. This player, it is understood, will also add that fine old drama, "The Lady of Lyons," to his repertory.

James Thornton, the well known monologue artist, has signed a cast iron pledge with a priest in New York to abstain from intoxicants for the next two years. A wealthy relative of Thornton offered him $10,000 to make the contract and keep it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It's a matter of fractions of a second now between automobile and locomotive records. Steam has met its match. —Cleveland Leader.

Evidently in building subways we are doing something for remote posterity as well as our own generation if, as Dr. Eliot says, they will be the archaeologist's main dependence 2,000 years hence.—Boston Transcript.

Tuition charges at some of the big universities are being advanced to the point where it will be cheaper for young men to enter politics and have degrees conferred upon them than to stand the expense of a college course.—Washington Post.

Stronger combinations than the Mormons have defied the United States and have lived to regret it. Defiance is safe in the Logan temple for the time being. But temples that are the sanctuary of crime have been leveled before now, and what has been may be again.—San Francisco Call.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL.

One of the girl pupils at the Newburyport High school was expelled for cutting up an onion and putting in on the teacher's desk.

Courses in the history of modern art will be introduced at Dartmouth college at the beginning of the next academic year under the direction of Homer Eaton Keyes.

Dr. A. L. Peterman of Nashville, Tenn., has been tendered the presidency of Graham college, Graham, Va. He is widely known as an educator, lecturer, editor and author.

At the midwinter meeting of the trustees of Syracuse university it was voted to construct with the bequest made to the university by the late John Lyman, which is said to aggregate more than $200,000, a building to be known as the John Lyman Laboratory of Natural History.

GOWN GOSSIP.

In wash materials the shirt waist suit is an assured fashion.

The fichu trimmed waist will be a leader for the coming season in cotton and other fabrics.

For young women the simple short skirt and bolero jacket seem the best kind of a spring street gown.

A very smart model in walking suits has the princess skirt and bolero. This is a style more becoming when the jacket is worn than when it is not.

Judging from the few advance models seen, the spring skirt will be fuller than ever over the hips. Shirrings and plaitings, especially the latter, are inevitable and are laid more deeply than ever.—New York Post.

STATE LINES.

Maryland was first in the tomato canning industry last year, with Indiana a good second.

New York is the champion potato state. The east end of Long Island is all one potato patch. Potato schooners haul up at little docks anywhere.

Twenty-six million six hundred and sixty-six thousand six hundred gallons of milk were Oregon's production for the year 1904. The sale of this output aggregated $4,000,000.

The California state board of trade has voted to request the secretary of agriculture of the United States to appoint a special commissioner to ascertain and report regarding all agricultural products that can be raised in the state.

CHURCH AND CLERGY.

The American Bible society last year sent forth nearly 2,000,000 Scriptures.

The Rev. George Whitefield Mead of the First Presbyterian church of Newport, R. I., has declined the call received from the Gunton temple of Washington.

In several denominations the employment of deaconesses is increasing. These women have a special training and work chiefly among the poor as a sort of parish visitors.

The Coptic church of Egypt is said to be rapidly dying out. It is an ancient Christian church, and its members are being lost to the Protestant mission, to the Roman Catholic church and to Mohammedanism.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss.
City of Red Lake Falls, }

Notice is hereby given that applications have been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for license to sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on July 1, 1905 and terminating on June 30, 1906, by the following persons, and at the following places, as stated in said applications, respectfully to-wit;

FRED BORCHERS.

In that certain brick building situate on lot 29 of block 3 in the Original Townsite to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

J. M. BRAY.

In that certain brick building situate on lot 17 of block 3 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

JOHN DEUTCHMAN.

In that certain frame building situate on lot 3 of block 5,1 Kirtzschmar's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

VEIGAL & TILLMAN.

In that certain frame building situate on lot 3 of block 2 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City hall in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday, the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1905 at 8 o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls this 10th day of June, A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor of said County, in the City of Red Lake Falls on the eleventh day of July, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 14th day of June, 1905.

{ Seal of County Auditor } JAMES E. FORD,
{ Red Lake Co., Minn. } County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The undersigned Village Council of the Village of Plummer, which Village will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the drainage ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a drainage ditch along the following described route in the Town of Emardville in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility and is necessary for the following reasons, to-wit:

The drainage of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of said Township of Emardville and the establishing of a suitable road leading to and past the Village of Plummer in said County.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at a point about 50 rods west of the north-east corner of Section 13 in Township 151 North, of Range 42 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between Sections 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15 and 9 and 16 in said township to a point about thirty rods west of the North-east corner of the North-west quarter of said Section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet the Clearwater River.

And your petitioners pray that you will procced to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred and Thirty (230,) of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated May 24, 1905.

JULIUS PLETH, }
J. E. BUSKIRK, } Trustees.
H. H. FINROW, }

{ Corporate Seal, Village of Plummer, Red Lake Co., Minn. }

JNO. M. REED, President.
Attest: CHAS. W. LATTA, Village Recorder
Petitioners

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Sixty-two and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3.) in Block One (1,) and Lots Five (5,) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All the undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 9th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Roddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.

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Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }

DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs,
vs
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit. All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit:

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney

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Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accuring costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent, per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
m 18-22. Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.
J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 16, 1905.

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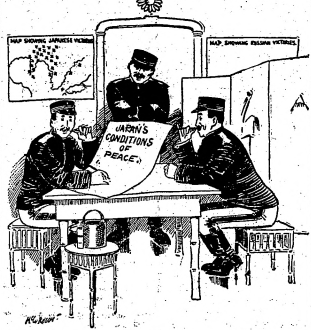
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RIVER IS EIGHT MILES IN WIDTH

MISSISSIPPI FLOODS LOWLANDS BETWEEN HANNIBAL, MO., AND KEOKUK, IA.

HEAVY LOSS OF LIVE STOCK IS REPORTED

One Man Drowned and Several Others Are Missing—Property Loss Estimated at Several Millions—Des Moines Reaches High-Water Mark.

Hannibal, Mo., June 13.—The flooded Mississippi river has spread over all the unprotected lowlands and is from five to eight miles wide between here and Keokuk, Ia. Near Alexandria, Mo., a farmer named Riley Smallwood was drowned, and seven other persons are reported missing. Great numbers of bodies of all kinds of live stock are floating past Hannibal and from Alexandria, Canton, Memphis, West Quincy and Keokuk reports have been received of the general loss of live stock. The flood came so suddenly that the farmers in the lowlands had no time to do more than save their families, and live stock was left to perish.

Work of Rescue.

An army of men is at work in the lower portion of Hannibal, endeavoring to save property. The railroad yards and factory district are inundated. All available boats are making trips up and down the river rescuing persons who escaped to points above the water line. Many of the small levees have broken, but the Sny levee, which extends along the east side of the river for 75 miles, still holds, although gangs of men have been constantly employed repairing fissures. The property loss already suffered, it is estimated, will run into several millions.

Damage Enormous.

Keokuk, Ia., June 13.—Damage estimated at $3,000,000 is the result of an unprecedented rise of eight feet in the Mississippi river in less than 12 hours. Hundreds of families were driven from their homes, and bridges were swept away, railroad tracks were washed out, trains tied up, and thousands of acres of crops were destroyed.

After reaching the 18-foot mark the Mississippi river here is now falling. The Des Moines river is also falling, after reaching the highest mark ever known here, breaking the levees in three places and flooding the town of Alexandria, Mo. Other levees on the Missouri and Illinois shores are now out of danger. The river is ten miles wide, extending from Warsaw, Ill., to the bluffs of Missouri. Hundreds of acres of growing crops are inundated.

Probable Victim of Tramps.

Waterloo, Ia., June 13.—W. J. Schrock, a prominent farmer living near Waterloo, returning home Sunday found the charred body of his wife in the ruins of the coal shed. The trunk had been wholly consumed by the fire, only the head and portions of the lower limbs remaining. A coroner's jury was unable to solve the mystery, but the theory is generally entertained that the woman was the victim of tramps, who took this means to conceal their action.

Water Main Bursts.

New York, June 13.—A break in the 48-inch high pressure water main in Park avenue, near Forty-second street, Sunday, resulted in the flooding of the block just below the Grand Central station, the street car tunnel and the subway, the stoppage of traffic in the subway for many hours, serious damage to the underground road and great danger to many passengers. The damage is estimated at $100,000.

Lived 126 Years.

Marquette, Mich., June 13.—John Crushia, born at Ottawa in 1779, is dead.

LABOR LEADERS IN SCANDAL

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE SENSATIONAL CHARGES.

Alleged Orgies of Chiefs in Which Thousands of Dollars Were Spent.

Chicago, June 13.—Members of the June grand jury, which convened Monday, were prepared by State's Attorney Healy and Assistant State's Attorney Fake to listen to a sensational expose concerning the actions of several labor leaders involved in the teamsters' strike. They are alleged to have made a well-known house in "the Red Light district" a rendezvous where orgies are alleged to have been held semi-weekly since last January. It is reported that the investigators working under the direction of Mr. Fake and Inspector Lavin have gathered evidence of blackmailing plots against business houses, evidence of efforts to curb competition and of alleged damaging admissions made by the labor leaders to their women friends.

The names of the men said to be involved are: John C. Driscoll, former secretary Team Owners' association; Cornelius P. Shea, president Teamsters' union; Hugh McGee, Truck Drivers' union; James B. Barry, Railway Express Drivers' union; Albert Young, Coal Teamsters' union; Thomas Hughes, Lime and Cement Drivers' union; Edward Mullen, Shaving and Box Drivers' union; Peter Rietz, Parcel Delivery union.

Information disclosing the locality of the alleged rendezvous, the names of the women and the men who made it their secret headquarters where wine and money "flowed like water," was given to Mr. Fake Saturday night.

It is said that several of the women will testify that thousands of dollars were spent in the resorts by Shea, Driscoll, Albert Young and Hugh McGee, who are said to have been the "hosts" on these occasions.

DRAW WAS OPEN.

Automobile Plunges Into Chicago River—Three Persons Drowned—Two Rescued.

Chicago, June 13.—Three automobilists were drowned and two missed death by the narrowest margin at the Rush street bridge Saturday night when a large touring car swerved on the brink of the open draw and then plunged into the river. The accident was a tragic sequel for a South Side wedding. After a day spent in post-nuptial merrymaking, with a luncheon at the Auditorium Annex and a dinner at the Bismarck Garden, William H. Hoops Jr. was driving four of his companions home, when he failed to see the danger signal ahead. He passed several slowly moving vehicles on the embankment, and then was made aware of his peril by cries of warning from spectators on the docks, on steamer decks and on the bridge. With death a foot ahead the driver tried to turn his machine, but too late.

Those drowned are W. A. Hartley, Jerome G. Kurtzman and his wife. Those rescued were W. H. Hoops and Mrs. Jeremiah Runyon, of New York. The two persons who were rescued owe their lives to prompt action on the part of dredge hands and sailors.

Glass Factory Burned.

Kokomo, Ind., June 13.—The Jenkins glass factory, which is the local plant of the National Flint Glass company, was destroyed by fire early Monday, with a loss of $125,000. The plant will be rebuilt at once. It was believed one or more lives had been lost, but the missing have been accounted for. No one was hurt.

Big Sum for Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., June 13.—The heirs of Mrs. Mary J. Winthrop's estate have finally come to an agreement by which Princeton theological seminary will receive $1,750,000. This more than doubles the present endowment of $1,525,387, exclusive of buildings and real estate to the amount of $528,150.

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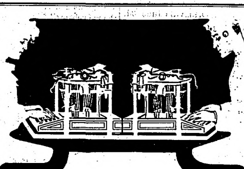

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WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Foley wants a street fair.

Bemidji has a new band of fourteen pieces.

A colt was born recently at Leslie with two heads.

Six inches of rain in ten days is North Dakota's new record.

Archbishop Ireland dedicated a new church at Ortonville June 3d.

Young girls frequent wine rooms at Beminji. The authorities will investigate.

The Northwestern Minnesota Baptist Association meets at Park Rapids this week.

The Big Fork editor who said the grand jury was a relic of barbarism is on the jury now.

Greenbush has purchased a new chemical fire engine and a suitable house is being erected.

Warroed is to experience a building boom this summer. Several buildings are to be erected.

A large number of southern tourists are registering at the many Minnesota summer resorts.

Roseau has a new co-operative creamery. It is a large one and can handle the milk from 3,000 cows.

Foston people will talk over the creamery question today. Preperations have been made for a monster meeting of farmeos.

Ada and Hendrum played a game of ball some days ago and the papers of the two towns have been indulging in a scrap ever since.

The G. A. R. Post at Bemidji takes a fall out of the school board and faculty for not displaying a flag over the building on Decoration Day.

Many of the business men who were burned out at Warroad will reconstruct their burned buildings of concrete. They want buildings that will be fire proof in future. The blow will be a severe one to many of them but the little city will rise from the ashes better and far more substantial in every way.

Just Among Ourselves

Edited by the New Boss and an Ax

Marriage of two deaf mutes should render them unspeakably happy.

A Berlin scientist has discovered a medicine to cure laziness but some people are too lazy to take the medicine.

A German scientist says yawning is heathful. This being the case, why not quit taking pills and go to church?

Some people would appreciate it if the congressmen, in addition to sending them seed, would come around and hoe the garden.

The Thief River Press still insists that the Atty. General's office has ruled that that city can lease the city hall for court house purposes. Gully gee, Mc., where did you dig up that decision last week? We have ours in black and white.

Blackduck's big posters for their Firemen's Tournament announce that there will be daily concerts by the Red Lake Falls band of twenty-five "and other sports too numerous to mention." This is the first we knew of Prof. Onstad having a band of sports.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who never to himself has said, "I'll pay before I go to bed, the debt I owe the printer!" There are some, we know full well, who never such a tale can tell; but they, we fear will go to—well, the place where there's no winter.

A woman stepped into a judge's office in a nearby county seat and said to his honor, "Are you judge of the reprobate?" "Well, I am judge of the probate, if that is what you mean, replied the judge. "Yes, I guess that is it," said the woman, "my husband died detested and left me three little infidels and I want to be appointed their executioneer."

Editor McDonald of the Thief River Press is doing a double someasault in trying to make out that he never said Thief River would help any town in the county except Red Lake Falls celebrate July 4. We haven't a copy of the Press of recent dates but we surely saw something of that character not many weeks ago. We thought it a small boy's way of doing at the time, and are glad to know he didn't mean it.

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Roosters do a lot of crowing, but the hens egg them on.

Good farming and good men are inseparable. The one can not be had without the other.

One hour a day well spent in a well regulated garden will furnish the family in truck the year round.

The desert lands of the West are waiting to be the gardens of the coming agriculturists of America. Irrigation is doing it.

Hens will use a great deal of milk every day if they can get it, and it is a most perfect food for them, too. It contains just the stuff for producing eggs, and lots of them.

When the little chap on your farm does a really good thing, tell him so. There is a day coming when there will be no "little chap" at your house. The more's the pity, too!

To destroy fleas, scatter bits of fleece-wool where they have been found. After a few hours, gather the wool and drop it into boiling water. The fleas will have hidden in it.

California botanical wizard has originated a potato that grows its crop above ground. That may be an improvement; but a device to grow the potato bug 10 feet underground would be more appreciated.

Have you been to busy to see the beauties that are all around you on the farm to-day? Don't go to bed till you have stepped out and taken one good long look at the world. It will help you to sleep better.

Farm economy demands that everything around be made to contribute, and if there are no "give backs" from a food "given out," it's a loss. A lot of cockerels kept after crowing begins are consumers, and profitles.

You can make your horse understand that you are master without yelling or whipping him. Tussles with horses never pay They leave a bad impression in the mind of the horse and you think less of yourself afterwards, too.

A boy's conception of how to make the hens fill the egg basket can hardly be improved upon. Said he: "I make my hens scratch so hard for grub that they are glad to get on the nest and lay an egg so that they may rest awhile."

It is a wonderfully good thing to do our farm work with some other thought than self in mind. We do not milk our cows, plow our fields and dig in the garden all for self—or ought not to. So we plant trees, clear up our fields and build up our farms for the men of tomorrow. And this is just as it should be.

We understand that the Department of Agriculture has recently established a division for the study of nails, wire, fencing, ect, used by farmers. Good idea! There has been much complaint lately, regarding the poor quality of such manufactured articles and it's high time that somebody took the matter in hand.

Nearly every farm hand thinks that he receives the smallest wages of any branch of labor. However the hand that is getting $25 per month with board, washing and the keeping of his horse, is better paid than the book-keeper, the clerk or the tradesman who gets $50 per month and has to pay board and laundry out of this.

Now and then farmers think they will live longer and be happier if they leave the old place and go where they will not have to work. It is a mistake, and they find it so sooner than they desire. It is not work that kills; work keeps men alive. A farmer may live without anything to eat, for a while. He can go without very fine clothes, and still be comfortable; but without work he soon finishes his course on this old earth.

The farmer's wife hasn't got a thing to do nowadays but watch the setting hens, hover about the little chicks, milk the cows, attend to the milk, churn butter, feed the pigs, look after the young calves, watch baby, carry the water, make the garden, do the cooking, baking, scrubbing, clean the house, make the beds, wash the dishes, wash and iron the clothes and a few other little things. Her days are one long, sweet song in the spring and summer time, and when the sun goes down she has a few chores to do, just enough to keep her mind occupied until about 9 o'clock when she can go to bed feeling refreshed and frisky. In the morning she is awakened early by the victorious screech of a rooster out in the garden inviting all his female friends to come in and have a nip. A pleasant sound, one that brings a smile to her lips and a twinkle in her eye—abernit.

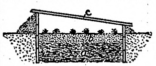
FARM AND GARDEN

HOTBED FRUIT AGAIN.

Some Good Schemes—Why Not Try One of Them This Season?

A very practical hotbed may be constructed for use in a small garden. The bed should be placed in the south or southeast side of a fence or building, where it will be protected from north winds and receive the full direct rays of the sun. Dig a trench eighteen inches deep and as wide and long as the size of the bed desired. Four by six feet is usually sufficient. Make a frame of boards that will set in the north side, leaving one foot above the surface of the ground and south side but six inches above the ground.

Cover the top with a sash, C, made with 8 by 10 glass. Fill the bed with one foot of coarse horse manure, A, which has been cured under shelter and forked over a number of times to insure its being of the same fineness throughout. Tramp down solidly on the bottom of the bed, and, putting on the sash, allow it to remain about four days until the bed heats and again cools to 90 degrees. Then put in six inches of rich soil, B. Sandy loam is best, but a clay soil, with sand added and mixed, may be used. Do not pack the soil firmly, but allow it to remain in a loose, open layer. Again cover the bed and allow it to remain a day or two until the soil is thoroughly warmed and the temperature even. Plant the seed in rows four to six inches apart. Cover lightly and water thoroughly.



SECTION OF HOTBED SHOWING SOIL.

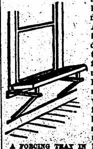
In attending a bed of this kind give it all the sun possible, and when the sun falls directly upon the sash raise one edge a few inches to allow the air to change. Avoid allowing the cold air to blow directly upon the plants.

Water heavily rather than frequently, soaking the ground at least once a week or as frequently as the surface becomes dry. Stir the surface soil frequently, and do not allow it to bake into a hard cake. Keep it loose enough for the tender plants to push through the surface.

Some plants require more heat than others, and the bed must be kept more closely covered. Lettuce, radishes and cucumbers require about 65 to 85 degrees; while tomatoes, melons, etc., should be kept at a higher temperature.

People who want just a few plants for the early home garden without the trouble of a hotbed, such as the foregoing, described by American Agriculturist, can take advantage of a hint from the same source, portrayed in the second cut. This simple arrangement is kept within doors.

Make a box of one inch boards six inches deep, two and a half feet wide and four feet long, with a tight matched bottom. At one corner bore a hole for drainage. Fill this box with four inches of mellow, rich soil. If necessary, stir some fertilizer with it before it is put into the box. Settle the soil by shaking, removing all lumps and waste matter, and cover the surface smoothly with about an inch of fine sand. Water the soil thoroughly by sprinkling the surface with a fine spray, using care not to wash out the sand.



A FORCING TRAY IN POSITION.

Place the box before a window upon a frame made of two inch pieces. Allow it to remain in the sun two or three days until the soil is thoroughly warm, then plant the seeds in rows about three inches apart and deep enough to be below the layer of sand. Tilt the box toward the sunlight. Keep the surface well moistened, but not enough to cause drainage water to run through the soil. The temperature should not be allowed to fall below that of the ordinary living room.

The Creamery For Ice Cream.

The creamery industry in Maryland is in some respects quite different from that found in the west, inasmuch as most of those in this state do not confine themselves to the making of butter, but make butter only as a means of utilizing surplus and sell most of their products as cream or ice cream. The selling of the products of creameries for cream and ice cream rather than the making of it into butter has enabled the farmer to realize better prices than would be obtained otherwise. Some creameries of the state that have made all of their products into butter have been run quite successfully, while many have been a disappointment to the farmers and could not hold their patronage because of the low prices paid for milk.—C. T. Doane.

Feeding Plantation Mules.

The ration now fed to mules at one of the large Louisiana sugar factories consists of eight pounds of corn and cob meal, two pounds of cottonseed meal, eleven pounds of molasses and fifteen pounds of pea vine hay, the cost being 14.5 cents per head. It is stated that this ration has diminished the cost of feeding the mules one-half and at the same time improved their health.

SPRING SPRAYING.

Do Not Let the San Jose and Other Scales Get Ahead of You.

By J. J. BARTON.

If San Jose scale has not yet invaded your neighborhood, trust in a kind providence and make a move, good and hard, to keep it out. If it is already there, use the same measures, but in a more superlative degree, if such a thing there can be. The San Jose scale, or louse, for it is the latter, under the scale, that does the mischief, is a sort of little Jap in the world of insect pests. Many bigger ones there are, but few more successful.

How to Know the Scale.

The scale is most easily recognized in midsummer, when it imparts a sort of purplish tinge to the bark of the tree, but it is then very firmly intrenched and difficult to fight. Take a microscope to your apple, pear, peach and plum trees now, just as soon as you can, especially if they look a bit rough or scurfy or seemed in any way unthrifty last season.

A tree when badly infested with the San Jose scale presents a somewhat grayish appearance, as if it were coated with ashes, but the ordinary observers would hardly notice this or realize its significance. By carefully scraping the bark with a knife blade little scales of various sizes may be found, beneath which are the soft, jellylike orange colored insects.

What Shall We Do With It?

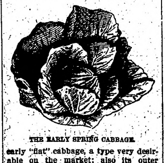
Spraying in late winter or early spring before the buds open is the accepted remedy. Various solutions are used, but the boiled lime, salt and sulphur mixture is perhaps still the cheapest and safest for the tree.

Owing to the trouble of preparing that wash, however, the Geneva (N. Y.) station devised a self boiling mixture that has met with much favor. The formula is as follows: Lime, 30 pounds; sulphur, 15 pounds; caustic soda, 6 pounds; water, 50 gallons.

The sulphur is made into a thin paste with boiling water and poured over and well distributed through the lime. Additional water is used as needed to keep the lime-sulphur material in a rather stiff paste. As soon as the lime is slaked the full amount of caustic soda is added and stirred until boiling ceases. Enough water is then poured in to make fifty gallons of the wash.

Just What the Trucker Likes.

Highly popular and in great favor with the truck grower is the Early Spring, an extremely early variety of the early flat type of cabbage. Its great attraction lies in its being a first early "flat" cabbage, a type very desirable on the market; also its outer leaves are small and round, so that it may be planted very close, facts that commend it for the market gardener.



THE EARLY SPRING CABBAGE.

It is of good quality, an early, sure and hard header. So even before maturing and while still small it is an excellent cabbage.

The Real Awfulness.

It is an awful fact that immigration into the United States is again running larger than ever, and the real awfulness lies in the large proportion of these immigrants who are of undesirable quality, says American Agriculture.

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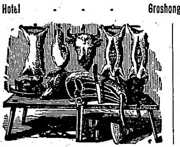

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Even the best housekeepers cannot make a good cup of coffee without good material. Dirty, adulterated and queerly blended coffee such as unscrupulous dealers shovel over their counters won't do. But take the pure, clean, natural flavored **LION COFFEE,** the leader of all package coffees—the coffee that for over a quarter of a century has been daily welcomed in millions of homes—and you will make a drink fit for a king in this way:

HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE.

Use LION COFFEE, because to get best results you must use the best coffee.

Grind your LION COFFEE rather fine. Use "a tablespoonful to each cup, and one extra for the pot." First mix it with a little cold water, enough to make a thick paste, and add white of an egg (if egg is to be used as a settler), then follow one of the following rules:

1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 DONT'S
Don't boil it too long.
Don't let it stand more than ten minutes before serving.
Don't use water that has been boiled before.

TWO WAYS TO SETTLE COFFEE.

1st. With Eggs. Use part of the white of an egg, mixing it with the ground LION COFFEE before boiling.

2d. With Cold Water instead of eggs. After boiling add a dash of cold water, and set aside for eight or ten minutes, then serve through a strainer.

Insist on getting a package of genuine LION COFFEE, prepare it according to this recipe and you will only use LION COFFEE in future. (Sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages.)
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AT BLACKDUCK THIS WEEK

Red Lake Falls Is Well Represented at at the Firemen's Tournament this Week.

Monday evening forty-five citizens of Red Lake Falls left on the Great Northern train for Blackduck to attend the annual meeting of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association. Most of the party was composed of members of the fire department and the band. The band will furnish the music for the tournament, giving concerts daily. The band boys have practiced faithfully for the occasion and will no doubt do themselves proud and their playing will advertise this city throughout Northern Minnesota. Red Lake Falls is proud of its band and all our citizens are glad the boys have a chance to show the outside world what a fine organization we have. The fire boys will enter the different events and races, and judging from the fine work they have done while at practice they will hustle their competitors in all the contests. It is fair to presume that Red Lake Falls will win their share of the races.

An effort will be made to secure the tournament for this city next year. It will be a hard fight as several towns want it, but our town has been promised the support of several towns and we enter the contest under favorable circumstances. Next year's meeting place will be decided upon today and the result will be watched with interest by our citizens.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

NEW TRAIN SERVICE.

Great Northern Trains will run Through to Greenpush.

Beginning next Monday the train service on this branch of the Great Northern will be changed. The passenger train will continue on to Greenbush daily, the arriving and leaving time from this city remaining as at present.

Instead of the present freight service, there will be a daily freight train from Crookston to Greenbush, returning the next day, thus making two trains, one making the trip north and the other south each day. This will give a splendid service to Greenbush and other points on that extension. Just what the Wylie accomodations will be we have not learned.

Character is What Counts.

In his Memorial Day speech President Roosevelt said: "You can do nothing without proper traing, but the training won't count for much if you haven't the right stuff in you. A man who has served in the navy or army, if he is worth his salt, has learned certain qualities which double and treble his value in any position in which he might be placed. No amount of good intention, no amount of sweetness in life, no amount of appreciation of decency avails in the least in the rough work of the world as we find it, unless back of honesty of purpose, back of the decency of life and thought, lies the power that makes a man a man. The surest way for a nation to invite disaster is to be opulent, aggressive and unarmed. A sound body is a first class thing, a sound mind is an even better thing; but the thing that counts for most in the individual as in the nation is character—the sum of those qualities which make a man a good man and a woman a good woman."

The Courier Stationery Store for fancy paper.

ST. JOSEPH COMMENCEMENT

Graduating Exercises of St. Joseph's School to Be Held Thursday, June 29th.

Thursday evening, June 29th, the commencement exercises of St. Joseph's school will take place at the Metropolitan opera house. A class of seventeen graduates will occupy the center of attraction on that occasion. The following compose the class:

Arthur J. Robillard, Anthony Paradis, Joseph C. Chayer, Marie W. Cadieux, Cora I. Paul, Anna M. Rosch, Victoria M. Parenteau, Delia A. Ford, Marie M. Crompe, Eva M. Bray, Mary M. Benoit, Sophia M. LaCoursiere, Anna J. Jolly, Laura Perusse, Anna M. Schmitz, Eva E. Chatel, Louise M. Philion.

The following is the program for the evening.

Orchestra.. "The Heart of Rome" March
Musical Recitation............Graduates
"Story of Some Bells"
Orchestra.... "A Sure Thing" Overture
Chorus..............................Class
"Maybells and Flowers" Mendlessohn
Recitation...............Mildred Anderson
"The Girl of the Country"
Club Drill........................Graduates
Orchestra............"Minnehaha" March
Pantemime... "Matyrdom of St. Agnes"
St. Agnes, Agnes Cromp; Roman Knight
Sophia LaCoursiere; Reader, Delia Ford
Tableaux
Song.............................Small Girls
"Beautiful Violets"
Orchestra..................."Echoes from
..........Metropolitan Opera House"
Valedictory (French)..Anthony Paradis
Chorus..............................Class
"Adieu" (French) Mendlessohn
Address and Presentation of Diplomas
Very Rev. E. Fayoile
Orchestra..........."King Carl" March
Piano Accompanist.........Eva Paradis

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

DEPOSITORIES NAMED.

REd Lake County Gets a High Rate of Interest.

The County Board of Audit, consisting of the County Auditor, the Clerk of the District Court and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners held a meeting Tuerday and Wednesday at the office of the County Auditor, when depositories for the funds of the County for two years beginning July 1, 1905, were designated.

Proposals were received from nine banks in the County and the rate of interest offered ranged from three to four per cent, most of the banks offering three per cent per cent per annum on deposits subject to check and four per cent on deposits left for any certain length of time.

Depositories were designated by the Board for an amount not to exceed $112,500.00 and the county funds will be protected by bonds given by the depositories aggregating $235,000.

The county is to be congratulated on securing such a high rate of interest on its deposits, as most of counties in the state are receiving but two per cent per annum on their funds. During the fiscal year of 1904 Red Lake County received $1,296.92.

Warren Gets Tournament.

Report comes from Blackduck that Warren gets tournament 1906. Milt Converse elected vice-president; this gives Red Lake Falls a good show for 1907.

Bemidji wins 1st and 2nd in Coupling contest, 1st and 2nd in Ladder climbing contest.

Red Lake Falls beats Black Duck ball team 9 to 2.

Charley Brady wins 100 yard dash. Hallock man second.

Politician as Patriot.

Alexandria Citizen: The Fairmont News is willing to support any gubernatorial candidate the republican party may name. The St. Cloud Journal-Press is willing to support the party nominee provided he is the right kind of a man. Both are republican newspapers, but they represent an entirely different brand of republicanism. The News regards the interest of the party as paramount to the interests of the people. The Journal-Press holds that the interests of the nation, state, county or municipality should be considered first by every loyal patriotic citizen, and that his party should receive his support only so long as it stands for principles and men that are worthy of support. The Journal-Press is right. True citizenship demands an honest, fearless expression of opinion by every voter, and men who have the real interests of their country at heart will refuse to vote for any party, or party candidates that are not representive of the highest and best in all that makes for the country's real welfare.

Humorous Errors.

A correspondent of the New York "Journal" has collected the following specimens of false syntax:

An Iowa editor thus acknowledges a present of grapes. "We have received a basket of grapes from friend W., for which he will accept our compliments, some of which are nearly two inches in circumference.

A correspondent, in writing of a recent celebration in the city of Cleveland says: "The procession was very fine and nearly two miles long, as was also the report of Dr. Perry."

A Western paper says: "A child was run over by a wagon three years old, and cross-eyed, with pantalets on, which never spoke afterwards."

Over a bridge at Athens, Ga., was the following: "Any person driving over this bridge in a faster pace than a walk, shall if a white person be fined five dollars, and if a negro, receive 25 lashes, half the penalty to be bestowed on the informer."

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SUMMER TRAINING SCHOOL

County Supt. McAnulty Gives Information About the Summer Training School.

The Red Lake County Summer School will begin July 5th in the high school building in Red Lake Falls and will continue in session four (4) weeks of six (6) days each, making a total of twenty-four (24) days of school, with the following corps of instructors: Prof. C. S. Yeager of Foston as conductor, with Adolph Olson of Brandon, Mrs. W. A. McIntyre of Red Lake Falls, and Endell Everdell of Moorhead as assistants.

Mr. Yeager and Mrs. McIntyre are too well known to the teachers of Red Lake county to need any introduction. Mr. Olson is a specialist in the branches he will teach, having taken a special course in those studies at the Chicago University. Mrs. Everdell comes direct from the Moorhead Normal and will teach the same subjects at the summer school which she taught at the normal school.

All branches required by law for first and second grade state certificates will be taught.

During the session evening lectures will be delivered by State Supt. J. W. Olson, Pres. Frank A. Wild and other prominent educators of the state.

A report of the school will be published in the county papers at the close of the session, which will contain the names of all teachers who receive certificates of perfect attendance, also the number of days each teacher attends, as well as the names of teachers who do not attend.

State teachers examinations will be held Aug. 3, 4 and 5.

You are requested to bring any text books you may have treating on any of the subjects required for second or first grade certificates.

All parties desiring my aid in securing board or rooms should write me as soon as possible or call at my office in the court house on arriving in the city.

The summor school affords a splendid opportunity for teachers to improve both in scholarships and methods of teaching and all teachers as well as those who expect to teach the coming year are expected to attend.

H. T. McAnulty, Co. Supt.

Dated Red Lake Falls, June 22, 1905.

Confronts the Grave.

Neglecting a cough means confronting the grave. Use Gloaia Lung Balsam before it is too late. It is the one remedy which brings quick relief. It is made of honey and tar and other healing balm, and is the best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

New line of correct spring stationery just received at The Courier stationery store.

MINNESOTA'S BANKS

Examiner Krest's Report Shows Large Increase in Assets.

Public Examiner P. M. Kerst has issued his report showing that the assets of Minnesota's state banks have increased $4,500,000 in the last six months. The report will show the condition of the banks on May 30 as compared with Nov. 9.

The enormous increase in assets, it is said, is due largely to two factors, the conversion of several private banks into state banks, and the prosperous times in Minnesota the last six months. About thirty state banks have been incorporated since Nov. 9. and as the capital stock will average about $15,000 the total increase on this item is about $450,000.

The total resources of the state banks are approximately $62,500,000, as compared with $62,118,318.82 on Nov. 9, 1904, and the number of institutions increased from 348 to about 380. The loans and disdounts, which aggregated $44,303.047.33 on Nov. 10, show a substantial increase.

During this period only one state bank, the Northern Pacific at Brainerd, closed and indications are that the bank will reopen soon. A dozen or more private banks have been converted into state banks.

The rapidity with which the resources of the banks have increased in the last two years is shown by the following: July 9, 1903, there were 266 banks with $54,304,878.89 resources; July 16, 1904, there were 325 banks with $56,428,584.79 resources; Nov. 10, 1903, there were 348 banks with $62,118,318.82 resources; and May 30, 1905 there were 380 banks, the resources of which are $56,500,000.

"No feature of Minnesota's financial affairs is more encouraging than the stability and the growing prosperity of the state banks" said a state official. "The condition of these banks, which carry millions of dollars of deposits of farmers and wage earners reflects the prosperity of the state and of the nation.

"This condition is due not entirely to the era of prosperity; it is due largely to the conservatism with which Minnesota's banks are managed. There are very few plungers among Minnesota bankers. The bank presidents are almost invariably men of ripe experience, men who are willing to forego profits from tempting but insecure investments and to wait until the funds can be invested safely."

Only One People's Friend.

Long Prairie Argus: The St. Cloud Journal Press recently mentioned a number of men either of whom in its judgement would make a good candidate for the head of the state ticket in 1906. In our judgment only one or two or possibly only one can be considered as a friend of the people in their struggle against the unjust encroachments of corporations. The others have been playing with the gang that controlled the late state senate and those who have kept tract of events the past few years know just what that means.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Col. Colvill Dies.

Col. William Colvill of Red Wing, a veteran of the Civil war, and a man whose proud record as a soldier has made him honored throughout the Northwest, died suddenly at the Soldiers' home of heart failure.

Col. Colvill was conspicuous in the preliminary arrangements for the reunion of the old First Minnesota, which took place the 13th, and as his was one of the brightest names in that noble band, he was being extended every courtesy by his old companions in arms.

With a number of them, Col. Colvill spent the evening talking over the preparations for the reunion, particularly the removal of the flags from the old capitol to the new, which made an elaborate feature of the Firsts' reunion.

He retired at 10 o'clock, apparently in the best of health. Early next morning he was found dead in his bed.

Col. Colvill was 75 years old, and had been in first-rate health. His death cast a gloom over the festivities in connection with the reunion, as Col. Colvill has always been a moving spirit on such occasions. He was alone in the world, so far as family ties are concerned, and only his old friends, who are numbered by the thousand throughout Minnesota, will mourn his loss.

State Fair.

St. Paul.—From all parts of the state are coming expressions of interest in the county exhibits at the state fair, and local associations everywhere are making preparations to enter the competitition. Through the liberality of the state fair management, $5,000 will be divided among counties making the best exhibits. This does not include some $1,500 divided among 150 odd classes of individual exhibits of grains and grasses; $125 offered for farmers' collections, and $325 offered for exhibits by market gardners' associations. None of these exhibits comes into competition with the county exhibits first referred to.

The subway on the state fair grounds has been so far completed that the mile track was again put in use after having been out of surface for nearly two months. This new subway is a fine piece of reinforced concrete work and will be a great addition to the comfort and convenience and safety of visitors to the state fair grounds. When completed it will pass under both race tracks, giving access to the field inside for carriages and automobiles so that the danger of crossing the race tracks at grade will be entirely eliminated.

Dairy Meetings.

Several dairy meetings will be held this month and the department will have four men busy attending the meetings and making speeches. At many of the small towns the meetings are arranged jointly by the farmers and merchants. The merchants give special bargains to attract visitors, and a meeting is held at which some speaker from the department or from the state farm school gives an address. The celebration usually closes with a ball game or with a social in the evening.

Drowned.

Winona.—The flood at this place has claimed its first victim when the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barankiewicz, was drowned in the yard at the residence.

The northwestern part of the city was partially submerged, many of the houses being surrounded by water.

Mrs. Barankiewicz went out into the yard, which was partly flooded, and, unknown to her, the little boy followed. He fell into a hole filled with water and before he was discovered was beyond resuscitation.

No Race Suicide.

St. Paul.—There were 153 deaths, 332 births and 151 marriages in this city in May. Seventy cases of contagious disease were reported to the health department as follows: Diptheria; 44, with 6 deaths,; scarlet fever, 21, with four deaths. Some of the causes of death were as follows: Tuberculosis of lungs, 30, old age, 12; pneumonia, 7; diptheria, 6; spinal meningitis, 5; appendicitis, 6; apoplexy, seven.

News Notes.

St. Paul—Walter Shaw, five years old was drowned in the river.

St. Cloud—Legislators are fined for violating laws they helped frame.

Mankato—Voting machines must be suitable for use also at primary elections.

New Market—Shakopee and local men have bought the Bank of New Market (private) from George F. Porter of Minneapolis and are to convert it into a state bank with a capital of $10,000.

St Paul—W. Jarvis, a resident of Bald Eagle, was held up at Missisipi and Nash streets, in broad day light.

St. Paul.—St. Bernard's parish let the contract for a church at Rice and Albemarle streets, to cost about $100,000 when completed.

Hastings—The body of the man, found on the road near Highwood, last Monday was identified as that of Herman Ibson, a farm laborer at Woodbury.

Tyler—The annual convention of the Danish Evangelical Lutheran Church of America closed with 400 delegates present, representing nearly every state in the Union.

St. Paul—George Mahan, the negro who shot his wife shot and killed his wife last April, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree and was sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Lewis.

CURES STOMACH TROUBLES

THE body gets its life from food properly digested. Healthy digestion means pure blood for the body, but stomach troubles arise from carelessness in eating and stomach disorders upset the entire system. Improperly masticated food sours on the stomach, causing distressing pains, belching and nausea. When over-eating is persisted in the stomach becomes weakened and worn out and dyspepsia claims the victim.

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GRAFT SECRETS BARED.

Startling Stories Told by John C. Driscoll of Money Paid to End Strike.

Chicago, June 14.—John C. Driscoll admitted on Tuesday that when he was labor dictator in Chicago he acted as go-between for various employers and paid $50,000 to labor officials to avert or settle 400 strikes. Driscoll said he was willing to go before the grand jury with check books to show to whom the graft went. He said he received $8,500 from the democratic leaders in 1903 for inducing labor leaders to urge Clarence S. Darrow to withdraw from candidacy for the mayoralty nomination. Driscoll, it was said, paid $900 to Pat McMahon for the latter's efforts in bringing about union delivery of coal to the Chicago City railway power houses. McMahon slapped Driscoll and Shea in the face with the roll of bills and refused to divide with Shea. Shea denied Driscoll's statements, asking why he should accept part of $900 when he might have had $10,000.

Chicago, June 17.—The grand jury Friday heard a remarkable story connecting John C. Driscoll with the withdrawal of Clarence S. Darrow from the mayoralty race in 1902. According to this tale, hints of which were furnished the jurors, $10,000 was given Mr. Driscoll to be used among the labor leaders in inducing Mr. Darrow to withdraw. Driscoll himself has related how certain of the labor chiefs were paid $50 each to sign a telegram to Mr. Darrow, then in Philadelphia, asking him to give up his ambition to be mayor of Chicago. "We want you for judge," the telegram explained. Afterward, it is charged, Driscoll boasted that he had received the $10,000, but that it had required only $1,500 to do the business with cheap labor leaders.

Chicago, June 19.—Admission is made by State's Attorney Healy that the grand jurors have found important evidence confirming the report that the present strike is the result of a conspiracy against the firm of Montgomery Ward & Co. by other employers and by labor leaders, involving the payment of $30,000 in installments of $10,000 and $20,000. This story was denied by President Sears, of the firm of Sears, Roebuck & Co. Recently Albert H. Loeb, secretary of the company, added his denial.

HIGH OFFICIALS RESIGN.

Grand Duke Alexis and Admiral Avellan, of Russian Navy, Quit Office.

St. Petersburg, June 16.—The sensational announcement was made shortly before midnight that Grand Duke Alexis, the high admiral, who is an uncle of the emperor, and Admiral Avellan, head of the Russian admiralty department, had resigned. This announcement was followed a few minutes later by an imperial rescript, relieving the grand duke of the supreme direction of the navy, which he had held since the days of the emperor's father, Alexander III, when Russia resolved to enter the lists as a first-class sea power, and to build up a great navy, the remnants of which were destroyed in the battle of the Sea of Japan.

Although from time to time since the war began there have been rumors that the grand duke would retire, on account of the savage criticism, not to use harsher terms, directed against the administration of the navy, especially in the construction of ships, the announcement of his resignation came as a surprise.

KILLS CHILDREN AND SELF

Mother Ends Lives of Four Little Ones and Commits Suicide with Knife.

Dubuque, Ia., June 17.—Mrs. Paul Klass has killed her four small children and then committed suicide at her home near Kieler, Wis., eight miles east of Dubuque. The woman used a large butcher knife, cutting each of the children's throats. The eldest child was six and the youngest a baby. The woman had been in ill health.

MOTHER'S AWFUL DEED.

Slays Her Five Children and Commits Suicide While Insane Near Tucumcari, N. Mex.

Tucumcari, N. Mex., June 15.—Mrs. George Campbell, wife of a ranchman living four miles west of here, went suddenly insane Wednesday, and with a rifle chased her husband from home. Then before he could return with help, she killed her five children and ended her own life by shooting.

Canal Zone Supreme Court.

Washington, June 19.—Gov. Magoon of the Panama canal zone has informed the war department that he has completed the organization of the supreme court of the district of the canal zone, and has appointed Dr. Facundo Mutis Durna, a Panama citizen, chief justice, and Lorin C. Collins, of Chicago, an associate judge. These two, with the present justice, H. A. Gudger, formerly consul general at Panama, constitute the supreme court.

Saloon Law Passed.

Madison, Wis., June 16.—By a vote of 55 to 24 the Wisconsin assembly concurred in the Stout bill, prohibiting the granting of liquor licenses to saloons within 200 feet of schoolhouses. After 1908 old saloons inside that limit must close up.

Two Drowned in Quarry.

Manitowoc, Wis., June 15.—Miss Georgia Knapp, aged 16 years, and John Lat, 25 years, were drowned at a quarry 12 miles from here. The drowning was the result of an accident to a boating party. Three others escaped.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G.; William Schwalen, V. G.; F. A. Grady, R. S.; James E. Ford, F. S.

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WASHINGTON TO BE SCENE OF CONFERENCE BETWEEN RUSSIAN AND JAP ENVOYS.

Both Governments Have Agreed to This Arrangement—Date of Conference and Selection of Plenipotentiaries Not Yet Announced.

Washington, June 16.—America's national capital has been selected as the seat of negotiations between the plenipotentiaries of Russia and Japan for a treaty of peace. The choice of Washington as the location of the peace conference marks another forward step in the negotiations toward ultimate peace in the far east, instituted by President Roosevelt.

Officially Announced.

Official announcement of the selection of Washington was made by Secretary Loeb at the white house at 1:23 p. m. Thursday. It was in typewritten form, and read as follows:

"When the two governments were unable to agree upon either Chefoo or Paris, the president suggested The Hague, but both governments have now requested that Washington be chosen as the place of meeting, and the president has accordingly formally notified both governments that Washington will be so selected."

This statement was supplemented shortly afterward by a semi-official announcement that "after meeting and organizing the plenipotentiaries of the two governments, if it should be found to be uncomfortably hot in Washington, may adjourn the meeting to some summer resort in the north and there continue their sittings until such time as the weather in Washington shall be more comfortable."

At a conference with Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister, had with President Roosevelt, he conveyed to the president the Japanese govrnment's final refusal to consent to the holding of the conference in Europe. The refusal of Japan to agree to the holding of the conference in Europe was communicated by President Roosevelt to the Russian ambassador, and likewise cabled to St. Petersburg. While the president did not act in the capacity of arbiter between Russia and Japan, he was in position, after the conference with Minister Takahira and his communication to Ambassador Cassini, to formally announce the selection of Washington as the seat of the conference.

Time of Conference.

The proposed conference is scarcely likely to be convened before the middle of August, and perhaps not until a later date. It may be July 1, possibly a little later, before the arrangements for the meeting of the plenipotentiaries finally are completed. Both Russia and Japan are moving with the utmost deliberation, for the game of diplomacy now being played is of even greater importance to each government than are the movements of the armies on the battlefield. After the completion of the preliminary arrangements, the plenipotentiaries must proceed to Washington, and it will require at least a month for the negotiators of the two governments, with their respective staffs, to come together, the distance from Japan, particularly, being so great that a shorter time scarcely could be allowed. In view, therefore, of all the conditions and incuding in the equation the factor of unforseen delays over matters of minor consequence, it seems quite unlikely that the conference will assemble formally before the middle of September.

Hitch Is Averted.

St. Petersburg, June 19.—Russia has finally and definitely accepted Washington as the meeting place of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries, the foreign office having waived its request for reconsideration at the personal direction of the emperor, whose desire to give the fullest and fairest opportunity to President Roosevelt's proposal for a peace conference is hereby manifested. After a conference with Ambassador Meyer, Count Lamsdorff, the foreign minister, went to Peterhof, and laid the matter before the emperor, who, on learning that insistence on The Hague might endanger the negotiations, directed Count Lamsdorff to inform Ambassador Meyer that Russia would accept Washington. The result is looked upon as a decided triumph for American diplomacy. In certain quarters here envy and jealousy of the United States are ill concealed. The entire collapse of the negotiations was predicted Saturday, and there was almost open exultation at what was declared to be a "rebuff to Roosevelt." Even in peace circles gloomy faces were drawn at the report that Russia would insist upon The Hague, but thanks to the personal attitude of the emperor and to the well put representations of Ambassador Meyer, the threatened diplomatic mountain has decreased to a mole hill over which negotiations can now proceed rapidly.

Big Plant Destroyed.

Rhinelander, Wis., June 19.—During a fierce electrical storm which enveloped this section of the country Saturday, lightning struck the Wisconsin Veneer company's factory and set it on fire. The entire plant was destroyed, causing a loss estimated at $250,000. The plant was insured for $32,000.

Assets Are Light.

Kansas City, Mo., June 19.—Charles M. Sheldon, a broker, formerly prominent in Kansas politics, was adjudged a bankrupt [illegible] $213,5[illegible]

TORNADO DOES MUCH DAMAGE.

KILLS A WISCONSIN FARM LABORER AND CAUSES CONSIDERABLE LOSS.

Scores of Cattle Killed by a Wind Storm. In a Tract Eight Miles or More the Destruction is Complete.

Blue Mounds, Wis., June 20.—A young German farm hand, name unknown, was killed on the farm of Charles Collins, while milking, over $150,000 damage was done to crops and farm buildings, and scores of head of stock were destroyed by a tornado that passed through Dane and Iowa counties and over the townships of Barneveld and Blue Mounds last evening. Telephone and telegraph wires are down, and the full extent of the damage can only be estimated. The storm broke with wild fury, following an extremely sultry day, and through a tract eight miles long and one to two miles wide, the destruction of property was complete. Losses, as far as reported here, are as follows:

John Malone—Barns destroyed, two cows killed, crops destroyed; loss, $1,500.

Morris Minix—Buildings destroyed, young stock killed; loss, $1,800.

John F. Himelstein—Buildings all gone except house; loss $2,200.

John Himelstein—Barns wrecked and cattle killed; loss $3,000.

William Himelstein—Barn torn to pieces and three cattle killed.

Melville, Frye and John Pryor—Barns destroyed, cattle, wagons, carriages and machinery scattered over the prairie for a half mile; loss $1,500.

Charles Collins—Barns totally wrecked, eight cows and a horse killed; loss $2,500.

Arthur Wilson—Barns and sheds wrecked; loss $1,200.

The hail at Blue Mounds village broke all glass on the west and northwest sides.

Prairie du Chien, Wis. June 20.—Rain, hail and wind Sunday night did thousands of dollars worth of damage in the vicinity of this city.

It lasted but 15 minutes but was terrific.

Ten miles east of the city the hail literally ruined the crops in a strip half a mile wide and fully eleven miles long.

Strike Breaking.

Chicago, June 20.—A pronounced break in the ranks of the strikers occurred yesterday. For the first time since the strike began many weeks ago there were numerous instances where striking teamsters applied individually for former positions without for the strike to be formally declared off. This was especially true at the lumber yards.

George K. Wenig of the Wenig Teaming company said:

"Many of my old teamsters have asked for their positions. Not one of them said anything about deliveries to the boycotted firms. I have done nothing yet in the matter and shall not do anything until I consult with other employers.

Suicides in Jail.

Grand Forks, N. D., June 20.—Bertal Aase, aged thirty, killed himself in the county jail in a novel manner.

He twisted the chain in a toilet room around his neck, leaned forward and strangled to death. When found by Sheriff Turner he was standing almost upright, and the chain gave away at the first touch.

Aase showed signs of insanity a year ago and was sent to his former home in Norway. Recovering, he came back and had been in the hospital a week. He became violent and was taken to the county jail and was placed in a cell room in the sheriff's residence, used during the construction of the jail.

Pardon For Murderer.

Pierre, S. D., June 20.—The state board of pardons recommeded pardons for Lambert Jones, who was sentenced for life from Charles Mix county for murder, and for Herbert D. Caddy who was sentenced for twenty years from Lawrence county on a charge of robbery.

In the cases of E. E. Mayhew, sentenced from Miner county on a charge of shooting with intent to kill; Michael Andre, sentenced from Codington county on a murder charge, and John Jungworth, Jr., sentenced from Hutchinson county, were laid over for further consideration.

Fight on Extension.

Atlanta, Ga., June 20.—Twelve negroes are dead and several others are wounded as a result of a pitched battle on a moving excursion train that left Atlanta Sunday night for Columbus, Ga. The battle was the result of a crap game started when the crowd went up to Atlanta in the morning and renewed on the train going back.

Killed by an Engine.

St. Paul, June 17.—Louis Cutter, aged 50 years, an employe in the mail department at the St. Paul Union depot, was killed when he jumped from the run board of a switch engine in front of an Omaha passenger train. After quitting work he boarded the switch engine to ride to his home. When he [illegible] Bradley he jumped from the engine on which he was riding [illegible]

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Invaded the Diamond.

Hutchinson.—Wrapped in an American flag and bearing a copy of the Minnesota statutes, Mrs. M. Lillie Slaight Sunday took up the crusade against Sunday baseball in Hutchinson and invaded the diamond in an attempt to prevent the game. The crusade was begun by the Hutchinson clergymen, but was dropped when the city authorities declined to act on their petition to suppress Sunday games. A game between Hutchinson and Cokato teams was announced.

When the crowd assembled for the game, placards were found declaring that "to molest the flag while it is floating in defense of law is high treason." When George P. Jones—"Jones of Rock"—as umpire, called "Play ball," Mrs. Slaight, flag-enwrapped, took a position between pitcher and catcher. Chadderdon, the pitcher, tried curving the ball around her. Then two batteries were put on the field, and Mrs. Slaight dodged about, endeavoring to prevent play. She succeeded in blocking fast play, and the crowd took up solution of the problem, gathering closely around her and moving off the field, Mrs. Slaight protesting vehemently. The ruse succeeded and the game was played.

State Fair.

Hamline.—In recognition of the great increase in attention to vegetables and grains the managers of the fair have this year added largely to the premiums offered in the agricultural division. Not only have the detailed premiums for single varieties been overhauled and brought up to date, but some fifteen "lots" have been added.

For instance, $70 is offered for the best collection of potatoes: $100 for the best collection of corn; and $60 for the best collection of small grains. These are all new offers. Last year's $100 offer for the best general collection of vegetables (with $25 extra to the three exhibitors standing fist, second and third); the $2,000 for county exhibits; the $125 for farm exhibits; the $325 for market gardeners association exhibits, all these stand as before. The mushroom premium has been increased from $50 to $75.

Lewis & Clark Exposition.

It is a noteworthy fact that the Lewis and Clark exposition is the first world's fair to be held west of the Rocky mountains which has secured the aid of the government.

And it is also surprising what an interest is manifested in the exposition by the people of the east. They see in the exposition an opportunity to visit the Western country at a greatly reduced expenditure of money, and not only the exposition itself, but view the wonders of the Western scenery, and witness the great resources of the Northwest and the opportunities afforded. The Great Northern railway passenger department has been flooded with inquiries as to the exposition, and it augurs well for a big travel through the Northwest this year.

Smallpox.

St. Paul.—State board of health reports for the week ending May 8, indicate that smallpox is increasing. For that week 103 new cases were reported. In the previous week, but 56 cases were reported. Lake Crystal reports twenty-five new cases. New cases reported from other towns throughout the state are a follows: Butternut Valley, three; Camden, one; Shafer, eight; Minneapolis, five; Minneota, one; Big Woods, five; Manger, two; Truman, nine; Collinwood, three; Elizabeth, one; St. Paul, three; Eveleth, two; St. Augusta, one; St. Cloud, two; St. Wendall, six; Sarah, seven; Owatonna, one; Stockholm, nine; Victor, seven.

Postoffice Robbed.

Stillwater.—The postoffice safe at St. Paul Park was blown open with dynamite at an early hour in the morning. The cracksmen secured $91.50. Two suspicious men were seen about the village two days before the robbery.

The postmaster is J. W. Trickey, who has conducted a general store for over fifteen years. The postoffice was adjacent to his store, with no interior communication. Mrs. William O'Brien is assistant to the postmaster and lives across the street from the postoffice. She heard a noise at 3 o'clock, but not knowing what caused it, did not give an alarm.

Revenue Fund.

The general revenue fund of the state shows a deficit of $19,000. This deficit seems bound to increase for months to come. The last legislature appropriated $645,000 to be available before July 31, but failed to make any provision for creating the sum. The monthly drafts on the general revenue fund are about $400,000, and all it can stand. The indications are that before many months the state will have to borrow considerable money.

Accepts Invitation.

Moorhead.—Superintendent R. E. Denfeld of Duluth has accepted the invitation extended to him to deliver the address before the graduating class of the Moorhead high school at the exercises on Friday, May 26.

News Notes.

Eagle Bend.—The First State bank will open for business June 1.

Minneapolis.—Julius Olson, 20 years old, lost both legs in a railroad accident here.

Duluth.—Rose Ettinger, formerly of Chicago, was convicted in the district court of grand larceny.

Owatonna.—An epidemic of [illegible]

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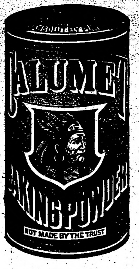

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THIEF RIVER might offer its beautiful city hall to the Russo-Japanese peace commission.

SOME bright writer has said that matches are made in heaven because they have no use for them in the other place. The fires never go out.

IN the light of a recent public utterance we are constrained to ask Senator Stephens if a governor, like a state senator, could best serve his constituents by booming the railroads.

FIFTY-TWO years ago the first white man came to Freeborn county, and forty-nine years ago the Albert Lea Standard was first issued, and it is still there. In this instance it can be said that the nepspaper is the advance guard of civilization.

JASON WEATHERHEAD, editor of the Ada Herald, has been named as a member of the state board of equalization for the Fourteenth judicial district. Mr. Weatherhead has the reputation of being a bright business man and will prove a valuable member of the board.

IF YOU are rich and want to do anything for humanity the time to do it is while you are living, suggests the Fergus Falls Journal. A St. Paul millionaire left a fortune to charity, but there has been so much litigation over it that $85,000 have gone to lawyers.

THE bugaboo of municipal ownership of street railways gives the Minneapolis Tribune and St. Paul Disaatch a cold chill every day or two. Isn't it strange how the impression gains currency that these papers are controlled by Thomas Lowry.

THE banker in politics has an unfair advantage. He can sign his name to a check and secure fulsome praise and double-column portraits in the daily newspapers. True, they don't all use this conveinent method of attaining political notoriety, but Senator Stephens has adopted this short cut to fame.

THE Brown's Valley Tribune thinks that when Ray Jones is nominated for governor tender memories could be revived by referring to him as the "rail-splitter" candidate. This appellation was used with good effect in the Lincoln campaign of 1860, and Ray knows as much obout saw logs as did the immortal Abe.

THOS. J. MEIGHEN, one of the honest and fearless public men of the state, has been aopointed a member of the state board of equilization, a position he filled with distinction under the Lind administration. Mr. Meighen was not a supporter of Governor Johnson in the last campaign a fact which has escaped the attention of Charlie Miller and other partisan critics.

GOV. JOHNSON dosen't take any stock in the charge of graft in connection with the erection of our handsome capitol building at St. Paul. He says: "All bills for the work on the Minnesota capitol have been audited and approved by the governors who have preceded me. I believe the Minnesota capitol has been honestly built and there is value received for every dollar expended."

THERE is every reason to believe that Charles J. Bonaparte will creditably acquit himself as chief of the navy department, says the St. Cloud Times. He is an honest man and an able one and these qualities compensate very largely for lack of official experience. Indeed, the very fact that Mr. Bonaparte never held public office is likely to contribute to his success, since he will assume his duties untrampled by any of the obligations or prejudices which are likely ao result from such experience.

HOW THE JAPS WON

In an extended and interesting account of the recent great naval battle in the far east, the Scientific American accounts for the surprising results as follows.

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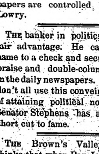

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NOT HARD TO FATHOM.

When John Lind was defeated for Governor by David M. Clough he received 20,000 more votes than did John A. Johnson at the last election and when elected over Mr. Eustis received 30,000 less votes than he did when defeated, and 10,000 less than was received by Bob Dunn last fall.—Heron Lake News.

It is a little difficult to understand just what political lesson we are supposed to learn from Bro. Eastwood's deductions, but the reason why the Lind and Clough vote exceeded the Johnsou and Dunn vote is not hard to find. In 1896, first papers were recognized as entitling person's to vote, and when the law was changed by the legislature of 1897 requiring full naturaiization the vote of Minnesota was decreased fully 20 per cent., and does not yet equal the nigh water mark of 1896. In 1896 the total vote for governor was 337,229, while in 1904 it was 304,802. The extremely small vote on governor in 1898, when Lind was elected over Eustis, is accounted for by reason of the new naturalization law going into effect that year and also because it was an "off" year. There is no deep and dark mystery about the News statement after all.

AN UNJUST INSINUATION.

SOME of the more partisan Republican papers have charged that Governor Johnson's note against the retention of George Ralph as drainage engineer was the result of a political grudge. This is an absolutely unfair and dishonest statement of the case. Allegations of Malfeasance were made against Mr. Ralph by the public examiner, and the governor protested against his retention on the grounds of common honesty and decency. It is an open secret that Mr. Ralph has robbed the state and the various counties that have enlarged him as drainage engineer. Red Lake county is several thousand dollars loser as the result of padded and duplicated bills allowed him. Auditor Iverson and Secretary Hanson insist that these charges have been "satisfactorily" explained, but in view of the direct charges made by the public examiner their statement must be taken with due allowance for the influence of the Polk county in the Red River valley. Ralph's friends may well be satisfied with his retention in view of the general disapproval of his business methods. Governor Johnson was not "playing politics." This part of the game was left to the Republican members of the drainage commission.

A DELUSIVE CLAIM.

The old machine of the Republican party has not profited by the political lessons of the past, and just now the people are being regaled with assurances that the Republican candidate for governor will be elected, no matter who he is or what he represents, because, forsooth, there is such an overwhelming Republican majority! It is nice to be lulled to security by this pleasing picture, but where they get the figures for this magnificent confidence is beyond the ken of the average mathematician. Since 1883 only two Republican governors have been elected by a majority vote—Merriam in 1888 by a majority of 7,000 and Van Sant in 1902 by 40,000. In the latter year the railroad question alone was responsible for 20,000 anti-Republican votes for Van Sant. McGill was a minority governor, so was Merriam in 1890, so was Knute Nelson twice, so was Clough, so was Van Sant in 1900. As if this were not enough Eustis and Dunn failed to get a look-in.

The Republicans are welcome to their comblacent attitude. Of course they cannot justify the argument by the cold logic of election returns, but what's the difference to a pipe dreamer?

If Minnesota is hopelessly Republican on the governorship, then the Republicans are forced to the admission that they have always nominated weak men. Granting this, are they going to gain wisdom in a single year?

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Alexandria Post-News: How few names do our lists of high school and college graduates contain of those who expect to return to the old farm and help father and mother. With very, very few exceptions they turn to the professions, or pursue higher courses of study with that in view, and how few of them are heard from in years to come. The prizes of life are not many, and those who succeed have paid the price in years of sacrifice, and toil.

Warren Register: If Norway is destined to henceforth go it alone, we trust it will pass up all the European princelings who may desire to be enthroned as king, "Dei gratia," and become like the United States, a republic wherin every qualified citizen shall be king of his own right.

Adrian Democrat: A great many large and favored shippers have traveled to Washington on railroad passes to assure the senate committee that there is no real demand for government regulations of freight rates. The men who really want rate regulation cannot afford to pay fare to Washington.

Fergus Falls Weekly: The action of the merchants in coming to an "early closing" agreement should be the subject of general congratulations. Livelier and happier salesmen, brisker business during the day, and proprietors again making the acquaintance of their famllies, will be the result. It was so easy, too, once the reluctant ones had consented.

Duluth News-Tribune: A good intention harbored in the mind makes all the world seem better while it holds possession. One's viewpoint of life is all from thought —and one may pretty well direct one's thoughts.

Fairbault Pilot; The president can tell certain that a large majority of the voters of all parties in this country are with him in these battles against wealthy corporations to secure the rights of the masses.

BADGER.

Miss Zelia Quesnell who has been visiting with Mrs. Willie St. Yoes for the last two weeks, returned home Friday.

The Messrs. Walter Quesnell and Homer Laurent, of Brooks, were visitors here Sunday.

Miss Rosanna LaBissonaire, of Red Lake Falls, is visiting friends and relatives here this week. No doubt she will have a good time.

Mrs. Joseph Ducharme has beeu quite sick for the past several days but is now improving a little.

Mrs. LaChance and son Albert, drove to the Falls Monday.

Joseph Ducharme, of Perrault, passed through the Badger limits Monday to take the census.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Adelard Laurent Monday evening in honor ot Mrs. Louis Paranteau, of Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Qussnell spent Sunday evening at J. Ducharme's.

Adelard Laurent arrived from Thief River Saturday evening to attend the wedding of his nephew, Adelard Champeau Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Montruil left last week to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Dubuque of Crookston.

Mrs. Dora Laurent visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trudeau, of Gentilly, last week.

Louis and Joseph Quesnell visited at the home of Moses Ducharme last week.

Pretty June Wedding.

Sunday afternoon in St. Anthony's church at Terrebonne occurred the marriage of Adelard Champeau and and Nora Clement.

The bride was attended by Clara Guerin, while the groom was attended by Napoleon Clement.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Tapin, and Mrs. Telesphore played the wedding march.

After the ceremony at the groom's parent's home and in the evening a large number of friends and relatives sat down to a six o'clock wedding supper which was served in an unexpressable manner. The amusements of the evening were singing, dancing and music.

The bride has always lived in the neighborhood and has a large number of friends who will miss her. The groom is a very popular young man and has won many warm friends during his residence here. The young couple will reside with the groom's parents. The COURIER joins with the many friends in extending congratulations.

Feel Impending Ill.

The feeling of impending doom in the minds of many victims of Bright's disease and diabetes has been changed to thankfulness by the benefit derived from taking Foley's Kidney Cure. It will cure incipient Bright's disease and diabetes and even in the worst cases gives comfort and relief. Slight disorders are cured in a few days. "I had diabetes in the worst form" writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man." A. L. Riechert.

EDISON'S TRIUMPH.

An Incident In the Great Inventor's Start In Life.

Dr. Norvin Green, for many years president of the Western Union Telegraph company, once said that but for the dullness of himself and his assistants Thomas A. Edison might never have obtained the confidence and support of the great corporation. Edison had been trying for months to induce the officials to take up some of his inventions until they began to regard him as a bore.

He went to the main office one day and was greeted by Dr. Norvin Green and the other officials with sneering smiles. Dr. Green said: "Mr. Edison, we are unable to get into communication with Albany, and a large amount of important business is in peril. I suppose that since you know more about telegraphy than all of the rest of us combined you can locate the difficulty."

Whether Edison noticed the sneering tone or not, he quietly answered, "I can locate it inside of two or three hours, sir."

Dr. Green and the others laughed outright, one of them saying, "Edison, you have now fully demonstrated that you are a crank."

Edison never smiled or addressed a word to the speaker, but looked at Dr. Green and said, "If I locate this difficulty in two or three hours, will you take up my inventions and give them honest consideration?"

"Yes, I will," said Dr. Green, "and I will do it if you succeed in two days."

It was a very simple thing, and yet Edison was the only one who had the comprehensive mind to think of it instantly. He did not tell them for many years afterward how he accomplished the feat, but he did it inside of one hour.

Edison went to the main offices, where he was known as an expert operator, and called up Pittsburg. He asked for the best operator there, naming him, and then told the Pittsburg man to call up the best man at Albany and direct him to telegraph down the line toward New York as far as he could and report back to Edison as soon as possible. Inside of an hour Edison had this telegram:

"I can telegraph all right down to within two miles of Poughkeepsie, and there is trouble with the wire there."

Edison went back to the office of the president and gravely announced that if a train should be sent to Poughkeepsie with materials for the work they would find a break in the line just two miles on the other side of Poughkeepsie and could repair it that afternoon.

They begged him to tell how he had found it out, and he replied:

"By knowing more about telegraphing than all of you put together, as Dr. Green has said."

They located the break, repaired it, and Dr. Green took up Edison's inventions, and that was Edison's great start in life.—Youth's Companion.

Five Persons Cured.

Mr. Jacob Baatz, 442 7th St. Newark, N. J. writes; Gloria Tonic does exactly what it is claimed for. It cured me of rheumatism, also five of my friends Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

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Nocice of Hearing on Petition.

Whereas, a petition has been filed with the board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, [illegible] and 18 in Township [illegible] North, Range [illegible] West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in said County and State, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the [illegible] day of July, A. D. 1905 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this second day of May, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Louis Doucet, of Lambert, was a business caller Tuesday.

Mrs. Nels Lundquist is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Dan Linnihan was attending to business at Crookston the first of the week.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap. —F. E. Hunt.

Mrs. P. B. Gaass spent a portion of last week with her mother in Lake Pleasant township.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lambert drove to Crookston Tuesday to visit friends, and take in the circus.

Miss Etta Zaiser and Orulla Hennemuth returned yesterday from a few days visit at Fertile.

D. D. Forbes and Carl Pochardt, of Marshall, Minn., were business callers the last of the week.

Go to Spillane's New Confectionery Store for your finest Candies and Cigars corner 3rd and Main St.

Zatique Bray and Rufus Porier came in from Brooks Saturday evening and remained over Sunday.

Prof. J. A. Button, of Crookston, was in the city last week looking after the interests of his business school.

Mr. and Mrs. Nap Miller are the proud parents of a baby boy that arrived at their home Monday morning.

Theo. Zaiser, Joe Toupin and Henry Bray drove to Crookston Tuesday to cast an eye on the elephant.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Atty. W. M. Marin of Crookston, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Tuesday. He was here on professional business.

Miss Melvina Lee took advantage of the excursion rates Monday to make a short visit with friends at Crookston.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Geo. Hennings spent Sunday at Bemidji, joining the fire boys at that place Monday evening on their way to Blackduck.

Misses Bertha and Emily Lafrieniere, who have been teaching school in Itasca county the past winter, returned home Tuesday for the summer vacation.

Miss Rose Miller, of Kellere, Minn. arrived Wednesday morning for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. L. A. Westphal.

A. W. Westphal, manager of the Scheremier Wagon Co., of St. Paul, spent Saturday with his father and brothers in this City.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for arm loans.

H. H. Zaiser spent Sunday with friends at Crookston.

The "Merry Crew" club met Mon- afternoon with Miss Margaret Kaus.

A small dancing party enjoyed themselves at the K. P. hall last evening.

Hon. L. C. Simons was a business caller at St. Hilaire and Wylie Tuesday.

W. A. Schrieter was a business caller at Thief River Falls between trains Monday.

Judge Tarrant was at Thief River Falls last Friday attending to some probate business.

Carl Schusser was at Thief River Falls over Sunday the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. Roark.

Dr. F.F. Fletcher was at Plummer and Brooks the first of the week on one of his regular professional visits.

The young people held an impromtu dance at the K. P. hall last Friday evening. Those present report a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. S. S. Haislett and mother, Mrs. L. A. Dautremont, returned home Saturday from a month's visit in the southern part of the state.

Fx-County Treasurer Tandberg was a county seat visitor the first of the week. He has many friends in this city who are always glad to see him.

Mrs. J. J. Doe left Tuesday for Galesburg, N. D., where she was called by the sickness of a relative. Kathlene Spillane accompanied her aunt.

Peter Beaulieu and Charley Brady left Monpay evening for a few week's visit with Joe Allard and family at Ripple, Minn. They will take in the Firemen's Tournament enroute.

J. K. Johnson and son Frank are at Neilsville building an elevator for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. From that place they will go to other points where the Milling Co. is building.

The people living west of town will celebrate the Fourth at Jos. Prevost's place. A large program of sport has been arranged and everybody who attends is booked for a good time.

Verne Healy is expected home from Crookston Saturday where he has completed a course in shorthand at the Button Business College. Verne will commence work at once for the Ed. L. Healy Land Co.

The Neils saw mill at Cass Lake claims the biggest log of the season. It was a white pine, 16 feet long and produced 1140 feet of 1½ inch clear lumber. The log came from the Leech Lake reseavation and is said to be the largest yet found in that part of the country.

THE STURDY OAK

has its beginning with the implanted acorn. Likewise the Tree of Fortune takes root with the opening of a Savings Account. With us One Dollar is sufficient to start an account. Smaller or larger deposits may follow.

First State Bank

Wanted.—A thousand pounds of wool at the Big Store.

The South Side Club will meet with Mrs. P. B. Gaass Saturday.

Geo. Hennings and H. H. Zaiser visited friends at Bemidji over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Boughton is visiting friends at Thief River Falls this week.

Miss Emma Cyr returned Friday from Buena Vista where she visited relatives.

Albert Lafrieniere left last week for Grand Rapids where he will visit a brother.

St. Joseph's church will have a class in first communion Sunday at 8 o'clock mass.

D. P. O'Neil, of Theif River Falls, called on friends at this place one day last week.

Lawrence Burt, an old friend of Joseph Fortier, has been in the city the past week.

Agent Kindar of the Stone Music Co., Fargo, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Saturday.

Julius Pleth, the Plummer land boomer, was a county seat visitor one day last week.

Frank Campbell is the new assistant at the Great Northern depot. He began his new duties Tuesday and expects to learn the railroad business.

Harry Healy and Clem Brunelle were at Maple Lake Sunday and Monday, joining the band boys on their way to Blackduck Monday evening at Mentor.

Superintendent of Schools McAnulty was in the southeastern part of the county the first of the week looking after the interests of the country schools.

The Sunday school classes of Miss Alice Boyd and Miss Vina Carver, of the Presbyterian church, enjoyed a picnic at the Carver home in this city last Friday. An enjoyable time is reported.

"Billy" Ittner arrived home Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where he has been attending the State University. He is one of the U's best football players.

Attorneys Henry Lee and Ira Richardson, of Thief River Falls, attended the special meeting of the county commissioners, looking after the interests of their town in the county seat controversy.

Mrs. P. Roark, of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. Wm. Lennon, of Killiher, were here last week visiting relatives. The ladies went to Thief River Falls Friday, and after a short visit at that place Mrs. Lennon will return to her home.

Rev. H. W. Knox was at Thief River Falls Tuesday evening, where he went to attend a reception given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Nicol, who recently returned from an extended trip to New York.

Hon. L. C. Simons is acting as cashier of the Merchant's State Bank of St. Hiliare during the absence of K. O. Gigstad. Mr. Simons goes up in the morning and returns each evening on the Great Northern passenger.

Wm. Marleau has sold his farm north of town to Conrad Hirsch of Morton, Minn, Mr. Hirsch and family will become residents of Red Lake county next spring. The deal was consumated through the Ed. L. Healy Land Co.

N. O. Tyrhalen, of New Richland, is in the city visiting his brother-in-law, P. O. Floan. Mr. Tyrhalen makes a visit to this place every summer and derives a great deal of good by resting from his business cares. He is the proprietor of two drug stores and is compelled to remain indoors the greater part of the time.

The Board of Audit, James E. Ford, Joseph Perrault and O. J. Johnson, have concluded their labors of checking up the county's money in the office of the County Treasurer. They found the snug sum of $69,256.05 cash on hand and in banks. The board's figures correspond exactly with balance as shown by the Treasurer's books.

At St. Mary's church last Monday morning, Father Ansgar, officiating, occured the marriage of Miss Mary McKirney, of Black River township to John Patenaude, of Gentilly township. They were attended by Agnes McKirney and Frank Patenaude, sister and brother of the contracting parties. They are both well known and the COURIER joins with their hosts of friends in wishing them a long and happy life.

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Since acquiring the sole agency for the famous American Beauty Corsets we can show you that distinctiveness and originality of style are what make them the friends of the particular dresser.

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The cut is No. 123, showing how a perfect form can be had by wearing correct styles; all shapes $1.00 and $1.50

Special, Satin Tape Girdle........ 50c

Just received, new embroidered Linen Belts, only........ 25c

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Fine raisins, worth 10c, one week only........ 7c
Fresh Bermuda Onions, Cabbages and Rhubarb.

Farmers we want all your Eggs, Butter and Wool. Good as cash with us.

Garceau & Zaiser

L. A. Kaufer returned from New Ulm last week where he attended the Forresters convention.

Oliver Holbeck, representing the law ffrm of Miller & Foote, Crookston, was here last Friday.

Father Adolph, of Thief River Falls, was here over Monday night, the guest of Father Ansgar.

Miss Almeda Gonigan finished a term of school in the Mercier district north of this city last Friday.

R. B. Jaeger, of Ceveland, Minn., arrived in the city Tuesday, to visit old friends and to look after business matters.

Mrs. Wm. Murphy, of Thief River Falls, arrived in the city Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kaufer.

Mrs. J. M. Bray was at Grand Forks last week to attend the commencement exercises of the University of North Dakota. She has a nephew who is a student of that institution.

The work on the new Klondike bridge is progressing nicely and the contractors, the Northwestern Bridge Co. of Moorhead, expect to have the new structure completed within a short time.

Billy Bennett and his show have come and gone and as usual proved a drawing card with our amusement loving people. The Bennett shows are popular in this city and the management can always look for a warm welcome.

Dr. P. J. Tschirhart, of Chicago, is in the city the guest of his brother, Joseph Tschirhart. The doctor is a young man of promise and is rapidly making his way to the front ranks of Chicago medical men. He will remain in the city for several weeks.

Geo. McConnell and family, formerly of this place but later of Thief River Falls, left that city Saturday for Minneapolis where they will make their home in the future. Mr. McConnell has accepted a position in one of the big mills of Minneapolis.

The Odd Fellows will install their new officers elected recently at the first meeting held in July. The officers who will take the oath of office at that time are: N. G., P. E. Pirath; V. G., Fred Zaiser; Recording Secretary, S. S. Haislet; Trustee, Fred Borchers.

The interests of the village merchants are closely allied with their customers; they select and sell the best the market can supply; their advertisement can be depended upon; their goods are reliable, and can be returned if they are not all right. Customers can visit their home store and see for themselves what they order. Through mail order catalogues they are buying entirely on chance, and in many cases statements of mail order houses in their catalogues are entirely unreliable and cannot be depended upon. The country merchants are in general progressive and enterprising, they are always working for the good of the town, they pay a good portion of the city taxes and encourage local improvement.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

The N. P. has a work train at this place. A force of men are employed ballasting the track. It will be put in first class condition.

Beginning July 1st the telephone exchange will give a night service. Continuous service will be greatly appreciated by the patrons.

J. L. Miller, organizer of the Modern Brotherhood, was in the city Saturday and attended a meeting of the local lodge that evening.

Did the census man miss you? If so, look him up and see that you and yours are recorded as citizens of the best town in Northern Minnesota.

Mrs. I. D. Converse left Tuesday for Cass Lake where she will make her home in the future. Mr. Converse has charge of the Times at that place.

It is rumored that Ralph Converse, formerly of this city, has engaged in the newspaper business in North Dakota. His many friends wish him sucess in his new undertaking.

Wm. Eckstein, who has been employed at the Great Northern depot for some months past, left Monday for Bemdiji where he will look after the Great Nortnern's warehouse. The new position is in the line of promotion and his friends here wish him continued success.

A work train for the Great Northern railroad arrived in this city Saturday and a large force of men were were employed the first of the week taking dirt out of the new cut south of the depot. Twenty-five car loads were taken out each day for three or four days, but it is said the bank caved in about as fast as the dirt was taken out. The company has been to a great expense with this stretch of track and the end is not yet.

Napoleon Constant returned home yesterday from a visit at his old home in Canada.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Mrs. Robt. Bourdon and Mrs. Michealson will serve 10c lunch at the church parlors, Wednesday, June 28, from 4 to 6. For benefit of Presbyterian church.

The Forepaugh & Sells circus will show at Grand Forks June 28. The N. P. will probably hold the afternoon train over until after the afternoon performance, so those desiring to see the show can go over and come back the same day. The N. P. will no doubt make reduced rates for the round trip.

Brooks is preparing for a big time next Saturday, and from present indications there will be a great crowd in that village that day. A base ball game between Plummer and Brooks, dancing, races, and other amusements have been arranged for and all visitors are assured of a good time. Several from this city have signified their intention of being present.

Modern Woodmen of America Convention.

On account of the biennial meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America and Auxiliary Societies at Milwaukee Wis., June 17-24, the Great Northern will sell tickets at one fare plus 50 cents for the round trip. Tickets on sale for trains arriving in St. Paul or Sioux City June 16-19 inclusive with final return limit June 27. Consult local ticket agent for full particulars. j1-15

Three Physicans Treated Him without Success.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief, and three bottles cured permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy." A. L. Reichert.

A Long List of Bargains

THAT includes our entire stock of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Musical Instruments and Sewing Machines. Our aim is to continue to make the Leader Store worthy of its name. We spare no efforts to secure for our customers the best the market affords. We buy in large quantities, secure the lowest freight rates and have every facility for meeting every want of the purchasing public.

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We handle the White. The "White is King."

Wesley Pianos
Peerless Organs
that have stood the test of time. Sold under guarantee. Testimonials from leading musicians and musical conservatories is evidence of their superior worth and high qualities.

Go Carts and Baby Carriages
A Good Thing! Push Them Along.
We buy from the leading factory which insures us the best wormanship and the most up-to-date designs.

Carpets and Rugs
We carry a large assortment. Beautiful patterns.

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ECZEMA A FLESH FIRE

Those afflicted with Eczema know more than can be told of the suffering imposed by this "flesh fire." It usually begins with a slight redness of the skin, which gradually spreads, followed by blisters and pustules discharging a thin, sticky fluid that dries and scales off, leaving an inflamed surface, and at times the itching and burning are almost unbearable. While any part of the body is liable to be attacked, the hands, feet, back, arms, face and legs are the parts most often afflicted. The cause of Eczema is a too acid condition of the blood. The circulation becomes loaded with fiery, acid poisons that are forced through the glands and pores of the skin which set the flesh aflame. Since the cause of the disease is in the blood it is a waste of time to try to cure it with local applications; the cause must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. has no equal as a remedy for Eczema; it enters the blood and forces out the poison through the natural channels, and builds up the entire system. The skin becomes smooth and soft again, and the Eczema is cured. Cases that have persistently refused to be cured under the ordinary treatment yield to its purifying, cooling effect on the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

Eczema made its appearance on my left limb the size of my thumb in 1893, and spread until it was large as my hand, burning, itching and paining me, and for which I could get no relief, until seeing the other cures advertised by you I wrote and secured the advise of your physicians, commenced S. S. S. and it cured me.

Mayetta, Kan. J. H. SPENCE.

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

UNFINISHED NOVELS.

TALES THAT WERE STOPPED BY THE HAND OF DEATH.

Nathaniel Hawthorne's Foreboding About "The Dolliver Romance." The Fragment That Stevenson Left. Thackeray's Last Work.

George Gissing's "Varanilda" is a masterpiece that its author did not live to finish. One well known critic considers this tale of the Roman and the Goth the deceased writer's finest work, and, though many may question this judgment, there can exist but universal regret that the romance must forever remain incomplete.

A greater work by a greater writer, "Weir of Hermiston," by R. L. Stevenson, was left a mere fragment, of which the lurid grandeur proved that its creator was taken from us in the zenith of his power. Another romance, "St. Ives," by the same pen, was running in a monthly magazine at the time of his premature death. Here, however, readers were not balked of a satisfactory denouement, for the story was brought to a conclusion by Mr. Quiller-Couch, well known under the nom de plume of "Q."

"I hardly know what to say to the public about this abortive romance, though I pretty well know what the case will be. I shall never finish it," wrote Nathaniel Hawthorne with reference to "The Dolliver Romance," which he had undertaken to write for the Atlantic Monthly. This foreboding was but too soon verified, for the author had scarce time to do more than lay the groundwork of the story and write the initial chapters ere death struck him down.

At his funeral at Concord the scarce commenced manuscript lay upon his coffin. Soon afterward the first chapter appeared in the Atlantic, and subsequently the second chapter, which he had been unable to revise, was published in the same periodical. Several years elapsed when a third fragment, revised and copied by the novelist's wife, was placed in the publisher's hands. The original manuscript is now preserved in the Concord public library.

"Wives and Daughters" was running in the Cornhill when the authoress, Mrs. Gaskell, died. Fortunately the work was nearing its completion, so that, although it was not actually finished by the gifted writer, the plot was sufficiently advanced to enable us to make more than a shrewd guess at the ultimate fate of the characters and to take leave of the hero fully assured of his ultimate happiness.

Another serial that was being written for the same magazine when its author laid down pen forever was "Denis Duval." Thackeray, indeed, was already in his grave when its publication commenced. Three parts and a portion of a fourth were all that appeared, and "the story," wrote the editor, "breaks off as his life ended—full of vigor and blooming with new promise like the apple trees in this month of May." With the fourth part was given a set of notes, taken from Thackeray's own papers, elucidatory of the subsequent development of the plot.

Thackeray's great contemporary, Charles Dickens, died, too, in harness. For long his health had been but indifferent, but he stuck unflinchingly to the work he had in hand. On June 8, 1870, the end came. The morning and part of the afternoon of that day were devoted to completing the sixth number of "The Mystery of Edwin Drood," but scarcely had he finished work and sat down to dinner ere he was seized with a fit. From this he never recovered, but after lingering some hours, without regaining consciousness, died at 6 the next day.

"I shall publish late in this year," wrote Laurence Sterne, "and the next I shall begin a new work in four volumes, which, finished, I shall continue 'Tristram' with fresh spirit." This new work here referred to is the "Sentimental Journey," one volume alone of which was ever given to the world, nor by reason of the author's death was the immortal "Tristram Shandy" ever continued.

"Arcadia," the pastoral romance which Sir Philip Sidney composed at Wilton House, was never completed and ran no small danger of being entirely lost to future generations when its author, before his death, gave orders for its destruction.

Only about 160 manuscript pages of Benjamin Disraeli's last novel, which brought the story up to the first dozen lines of chapter 10, was all that was written when the brilliant writer laid aside his pen forever.

Strength In Numbers.

Fuddy—The Widow Jinks has four marriageable daughters, and every one of them is engaged. What do you think of that?

Duddy—That a woman who has to be mother-in-law to four men can't be very objectionable to any one of them. Her duties will be too diffuse, don't you know, to be rigidly discharged.—Boston Transcript.

Resolve In the Wrong Place.

"I'll take no chances," declared the young man firmly.

Did this cause the people to commend him as a prudent young fellow?

No.

You see, it was at a church fair that he made the statement.—Pittsburg Post.

It Ought To.

McFlub—I see a French scientist is advocating the wearing of wooden clothes. How do you think a wooden suit would look? Sleeth—Rather knobby.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is better to be able to appreciate the things we cannot have than to have things we are unable to appreciate.—Anon.

Fine Opportunities in California.

Now is your chance to make the delightful trip to California for just one half of the expense incurred in making the trip at any other time. Dont postpone for you may not soon again be offered the low rate of $25 to San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Diego and many other California points.

Tickets at this state on sale every day from Sept. 15 to Oct. 31. inc., via Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Literature about California free on application to E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

Summons

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } County of Red Lake }
IN DISTRICT COURT.
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Sjur Stolaas, Plaintiff
vs.
Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skala, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaall, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated June 6th, 1905.

SJUR STOLAAS,
E. O. HAGEN, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
Rooms 10-11-27 Wallace Blk.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss. County of Red Lake, }

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake and filed in my office praying for License to sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on June 12, 1905, and terminating on June 12, 1906, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit: By

J. G. PRIOR

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain frame building situated near the Townsite of Wylie in Township 152 North of Range 45 West, in said County and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing 522 feet south of the north-east corner of Section 25 in Township 152, Range 45 and 133 feet west of the Range line between Ranges 44 and 45, thence west 50 feet, thence south 150 feet, thence east 50 feet, thence north 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, on Monday, the tenth day of July, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock p. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 8th day of June, A. D. 1905.

(SEAL) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.
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REMIE LEFAIVRE

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain building situate on Lot 5 in Block 9 of the Townsite of Brooks in said County.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, on Monday, the tenth day of July, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock p. m.

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(SEAL) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor of said County, in the City of Red Lake Falls on the eleventh day of July, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 14th day of June, 1905.

{Seal of County Auditor} JAMES E. FORD,
{Red Lake Co., Minn.} County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The undersigned Village Council of the Village of Plummer, which Village will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the drainage ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a drainage ditch along the following described route in the Town of Emardville in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility and is necessary for the following reasons, to-wit:

The drainage of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of said Township of Emardville and the establishing of a suitable road leading to and past the Village of Plummer in said County.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at a point about 50 rods west of the north-east corner of Section 13 in Township 151 North, of Range 42 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between Sections 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15 and 9 and 16 in said township to a point about thirty rods west of the North-east corner of the North-west quarter of said Section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet the Clearwater River.

And your petitioners pray that you will procced to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred and Thirty (230,) of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated May 24, 1905.

JULIUS PLETH, }
J. E. BUSKIRK, } Trustees.
H. H. FINROW, }

{Corporate Seal, Village of Plummer, Red Lake Co., Minn.}

JNO. M. REED, President.
Attest: CHAS. W. LATTA, Village Recorder
Petitioners

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight-Hundred Sixty-two and 25-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. A. Lang and Maggie H. Lang, Mortgagors, to W. A. Goodburn Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 309 and in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota on the 8th day of March, 1904, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., in Book 119 of Mortgages on page 336 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The following tracts situated in Polk county Minnesota: Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) in Block One (1) and Lots Five (5) Six (6) and Seven (7) in Block Two (2) in Lang's Addition to Erskine according to the recorded plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Polk County Minnesota and the following tracts situated in Red Lake County Minnesota: All the undivided one half interest in and to the South east quarter (SE¼) and the East half of the South west quarter (E½ of SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4) all in section Thirty-one (31) Township One Hundred Fifty (150) Range Forty one (41) containing Three Hundred Twenty acres more or less according to the Government Survey with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said Red Lake County and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of June, 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Eight Hundred Fifty eight and 25-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 9th, A. D. 1905.

W. A. GOODBURN,
Mortgagee.

E. E. Roddis
Attorney for Mortgagee
Pipestone, Minnesota.
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Sheriff's Sale.

OF REAL ESTATE UNDER JUDGMENT OF FORCLOSURE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss. County of Red Lake. }
DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District

The First State Bank of St. Hilaire (a corporation) and J. K. Hannay as trustee, plaintiffs,
vs
Guttorm P. Ottermen and K. O. Gigstad, administrator of the estate of Nels. G. Otterness deceased

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 16th day of May, 1905, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned Sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the first day of July, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree to-wit: All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows to-wit:

Lot number twenty-four (24) of Block thirty-nine (39) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire, Minn. Also Lot number twenty-three (23) of Block number fifty (50) of the original townsite of St. Hilaire aforesaid. Also the northwest quarter of Section twenty-two (22) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-four (44) W 5th P. M.

Dated May 16, 1905.

D. LINNIHAN,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.
J. K. HANNAY
Plaintiff's Attorney
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Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss. County of Red Lake }
DISTRICT COURT.

F. E. Wettstein, Plaintiff
vs
Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Leona L. Stephens, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of F. E. Wettstein and and against Clarence H. Remington, Clarina Remington, Ellis H. Stephens and Lena L. Stephens, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants to-wit: The south half of the south-west quarter and the south half of the south-east quarter of section twenty-one (21) township one hundred and fifty-two (152) range forty-three (43) Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And I shall, on Saturday, the first day of July A. D. 1905, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court House at Red Lake Falls in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named defendants in and to the above described property, to satisfy said Judgment and costs, amounting to one thousand three hundred and seventy nine dollars and thirty five cents, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the same from the 24th day of April, 1905, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash.

D. LINNIHAN,
m 18-22. Sheriff Red Lake Co., Minn.
J. K. HANNAY,
Plaintiff's Attorney

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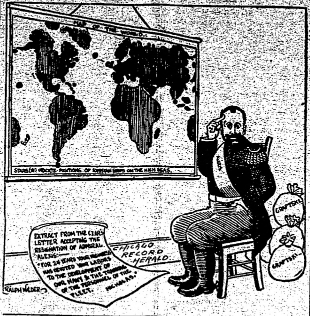
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COLLISION ON A CURVE IS DUE TO DISOBEDIENCE OF ORDERS.

Horrible Scene Follows the Crash—Twenty-Five Men Are Killed, and a Score or More Are Reported Injured.

Baltimore, Md., June 19.—Twenty-five men were killed and nearly a score injured in a train wreck on the Western Maryland railroad, near this city, Saturday evening. The death list is likely to be increased from among those who were grievously mangled. All the dead were employes of the railroad, returning to their homes in the small towns along the railroad to spend Sunday. They had been at work repairing the damage done to the roadbed ten days ago by a minor freight wreck at Mount Hope station, near this city.

Met on a Curve.

In the neighborhood of Patapsco station, about eight miles from Westminster, the Western Maryland has many curves, and that just west of the bridge crossing the Patapsco river is a sharp one. An extra freight, made up of heavy coal and provision cars, was running east. It should have taken a siding to allow No. 5 to pass. Such were the orders. Why they were disregarded will never be known, for those who should have seen that they were obeyed are dead. On the curve just west of the bridge they came together with terrific force, the three engines being piled one upon another, fortunately in such a manner that sufficient steam connections were broken to relieve the boilers and thus prevent the further horror of one or more explosions.

A Scene of Horror.

In an instant the peaceful country was changed into the likeness of a shambles. Along the tracks on both sides were scattered dead and frightfully mangled men, these latter more fortunate than those who had been in the baggage car and on the engines, for most of them were still pinioned in the wreckage out of the immediate reach of helping hands. Heartrending shrieks from the injured quickly brought to the scene the inhabitants of all the farmhouses within a considerable radius, and these immediately set to work to do what they could to ease the suffering. Farmers' wives and daughters made bandages of their clothing and household linen and worked heroically amidst the blood and grime. One or two physicians who had been passengers on the wrecked train directed their efforts.

Farmers Need Help.

Kansas City, Mo., June 16.—Kansas farmers will need 25,000 men and 2,240 teams to harvest their crops, according to a report made by the superintendent of the state labor department of Kansas. The harvest, including the threshing, will last about 60 days, and the wages will, it is stated, range from $1.75 to $2.50 a day.

Veteran Dies.

Washington, June 19.—Gen. Arthur L. Wagner, U. S. A., died suddenly at Asheville, N. C., Saturday of tuberculosis, contracted while in service in the Philippines. Gen. Wagner had just been advanced from colonel, his commission having been signed a few hours before his death. He was born in Illinois in 1853.

Anniversary of Bunker Hill.

Boston, June 19.—Practically all the business activities of Greater Boston were suspended Saturday in observance of the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill. The patriotic celebration centered as usual in Charlestown, the scene of the famous fight.

Gets Extra Pay.

Washington, June 16.—The treasury department has issued a warrant for $583 in favor of President Roosevelt, which represents the two months extra pay allowed to officers in the Spanish war under an act passed by congress in 1899.

SLAUGHTER BY PIRATES.

Massacre of 150 Natives Is Reported from the Siberian Coast.

San Francisco, June 19.—News of a terrible massacre of 150 natives on the Siberian coast has been received here in a letter from Petropaulovski on the coast of Kamchatka. A. Morogravlenof has written to his brother, a resident of this city, that in the early part of the year the natives in one of the small settlements down the coast, which he does not name, observed a yacht or schooner drop anchor in the harbor, and her coming was hailed with cries of rejoicing. Off the vessel came a number of small boats. The natives could see the crew piling what they thought were supplies into the smaller craft. Then the men pulled for the shore. During that or the next day there was heard the firing of arms and later on smoke and fire were observed. This led to investigation from Petropaulovski and other towns on the coast and a horrible tale of pillage and massacre was brought to light. About the streets of the settlement, writes Morogravlenof, were strewn the bodies of 150 of the inhabitants, shot and cut to pieces by the pirates, who, under the pretense of friendship, had gained a landing on the coast. Robbery was their only motive, for every hut had been ransacked and anything of marketable value was taken. Who the marauders were those who managed to make their escape could not say.

GOMEZ IS DEAD.

Collapse Follows a Gallant Struggle for Life on the Part of the Aged Warrior.

Havana, Cuba, June 19.—Maximo Gomez died at six o'clock Saturday night. Death came peacefully, after a long illness. Gen. Gomez bore up bravely to the last and his struggle against the illness which at last overcame him was typical of the man who so long fought against great odds. He will be given a funeral with national honors. In May last Gen. Gomez underwent an operation at Santiago, Cuba, as the result of the spread of gangrene in an abscess on his hand. For a time his life was despaired of, but the general recovered sufficiently to be moved to his home in Havana June 7. Until Thursday morning he showed some signs of improvement and hopes were entertained that the end might be postponed for a considerable period. But from that time on the patient failed until the end came.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs of Leading Organizations in Championship Contests

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	39	16	.709
Pittsburg	32	24	.571
Philadelphia	29	22	.569
Cincinnati	30	24	.556
Chicago	31	25	.554
St. Louis	23	32	.418
Boston	17	36	.321
Brooklyn	16	38	.296
American league:			
Cleveland	20	14	.682
Chicago	29	20	.592
Philadelphia	28	20	.583
Detroit	26	23	.531
Boston	22	25	.468
New York	19	27	.413
Washington	19	31	.380
St. Louis	18	31	.367

Iowa Boys Drowned.

Albia, Ia., June 19.—Don and Leigh Hollingsworth, aged 10 and 15 years, the sons of Superintendent Hollingsworth, of this city, were drowned at Ottumwa. Their father was for 14 years superintendent of the Albia city schools. The older boy was drowned while trying to save the younger.

Hanged for Wife Murder.

Peoria, Ill., June 17.—Otis Botts, 21 years old, was executed in the county jail here Friday for the murder of his girl wife on January 5 last. When he faced the crowd the air of bravado which has marked his career to this time, deserted him and he broke down and wept.

Five Hundred Dead.

Ekaterinoslav, Southern Russia, June 19.—Five hundred persons were killed in the explosion which occurred at the Ivan colliery at Khartsisk.

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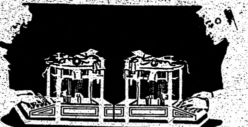

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The County in General

Golmar Bros. circus will show at Thief River Falls next Monday.

St. Hilaire has a new lodge. The Modern Brotherhood recently began business in that city with thirty charter members.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was at St. Cloud over Sunday where he went to visit friends and accompany Mrs. Pleth home, who had been in that city two weeks visiting relatives.

State Bank Examiner O'Hern visited Plummer for the first time last week and expressed himself as well pleased with the condition of Plummer's banks, and thought the town was bound to be a winner.

Plummer experienced its first fire last week when a blaze was discoveren in the upper story of the Robinson building. The fire was soon extinguished, the principal damage done being from water. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

The fifth annual convention of the Crookston district of the Epworth League met at Thief River Falls last week. Delegates from most every organization in the district were present.

Towns on the Soo were visited last week by a special train under the direction of the St. Paul jobbers. The wholesale men stopped at each town and made the acquaintance of the business men.

Publicity Kills Mail Order Houses.

Stillwater Gazette: Merchants who advertise prices attract the eye of the reader and the buyer. That's what the big fellows in the city do and that's the reason the catalogue houses secure a big trade. People read these prices and imagine they are lower than those of the home merchant simply because the latter do not persistently and everlastingly keep the price before the public. Our home merchants can sell goods exactly as cheap as the catalogue houses and they do it. But they should bear in mind the necessity of advertising prices.

Do Not Sleep on The Left Side.

There is little doubt that an immense number of persons habitually sleep on the left side, and those who do so can never, it is said, be strictly healthy. It is the most prolific, cause of nightmare and also of the unpleasant taste in the mouth on arising in the morning. All food enters and leaves the stomach on the left side, and hence sleeping on the left side soon after eating involves a sort of pumping operation which is anything but conducive to sound repose. The action of the heart is also seriously interfered with and the lungs unduly compressed; hence it is best to cultivate the habit of always sleeping on the right side.

The Fitness of Things.

"Nan Patterson is unable to earn the large salary pledged by a venal manager, because of realizing sense of the eternal fitness of thing on the part of a self-respecting public. After a number of repulses the misguided girl has retired to await the result of the cooling-off process. The actress had barely escaped conviction of the crime of murder. With the stain of a lost soul upon her robes of womanhood she gleefully went from the prison to the stage to reap the rewards of sickening notoriety. The public is not sensitive as it should be to fine distinctions, but it revolted at this unseemly traffic in dirty sensation."

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One dead weed is better than a dozen alive.

Dipping of hogs will one day become the rule.

Bees can not be fooled into eating glucose; but sugar—oh my!

Opportunity never waits: if you are not on hand some one else gets the chance.

The farmer is the only man who realizes anything from running things in the ground.

Onions do better if planted on the same soil year after year. They are the one plant that does.

The time is ripe to appreciate a good foot under a hog, just as you would under a horse.

There is no universal "worst weed." One is more of a pest in some sections than in others, but all are pests enough.

It beats all how many farmers have a place for their tools, and that place is—just where they happen to have used them last.

Some people are always wanting to buy more land. It would be better in many cases, to buy fertilizers for the land they have.

Do not use wire nails, but the old fasoioned steel cut nails and the shingles will last as long as those put on 10 or 15 years ago.

Because potatoes are very cheap this spring it is a good sign they will bring a good price next winter. It is always that way.

It is getting to be quite a fashion for farmers to seek for horses which can make a good record on the road as well as do a good day's work on the farm. Not all breeds can be thus used.

The two-row cultivator has furnished a place for a new race of people—the four armed men. Anyone who has tried a two-row cultivator in trashy ground will appreciate the truth of this.

It takes about 10 "large-crops-are-now-assured" reports to make an ordinary crop, and about five reports telling of total failures to make a light crop. The average crop reporter is either all optimist or pessimist.

Forty dollars' worth of hens will produce enough to keep an average sized family in groceries the year 'round. Is there any other $40 worth of property on the farm that does as much? Name it, if you can.

Look out for real estate firms that are "giving away" a certain number of lots as an "advertisement." Yes, and beware of land dealers who make big promises in regard to selling your property, but who demand a fee before a sale is made.

Keep two or three old brooms at the barn. Use them, too. A man ought to be just as good a barnkeeper as his wife is a housekeeper. An old broom with the handle sawed off makes a good thing with which to brush the horses off. Ever try it?

Spanks Her Hens—To break hens of scratching in the garden, a lady in Illinois says: "When one gets over the fence, I catch her, hold her legs in the left hand and whip the soles of her feet thoroughly with a shingle or stick the size of a pencil. I seldom have to punish that hen the second time."

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

Apparently.

"So many people trust to luck."

"Yes. Luck seems to have excellent credit."—New York Press.

A Highly Colored Romance.

So well read he it made him blue
To know she thought him green, and yet
He sought her hand, and now the two
Their secret keep in-violate.
—Philadelphia Post.

In Worm Land.

First Worm—You look happy.

Second Worm—Yes. I just made a lucky turn.—Judge.

Even as the Jap.

If you would be a scrappy man,
Learn judo, jiu jitsu—
My word for it, then you can lick
Most any man who hitsu.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

State Land.

St. Paul.—The state land which will be offered for sale by State Auditor S. G. Iverson this fall will be sold on an entirely new basis. In accordance with a law passed by the recent legislature, those who buy land from the state will be required to do one of three things:

First—Fence at least 25 per cent of the tract for pasture and convert such portion into pasture land.

Second—Cultivate at least 5 per cent of the tract.

Third—Build a house and actually reside on the tract for a period of twelve months.

Under the law one of these three conditions must be met by the purchaser or his assigns within five years from the date of the sale.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson, who is ex-officio land commissioner, will send out a circular explaining the terms under which state lands are offered for sale under the new law.

No More Private Sales.

After July 1, 1905, real property bid in for the state at regular annual tax sales will be sold only at public auction, according to a ruling made by State Auditor S. G. Iverson.

Under the old law absolute property had to be disposed of by the county auditor at a public or private sale as the state auditor might direct. The legislature session of 1903 however, provided that such property must be disposed of at public sale to be conducted by the state auditor, the tax deed to be executed by the governor instead of the county auditor.

Signs Death Warrent.

Gov. Johnson signed the death warrent of William Williams, the St. Paul murderer, condemned to be hanged Wednesday, Aug. 9.

The governor returned after a three days' absence, and found the transcript of testimony in the case awaiting him, and he signed the warrent for Williams' death at once. The murderer will hang unless the pardon board intervenes.

A Skeleton.

Fosston.—A Skeleton was dug up by a farmer, fifteen miles north of this place. It was found at a depth of twelve and one-half feet and was very large. Though badly decomposed, its general form and size could be clearly made out. The head itself extended from corner of the well which the farmer was digging and which is about three and one-half feet square. The teeth are well preserved and the largest ones are between three and four inches in length, occuring in groups of three or four. The general charactor of the country where the skeleton was found is hilly. The sub-soil in the locality is sand and gravel, though particular stratum surrounding the skeleton being a dark loam.

Various opinions are current as to character of the skeleton, but the best informed persons who have seen the bones incline to the view that they are of a mastodon. Dr. McKennon of this place has in his posession some of the best preserved bones.

Wins the Bet.

Minneapolis.—When Neal Curtis, a well-known traveling man of Moline, Ill., walks up to the desk of the Hotel Nicollet office on the occasion of his bi-monthly visit to that hostelry, he will be presented by a paper bearing his signature and that of "Henry Wood," one of the Japanese bellboys.

The writing at present reposes in the hotel safe and is to the effect that Mr. Curtis bet the bellboy $10 to $25 that Rojestvensky would be victorious in the sea fight with Admiral Togo.

The wager was made more than two months ago and as neither party wanted his money tied up they agreed to record the bet and place it in the office safe.

An Auto Wreck.

Duluth.—W. J. Stevenson, a prominent attorney was severely injured as the result of an accident to his automobile. Mrs. Stevenson and their four-year-old son were in the machine at the time and the mother was slightly injured. The child was not hurt.

The machine collided with a telephone pole on London road at about Fifty-seventh avenue east, and was wrecked. Mr. Stevenson was thrown forward and his head struck the pole. He was unconscious for ten minutes.

News Notes.

St. Paul.—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rauchnot were burned severely as a result of a gasoline stove explosion at their home early in the morning.

Minneapolis.—Twenty-five clerks in the postoffice will receive $100 increases in the salaries on July 1. An allowance of $2,500 for the purpose has been granted them.

St. Cloud.—Emil Olsen, accused of grand larceny in the second degree, was acquitted. The jury was out but thirty minutes.

Northfield.—The third annual convention of postoffice clerks of Minnesota was held here.

St. Paul—Gov. Johnson appointed five members to the state board of grain appeals.

Minneapolis—Trinity Baptist church now being built in this city will be equipped with a newly invented appliance whereby deaf persons will be enabled to hear the sermons with the same ease as members of the congregation who are not so afflicted.

Minneapolis—Willie Jones, twelve years of age, had a narrow escape from being drowned while swimming in the Mississippi river at the east end of the Franklyn avenue bridge. He was saved only by the presence of mind of an older boy, who saw his companion going down and rushed to his rescue.

NOTES OF THE MODES.

Up-to-Date Dress Materials and Suitable Garments for the Summer Season.

Very pretty are many of the light wool shawls to be worn on summer evenings out of doors. Some of these shawls are lacy in texture, and have silk and chenille fringes, reports the New York Post.

Velvet collars on linen walking dresses seem strangely out of place, but they are seen. A mauve linen gown has a velvet shawl collar of a light color, but a white linen long-coated suit has a collar of black velvet, and this appears on dresses of white wool and veiling.

For driving are sold mitts of white washable kid, ventilated by small holes in the palm and back, and finished at the wrist and fingers by a pinked edge.

A waist of oyster-white antique lace is ingeniously mounted on a slight foundation of Liberty silk. The silk is a mere corselet about the waist and over the tops of the sleeves, but it gives the lace a certain solidity which enhances its beauty.

The summer wardrobe is hardly complete without one or two white linen or mohair skirts. These have almost entirely superseded the once popular pique skirt, which was always rather clumsy. All varieties of models are seen, from the plain strapped skirt to wear-with-shirt waists to the elaborately embroidered, open-stitched, to serve for dress occasions with fancy lingerie waists.

Girdles of flowered silks in light colors and gay designs are late importations. They have buckles back and front, many of them of silver richly enameled and jewel set. In shape they are long and narrow. On each side of the girdle is a slight clasp or slide, and these and both buckles are joined by slender silver chains, under which the silk of the girdle shows.

Knitted sweaters and jerseys look very warm these days, but doubtless they are good things to take to the mountains. A pretty gray one is made after a Norfolk jacket design, the straps being simulated in the pattern except at the waist, where there are real straps to hold the knitted belt.

A new development is the trimming of linen colored gowns, such as pongee, tussore and crash, with a double piping, one of a bright color and the other of black. A gown of coarse ecru toile has the skirt made with double box plaits, each outlined with a narrow piping of black and bright green taffeta. This ends in a scroll work of lace braid where the plaits end, just above the knees. A rosette of black and green is in the center of each lace scroll. The sleeveless bolero is plisse, and ends above the waist to show a black waistband fastened with green enameled buttons. There is a triple cape collar, each with a piping of black and green, and covered with lace embroidery. Under this is a green cravat with long ends. The blouse and sleeves are of ecru lace.

Panned Beefsteak.

Select a steak an inch and a half in thickness; heat a frying pan hot, but do not butter it; put in the steak and turn with a fork every 15 seconds until it is nearly done to your liking. When turning always stick the fork in the fat; when the lean is pierced the juices escape. Have ready a deep baking dish containing salt, pepper, melted butter and chopped parsley, well heated. Lay the steak in the dish, baste thoroughly with the liquid, cover and place in moderate oven for ten minutes.

The Equality of Women.

At Emporia, Kan., Joseph Tuchey, a German, was tried in police court for calling the wife of a neighbor some pretty tough names. Tuchey was frank about it. "I call mine frau names like dot," he said, "und I dink I haf de same right mit other vomans."

White Potato Pudding.

Four good-sized potatoes mashed and put through a sieve, add to them one quart of milk, generous pinch of salt, one teaspoonful cinnamon, half cupful sugar, generous pinch of nutmeg, five eggs, beaten separately, mix together, then add one pint of fresh fruit, pour in a buttered border mold or a round basin, set in pan of water and bake in moderate oven for 30 minutes if a basin, 20 if border mold, counting from time water becomes hot. When firm to touch, remove and cool gradually, then chill on ice; unmold, garnish with fruit and whipped cream, or a meringue.—Household Ledger.

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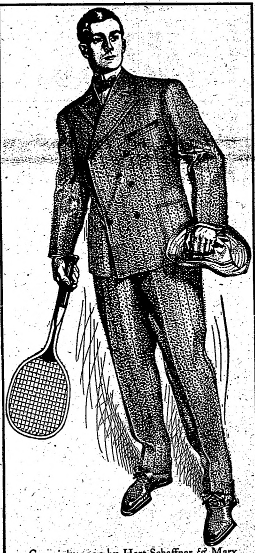

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TOURNAMENT A BIG SUCCESS

Red Lake Falls Made a Good Record —Won Most Money in the Races.

The Firemen's Tournament at Blackduck last week was a grand success in every particular and the citizens of that enterprising city are to be congratulated for the hospitality extended to the visitors. Every citizen of Blackduck dropped business and helped make the occasion one of pleasure and good cheer for the large number of visitors. Bad weather did not dampen the ardor or enthusiasm of the good natured crowd, and all gave themselves up for a good time and had it. Red Lake Falls feels particularly grateful for the entertainment accorded them by the former residents of this city who are now residents of Blackduck.

The band from this city made a name and record for itself and won many admirers by the first class music furnished throughout the tournament. It was a surprise to most of the visitors that such a high grade organization existed in Northern Minnesota. Red Lake Falls was certainly advertised far and wide by its band and fire boys.

The fire department of this city has reason to feel proud of the showing their running team made at the tournament. It was their first attempt at anything of the kind, and after the boys got over their nervousness and timidity they won nearly every event they went after. They won the most money of any team competing in the races, bringing home $199.50 in cash and a $25 nozzle. Hallock won $204.25 but $50 of this was for having the best appearing and most men in line in the parade. The Red Lake Falls team was by far the fastest running aggregation in the tournament, and had not the boys had hard luck in the coupling events they would have made a clean sweep.

At a meeting of the executive committee A. B. Nelson of Warren was elected president of the association for the following year, and Wm. Converse of this city was chosen vice president. Warren will be the meeting place next year. It is an unwritten law of the association to elect their vice president president of the organization and send the tournament to his home town. That will bring the tournament to this city in 1907.

Two ball games during the tournament furnished amusement for the visitors, the first game being Red Lake Falls and Blackduck. Red Lake Falls won the game handily by a score of 9 to 2. The game between Bemidji and Blackduck was one of the best ever played in Northern Minnesota and was won by Blackduck by a score of 4 to 2.

Following is a list of the races and winners:

Company having the largest number of men in line and best appearance—Hallock 29, Red Lake Falls 23:

Assn. Hose Race—Bemidji, 24 seconds; Red Lake Falls, Hallock and Warren, 25; Blackduck 29; in the run-off for the tie Hallock made it in 23 3-5;

Coupling Contest—1st, Ray Dennis, Bemidji, 4 1-5 sec.; 2d, Arthur Narvison, Bemidji, 4 2-5 sec.; 3d, Fred Harris, Crookston, 4½.

100 yard dash—1st, Brady, Red Lake Falls; 2d, McKibbon, Hallock;

Assn. Hook and Ladder Service Test—Bemidji, 26 3-5 sec.. (ruled out) Hallock, 27 2-5. Red Lake Falls, 27 3 5; Blackduck, 28 4-5; Warren, 31 1-5.

Combination Hook and Ladder and Hose Race —Blackduck, 28½; Warren 30½; Red Lake Falls, 30 3-5.

Ladder Climbing Contest—George Flemming, Bemidji, 8 1-5; Parker, Blackduck, 8½; Halvorson and Goodman, Bemidji, 8 3-5.

Service Wet Test—Red Lake Falls, 31; Hallock 33; Blackduck, 39;

Hub and Hub Race—Red Lake Falls, 25 2-5; Hallock, 26; Warren, 26 4-5; Blackduck, 27;

Flag Race—Bemidji, 68 4-5; Red Lake Falls 71; Hallock, 82; Warren, 73½; Blackduck, 73 4-5.

The different teams won the following money: Bemidji, $109.29; Crookston, $4.75; Blackduck $118.75; Warren, $80.65; Red Lake Falls, $199.50, and a $25 nozzle presented by W. S. Nott & Co. for the service wet test.

New Forms of Plant Life.

Mr. Luther Burbank has devoted his life to the production of new forms of fruit, trees, flowers vegetables, grasses, and nuts with success that his productions are said to be more wonderful than the flowers and fruits of California. This man is the best known botanist in the world and his works will go down in history, and yet we believe his work is no more important than that of the men who have perfected golden grain belt beer from a mere table beverage to a tonic of wonderful strength and power. Its purity and healthfulness make it an invaluable addition to any home. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

BITTEN BY A MAD DOG

Rocksbury Farmer Suffers from bite of Dog Affected with the Rabbies.

Swan Anderson, an aged farmer residing near St. Hilaire in Rocksbury township, has been sent to the Pasteur Institute, Chicago, for treatment for rabies, unmistakable signs of which he has shown as a result of a bite from a mad dag received on his farm several days ago.

Anderson has owned the dog in question for several years and, not knowing the symptons of the dread rabies when they are manifested in the canine, allowed the animal to run loose about the farm after becoming inoculated with the deadly germ. The result was a wholesale spread of the rabbies to cattle, sheep and all live stock about the place, and the final biting of the owner in his endeavor to shoot the frenzied animal.

Not being familiar with the treatment of the dread disease nothing was done for the man before the arrival of a physician from St. Hilaire. The result was the showing of all signs of the rabies upon the arrival of Dr. Blomberg. The doctor cauterized the wound in the usual manner and Anderson was sent off immediatefy in charge of a physician to the Pasteur Institute, Chicago, where everything possible will be done to save his life.

The late arrival of medical attendance makes his recovery extremely doubtful, but his many friends in this section hope for the best.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING.

The Larson-Carlson Wedding at Wylie Sunday a Brilliant Affair.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Larson, in Polk Center township, last Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when their son, C. J. Larson of St. Paul, and Miss Hilda A. Carlson of Stilwater, were made man and wife.

The bride's gown was of white crepe de chine over white taffeta, princess style, and elaborately trimmed with point lace. She carried a bridal bouquet of lilies of the valley and maiden-hair ferns. Her traveling gown was of blue eolliene embroidered in blue daisies, with hat to match. The maid of honor, Miss Jackson of Minneapolis, wore a gown of white eyelet embroidery and carried white roses, while the bridesmaid, Miss Larson, the groom's sister, wore blue mousseline de soie and carried white carnations.

Following the ceremony a most sumptious supper was served to the large number of invited guests.

Mr. Larson, formerly a teacher in this county and well and favorably known here as a most exemplary young man, is the advertising manager of the State Tidning, the pioneer Swedish weekly of the Northwest, with headquarters at St. Paul.

The bride is a most charming and accomplished young lady from Stilwater, and made many friends while in this vicinity. The happy couple left on the train for St. Paul Monday, where they will make their home.

Those attending the happy event from Red Lake Falls were: Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Findiesen and daughter Maude, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Germo and Miss Peterson.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lake Pleasant Township Has a New Organization.

Last Sunday afternoon Rev. Herbert W. Knox of this city held preaching services at the new school house in Lake Pleasant township, and at the close organized a Sunday school. The following officers were elected: Supt., Miss Witcherman; Asst. Supt., Mr. Haeberle; Secy. and Treas., Samuel Luxenberg. There were about 40 present at the time of the organization. The Sunday school will be held every Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m., followed by a preaching service every other Sunday. There will be about twenty families represented in the school.

D. K. Lourie, of Crookston, the Sabbath School missionary, will visit the school next Sunday and will preach afterwards.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you. Henry W. Anderson, [illegible]

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS

Man Arrested at Thief River Falls in Whose Possession Was Found Burglar Tools.

A man who gave his name as Ed. Gordon and who claimed Chicago as his home, was arrested at Thief River Falls Monday, having in his possession a full outfit of burglar tools. As it was circus day the authorities were on the lookout for crooks, and as a small theft had been committed, all strangers were closely watched. The man arrested being a suspicious looking character was taken in and the burglar outfit was found on his person upon examination.

County Attorney Germo was called Tuesday and it was decided to hold the fellow to await the action of the grand jury. The prisoner was brought to this city Tuesday evening and lodged in the county jail to await his trial. A file and several skelton keys made up the outfit of burglar tools, and it is thought the man is a professional cracksman. His description has been sent to the Chicago police and they may be able to identify the man.

PLEADS FOR BOYS.

Archbishop Ireland Says Education of Sons Should be Aim of Parents.

"If there is to be any preferance in the education of the sexes, give the preference to the boy. If there is any slight advantage to be given to either one let the boy have it. Too often the girl is the one to whom the education is given, and the boy is put out to work. This should not be. The boy will be a man with a man's responsibility. He should be given every opportunity."

Archbishop John Ireland at the first public commencement of the De La Salle institute given at the Bijou theatre, made a powerful plea for the education of the youth of Minneapolis, and depreciated the present preference given to girls. The archbishop also lamented the fact that the parents often, in their anxiety to add a few more dollars to the family income, put their boys to work in factories and elsewhere when they should be in school.

"Put away any such temptation," urged the speaker. "The precious years immediately following the close of work in the grammar school are those in which the mind aborbs more learning in one year than in five years later in life."

The archbishop extolled the opportunities existing in America for the acquirement of material benefits and says that a young man of the proper mold and well equipped with an education, has only himself to blame if he does not make a high place for himself in life. Without an education the wings of an aspiring career are clipped and the young man is handicapped in life.

Education is better than riches, in the view of the archbishop, and he said that it would be well if the parents devote their energies to giving their children a good education rather than piling up riches for them. He said that the young man who could not make his way in the world after being well trained for the battle was not worthy of posessing the riches for which his parents spend time and labor.

Character Counts.

A few years ago it seemed as if in our national politics that the dollar was the paramount issue. In fact we spent the larger part of four years discussing money. It did look as if our whole thought was upon the ingathering of wealth. For years we applauded the genius of captains of industry which was able to pile up millions of money in a short time. The nation bowed at the shrine of smartness and little attention was paid to the methods by which it was obtained.

But the tide has turned and the revelations of graft and greed have become so conclusive that there is a general disgust and contempt for the men who have used their ability to corrupt others and amass men of wealth.

A different type of men are being called for. Men of clean lives and positive courage and the nation is applauding honesty and worth. The dollar is retreating and the man is advancing.

It is character which counts.

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Nocice of Hearing on Petition.

Whereas, a petition has been filed with the board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17 and 18 in Township 152 North, of Range 40 West of the Fifth Principal Meridan in said County and State, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petion will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this second day of May, A. D., 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.

(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex.Officio Clerk of Board

Summons

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake }
IN DISTRICT COURT.
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Sjur Stolaas, Plaintiff
vs.
Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated June 6th, 1905.

SJUR STOLAAS,
E. O. HAGEN, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
jn22.jy 20 Rooms 10-11-27 Wallace Blk.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake and filed in my office praying for License to sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on June 12, 1905, and terminating on June 12, 1906 by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application to-wit: By

J. G. PRIOR

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain frame building situated near the Townsite of Wylie in Township 152 North of Range 45 West, in said County and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing 522 feet south of the north-east corner of Section 25 in Township 152, Range 45 and 133 feet west of the Range line between Ranges 44 and 45, thence west 50 feet, thence south 150 feet, thence east 50 feet, thence north 150 feet to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, on Monday, the tenth day of July, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock p. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 8th day of June, A. D. 1905.

(SEAL) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.
j22-j29.

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REMIE LEFAIVRE.

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain building situate on Lot 5 in Block 5 of the Townsite of Brooks in said County.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, on Monday, the tenth day of July, A. D. 1905, at two o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and official seal this 8th day of June, A. D. 1905.

(SEAL) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.
j29-j22.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor of said County, in the City of Red Lake Falls on the eleventh day of July, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 14th day of June, 1905.

{ Seal of County Auditor } JAMES E. FORD,
{ Red Lake Co., Minn. } County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The undersigned Village Council of the Village of Plummer, which Village will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the drainage ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a drainage ditch along the following described route in the Town of Emardville in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility and is necessary for the following reasons, to-wit:

The drainage of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of said Township of Emardville and the establishing of a suitable road leading to and past the Village of Plummer in said County.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at a point about 50 rods west of the north-east corner of Section 13 in Township 151 North, of Range 42 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between Sections 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15 and 9 and 16 in said township to a point about thirty rods west of the North-east corner of the North-west quarter of said Section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet the Clearwater River.

And your petitioners pray that you will procced to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred and Thirty (230,) of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated May 24, 1905.

JULIUS PLETH, }
J. E. BUSKIRK, } Trustees.
H. H. FINROW, }

{ Corporate Seal,
{ Village of Plummer,
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JNO. M. REED, President.
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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

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THE RED FLAG OF REVOLT.

FLIES OVER POLAND AND THE CONDITION BECOMES INTENSE DAILY.

Blood Runs Red in Revolutionary City of Warsaw. Workmen Refusing to Strike are Speedily put to Death.

Warsaw, June 27.—Disorderly crowds have thronged the streets since early yesterday morning. They erected barricades at Ogrodowa, Krochmalna and Wrenia streets, on top of which they placed red flags. The police and soldiers stormed these barricades and ten persons were wounded by bullets or bayonets.

Another affray took place at Zealazna, where Cossacks charged the command and wounded three persons. On the Central market a crowd attacked a patrol with revolvers, to which the patrol replied with volleys, killing a boy and wounding three other persons.

Five workmen who had refused to strike were stabbed to death by their comrades. Revolutionary proclamations have been posted on the walk and 200 persons have been arrested.

A heavy rain fell all day and this is believed to have prevented more serious collisions.

A Social Democrat party and the Jewish bund announce that the fight against the government must continue, but it is believed that with the present show of military force, the situation will be controlled. Business is at a deadlock.

All the Polish newspapers have been forbidden to issue any editions.

The city is in a stage of siege. Patrols of cavalry and infantry are moving in every street.

In some of the streets the workmen tried to throw up baricades and resist the troops.

TORNADO.

An Entire Family Killed at Plankinton. Two men known to Be Dead at Artesian.

Mitchell, S. D., June 27.—A family of three, a father, mother and daughter were killed outright by flying timbers in a storm Saturday night at Plankinton, in Aurora county, and another family barely escaped with their lives. Their house was blown from its foundation and they took refuge in the cellar. Several business houses sustained damages from the wind.

The town of Artesian was also hit by a tornado. Only meager reports have been received, owing to the damage done to telephone and telegraph lines.

It is known, however, that two men were killed in the storm, and several houses wrecked.

The storm did not do much damage in this city; the precipitation amounted to 2 60 inches.

The names of the dead at Plankinton are: Mr. and Mrs. Walter John and infant.

They lived about four miles south of Plankinton. The mother and babe were killed instantly

The father was buried in the debris of his house and was taken out alive tweve hours after, but died Sunday noon.

Hopeless Case.

Sandstone, Minn., June 27.—Disheartened and hopeless, 300 citizens of Sandstone and a large number from the surrounding country have abandoned the search for the 2½-year-old son of Martin Benson, a farmer living north of town who wandered off into the woods from his home Thursday afternoon.

Bloodhounds owned by the Superior police department were brought to town on an early train and were operated at daybreak. Given the scent of the lost childs clothing, they worked for hours to catch a scent in the woods, but the heavy rains Friday night and early yesterday washed away the barefoot child's tracks.

Victory for Hill.

Ottawa, June 27.—James J. Hill and the Great Northern railway have secured a decided victory over the Canadian Pacific railway before the house of commons committee on railways by which the monopoly of the Canadian Pacific in southern British Columbia is practically broken. The victory, however, was won by a tie vote and when the result was announced hats flew in the air and the rooms echoed with cheers.

Strike.

New York, June 27.—About 600 boilermakers, ship fitters and their apprentices went on a strike yesterday from the yards of the John Robbins Shipbuilding company and the Robert White Shipbuilding and Repair company in Erie basin, Brooklyn.

Fatal Saloon Row.

Aberdeen, S. D., June 24.—Warner Marvin, a painter, who has lived here five years, was struck by a cuspidor thrown in a saloon fight. He died the next morning in his room, unattended. Jack Purcell, a local character known in many parts of the West, was arrested and charged with manslaughter. He claims he is innocent. Marvin interferred in a fight between Purcell and Edward Block, a bartender. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that Marvin met death from the blow he received.

TO HAVE FAIR TREATMENT

President Roosevelt Takes Steps to Insure It to Chinese Exempt from Immigration Laws.

Washington, June 26.—By direction of President Roosevelt, action has been taken by the administration which not only will facilitate the landing in this country of Chinese of the exempt classes, but will also eliminate from the emigration bureau such administrative features as have been the subject of criticism by Chinese. It is the declared intention of the president to see that Chinese merchants, travelers, students and others of the exempt classes shall have the same courtesy shown them by officers of the immigration bureau as is accorded to citizens of the most favored nation.

Representations have been made to the president that, in view of alleged harsh treatment accorded to many Chinese seeking a landing in the United States the commercial guilds of China have determined to institute a boycott on American manufactures. The representations, backed by the authority of the American Asiatic society and commercial bodies throughout the country, induced the president to make an investigation of the situation with a view to remedying the evils complained of, if they were found to exist.

In addition to the president's orders, Secretary Metcalf has issued instructions to the imimgration officers which, it is believed, will remedy the difficulty heretofore complained of by the Chinese government and individuals. It is anticipated that the prompt action taken by this government to meet the objections made by the Chinese will eliminate the possibility of serious trade difficulties between China and the manufacturers of this country.

BOWEN OUSTED.

President Directs Dismissal from Diplomatic Service of American Minister to Venezuela.

Washington, June 21.—The dismissal of Herbert W. Bowen, for some years United States minister to Venezuela, and the exoneration of Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Loomis, of the allegations brought against him by Mr. Bowen, are the outcome of the Loomis-Bowen controversy which has attracted wide attention for many months past. This disposition of the case is made by President Roosevelt in a letter addressed to Secretary Taft, made public Tuesday night, approving Mr. Taft's report on his findings and conclusions in the case. The president scathingly arraigns Minister Bowen, declaring that his conduct is "especially reprehensible," that Mr. Bowen asked one of his witnesses to enter the employ of a certain company for the purpose "in plain words, of stealing" documents which he hoped might incriminate Mr. Loomis, and that Mr. Bowen has "evidently for many months, indeed for the last two years, devoted himself" to hunting up scandal and gossip until it became a monomania and caused him "to show complete disloyalty" to the country he represented.

The president says he had hoped to promote Mr. Bowen, as during much of his service he had done good work, but that his usefulness in the diplomatic service is now at an end. The president adds that he would direct that Mr. Bowen's resignation be requested, but for his statement that he would consider a resignation an admission of misconduct and the dismissal is therefore ordered.

BASEBALL.

Progress of the Contest for Championship Honors—Standing of the Clubs.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	42	18	.705
Philadelphia	33	24	.579
Pittsburg	35	26	.574
Chicago	35	27	.565
Cincinnati	33	27	.550
St. Louis	25	35	.417
Boston	19	39	.328
Brooklyn	17	44	.279
American league:			
Cleveland	32	18	.640
Chicago	32	20	.615
Philadelphia	32	21	.604
Detroit	27	25	.519
Boston	23	26	.469
New York	20	30	.400
Washington	21	33	.389
St. Louis	20	34	.370

Placed Under Arrest.

Chicago, June 26.—Henry Wulff, former state treasurer, was arrested Saturday upon a United States warrant, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes. His association with the Continental Finance company and the Continental Financing company, limited, alleged "get-rich-quick" concerns, the former of which he served as president, brought him into the hands of the law, his associate, Justus W. Lobb, having been apprehended the night before. Wulff gave bail in the sum of $2,500.

French Banker Kills Himself.

Paris, June 26.—Georges Rodrigues, the banker, has committed suicide. It is stated that the financier lost heavily in the recent sharp decline in rents. The liabilities of his bank are given out as $2,000,000.

Charged with Spouse's Murder.

Richmond, Ind., June 26.—Mrs. George Keever, in jail here for shooting her husband, was Saturday charged with murder, Keever having died Saturday morning. The Keever home is at Pennville.

Session Ends.

Madison, Wis., June [illegible].—The Wisconsin legislature on Wednesday night adjourned sine die, closing the longest session in its history, [illegible] days.

GOPHER GOSSIP.

St. Paul.—Work on the new cathedral will be started next April.

Raymond.—Fire destroyed several business buildings in Raymond.

Sauk Center.—The brethren of the gospel hall held a general meeting here.

Duluth.—An increase of 50 per cent in the state's iron ore production is predicted.

Minneapolis.—The state immigration bureau is preparing for energetic work.

Moorhead.—The state drainage board lets contracts for $60,000 worth of ditches.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota retail liquor dealers open their eleventh annual convention.

St. Paul.—Dennis Reen, aged sixty-five, was struck and killed by a Milwaukee train at Duke street.

White Bear.—The White Bear Yacht club and the Minnetonka Boat club arrange a series of races.

St. Anthony Park.—H. E. Johnson, a Great Northern conductor, is found dead beside the railway tracks.

St. Paul.—The state food department organizes a detective service to cope with the box car merchants.

South St. Paul.—Robert Wright is suffering from blood poisoning as a result of having scratched a mosquito bite.

Washington.—Beginning the latter part of July several new rural mail routes probably will be established in Minnesota.

St. Paul.—There have been eighteen fires in the Fifth ward within a month that are supposed to be the work of firebugs.

Carver.—The St. Paul postal clerks held their annual picnic at Carver. Twelve coaches on the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad brought the visitors.

Fort Snelling.—Three thousand dollars has been appropriated by the quartermaster general of the army for the completion of the target range.

Eveleth.—The public schools closed with appropriate exercises. Miss Emily Scott, Edmond Berg and Earl Ellsworth were presented with high school diplomas.

South St. Paul.—The school board may be the defendant in a suit as the result of its decision a week ago to withdraw the $25,000 bond issue from the market.

Montrose.—W. E. Redmond's house was struck by lightning which went down the chimney, setting the house on fire and shocking Mrs. Redmond so that she fainted.

Frazee.—The village of Altona is rejoicing over the organization of the Farmers' State bank of Altona by L. W. Oberhauser of Frazee, who is to be the president.

Red Wing.—The Minnesota State Pentecostal association of the Methodist Episcopal church holds its annual camp meeting on the old camp grounds at Red Rock.

Elk River.—C. D. Crawford, the condemned murderer now awaiting death in the county jail, is to be taken to his execution place on a special train over the Northern Pacific.

Mankato.—The council of Mapleton has turned down a proposition made by Andrew Carnegie to give the village a $5,000 library in case it would agree to raise $500 annually to support it.

Bemidji.—Mrs. Jennie Wonzor of Bemidji, the colored woman who recently was advised that a fortune of $120,000 awaited her at Indianapolis, Ind., has retired from the working world.

Perham.—The Northern Pacific Brewing company, which was established by Peter Schweder thirty years ago, will hereafter be conducted by a stock company, with a capital of $60,000.

White Earth.—The first murder during the Indian celebration here, as the result of whisky, occurred when Joe Jordan shot Wise Ahvequay, of Red Land, in the right temple with a revolver. Jordan was arrested and is in the agency jail. Lamentation in the Red Lake camp was loud and pitiful.

Minneapolis.—State census officials who are watching the returns as they are received from the several cities and villages estimate that Minnesota's population will be between 1,850,000 and 1,900,000, an increase of over 100,000 from 1900. These officials were hopeful at the beginning of the census taking that the population would be between 1,950,000 and 2,000,000, but they now believe that it will fall short of these figures.

St. Paul.—Deputy Game Warden George Faber is making an unusually large number of seizures of fish at the union depot. Under a law passed by the last legislature, all shipments of fish must state on the package the names of the consignee and the consignor. It is said that this provision has been violated in several instances, and seizures have been made as a result. The fish is placed in cold storage, where it is offered for sale.

Winona.—The summer school for the counties of Winona, Wabasha, Olmsted and Fillmore opened at the normal school in this city with President Guy E. Maxwell of the normal in charge and a corps of eight instructors.

Le Sueur.—A number of the farmers in the neighborhood of Le Sueur have adopted the humane practice of putting large cakes of ice in their wagons when they haul hogs to market in hot weather. The hogs snuggle up to the cakes of ice and ride as coolly and comfortably as polar bears on an iceberg.

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OPTIMISM is noticeable everywhere regarding the prospect for good crops and good times this fall.

MANY of President Rossevelt's admirers are surprised and disappointed in his attempt to shield Paul Morton.

THE Minneapolis Journal's political writer declares that Senator Brower will go after Congressman Blackman's scalp next year.

PARAPHRASING a well-known expression, the Republicans of Minnesota are going to have harmony if they are obliged to fight for it.

THE Windom Reporter says that when a man lives beyond his income he is on dangerous ground, but when he lives beyond his credit he is "all in."

IT is generally admitted to be a hard task to find someone to defeat Governor Johnson. Since the governor is "making good," what's the use trying?

IT is a happy suggestion that Jimmy Garfield be delegated to investigate the Equitable. Jimmy was so successful in bringing the beef trust to time, you know.

A SOUTHERN Minnesota newspaper has discovered that the late lamented state senate was controlled by the corporations. Surely there is some mistake about this!

MENTOR, Ohio, birthplace of James A. Garfield, is again brought into prominence by the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited, the fastest train in the world.

YOUNG Rockfeller does not deen it necessary to defend his father. He is right. The old gentleman is able to retain good lawyers for that purpose, observes the St. Cloud Times.

THOMAS W. LAWSON, who continues to jolt "the system," will deliver addresses at Albert Lea and St. Paul early in July. Lots of people will have a desire to hear the famous critic of high finance.

THERE is some apprehension that the capitol commission may finish its labors within the two years alloted. Several times recently three or four men have been working all day on the capitol approaches.

THE new appointers on the state board of equalization are exceptionally clean and able men. Prominent among them are E. T. Champlin of Vernon Center, speaker of the fusion house in 1893; Thomas J. Meighen of Forestville, long prominent in public life and once Peoples' party candidate for governor; ex-Sentor Daly of Renville, and H. L. Shirley of Breckenridge, Democratic candidate for state treasurer in 1902.

MANY of the counties in southern Minnesota have decreased in population, and the Lakefield Standard sends forth the Macedonian cry for more Roosevelt anti-race-suicide Republicans.

NEW YORK legislators receive $1,500 per session, and the Chicago News remarks that out of this sum several of the members are said to have laid by recently between $25,000 and $50,000.

DULUTH wants the state auditorship next year. By the way, the steel trust is never modest in its demands, and it would be mighty convenient to control the auditing bureau of the state government.

SOMETHING is doing now in Minnesota politics. The Hon. William E. Verity, president of the legislative office-holders' league, has been named for governor by the Chaska Review. We trust Editor Dehuel already has in his order for the private secretaryship.

EARLY census returns show that none of the southern counties have increased materially in population during the past five years and many show an actual decrease. The three great cities and the northern counties, however, are expected to show handsome gains and increase the state's population from 1,700,000 to near the two million mark.

A WOMAN who had been a successful teacher in St. Paul schools was found starving on the streets, says the Fairmont Sentinel. She passed the dead line when she was fifty and was dropped. She tried to make a living by sewing, but could not. The last week she had lived on three crackers. This was an extreme case but it truthfully illustrates the conditions under which teachers may expect to enter life's work. They become back numbers at 50 or sooner.

THE state census is going to be a disappointment to the Red River valley counties. Up here it was expected that large increasee would be shown over the Federal count, but the scattering townships already reported from Norman, Polk, Red Lake and Marshall counties show an actual loss, and it is doubtful if the cities and villages have grown enough to counter-balance the losses in the country districts. It is hard to account for this condition. There is every evidence of growth and progress in the Valley, but if figures do not lie the net increase of population will not be nearly so large as anticipated.

WHERE IS THE LIMIT?

THE corporations have learned that they cannot control the editorial columns of the country newspapers. The country editor is an independent chap; he cannot be driven to the support of a cause that lacks justice. But the corporations are not to be thwarted because of this fact. They are reaching the country papers indirectly. Nearly one-half of the Minnesota papers use "patent insides" furnished by the Northwestern Newspaper Union of St. Paul. That is, this concern prints four pages of nearly half the country papers and control absolutely the advertisements and reading matter thereon. Recently a column defense of the methods of the beef trust, prepared by some skilled attorney, was given widespread circulation through this agency; and now the railroads are exploiting the dangers of goverment control and regulation of rates by means of this convenient medium.

The country editor is thus made to stand sponsor for views entirely at variance with those expressed on the home-print side. All he can do is to make apology to his readers and explain his inability to control his own paper. But how long is the patient and suffering country scribe going to submit to this imposition? Is there no relief from this infamous practice?

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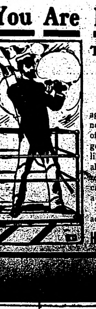

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THE COUNTY IN GENERAL.

There was a dairymen's picnic at Plummer on Tuesday.

Thief River Falls papers claim a population of over 3,000.

St. Hilaire boys are thought to be stealing small articles about town.

The Mentor band will furnish the music for Plummer's fourth of July celebration.

There will be a Swedish mission festival at Plummer beginning July 1st and continuing two or three days.

A hobo held up and robbed a stranger at the Soo depot at Thief River Falls one evening last week.

Plummer wants a pig for its fourth of July celebration. They will grease it and the man who catches it can keep it.

A pole climbing contest, will be one of the attractions at Plummer's celebration next Tuesday. A fine ham is the prize.

J. M. Reed, furniture dealear at Plummer, has shipped his stock to Thief River Falls where he will close it out at auction.

J. E. Buskirk, of Plummer, has moved his family from Red Lake Falls and they will make their home at Plummer hereafter.

George Kelsey, Thief River's base ball pitcher, played a game with Crookston's professional team against Winnepeg last week. He lost his game but pitched a good game.

John Mudlner, one of the crew that has been putting up telegraph poles along the Soo, met with a painful accident at Plummer one day last week. While getting water at a wind mill his foot got caught in the gearing, badly crushing it. He was taken to Thief River Falls for treatment.

Deserve a Free Government.

Albert Lea Standard; Gov. John A. Johnson, an American son of Swedish parents, beleives that the Norwegians will secure the separate government they desire by peaceful means, but that the two nations would do best by forming a complete union. The governor was asked to give his opinion as to the present crisis. He said: "I hope and believe that there will be no serious difficulty between Norway and Sweden. It seems to me that the interests of Norway and Sweden are so nearly akin, and the people themselves so nearly alike, that a complete union of the people into one nation, giving all the people equal rights, would be to the best interests of all concerned. However, I believe that any people in any country are entitled to that form of government which they desire."

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The feeling of impending doom in the minds of many victims of Bright's disease and diabetes has been changed to thankfulness by the benefit derived from taking Foley's Kidney Cure. It will cure incipient Bright's disease and diabetes and even in the worst cases gives comfort and relief. Slight disorders are cured in a few days, "I had diabetes in the worst form" writes Marion Lee of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure mode me a well man." A. L. Riechert

St. Cloud Census Trouble.

St. Cloud, Stearns county, is having a fine young civil war to itself over the state census. The present trouble is the sequal of a similar domestic ruction which broke out into full bloom five years ago at the time of the national census.

The saloonkeepers and their henchmen form one party and they fear the town will show a population of 10,000. On the other side, the elite of the village and the antisalooners, are out to make the town over 10,000. The cansus belli is the matter of saloon license. If the town shows 10,000, the license may be increased from $500 to $1,000, which accounts for the activity of the beer-store proprietors.

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Summer Training School.

The Red Lake County Summer School will begin July 5th in the high school building in Red Lake Falls and will continue in session four (4) weeks of six (6) days each, making a total of twenty-four (24 days of school, with the following corps of instructors: Prof. C S Yeager of Foston as conductor, with Adolph Olson of Brandon, Mrs. W. A. McIntyre of Red Lake Falls, and Eudell Everdell of Moorhead as assistants.

Mr. Yeager and Mrs. McIntyre are too well known to the teachers of Red Lake county to need any introduction. Mr. Olson is a specialist in the branches he will teach, having taken a special course in those studies at the Chicago University. Mrs. Everdell comes direct from the Moorhead Normal and will teach the same subjects at the summer school which she taught at the normal school.

All branches required by law for first and second grade state certificates will be taught.

During the session evening lectures will be delivered by State Supt. J. W. Olson, Pres. Frank A. Weld and other prominent educators of the state.

A report of the school will be published in the county papers at the close of the session, which will contain the names of all teachers who receive certificates of perfect attendance, also the number of days each teacher attends, as well as the names of teachers who do not attend.

State teachers examinations will be held Aug. 3, 4 and 5.

You are requested to bring any text book you may have treating on any of the subjects required for second or first grade certificates.

All parties desiring any aid in securing board or rooms should write me as soon as possible or call at my office in the court house on arriving in the city.

The summer school affords a splendid opportunity for teachers to improve both in scholarship and methods of teaching and all teachers as well as those who expect to teach the coming year are expected to attend.

H. T. McAnulty, Co. Supt.

Dated Red Lake Falls, June 22. 1905.

Commissioners Proceedings.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., June 20, 1905.

Pursuant to the order of the Dist. Court of the 14th Judicial District, dated June 6, 1905, requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, to meet at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County on June 20, 1905, to act on and consider the petition for the removal of the County Seat of said county to the City of Thief River Falls, or show cause before the Court in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, on the 11th day of July, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., why such action was not taken, Commissioners Shaw and Johnson appeared at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minn., at one o'clock p. m.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Johnson.

On roll call the following members were present: O. J. Johnson, Commissioner 3d district, and Daniel Shaw, Commissioner 4th district.

No quorum being present, the Chairman declared the meeting adjourned.

(SEAL) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

ST. HILAIRE.

[From the Spectator.]

Norman Aimer left for Crookston last Monday, where he will attend the teacher's training school.

Manager Sivertson, of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company, was a business visitor here on Thursday.

Bank Examiner O'Hern was here a couple of days the first of the week inspecting the local banks.

Miss Edith Dahl left last Monday for Moorhead where she will attend the teacher's training school at the Normal for a six week's term.

Emil J. Holmer, of Cannon Falls, and Julius Pleth, of Plummer, were here a couple of days the first of the week with a party of land seekers.

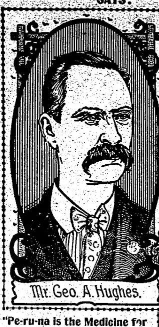
Miss Eva Johnson and Miss Huldah Gigstad went over to Grand Forks last week to take in the commencement exercises of the Grand Forks College. Miss Johnson returned home on Wednesday and Miss Gigstad went down to Moorhead, where she will attend the teacher's summer training school.

The Modern Brotherhood of America Lodge was organized last Saturday evening with twenty-four members by Organizer D. D. Horton. H. O. Jackson was chosen president, H. E. Ives vice president, Jas. McAndrews secretary, Mrs. K. R. Killand, chaplin, Miss Eva Corno conductor, A. S. Wilson treasurer, and A. F. Blomberg, physician.

Everyone will be pleased to know that the St. Hiliare creamery is making a new record this year. At present they are making more butter, getting a higher premium on the New York market and are paying more to the farmers for butter fat than any creamery in Northern Minnesota. They have been turning out about 90 tubs of butter a week lately and on last Tuesday had the banner churning of the season. They had to churn four times that day and made 2000 pounds of butter. This is in the neighborhood of [illegible]

MR. GEO. A. HUGHES SAYS:

"I FEEL AS GOOD AS I DID AT 20."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"Pe-ru-na is the Medicine for the Poor Man."

Mr. Geo. A. Hughes, 808 Mass. Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes:

"Peruna has done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I am forty-five years old now, and feel as good as I did at 20. I was very thin and run down, but Peruna acted just right in my case. I am a carpenter and some times need a tonic. Peruna is the medicine for a poor man."--Geo. A. Hughes.

A Congressman Uses Pe-ru-na in His Family.

Hon. Thos. J. Henderson, Member of Congress from Illinois, and Lieutenant in the Union Army for eight years, writes from the Lemon building, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Peruna has been used in my family with the very best results and I take pleasure in recommending your valuable remedy to my friends as a tonic and an effective cure for catarrh."--Thos. J. Henderson.

Catarrh assumes different phases in different seasons of the year. In the early summer systemic catarrh is most prevalent. That tired, all worn out feeling in nine cases out of ten is due to a catarrhal condition of the mucous membranes. Peruna cleanses the mucous membranes and cures the catarrh wherever located.

There are no remedies for catarrh just as good as Peruna. Accept no substitutes.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble [illegible]

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SW ¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire, 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy trems. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it at once and write me. D. M. Frederiksen 172 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

Ten Weeks in a Hospital.

Mr. Christ Short of Phillips, Wisconsin writes: [illegible]

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Where are you going to celebrate?

Follow the band to St. Hilaire July 4th.

Miss Alice Boyd is reported on the sick list.

Of course you are going to St. Hilaire next Tuesday.

Henry Roux was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Miss Elida Peterson spent Sunday at her home near Wylie.

Prof. A. Onstad was at Bemidji over Sunday visiting friend.

The Big Store has a new clerk in the person of Walter Buse.

Several children about the city are wrestling with the mumps.

Wm. Erb was in from the reservation the first of the week.

Atty. McIntyre was a Grand Forks business visitor yesterday.

Joseph Helm was at Grand Forks yesterday attending the circus.

Ole Hage and wife, of Wyandotte, were county seat visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Doe is expected home from Galesburg, N. D., to-morrow.

Earnest Gerlach was at Thief River Falls Monday taking in the circus.

Marcus Johnson arrived in the city yesterday for a short business stay.

Carl Schusser visited relatives at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Judge Knight visited relatives at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

The hardest rain of the season visited this section yesterday afternoon.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman was down rom Thief River Falls over Tuesday night.

The Odd Fellows lodge will install their new officers next Saturday night.

J. B. Armstrong went to St. Hilaire this morning on a business mission.

Louis Halvorson, Wyandotte's assessor, was a county seat caller Tuesday.

Carl Kreuger is at Bemidji this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Huyton.

Mrs. P. O. Floan visited the Tandberg home at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Sherriff Linnihan was among those who took in the circus at Thief River Falls Monday.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

Messrs. Wm. and Henry Roux leave to-day for Northwest Canada where they have claims.

Mrs. K. M. Hansen visited old friends and attended the circus at Thief River Falls Monday.

S. O. Sortedahl transacted business in the eastern part of the county the first of the week.

State Librarian King is in the city for a visit with old friends and to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Misen were at Grand Forks yesterday taking in the Forepaugh-Sells circus.

Miss Grace Parker, of Marshall, Lyon county, is a guest of the Chas. N. Bourdon home this week.

There was a dancing party at the K. of P. hall Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Cushing of Tracy.

Next Sunday evening D. K. Lourie of Crookston, will preach at the Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock.

Joseph Fournier, one of the substantial farmers of Terrebonne, is building a house on his farm.

"Butch, Clem" and "Nitch" Brunelle remained at Blackduck after the tournament visiting their brother and sister. They returned home the first of the week.

Street Commissioner Deforge has put in several new street crossings the past week.

Wm. Eickhoff, the St. Hilaire ditch contractor, was a county seat visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Samuel Gibeau was among those who attended the circus at Grand Forks yesterday.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen visited friends at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Freund's orchestra furnished the music for the dance at Brooks celebration Monday evening.

A. O. Davidson and family came down from Wylie Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Tibbetts.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday on official business.

Go to Spillane's New Confectionery Store for your finest Candies and Cigars corner 3rd and Main St.

Mrs. I. D. Converse returned from Cass Lake Saturday where she visited Mr. Converse for a week.

The Busy Store quotes special prices on a number of staple articles in their adv this week. Look it up.

Harry Healy dropped off at Mentor on his return from Blackduck and remained over Sunday at Maple Lake.

The Great Northern will give the usual fourth of July excursion rates. For particulars enquire of Agent Tracy.

Moses Berboncer, of Grand Forks, arrived in the city Saturday for a week's visit with his daughters and friends.

The commencement exercises of St. Joseph's school will take place at the Metropolitan opera house this evening.

Wm. Roux returned home Tuesday from York, North Dakota, where he had been at work on the railroad,

The Great Northern trains now run through to Greenbush, the new order going into effect Monday morning.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy is visiting old friends at Hillsboro, North Dakota, this week. She will return the first of the week.

Auditor Ford was at Crookston Tuesday evening where he was called as a witness in the county seat case.

The new office building of the Bourdon Land Co. is about completed and it will make comfortable quarters for the firm.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Ole Mikkleson is confined to his home by an attack of typhoid fever. His many friends trust that he may soon recover.

Miss Laura Lizee finished her term of school in Lambert last week and is at her home in this city for the summer vacation.

The Red Lake Falls band will furnish music at St. Hilaire July 4th Needless to say there will be plenty of good music.

Roy Blake is acting as line man for the local telephone exchange now days, beginning his new duties the first of the week.

N. O. Tyrhelm, of New Richland, returned to his home last evening after a two week's visit at the Floan home in this city.

Attorneys McIntyre, Grady and Boughton, "the three students," were at Crookston Tuesday evening on legal business.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Need a new suit for the 4th? Try the Big Store. You will not only find something nobby but the price will suit you.

Enjoy your summer vacation by wearing a Douglas shoe. They wear, have style and fit, $3.00 and $3.50 Garceau and Zaiser.

I will have a car of fine horses in Red Lake Falls about July 4th. All good size and you can buy them at your own prices.—Louis Sieff.

Geo. Cyr, of Buena Vista, Baltrami county, returned to his home Tuesday after a few days visit here with his sister, Mrs. A. J. LaPlante.

Mrs. Herman Bishoff was in the city last week visiting old friends. She will make her home at Thief River Falls during the summer.

Log driver Sullivan has had a crew of men at this place and St. Hilaire this week. A good sized drive is on its way to the Grand Forks mill.

St. Hilaire has made all arrangements for a monster celebration July 4th. If you enjoy a good time by all means go to that lively little city.

Geo. Hennings is the possessor of a fine new boat recently purchased of the log drivers. He is building a boat house on the Clearwater river.

Verne Healy is now employed in his father's real estate office, having completed the course in shorthand at the Crookston Business College.

Blackduck American: S. A. Swanson, one of the prominent Democratic politicians of Red Lake Falls, was among the firemen visitors from that town.

Miss Albena Lemieux attended the Forepaugh-Sells circus at Grand Forks yesterday. She will remain in that city for some time and visit friends.

State Bank Examiner O'Heran was in the city last week looking over the local banks. As was to be expected he found them in first class condition.

The German Lutheran church at Wylie is raffleing a quilt, the proceeds from the sale of tickets to be used in decorating the interior of the church.

Hallock wanted Harry Healy to play base ball with them July 3rd and 4th., but he decided to stay at home and help the band at St. Hilaire on the fourth.

Only one week more before the 4th. We have put in a new line of summer goods especially for the occasion. Come to the Big Store for your 4th wants.

Ed. Mosselin, one of Fertile's bankers, passed through the city Monday on his way to Thief River Falls where he went to attend the wedding of a cousin.

W. A. Arthur, the popular landlord of the Markham hotel at St. Hilaire, passed through the city Saturday morning on his way home from an extended trip.

W. C. Schrieter was at Thief River Falls the first of the week. He is interested in the power plant at that place and has had extensive improvements made this summer.

A number of our young people attended the circus at Thief River Falls Monday. They report the show as being good and say a large crowd was in attendance.

Miss Viola Longtin arrived in the city from St. Paul Saturday and will visit her mother for a month. She has been making her home with the King family in the Saintly City.

Miss Rose Cyr, who has been teaching school at Buena Vista, Baltrami county, the past year, arrived home Friday and will spend the summer vacation at this place.

All members of the M. B. A lodge are requested to attend a meeting on Monday evening, July 3, at 8 o'clock, as business of importance will be transacted that evening.

A series of special sermons on the Apostles' creed will be begun by Paster Knox at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. The first subject will be "What is God?"

Mrs. Sophia Busch is having a comfortable home built on her Champagne Ave. property. The new structure will add greatly to the appearance of that part of the city.

J. L. Boire, who has been employed as stenographer by the Ed. L. Healy Land Co. and Germo & Farley, left Tuesday for Crookston where he will look for a position.

The city council met as a board of equalization Monday, concluding their labors in that capacity yesterday. A few changes in the personal property assessments were made.

THE STURDY OAK

has its beginning with the implanted acorn. Likewise the Tree of Fortune takes root with the opening of a Savings Account. With us One Dollar is sufficient to start an account. Smaller or larger deposits may follow.

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Your boys play marbles, if so buy them a pair of hose supporters. Saves you a lot of mending.

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Ribbons:—Just received a beautiful lot of Parisian Ribbons, all shades.

Shirts:—We are showing a very handsome line of them, very newest. If you intend taking a vacation a Mohair or Panama is surely the best.

Garceau & Zaiser

The City Meat Market has a new adv in this week's issue of the COURIER. Mr. Sauer's business has been steadily growing and he wishes to increase it by judicious publicly.

Miss Daisy Vietz, a former school teacher of this place, was married at her home at Hennings last week to Mr. Earl Gates, of Moorhead. Her many friends here wish her happiness.

John Ford, of Northwood, North Dakota, was in the city over Sunday visiting his brother, County Auditor Fork. He reports an abundance of rain in his section of the country this season.

A number of Red Lake Falls citizens were at Brooks last Saturday taking in St. John's celebration. They report a good time and say the town entertained its visitors in a royal manner.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall expects to leave next week for a month's trip in the west. She will visit the Portland exposition and the Yellowstone Park besides other points of interest in the Northwest.

Louis Sieff went to Devils Lake, North Dakota, Monday. From that place he may go to Omaha before his return. He is off on a horse buying tour and expects to return home with a fine bunch of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bliven, of Milton, North Dakota, returned to their home yesterday after spending a week in the city visiting relatives. They were guests of Mrs. Bliven's father, Tennis Lemieux.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Demarist went to St. Paul Tuesday evening to visit relatives until after the Fourth of July. Mr. Demarist was one of the first settlers of this section, having been here twenty-nine years.

Berthon & Armstrong occupy the entire front page of the COURIER this week announcing some special prices for the Fourth of July trade. You would do well to take advantage of the good things they are offering.

Miss Ida and Emma and Master Theo. Tandberg, of Thief River Falls, were guests at the Joseph Helm home over Monday night. The young people were on their way to attend a wedding at Northwood, N. D.

The city is decorated with Fourth of July posters announcing celebrations at St. Hilaire and Plummer. No doubt both towns will entertain large crowds, and Red Lake Falls will be well represented at both places.

Eleven of the twenty-six assessors of the county had filed their work with the auditor up to last evening. The complete returns will probably be in this week as soon as the different boards of equalization complete their labors.

Editor Ives of the St. Hilaire Spectator passed through the city Monday evening on his way to Crookston where he went to try to arrange for a special train on this branch of the Great Northern for the fourth of July.

The COURIER prints a fine grist of news this week from Deer Park, one of the reservation neighborhoods. We hope the correspondent will keep up his good work, and we also hope to receive the news from other points in the country in the near future.

The Great Northern is enjoying an immense freight business on this branch these days. It is found necessary to double the grade south of the depot most every evening, the trains being too heavy to haul at one time.

J. Drew Marshall is overhauling the electric light company's system this week. The poles are being straightened, all wires tightened and repaired and everything put in first class condition. Ralph Healy and Wm. Ittner are assisting in the work.

P. F. Pouliot and A. P. Toupin, who are enjoying the sights of the exposition at Portland, are expected home within a week or ten days. Letters from them indicate that they are having a great time and enjoying their vacation immensely.

For style and quality in shoes go to the Big Store. King Quality for men, St. Cecelia for women at $3.50, Saranac at $2.50, are qualities that our competitors cannot approach. Try us once and we will show you that we lead in the shoe business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Benoit returned from North Yakama, Washington, Monday where they enjoyed a two months visit with relatives. They spent most of their time with their son-in-law, Alfont Paradis, a former resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pleth were in the city Monday morning on their way home from Ada where they visited friends. Mr. Pleth reports that the farmers about Ada have played a poor luck this year, the crops being drowned out.

Miss Cushing, who visited her sister, Mrs. Chamberlain, for the past month, returned to her home at Tracy yesterday. The young lady made many friends while in the city who will be glad to have her return for a longer stay.

J. B. Suprenault, of Terrebonne, received a check last week for $1,000 from the Women's Catholic Order of Forresters. It will be remembered Mrs. Suprenault died suddenly some weeks ago. She was insured in this order and the management is to be congratulated upon the prompt payment of claims.

Red Lake Falls had a fire scare Wednesday afternoon. A barrel of tar in the rear of F. F. Fruend's restaurant caught fire and sent up a volume of smoke that would have done credit to a block of buildings ablaze. Fortunately nothing was in proximity to the tar and the fire was easily put out.

The Red Lake Falls band made a name for itself at Blackduck last week. Words of praise and commendation were heard on every hand and the town was advertised far and near by the organization. Bemidji thought so well of the band that they offered $500 to the management to play at that town July 4th. As the boys had promised to go to St. Hilaire the offer was declined.

We have a great many inquiries from ladies wishing to know where they can have their old carpets made into rugs by a reliable concern. We are pleased to recommend the Mples. Carpet Cleaning & Rug Factory, at 112 4.th St. No., Minneapolis, Minn. We consider them thoroughly reliable and their work is high grade in every respect.

Miss Anna Smith, who is widely known among the church workers in the Northwest, will hold services in the Bowery district of Duluth this week. She will be assisted by Miss Nellie Read who is a singer of more than ordinary ability. The young women have been doing revival work at Grand Rapids where they were favorably received. Miss Smith will probably retire at the close of the year as she is to be married Christmas, after which she will devote her time to literary work.

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LAKE SHORE FAST TRAIN MEETS WITH DISASTER AT MENTOR, O.

Thrown from Track While Running at Rate of 50 or 60 Miles an Hour—Ninneteen Persons Are Killed and Many Injured.

Mentor, O., June 22.—Running at the rate of 50 or 60 miles an hour, the Twentieth Century Limited on the Lake Shore railroad dashed into an open switch at the passenger station here shortly before ten o'clock Wednesday night. Nineteen persons were killed and many badly injured. The combination baggage and smoking buffet car and the coach behind it caught fire and were destroyed. The train was east-bound, having left Cleveland about nine o'clock and as it does not stop here it was running at great speed. The engineer did not notice the open switch until the train struck it. The engine left the rails and plowed into the ground, tearing up the track for yards. The two coaches following it jammed into it with great force and were crushed, the fire from the engine setting them ablaze. Fortunately most of the occupants of these two coaches were rescued before the fire reached them. The Lake Shore officials at once summoned all the doctors within reach, a number coming from Cleveland. The dead and injured were taken care of and sent on a special train to Cleveland, where they will be placed in hospitals.

This was the fourth trip of the flyer on its run from Chicago to New York on an 18-hour schedule. The train was the fastest long-distance train in the world. It was the pride of the New York Central system. The train hauled out of Cleveland five cars, four Pullman cars behind the buffet car.

The Victims.

The dead: John R. Bennett, attorney, No. 31 Nassau street, New York city; John A. Bradley, of the law firm of Rowley, Rogers, Bradley & Rockwell, Akron, O.; T. R. Morgan, second vice president of the Wellman-Seavers-Morgan company, Cleveland; C. H. Wellman, of the Wellman-Seavers-Morgan company, Cleveland, died in hospital; A. L. Rogers, of New York city, representative of the Platt Iron works, of Dayton, O., died in hospital; S. C. Beckwith, No. 115 One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, New York; A. H. Head, London, England, representative of the Otis Steel company, of Cleveland, died in hospital; H. H. Wright, traveling man, Chicago, died in hospital; D. E. Arthur, traveling man, Milwaukee, died in hospital; J. H. Gibson, Chicago, traveling man, died in hospital, Cleveland; H. C. Mechling, New York city, with the Wheeling Corrugated company, killed in wreck; L. M. Eirick, manager Keith's theater, Cleveland, killed in wreck; E. E. Naugle, Chicago, proprietor of a railway supply house, killed in wreck; two as yet unidentified dead, supposed to be L. A. Johnson, of the millinery firm of Coney & Johnson, Cleveland, and Henry Trinz, the barber on the train; Allan Tyler, engineer, Collinwood, O., died in hospital; F. J. Brant, head-brakeman, No. 2012 Ash street, Erie, Pa., died in hospital; N. B. Walters, baggageman, Hamburg, N. Y., died in hospital; W. D. Mickey, porter on Pullman car, Chicago, died at scene of wreck.

The injured: J. H. Langdon, Chicago; R. C. Cordeaugh, Kay Cottage, Highlands, N. J.; M. J. Kennedy, San Francisco, slightly hurt; Kate Trott, Chicago; Mrs. H. D. Turner, nervous shock; Theodore Keuhl, No. 1511 Wolfram street, Chicago, severe shock; W. H. Colvin, No. 182 LaSalle street, Chicago, thought not to be seriously hurt; George Murray, No. 1018 George street, St. Louis, thought not to be seriously hurt; A. E. Dickson, No. 645 Marquette building, Chicago, knee wrenched; Nathan Allen, Kenosha, Wis., back slightly injured; S. T. Katy, No. 5022 Paulina street, Chicago, pain in chest and back; A. P. Gorham, fireman, side injured, Collinwood, O.

Suspects Maliciousness.

Cleveland, O., June 23.—D. C. Moon, assistant general superintendent of the Lake Shore road, stated late Wednesday night that it looked as though the Mentor wreck had been caused by malicious mischief. He said that a fast passenger train had passed over the switch safely three-quarters of an hour before the Twentieth Century was wrecked. Immediately after the wreck occurred it was found that the switch was locked open, so that no train could pass it without being thrown from the track.

Reward Offered.

Cleveland, O., June 24.—The Lake Shore Railway company has offered a reward of $2,000 for the arrest or for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons responsible for the wreck of the Twentieth Century limited at Mentor.

State Railroad Commissioner J. C. Morris, who Friday started an investigation of the wreck is quoted as saying that the switch was undoubtedly open, and that some one set it that way just a short time before the flyer struck it.

Former Governor Dies.

Austin, Tex., June 24.—Former Gov. Frank R. Lubbock died here Thursday night, aged 90 years. Gov. Lubbock suffered a stroke of paralysis last Tuesday. He had been on the personal staff of Jefferson Davis and was [illegible]

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I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

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Now is your chance to make the delightful trip to California for just one half of the expense incurred in making the trip at any other time. Dont postpone for you may not soon again be offered the low rate of $25 to San Francisco, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Diego and many other California points.

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A GOOD TIME
ON THE
4th of JULY

is what you need. It pays to get out of the rut occasionally. Get out and have the mental cobwebs brushed away. There are many places to which you can go and spend the day very enjoyably. An exceptionally fine assortment of pleasure places are located along the

Northern Pacific Railway

The local agent will be very glad to tell you about the various resorts, the rates in effect for the occasion and assist you in any manner possible. If you wish to GO HOME for the Fourth ask about rates, dates of sale and limits of tickets.

F. A. MIZEN, Agent, Red Lake Falls, Minn.
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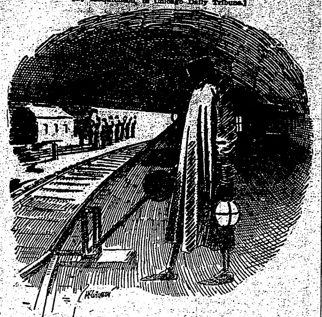
VERY LOW RATES

"THE ETERNITY FLYER."

[By McCutcheon, in Chicago Daily Tribune.]



REIGN OF TERROR EXISTS IN LODZ

CITY IN RUSSIAN POLAND IS THE SCENE OF ANOTHER GREAT HORROR.

Cossacks and Strikers Meet in Bloody Battle Lasting the Best Part of Three Days, During Which Hundreds Are Killed and Wounded.

Lodz, Russian Poland, June 26.—"Black Friday" in Lodz surpassed all the horrors of "Red Sunday" in St. Petersburg. While it is not yet possible to ascertain the exact number of the victims, estimates place the number of victims as high as 2,000. Of these, 300 strikers and 60 troops were killed.

Vengeance Cause of Rioting.

The troubles here were initiated by the social democrats and Jewish bund, who determined to avenge their comrades killed in the rioting on Wednesday.

Thursday, the feast of Corpus Christi passed off quietly, but during the night workmen attacked the patrols. In this fighting two officers and seven Cossacks were killed. One of the latter was shot by a girl of 13 years.

At dawn Friday commenced a day of terror, given up to bloodshed. Anarchy and fierce street fighting prevailed all day. Two bombs were thrown from the crowd into the barracks, killing or wounding 20 soldiers. This started the shedding of blood, which continued until after nightfall.

All the factory hands then struck and flocked into the streets. Cossacks, dragoons and infantry charged the dense, surging mobs time after time firing volley after volley into the serried mass. The rioters later replied with revolvers, while their comrades on roofs and in windows joined in the fusillade. Some dashed vitriol from points of vantage upon the troopers in the streets below. The burning fluid drove its victims into a frenzy and led to scenes of a terrible character.

Dead Scattered About Streets.

The dead were carted off to the cemeteries in military wagons, the troops acting as undertakers. But Saturday morning many dead and wounded were still lying in the streets and courtyards. The casualties Saturday add 18 killed or wounded to Friday's appalling total.

Many Isolated Attacks.

The most serious phase of the fighting between the military and strikers is at an end, but there are still isolated attacks in the suburbs. At Baluty Sunday morning Cossacks attacked a Jewish family of five persons who were driving in a cab to the railway station and shot and killed all, including the cabman. At Pabjanice, near Lodz, workmen attacked two policemen and shot and killed one and wounded the other. There is a general exodus from Lodz. Twelve thousand persons have already left, and all trains are crowded.

Biggest Lake Boat Launched.

Chicago, June 26.—The steamer William E. Corey, a duplicate of the Elbert H. Gary, the largest boat plying the great lakes, was launched Saturday at the yards of the Chicago Shipbuilding company. The Corey is one of the largest freighters in the world, being 569 feet long, 56 feet beam, 32 feet depth, and a carrying capacity of 12,000 to 14,000 gross tons.

Dies in Auto Crash.

New York, June 26.—One man dead, three seriously injured and three others cut and bruised is the result of the automobile accident in Jerome avenue. The wreck occurred before the gates of Woodlawn cemetery. Paul Foster, whose skull was fractured, and who died soon after reaching the hospital, is said to have been a native of Boston.

Kills Daughter and Self.

Findlay, O., June 26.—Despondent over a long illness, Mrs. Alois Shields, aged 35 years, Saturday shot and killed her 12-year-old daughter, Nellie, and then killed herself with the same [illegible]

MRS. ROGERS REPRIEVED.

New Lease of Life Is Granted Woman Condemned to Death in Vermont.

Battleboro, Vt., June 23.—A reprieve until December 8 for Mrs. Mary A. Rogers, the condemned murderess, was signed Thursday by Gov. Charles J. Bell, and for the third time the woman who was to have been hanged at Windsor to-day for killing her husband has been saved through the operation of the governor's power of staying the execution. Thursday's reprieve was granted in order that the case may be carried to the supreme court of the United States on constitutional questions, which were raised at a hearing before Judge Hoyt H. Wheeler, sitting as a justice of the United States circuit court. Mrs. Rogers' attorneys petitioned for her release on a writ of habeas corpus. The court declined to grant the petition, but suggested that the points of law raised by the petitioner were such as to be passed upon by the supreme court of the country. The refusal of the judge to grant the writ was at once followed by the filing of an appeal. Judge Wheeler thereupon announced that he would render his decision on the question of appeal late in the afternoon, in order to give Gov. Bell an opportunity to reprieve Mrs. Rogers. Thursday afternoon Judge Wheeler received a telegraphic message from Gov. Bell at White River Junction announcing that Mrs. Rogers had been reprieved. The judge at once signed the paper which gave to Mrs. Rogers the legal right to have her case heard by the supreme court of the United States.

PRAISES MORTON.

President Exonerates Him from Guilt in Santa Fe Rebate Case and Pays High Tribute.

Washington, June 23.—A remarkable letter expressing confidence and esteem has been written by President Theodore Roosevelt to Paul Morton, who is about to retire as secretary of the navy. The letter is of the Rooseveltian type, and abounds with candid words of admiration and expressions indicating the president's steadfast faith in Mr. Morton, both as a railroad official and member of the cabinet. Mr. Morton emerges from the controversy growing out of alleged illegal acts on the part of the Santa Fe railway and the Colorado Fuel & Iron company with President Roosevelt's unequivocal indorsement of his career both as a business man and public official.

President Roosevelt, in his letter to the attorney-general, voices cordial approval of that official's act in connection with the attempt to get the federal government to prosecute the officers of the Santa Fe Railroad company, of which Paul Morton was one prior to his entering the president's official family. The president asserts that his examination of the evidence has demonstrated "that neither the interstate commerce commission nor the special counsel you have employed have developed a single fact of any kind, beyond the holding of their offices, tending to implicate any one of those officers."

Michigan Bank Closed.

Kalamazoo, Mich., June 24.—The Vicksburg Exchange bank, of Vicksburg, 12 miles south of this city, closed its doors Friday. The bank is a private institution, and has been in business about 20 years. It is said that there has been a gradual withdrawal of deposits by small depositors for several days, and that this forced the institution to close for lack of ready money.

Town Is Bankrupt.

Vicksburg, Mich., June 26.—In connection with the closing of the Vicksburg Exchange bank, it has developed that the village of Vicksburg is bankrupt. There is only $34 in the village treasury, and half of this amount is a check on the closed bank. The village owes the bank $7,000. C. L. Jep, cashier of the bank, was treasurer of the village.

Cities Must Not Merge.

Philadelphia, June 23.—The supreme court Thursday issued a permanent injunction restraining the [illegible] of the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny city [illegible]

CHEAP EXCURSIONS
TO WESTERN CANADA
$10.00 FOR ROUND TRIP TICKETS
TO THE FAMOUS CARROT RIVER VALLEY

During the month of July the Canadian Northern Railway will sell tickets on any day from EMERSON on the INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY to Melfort and return, good for thirty days, with stop over privileges, for **$10.00.** Regular trains for the Carrot River Valley leave Winnipeg every Monday and Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. Minnesota and Dakota landseekers should buy tickets to Emerson, the International Boundary, where they can then purchase the $10.00 excursion tickets to Melfort and return.

THE CARROT RIVER VALLEY which now has railway facilities for the first time, is the most fertile part of the great **Saskatchewan Valley.** Two-thirds of the country is open prairie. The soil is a rich loam varying from one to four feet in depth. The running streams in every township furnish an abundance of pure water. The praries are covered with richly luxuriant grass. There is absolutely no Alkali or stone and there is no section in Western Canada to-day that will produce the same enormous yields of **No. 1 Hard Wheat.** The country too being equally well adapted to diversified farming. With the splendid railway facilities now afforded by the building of the Canadian Northern Railway through this marvelously rich district, this section of Western Canada will be settled quickly and prices will advance rapidly. **Act Now,** and get land in the best part of all Canada at **First Prices.**

FIVE NEW TOWNSITES JUST PUT ON THE MARKET

TISDALE, STAR CITY, RIVERSIDE, KINISTINO and MELFORT

these new towns offer to the business and professional man in every line opportunities to get in on the ground floor in the most thriving, hustling towns in the most productive and prosperous sections of Western Canada.

FREE HOMESTEADS

Good Free Homesteads of 160 acres each, can still be had near railroad stations. This year will be the last chance to secure good free lands within reasonable distance of the railway. Write for maps, printed matter, price lists, etc.

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DEER PARK.

Special to the Courier.

Rain! Oh, yes every other day our way.

Land seekers are scarce at the presant time.

Benny Rustad is now batching on his claim.

A fine deer was noticed near here the other day.

Geo. Singer was at Crookston last week on a business mission.

Considerable flax has been seeded here this spring and it looks good.

P. A. Rustad has a nice lot of young stock that he wishes to dispose of.

Beruth Olson, the retired blacksmith of Grit, is now up this way looking for a location.

Edward Singer, Rhoda's postmaster, began carrying mail from Lillo, Monday, the 12th.

Martin Hyland spent a few days at Gully last week looking after his affairs at the old place.

Mrs. W. A. Swanson and daughter, Mina, spent a few days visiting relatives at Grit last week.

W. A. Swanson and C. W. Johnson were down to Thief River Falls last week attending to business matters.

Look out for the man who says his neighbor is a "crook." Nine times out of ten he is the bigger "crook" himself.

Geo. Singer, the Rhoda hustler, is now building an addition to his residence. He now has one of the finest residences on the entire reserve.

Sam B. Swanson returned last week from the Clearwater drive where he has been working all the spring. He is now getting ready to build a house on his homestead here.

Breaking is the order of the day. Large fields are already up but it will be continued until after the 4th, which speaks well for the enterprising settlers that are making their homes here.

Gustave E. Swanson arrived from Power, N. D. last Thursday for a few days visit with his home folks. He is well pleased with this country and says he will return in the near future to look up a farm.

Tired, worn out women cannot sleep, eat or work; seems as if she would fly to pieces. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes strong nerves and rich blood. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. A. L. Riechert.

Charles W. Rhoda, the "cunning Swede" of Rhoda, moved his dwelling from one corner of his land to the other last week. You will find C. W. next door to the postoffice and still turning his own cakes. But what next, Charles?

Make digestion and assimilation perfect. Make new red blood and bone. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. A tonic for the sick and weak. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. A. L. Riechert.

Mrs. W. A. Swanson and daughter, Mina, went to Thief River Falls last Thursday for the purpose of consulting a doctor in regard to Miss Mina's health, which has been poorly for a year or more. A large number of friends hope that she will soon recover.

If you want a pretty face and delightful air,
Rosy cheeks and lovely hair,
Wedding trip across the [illegible]
[illegible]

The Gully Sunbeam has now ceased to cast its beautiful rays at Gully. No more Hunt in the hills, but it will soon be "Sunbeam" in the valley here, says the editor, as Mr. Hunt has now got his outfit here on his claim and will be ready for business by July 1st.

Your correspondent was mixed up the other day in a "bread deal." The cooks were away and we managed some way to make the bread, but one of the star boarders suggested that we send a sample of the stuff to Prof. Ladd of N. D. "for further investigation."

A loaded raft of young people had a narrow escape from drowning in Red Lake River the other day. As the party was sailing pleasantly down the stream the raft broke suddenly, dumping the party into about nine feet of water. Luckily one of the party was an expert swimmer and he saved the entire crowd. He had to dive to the bottom for one of the young ladies. He is indeed a hero.

Asthma Sufferers Should Know This.

Foley's Honey and Tar has cured many cases of asthma that were considered hopeless. Mrs. Adolph Buessing 701 West Third St., Davenport, Iowa, writes: "A severe cold contracted twelve years ago was neglected until it finally grew into asthma. The best medical skill available could not more than give me temporary relief. Foley's Honey and Tar was recommended and one fifty cent bottle entirely cured me of asthma which had been growing on me for twelve years, and if I had taken it at the start I would have been saved years of suffering." A. L. Riechert.

Passes Up Tammany.

Fairmont Sentinel: Gov. Johnson has been honored with an invitation to deliver the address at the Tammany Hall Fourth of July celebration in New York city, but was unable to accept it. He has, however, accepted an invitation to speak at a big celebration to be held at Luverne, Minn., on July 4th. The citizens of Luverne are fortunate in securing him and the governor is fortunate in being able to address the salt of the earth in a good Southern Minnesota town instead of a lot of ward heelers in New York.

There is more catarrah in this section to the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was mought to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses faom ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucuous surfaces of the sys. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

Ten Dollars Reward.

We will pay a reward of Ten dollars in each instance for information that will lead to arrest and conviction of persons who maliciously destroy glass globes on our street lights or cause any other damage to our [illegible] RED LAKE FALLS [illegible]

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN **Hair Renewer**

Renews the hair, makes it new again, restores the freshness. Just what you need if your hair is faded or turning gray, for it always restores the color. Stops falling hair, also. If your druggist cannot supply you, send $1.00 to R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H.

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Are You a Judge of Iron?

So many ranges are sold because they look well when standing on the dealer's floor. But looks never did a baking or helped to lengthen the life of a stove. The MAJESTIC isn't the finest looking raege made but it's made to last and do its work perfectly while it does last. A maleable iron top that will outlast any three cast iron tops and charcoal sheet iron body which does not rust like steel.

The Majectic May Cost You a Little More, but You've Settled the Stove Question.

For Sale by **O'BRIEN BROTHERS**

Popular Hardware Dealers

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WELL DIGGING ...

I will dig wells by the day, foot or job and guarantee satisfaction on every job. Repairing a specialty. I now devote my entire attention to this work. Leave orders at Courier office.

A. O. LEVIG, Wylie, Minnesota.

Up-to-Date Barber Shop and Bath Rooms

HENRY KAUFER, Prop.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.

LOCAL NEWS.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge tomorrow evening.

The N. P. Ry. will give the usual excursion rates for the fourth of July. Enquire of Agent Mizen for particulars.

E. E. McDonald has been elected attorney of Beltrami county to succeed H. J. Loud, who resigned the office a couple of months ago when charges were preferred against him.

A severe hail storm struck Grand Forks and vicinity yesterday forenoon. A great deal of damage was done to the growing crops, and thousands of windows in the city were broken.

Misses Mary and Clara Swisher arrived from Minneapolis this morning for a visit with the families of Frank E. Hunt and Dr. J. E. Argue. The young ladies have frequently visited here and are known to a great many of our people.

The Bon Amis and a few friends planned on a picnic at Clara Allison's school the first of the week but on account of the rain the event was postponed. The young people are not telling where they ate their lunch or whether they all got their share.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Demarist, of Canada, were in the city the guests of relatives for a couple of weeks. They left Tuesday evening for a visit at St. Paul, after which they will return to this place for another short stay. Their home is near Montreal.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue will celebrate their first wedding anniversary this evening, giving a six o'clock dinner for about twenty of their friends. It will be quite an elaborate social function and goes without saying that everybody in attendance will have a most delightful evening.

The contract for carrying the mail on the new rural free delivery route from Dorothy to Red Lake Falls has been let to Thos. O. Neil of Dorothy. The carrier starts from Dorothy at 6 o'clock in the morning, going via Wylie to Red Lake Falls, returning in the afternoon. The new service starts July 1, and will be daily except Sunday.

While a number of the band and fire boys were waiting for breakfast at the Stivers hotel at Dugdale Saturday morning a small fire was discovered in the second story of the structure. The boys organized a fire department in short order and had the blaze soon extinguished. A stovepipe hole had been plugged up with rags which caught fire and dropped to the floor. No serious damage was done.

We are informed that we were in error a week or so ago when we stated that the firm of Dupont & Sons, Terrebone, had changed the firm name to Dupont Bros. The firm is doing business under the firm name of Dupont & Sons and the senior member of the firm will continue in the business. The COURIER is glad to correct the error and wishes Dupont & Sons continued success.

M. Patnaude, one of the old and substantial farmers of Louisville township, is erecting a large and modern house on his farm. The building is 24x28feet with a lean to 16x18. The building will have all the modern conveniences and will make Mr. Patnaude and family a most pleasant home. The lumber for the building was purchased at the Robertson Lumber Co's yard in this city.

The Better Way

The tissues of the throat are inflamed and irritated; you cough, and there is more irritation—more coughing. You take a cough mixture and it eases the irritation—for a while. You take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

and it *cures the cold*. That's what is necessary. It soothes the throat because it reduces the irritation; cures the cold because it drives out the inflammation; builds up the weakened tissues because it nourishes them back to their natural strength. That's how Scott's Emulsion deals with a sore throat, a cough, a cold, or bronchitis.

WE'LL SEND YOU A SAMPLE FREE.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street New York

F. J. Rubertus, county auditor of Chippewa county, is here from Montevideo this week, accompanied by his son, to visit Mr. Theo. Garceau and family. Mr. Rubertus is a brother of Mrs. Garceau. He is now serving his third term as county auditor, and enjoys the destinction of being the only Democrat elected in that county last fall. The COURIER is indebted for a pleasant call from Mr. Rubertus.

Miss Marie Crompe, a member of the class of '05 of St. Joseph's school, entertained the class last Monday afternoon at five o'clock dinner. Covers were laid for twenty. Misses Myrtle Armstrong and Lucie Crompe assisted in the dining room, which was beautifully decorated with ferns and roses. After dinner the time was spent in singing and games, and the guests departed feeling that they had been most magnificently entertained.

A special school election will be held at the Lafayette school building Saturday evening to vote on the proposition of issuing $3,000 in bonds for the erection of a new school building on the north side. It is the intention to put up an $8,000 building, and the district has on hand the $5,000 insurance money on the burned structure. This seems like a good investment for the town. The north side needs a school house, and it is good business policy to put up a good one.

THROWN OUT OF COURT

Thief River Falls Loses Another Point in County-Seat War.

Thief River Falls received another solar plexus in Judge Watts' court Monday night. The request of the attorneys for Thief River to appear as intervenors in the Erb suit was denied and thus another chapter in the county-seat contention is ended.

It is but fair to state that the case was not decided altogether on its merits. The attorney for Thief River, the Hon. Ira C. Richardson, failed to make the proper presentation and all the papers he filed with the court were defective.

BROOKS.

Don't forget the celebration at Plummer July 4th.

Miss Florence Parker is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Wilber.

O. C. Moore has gone to Minneapolis to purchase a car of ice for the creamery.

C. N. Bourdon and F. J. Parker were here Saturday with a large party of landseekers.

The celebration at Brooks was a great success. Freund's orchestra furnished the music for the occasion.

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

Smoking in a Powder Magazine

Is courting death more suddenly but not more surely than neglecting kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure a slight disorder in a few days and its continued use will cure the most obstinate cases. It has cured many people of Bright's disease and diabetes who were though to be incurable. If you have Kidney or bladder trouble, commence taking Foley's Kidney Cure today before it is too late. A. L. Reichert.

Taken up.

About two weeks ago, a yearling steer, brown with white legs. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.—Christian Gedde, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Confronts the Grave.

Neglecting a cough means confronting the grave. Use Gloaia Lung Balsam before it is too late. It is the one remedy which brings quick relief. It is made of honey and tar and other healing balm and is the best for children. Sold by W A. Schreiter.

Apparently.

"So many people trust to luck."

"Yes. Luck seems to have excellent credit."—New York Press.

A Highly Colored Romance.

So well read he it made him blue
 To know she thought him green, and yet
He sought her hand, and now the two
 Their secret keep in-violate.
—Philadelphia Post.

In Worm Land.

First Worm—You look happy.

Second Worm—Yes. I just made a lucky turn.—Judge.

Even as the Jap.

If you would be a scrappy man,
 Learn judo, jiu jitsu—
My word for it, then you can lick
 Most any man who hitsu.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Stork.

The stork has been known to perish in the flames of a burning house rather than to desert her young.

First Cultivated Rose.

It is said that the first cultivated rose was planted in Belgium in the year 1522. The damask rose was taken to England from France in 1573, the moss rose about 1724 and the China rose fifty years later.

Tobacco For Wives.

One hundred and twenty pounds of tobacco was the stipend paid for a wife by some of the early settlers of Virginia.

Weird "Angel Shark."

A fish known as the "angel shark" and generally found only in the north Pacific has just been caught by a trawler in the North sea. It is over four feet long and has oddly shaped fleshy wings instead of the ordinary fins.

Ether.

Ether was first used in surgical operations in 1846.

Brutal Law.

In England some centuries ago if an ordinary workman without permission moved from one parish to another in search of work or better wages he was branded with a hot iron.

"Fourteenth Guest" Agency.

There is a most curious agency in Paris whose business it is to supply the fourteenth guest. Parisians, like some other people, have a superstitious objection to dinner parties of thirteen, and this agency undertakes to supply at short notice a lady or gentleman "warranted to give satisfaction."

The Book of Job.

The Book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Literary Mexico.

Mexico is credited with being at the head of the Latin-American countries in the matter of letters. Besides possessing the oldest organs of Spanish-American journalism, it is said to have in active existence the first library established in America, which is now at least 300 years old.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and grate eight large potatoes, cut in an onion, beat in four eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix with two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, add and mix well. Fry in a hot skillet.

Bamboos Grow Best at Night.

The growth of the giant bamboos of the East Indies is so rapid that a difference in the rate of increase between day and night can be observed. The growth is more rapid at night, because then the air is more charged with moisture than in the daytime.

The First Typewriter.

The first typewriter was received by the public with suspicion. It seemed subversive of existing conditions. A reporter who took one into a courtroom first proved its real worth.

Autumn Leaves.

It is popularly believed that autumn leaves assume their brilliant hues when touched by the frosts. This is an error. Autumn leaves turn red and yellow and brown and intermediate tones because that is the natural way for leaves to ripen.

Gaboriau's Visitors.

Gaboriau was troubled with visitors, and of those he desired never to see again he suspended photos in his servants' room for guidance. Once an author called. The servants ran to consult the cartes and, being puzzled, asked the visitor to smile, which being complied with he was informed determinedly, "Master is not at home."

The Alps.

The Alps are situated in six states, the largest division being in Austria.

Largest Tin Users.

The United States is the largest consumer of tin in the world, but derives its supplies mainly from the Straits Settlements, from Banka and other eastern sources.

Gold Jewelry.

Gold jewelry, says an authority, may be perfectly cleansed by being placed for half an hour in a bowl of warm water to which a generous quantity of ammonia has been added. Stir the jewelry around in the water for a moment, cover the bowl and let stand.

Oil For Waves.

Lighthouses in Denmark are supplied with oil which is pumped on the waves during a severe storm.

Stewed Figs.

Stewed figs are a delicious sauce and make a nice dessert if served with whipped cream. Simmer the figs in sufficient water to cover them, adding a little sugar. Cook till they are tender and have swelled till they seem somewhat plump. Let cool and eat.

Black Diamonds in Brazil.

The black diamond fields in Brazil belong to the government, which farms them out and makes a further profit by a 13 per cent export duty.

Germany's Oldest Inn.

The oldest inn in Germany is the Gasthof Zum Riesen in Miltenberg-on-the-Main, which was already of considerable age when the Emperor Frederick I stayed there in 1158. Since then it has entertained a succession of historical personages, including Gustavus Adolphus and Martin Luther, and in more recent times General von Moltke.

Wanted a Big "Bar'l."

A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

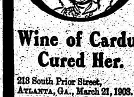
"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

New line of correct spring stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.



Wine of Cardui Cured Her.

213 South Prior Street,
ATLANTA, GA., March 21, 1903.

I suffered for four months with extreme nervousness and lassitude. I had a sinking feeling in my stomach which no medicine seemed to relieve, and losing my appetite I became weak and lost my vitality. In three weeks I lost fourteen pounds of flesh and felt that I must find speedy relief to regain my health. Having heard Wine of Cardui praised by several of my friends, I sent for a bottle and was certainly very pleased with the results. Within three days my appetite returned and my stomach troubled me no more. I could digest my food without difficulty and the nervousness gradually diminished. Nature performed her functions without difficulty and I am once more a happy and well woman.

OLIVE JOSEPH,
Treas. Atlanta Friday Night Club.

Secure a Dollar Bottle of Wine of Cardui Today.

Truths that Strike Home

Your grocer is honest and—if he cares to do so—can tell you that he knows very little about the **bulk** coffee he sells you. How *can* he know, where it originally came from, how it was blended—**or with what**—or when roasted? If you buy your coffee loose by the pound, how *can* you expect purity and uniform quality?

LION COFFEE, the LEADER OF ALL PACKAGE COFFEES, is of necessity uniform in quality, strength and flavor. For OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY, LION COFFEE has been the standard coffee in millions of homes.

LION COFFEE is carefully packed at our factories, and until opened in your home, has no chance of being adulterated, or of coming in contact with dust, dirt, germs, or unclean hands.

In each package of LION COFFEE you get **one full pound** of Pure Coffee. Insist upon getting the genuine. (Lion head on every package.)

(Save the Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Nowhere more than on the farm is the old adage applicable: "Watch the pennies and the dollars will look out for themselves."

A drink flavored with sugar, ginger and water is much more satisfying to harvast hands than pure water. They drink less, and it is consequently more healthful.

It is going to take some time for the farmer and the automobile to get on friendly terms. He has finally adjusted himself to the bike and will in time to the devil wagon.

In Paris, France, the stock yard charges are as follows: Commission—beef cattle, 60c to $1.00 per head; calves, 30 to 40c per head; sheep 6 to 10c per head: and hogs, 15 to 30c per head.

The value of any farm is enchanced by having a well kept public highway passing by it, and still there are a few men who rather than do any gratuitous work on such a road for fear their neighbors may profit by it will let such highway become a disgrace to them and to the community.

Now an inventor at Grand Falls, Mont., announces that he has discovered a process in which he can produce new potatoes every day in the year without any vine or outward visable signs of their growth. He has been in correspondence with a capitalist who states that if the experimenter makes good his claim he will give $100,000 for the controling interest in the invention.

Five Persons Cured.

Mr. Jacob Baatz, 442 7th St. Newark, N. J. writes; Gloria Tonic does exactly what it is claimed for. It cured me. of rheumatism, also five of my friends Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

"There is a cow," says Prof. L. H. Bailey in Country Life in America, "which is now eleven years old. Last year her record was 17,490 pounds of milk, with a maximum daily yield of seventy-seven and three-quarters lbs. This year she has given as high as 93 pounds a day and she will probably exceed her former record. In other words, here is a cow that every month produces her own weight in milk. She is a most efficient milk producing machine."

A Chronic Cough Will Develop

immediately into lung trouble. The throat is irritated and pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma, or consumption is bound to follow. Use Gloria Lung Balsam and the danger is banished. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schreiter.

This is the season of the year when you begin to hear from your city friends and they will insinuate how well they would enjoy a couple of weeks visit at your home. The farm would be less attractive at this season of the year for city folks if every farmer would make a practice of working the company from the city in as weed destroyers. And why not? It would do the city chaps good and help the farm besides. By the way, too, did you ever get as many invitations to visit friends in the city as city folks accept from you to visit on the farm?

It may not be known to every one that we cannot raise cauliflower seed in this country. The world's supply comes from Europe, and we look to Denmark for the best quality. It is estimated that the total product of this seed in a year is only 80,000 pounds and it is valued at more than [illegible]. No other form of gardening produces such remunerative returns—and none other requires so much care and is subject to greater risk. The market gardeners of Denmark get about a pound of seed from every thirty plants, or 240 pounds to the acre, if the crop is good. Sold at the average price, this brings about $1,200 per acre. Uncle Sam consumes every year some 17,000 pounds of the seed, for which he pays from $8 to $12 a pound.

FREE RUGS A neat little circular telling all about those fine fluffy Rugs made from your old carpets. MPLS. RUG FACTORY, 112 4th St, N., Minneapolis, Minn

Three Physicans Treated Him without Success.

W. L. Yancy, Paducah, Ky., writes: "I had a severe case of kidney disease and three of the best physicians in Kentucky treated me without success. I then took Foley's Kidney Cure. The first bottle gave immediate relief, and three bottles cured permanently. I gladly recommend this wonderful remedy."—A. L. Reichert.

Every Protection For the Safe Handling of Passengers

The North-Western Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

The Courier Stationery Store for fancy paper.

Ayer's

Do you like your thin, rough, short hair? Of course you don't. Do you like thick, heavy, smooth hair? Of course you do. Then why

Hair Vigor

not be pleased? Ayer's Hair Vigor makes beautiful heads of hair, that's the whole story. Sold for 60 years.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for a long time. It is, indeed, a wonderful hair tonic, restoring health to the hair and scalp, and, at the same time, proving a splendid dressing."
DR. J. W. TATUM, Madill, Ind. T.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Weak Hair

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

I wish to announce that my Percheron stallion

"PRINCE"

can be found at Red Lake Falls from Friday night to Tuesday noon of each week. At Plummer Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Joseph Belair

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LAMBERT POSTOFFICE ROBBED

Burglars Blow Open Safe and Secure about $150—Officers are Looking for the Robbers.

Last Thursday night the Lambert post office was robbed of about $150. The burglars forced an entrance to the building and blew open the safe in a manner that plainly indicated the job was done by professional cracksmen. No definate clew has been discovered as to who done the deed, but the officers are working on the case and the guilty parties may be landed in the near future.

Three strangers were arrested in this city last week, two of them proving conclusively that they were in St. Hilaire the night of the robbery so were discharged. The other suspect is still in jail in this city and will have his hearing to-day or to-morrow. It is the opinion of the authorities that the fellow knows something of the affair, as he was seen in the neighborhood of the robbery the day before it was committed. Some are of the opinion that he belonged to the gang that done the deed, acting as a "spotter" and giving the men who done the job the lay of the land.

Two men were in Brooks the morning following the robbery and passed a coin that was marked by acid, several of which were taken from the Lambert post office. No further clew to these men has been found. The goverment officials are working on the case and may be able to locate the perpetrators of the deed at a later date.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

ASSESSMENT IS LOW.

Awful Slump in Personal Property Value at Thief River.

Thief River Falls does not show indications of growth where it counts on the assessment books. The taxable value of personal property this year is $28,000 less than last year, and the number of taxpayers is decreased from 299 to 202, a net loss of 97. Last year the assessment as revised by the state board of equalization was $187,273. This year as returned by the assessor the amount is $126,423, a decrease of $61,000.

And yet the Thief River papers tell us their city is growing apace, and that there are evidences on every side of substantial progress. Either the up-river city is losing in population and wealth, or there is a crowd of artful tax-dodgers. Which?

For Fishing Trips.

Almost every man you meet on the street has a fondness for fishing and is planning on a little outing. Two or three things are necessary to make this trip a success; first, the weather must be good; second, the friends must be congenial; third, the lunches must be hearty and appetizing; fourth, if possible there should be some fish to catch. But the most important of all is the lunch of which golden grain belt beer is absolutely necessary. You get unusually thirsty on a trout stream or lake and water won't quench the thirst; this delicious beer is just the thing. Try it. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

ST. JOSEPH COMMENCEMENT

Seventeen Scholars Finish School Appropriate Exercises Held Thursday Evening.

The annual commencement exercises of St. Joseph's school were held at the Metropolitan opera house last Thursday evening. A very large audience was present, the building being filled to its capacity. The room was profusely and appropriately decorated with flowers, plants and colors and presented a very pretty scene.

The program was made up of music, recitations, club drills and orations and every number was a success and was heartily applauded by the large audience present. Rev. Father Fayolle presented the graduates with the diplomas and gave a few interesting facts about the school and its work. The Indian club drill was a feature of the program and the participants showed great skill in the handling of the clubs. The band orchestra furnished several selections to the delight of all. Father Fayolle and the instructors of the school are to be commended for the creditable showing made by the scholars at this time, and their work shows the school to be an institution of learning above the average.

The following scholars composed the class of '05: Arthur J. Robillard, Anthony Paradis, Joseph G. Chayer, Marie W. Cadieux, Cora I. Paul, Anna M. Rosch, Victoria M. Parenteau, Delia A. Ford, Marie M. Crompe, Eva M. Bray, Mary M. Benoit, Sophia M. LaCoursiere, Anna J. Jolly, Laura Perusse, Anna M. Schmitz, Eva L. Chatel, Louise M. Philion.

SUMMER SCHOOL IN SESSION.

Red Lake County Summer School Largely Attended.

Sixty-nine scholars enrolled their names at the Red Lake county summer school yesterday. The session yesterday was devoted to enrollment and the assignment of lessons. County Superintendent McAnulty had everything so arranged and thoughtfully planned before hand that the work this morning passed off as though the school had been in session for weeks instead of only fairly beginning. The following scholars were enrolled at noon today:

Louise Philion
Eva Chatel
Laura Lizee
Vina Carver
Mary Benoit
Clara Langlois
Emily LaFreniere
B. LaFreniere
Algin Guilmette
Clara Allison
Ella Kreuger
Walter Buse
Rose Sutter
Rose Cyr
Marie Crompe
Annery Crompe
Clara Berg
Hazel Kellogg
Albertie Lambert
G. Schlesinger
Emma Wichteman
Caroline Netteland
Katie McAnulty
Agnes Engebrits'n
Mamie Linnihan
Wm. Harlow
John Pahlen
Millie Helland
Mike Connaughty
John Swanson
A. Ecklund
Inez Olson
Gustie Satre
Grace Green
Lillian Nauman
Emma Allard
Estella Henemuth
Clara Marchand
Ila Tibbetts
Dora Marchand
Elsie Manley
S. LaCoursiere
Philip Jacobson
A. Robillard
Theo. Roy
C. Berthraume
Clara Richards
Lillian Porter
Carl Schusser
Carrie Patnode
Nettie Patnode
Lena Tschirhart
Agnes LaFontaine
J. Constant
Dora Rasmussen
Ida Ziegeer
Elsie Quesnelle
Ida Poessel
Rose Helm
Fred Richards
Valda Cheeley
Marie Morin
Walter Johnson
Otto Olson
F. M. Shanahan
Ina Motz
Clara Cyr
Anna Henderson
Bridgetta Connaughty.

The superintendent of the Free employment bureau reports that he has applications for 200 girls for domestic service, but only an occasional applicant, while the bureau is fairly flooded with applications from girls who wish to secure positions as clerks in stores, typewriters and do office work generally.—Fergus Falls Journal.

This condition is due to the excellent educational ficilities in Minnesota. Of course all girls cannot find positions as stenographers and clerks, but their increased education has taught them to avoid positions as servant girls at the low wages for such work that has prevailed in the past. Assistants in household work can be obtained and good service rendered if the standard of wages is raised commensurate with the same amount of labor in other lines of work, but not otherwise. The average Minnesota girl is too intelligent and too much in demand as helpmates to the army of young men settling on the new farms of the west to longer continue to perform the household labor of other people for a mere pittance.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

The Country Not So Slow.

"We had a delightful time last week," said the city cousin, who was describing the joys of metropolitan life. "One evening we trolleyed out to a suburban home and ping ponged until nearly midnight and next day we automobiled to the country club and golfed until dark."

"We had a purty good time last week too," ventured the country cousin, with a sarcastic smile. "One day we buggied over to Uncle Josia's and us boys got out in the back lot and base balled all afternoon, and after supper we sneaked up to the loft and lit a candle and pokered until morning."

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Mr. Robert O. Burke, Elnora, N. Y., writes: "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night and I was all bloated up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired that I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had given up hope of living when a friend recommed Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50c bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone as well as all the symptoms of Bright's Disease." A. L. Rich[illegible]

HEAD OFF INFLUX INTO CANADA.

Minnesota Immigration Bureau Gets Busy.

If the federal census of 1910 does not show a substantial increase in the population of Minnesota, it will not be the fault of the officials in charge of the state immigration bureau, which has just been established.

The report based on impartial returns from the state census that Minnesota may not show a considerable increase in population over 1900 has acted as a stimulus to these officials, and, it is thought, to the people generally who are interested in the development of the state. The prevailing opinion is that the immigration bureau was not established any too soon.

It has frequently been predicted that Minnesota would suffer from its apparent neglect to advertise its resources, especially in view of the efforts made by the people of Western Canada to attract immigration from the United States. The situation, however, was never considered in a serious light until the publication of the recent reports that possibly Minnesota is not gaining in population.

The state land commissioner and C. H. Warner, superintendent of the immigration bureau, are not leaving a stone unturned in their efforts to let the people of other states and other countries know the advantages of Minnesota's soil, climate, and agricultural, mineral, industrial and educational resources. Circulars and booklets are being sent out in large quantities, and from the large number of letters received inquiring about the lands Minnesota has for sale, the state officials believe that the bureau will add large sums to the state treasury and stimulate enterprise in Minnesota generally.

George F. Wright, supervisor of the census, does not believe howev[illegible] sota will show a [illegible]ing off in population. In the first place, he points out that the figures announced are only for 103 out of about 1,900 enumeration districts. Then he points out, all of these returns are from the country districts and many from the older settled counties in the southern part of the state, where a large increase in population was not expected.

It is thought that when returns from the three large cities are received, a substantial increase will be shown for the entire state. Fenton G. Warner, supervisor of the census in Ramsey county, believes that St. Paul will show an increase of at least 10 per cent over 1900, which will make the population of St. Paul about 180,000. A similar increase is expected in Minneapolis and Duluth, making a total gain of about 50,000. If the increase in country averages 4 per cent, the total increase will be about 100,000, making the population of the state close to 1,900 000.

Does Advertising Pay?

The following forceful answer to the above question was furnished by C. H. Cosey, an enterprising hardware dealer of Jordan, Minn., at the last meeting of the Minnesota hardware dealers:

"This subject of advertising is, I believe one of most important of all matters which a business man must consider for in many ways it involves the vital interests of his business. It is a selling agency, and in a retail business it is probably the most important of all the selling agencies of your business. "The first question is 'does it pay to advertise in a small town?' The answer to this may be found in the methods of the mail order houses. They do not advertise in the large cities, they strike the small towns. They describe their goods, not to the city people, but to the people in the small towns and country, and they get results. If the retail hardware man will take his cue from this and go at the people, mean business in advertising and make a business of it he will succeed. When the city graft houses stop advertising through the territory covered by your home paper, you may conclude that local advertising does not pay. The same people who are willing to follow their ads will read yours if you give them something worth reading. Put in something that means something, keep it fresh and the result will justify the statement that advertising does pay in towns large or small."

Where are you sick? Headache, foul tongue, no appetite, lack of energy, pain in your stomach, constipation. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents. A. L. Reich[illegible]

CELEBRATE NATION'S BIRTH

Red Lake Falls People Help Surrounding Towns Celebrate the Fourth of July.

Despite the gloomy weather Red Lake Falls citizens turned out in large numbers to help the surrounding towns celebrate the nation's birthday in a befitting manner. The largest crowd went to St. Hilaire, between 250 and 300 citizens of this place going to that town. St. Hilaire presented a holiday appearance, the streets and buildings being decorated in the nation's colors and two bands of music helped to make the town appear as it should upon a day of this character.

After dinner Postmaster Richardson of Thief River Falls delivered a short patriotic address that was well received by the large audience present. Next came the ball game between Thief River Falls and the White Earth Indians. While the contest was a ragged exhibition of the national game it was interesting from the fact that the score stood even throughout the game, Thief River finally winning in the tenth inning by a score of 10 to 9. After the ball game there were numerous horse races and other sports until supper time. In the evening a fine display of fireworks and two or three dances brought the day's pleasures to a befitting close. The citizens of St. Hilaire are to be congratulated for the cordial manner in which they welcomed their guests and for the entertainment accorded the large crowd present.

Some fifty or sixty citizens of this place were at Crookston during the day and report a most pleasant time. A very large crowd is reported to have been at the Queen City and the day was brim full of amusement and entertainment.

A number of our citizens went to Plummer where [illegible] day was spent. There was plenty of amusement and the young town may well feel proud of its first effort in celebrating the day and the manner in which the large crowd was entertained.

Buy at Home.

Calumet News: To buy at home, to patronize home enterprise constitutes to the upbuilding of local prosperity that every citizen can expend if he will. To put money in your neighbor's pocket is a measure to keep it in your own. Keep the money in circulation in the community and benefits both direct and indirect will ensue.

The Gallant Colvill.

Preston Times: The man who led the old First in the famous charge which saved the day for the Union forces at Gettysburg, sleeps quietly and peacefully now. No more shall he attend the reunions of the old boys, no more with them shall he recount the stirring events of those fateful days. Full of hope and ambition he went to St. Paul last week to see the banners, under which he fought so well, transferred to their permanent resting place at the new capitol. On the previous evening he retired in his usual health. During the still hours of the night the life which was spared in the storm of bullets at Gettysburg went out in peace. Minnesota's Old First is a part of her history and Colonel William Colvill was its gallant commander.

Immaculate and Invincible.

St. Peter Herald: Political writers on the city papers say that the republicans of the second district will endeavor to unite on a man to defeat McCleary. This is a mistake. Over in the second they are at all times willing to concede that the little school master is invincible and that there isn't a man in the district big enough to beat him.

Could not turn her Head.

You could not find a worse case of rheumatism in a month's journey as the one recently cured by Gloria Tonic, the victim being Mr[illegible] J. Evans, of Big Rap[illegible] ids, Mich. She writes: "I could not turn my head, nor dress and undress myself but twelve boxes of Gloria Tonic completely cured me." Sold by [illegible]

Berthon & Armstrong
Mens' and Boy's Leading Clothing Outfitters

If You Mean Business

REGISTERED

We'll Show You the Way to Get a Pair of

Walk-Over Shoes

BEST IN THE LAND

$3.50 & $4.00

AT

.. JIM & PAUL ..

The COURIER Stationery Store

Should be your headquarters for all kinds of stationery and supplies, as it is the only place you can get the late and stylish—the correct thing—in papers. We carry a complete line of—

Box Papers,
Tablets,
Office Supplies
Typewriter Papers,
blank books,
Calling Cards
Ladies' Gold Pens,
Wedding Stationery

FOUNTAIN PENS

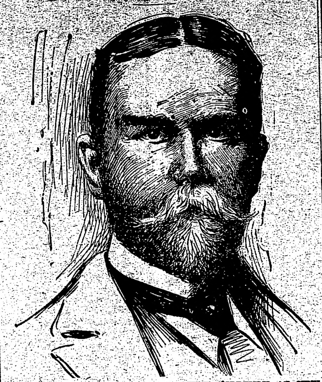
The Courier Stationery Store has a very complete and up-to-date stock of fountain pens at prices that it will pay you to investigate . . . .

EVERYTHING
IN
STATIONERY

We do all kinds of Printing in a neat and satisfactory manner. See us, before ordering that job if you are particular and want neat work

Red Lake Falls
Minnesota

SECRETARY JOHN HAY.



NOTED DIPLOMAT WHO PASSED AWAY SUDDENLY AT NEW HAMPSHIRE HOME.

JURY HOLDS MANY ON GRAFT CHARGE

THE MILWAUKEE BODY INDICTS TWENTY-ONE PUBLIC OFFICIALS.

CONFESSIONS LAY BARE MANY CRIMES

Bribery Also Alleged in the Thirty-Eight Bills Which Are Handed Out—Transactions of the County Board.

Milwaukee, July 3. — Wholesale "grafting" which, it is alleged, has been going on for several years in Milwaukee county, is expected to be laid bare through the result of indictments returned by the grand jury, coupled with other indictments which were handed down by two previous grand juries and which cases remain yet to be tried. Late Friday the grand jury, which convened ten days ago, handed down 38 indictments implicating 21 individuals. Judge Brazee in the municipal court, at the request of District Attorney Frank E. McGovern, ordered the issue of capias and for the arrest of those indicted.

List of Indicted.

The list of individuals for whom capiases were issued is as follows: Herman Haasch, ex-supervisor; Frank Burkhardt, ex-supervisor; J. J. Galewski, ex-supervisor; Fred C. Shultz, newspaper reporter; Peter J. Mead, ex-supervisor; Charles Besfield, ex-supervisor; G. F. Reichardt, supervisor; Tony Klefish, committee clerk county board; William H. O'Keefe, supervisor; August Puls, ex-supervisor; Benjamin Baden, supervisor; Charles Bottenberg, ex-supervisor; J. F. Dittmar, ex-supervisor; Albert C. Bade, ex-supervisor; W. C. Wegner, ex-supervisor; Frank Fowle, supervisor; Frank G. Oelflein, ex-supervisor; Arthur S. Green, supervisor; Max Reinnoldt, ex-supervisor; Julius Stamm, real estate dealer; Fred Hartung, ex-supervisor and present assemblyman.

Bail Furnished Rapidly.

As rapidly as arrests are being made bail is being furnished in the sum of $1,000 on the first indictment and $500 on each additional, where more than one indictment has been returned against an individual. All the indictments charge bribery.

Result of Confessions.

The bundle of indictments handed down is said to be the result of confessions obtained first by District Attorney McGovern from Otto Seidel, Jr., the register of deeds and former supervisor, and Edward F. Strauss, also an ex-supervisor. These two men later went before the present grand jury and, it is said, laid bare the history of many questionable transactions of the county board.

To Cover Big Deals.

The present investigation, it is said, will cover several big deals. Four years ago a site for a new morgue was purchased by the board of supervisors, and it is said $20,000 was divided among certain members of the board after the deal went through. Another deal was executed, it is alleged, when a large addition was built to the county hospital, and still another deal when furniture was purchased for this addition. Repairs to the county courthouse have been added at various times in the past few years, and it is alleged contractors were compelled to pay liberal amounts to members of the county board before contracts were awarded. Another matter to come up is a charge that during the last campaign one or more employes of the county clerk's office was employed at the headquarters of the republican county committee and drew double pay. The grand jury has not yet concluded its labor, and other indictments are expected to be handed down at any time.

FEDERAL JURY INDICTS 18

"RESTRAINT OF TRADE" CHARGE AGAINST BIG PACKERS.

Chicago Body, as Result of Three Months' Investigation, Returns Many Bills.

Chicago, July 3.—An indictment was voted against 18 packers, officials of four packing corporations, by the federal grand jury Saturday. Thus ended the investigation which has lasted over three months and brought out testimony of over 100 witnesses. One indictment of more than 60 typewritten pages was voted, covering charges including combination in restraint of trade, conspiracy to monopolize trade and receiving and granting rebates. Among those included as defendants are: J. Ogden Armour, of Armour & Co.; Edward Morris and Nelson Morris, of Nelson Morris & Co.; Arthur Meeker, of Armour & Co.; Louis Swift and E. F. Swift, of Swift & Co.; Ferdinand Sulzberger, of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company; Samuel MacLean, former head of the National Packing company.

When the grand jury met Saturday two names were stricken from the list. One of these is supposed to be that of Michael Cudahy, whose health is in a precarious condition. The other is said to be Ira M. Morris, who, it is asserted, is not sufficiently active in the business of Nelson Morris & Co.

In the 65-page indictment the facts are set forth describing the specific violations of laws prohibiting "combination in restraint of trade," acceptance of rebates and conspiracy in restraint of trade. Those accused of violations of any or all the counts are mentioned in connection with the specific detailed statement of the violation. It is not likely that there will be an extended report upon the investigation made by the jury.

Trials of those under indictment will probably begin in the July term of the district court, and the prosecutions are to be pushed through to final determination with the greatest dispatch possible.

TO HEAD RUSS DELEGATION

M. Muravieff, Ambassador at Rome, Appointed Chief of Peace Envoys.

St. Petersburg, July 3.—M. Muraveiff, Russian ambassador at Rome and former minister of justice, will be chief of the Russian delegation at the peace conference in August. His name has been forwarded to Washington as plenipotentiary, but no further Russian representatives will be named until the size of the Japanese mission is ascertained. If Japan names three plenipotentiaries, Russia will meet her wishes in regard to the number. In that case Baron Rosen will be accredited with M. Muravieff and in any event assist him. It is possible that a third negotiator may not be selected.

Wages of Sin.

Cleveland, O., July 3.—Albert Henry Darwin, 36 years of age, of Joliet, Ill., a widower and father of two children, shot and killed Mrs. Anna Gray, 30 years of age, the wife of a tailor living on Ottawa street, in Joliet, here Friday afternoon, and then attempted suicide. He was prevented from doing so by several men, who overpowered him after he had killed Mrs. Gray. Darwin was infatuated with the woman. The couple had eloped, and have been away from Joliet for a number of weeks.

Three Die in Heroic Attempt.

New York, July 3.—Three persons were burned to death in a fire in a four-story wooden tenement building in Devoe street, in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn Saturday. They were Arthur Bocklin, his wife Annie, and Henry Handle. The fire is believed to have been of an incendiary origin. All three lost their lives while trying to save their children who meanwhile had escaped in safety.

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KNIAZ POTEMKINE HAS SURRENDERED

Odessa, Though Quiet, Resembles a Conquered City—Russian Officer Is Burned to Death by Frenzied Mob at Kursk.

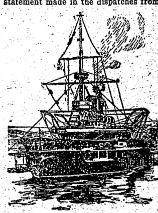
Washington, July 3.—The Russian Black sea fleet is reported to have mutinied. American Consul Heenan, at Odessa, has cabled the state department as follows: "Fleet reported in mutiny; two battleships here, Potemkine and another." Late Friday afternoon a cablegram was received from Consul Heenan informing the state department of the surrender to Admiral Kruger, of the mutineers aboard the Russian battleship Kniaz Potemkine. The cablegram from him concerning the report of the fleet in mutiny was received at the state department Saturday.

Situation Is Critical.

London, July 3.—A private telegram has been received here from Odessa Saturday which says: "The men of a second Russian battleship have mutinied. Can see no possibility of an early resumption of work. The position undoubtedly is critical.'

Fleet Surrendered.

A dispatch received here from St. Petersburg Saturday confirmed the statement made in the dispatches from Odessa Friday night to the effect that the mutineers of the Kniaz Potemkine surrendered to Rear Admiral Kruger.



BATTLESHIP SINOPE.
(One of Russian Warships Reported to Be in Hands of Mutinous Seamen.)

Ships Still at Port.

Odessa, July 3.—The battleships Kniaz Potemkine and Georgi Pobiedonosetz remain here. The others have left this port. The local authorities have refused to allow the crew of the Kniaz Potemkine to land for the purpose of purchasing food. They told the sailors to send ashore lists of what they wanted.

Odessa Like a Conquered City.

Odessa, July 3.—The night passed without an untoward incident. The terror of the situation is largely kept up by the social democrats' manifesto, proclaiming that Odessa has commenced the revolution.

It is stated that 300 charred corpses of victims of the conflagration of Wednesday night are still lying in a heap in one of the harbor sheds. Describing the incendiarism, the correspondent says:

"I saw women and young girls helping to carry bundles of straw and firewood, saturating them with a paraffin and then lighting torches, which were thrown in through the smashed doors and windows until the whole harbor front was aflame. A mob of from 12,000 to 13,000 persons fell back slowly and resistingly before the rifle volleys of the troops until the machine guns were brought into action, when they literally mowed down the frenzied mob." This correspondent estimates the number of killed at 1,400, without counting those burned to death.

The city has been quiet, but the place has the appearance of being under the occupation of a hostile army. Groups of soldiers are stationed at every hundred paces in the streets, and by order of the governor the electric light and gas has been cut off, leaving the streets in complete darkness. Railway communications in the north have been interrupted for four days.

Fleet Back at Sevastopol.

Sevastopol, July 3.—Part of Rear Admiral Kruger's squadron has arrived here from Odessa.

Mob Burns Officer to Death.

Kursk, European Russia, July 3.—An officer was burnt to death in a railway car here by a mob after a short, sharp conflict. The trouble arose through the officer ordering the arrest of a soldier. The latter was impudent and the officer drew his sword and cut the man down. The surrounding crowd drove the officer into a railway car from which he defended himself with his revolver. Ultimately the mob saturated the car with petroleum, set fire to it and the officer perished. The rioters were dispersed by dragoons.

Badger Law in Effect.

Milwaukee, July 3.—The anti-cigarette law enacted by the last legislature went into effect in Wisconsin Saturday. Not a cigarette or cigarette paper is now obtainable in any store in Milwaukee.

SUIT BEGAN AGAINST ROAD

SANTA FE DECLARED TO HAVE GIVEN REBATES.

Company Alleged to Have Violated Injunction—Contempt Proceedings Started.

Kansas City, Mo., July 3.—Contempt proceedings against the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company, charging that company with being guilty of the violation of an injunction, issued at Kansas City by Judge John F. Phillips on March 24, 1902, restraining the road from giving rebates, was filed in the United States district court here Saturday at the instigation of Milton D. Purdy, of Washington, D. C., assistant attorney general, who came here recently at the direction of the attorney general to file the suit upon behalf of the government.

Although Judge Philips' restraining order, issued three years ago, was directed against seven other railroad companies besides the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, the suit filed Saturday is solely against the latter road. The other railways enjoined previously by Judge Philips were the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy; Chicago & Alton, Missouri Pacific, Wabash, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, and the Chicago Great Western. A similar order was issued by Judge Grosscup in Chicago on March 25, 1902, against six other roads.

The suit filed Saturday at the instigation of the federal government recites that the Santa Fe railway up to the time the injunction was granted, had been engaged in the practice of granting unlawful rebates and preferential rates and facilities to certain favored shippers whose names were to the complainants unknown, on traffic in packing house products, dressed meats, grain and the products of grain which were not granted to the public generally, and that the Santa Fe railway had also been granting unlawful rebates and preferential rates and facilities to certain other favored shippers.

BLINDS AND ROBS BOY.

Bank Messenger Loses $1,525 in Boldest Robbery Ever Carried Out in Chicago.

Chicago, July 3.—"Don" Beemy, a 16-year-old messenger employed by the grain and stock firm, Bartlett, Frazier & Carrington, was the victim Saturday of one of the most daring hold-ups ever perpetrated in the heart of the downtown business district. While the messenger boy was on the way from the Corn Exchange national bank in the Rookery building to his office with money to pay off employes, amounting to $1,525, he was waylaid by a highway robber, who threw a handful of black pepper into the boy's face. While the victim was staggering blindly about the street the robber seized the money, fled and escaped in the crowded streets.

The victim was picked up by sympathizing citizens, who had not had time to realize what had happened. He was carried to the office of Dr. C. Pruyn Stringfield in the Western Union building, where his eyes were bathed. On coming from the bank with the cash a passerby hurled pepper into the boys eyes. As the pepper began to burn his eyes the boy shrieked in an agony of pain and the robber rushed toward him. In a twinkling he had torn open the boy's coat and drew from it $1,525 in bills, overlooking the change which Beemy carried in the outside pocket. In an instant he was gone.

IS SECRETARY OF NAVY.

Bonaparte of Maryland Takes Oath of Office—Tracey Gets Philippine Plum.

Washington, July 3.—Charles J. Bonaparte, of Maryland, was sworn in as secretary of the navy Saturday. After taking the oath Mr. Bonaparte received in his office, shaking hands with each one, all the naval and marine corps officers on duty at the department. Subsequently he received the entire clerical force of the department, shaking hands with each. He then returned to his desk and took up the work awaiting him there.

Oyster Bay, July 3.—Judge James F. Tracey, of Albany, N. Y., was Saturday appointed an associate justice of the supreme court of the Philippine islands. Judge Tracey came to Oyster Bay Saturday and had a conference with the president, at which he accepted the appointment. He is a practicing lawyer in Albany and a gold democrat. He will succeed on the bench of the Philippine supreme court Judge McDonough, of Albany whose term of one year has expired and who has returned to this country. Judge Tracey will go to the Philippines probably about September 1.

Ban on American Boycott.

Washington, July 3.—The Chinese government has taken steps to stop the anti-American agitation and boycott against American goods. Minister Rockhill at Peking Saturday cabled the state department that, after repeated and urgent representations from the American legation orders have been issued from the Chinese foreign office to all viceroys and governors in the empire to cease anti-American agitation and attempted boycott against American goods.

Hero Is Killed.

New York, July 3.—A five-ton boiler mounted on a truck ran away down the Amsterdam hill at 134th street Friday night and killed Joseph Olive, a watchman, who lost his life while averting a collision between the runaway and a crowded street car.

CAREER OF NOTED DIPLOMAT ENDED

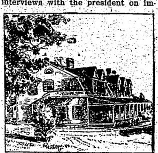
SECRETARY HAY SUDDENLY PASSES AWAY AT NEW HAMPSHIRE HOME.

HAD ACHIEVED HIS FOSTERED AMBITION

The Dead Official Looked Forward to Position Which He Occupied from Boyhood — The President Sends Condolences.

Newbury, N. H., July 3.—Secretary of State John Hay died Saturday morning. The signs immediately preceding his death were those of pulmonary embolism. Mr. Hay's condition during all of Friday had been entirely satisfactory. Mrs. Hay and Drs. Scudder and Murphy were at the secretary's bedside when the end came.

Secretary Hay left Washington last Friday for his summer home on Lake Sunapee. He had been in Washington since the preceding Monday, after his return from the several months which he spent in Europe. During his brief stay in Washington, Mr. Hay has attended actively to business before the state department, and had had several interviews with the president on important pending questions. At the time of his departure he was looking forward to a period of rest and recreation at his summer home, and fully expected to return to Washington in the fall fully recuperated in health and strength. Although he appeared considerably better than when he left Washington for Europe, just following his severe illness of last spring, yet it was evident to his family and friends that he was far from being a well man.



SUMMER HOME OF SECRETARY HAY, WHERE HE DIED.

The Dead Diplomat.

John Hay was born in Salem, Ind., Oct. 8, 1838, of an old Scotch family. He was graduated from Brown university in 1858, and studied law at Springfield, Ill., with Abraham Lincoln, who was then a neighbor, and was admitted to the Illinois bar in 1861. He went to Washington with President Lincoln as his assistant secretary. Mr. Hay was intensely loyal to President Lincoln, and entered heartily into all the duties that the martyred chief magistrate assigned to him. In 1864 President Lincoln gave him a commission in the army, and he was made a major and adjutant general, serving at Hilton Head, and later in Florida, under Mr. Lincoln's personal direction. When he was mustered out of the military service, April 22, 1867, he had won the brevet of lieutenant-colonel and colonel "for faithful and meritorious services during the war."

Having an ambition for a diplomatic career, Mr. Lincoln decided to send him to Paris, but before he had departed the president was assassinated. Mr. Hay's service under the diplomatic branch of the government continued for several years. He went to Paris, as President Lincoln had planned he should, as secretary of legation, learning to speak the French language fluently before he resigned March 28, 1867, to become secretary of the legation at Vienna under Minister Motley. In June of 1869 he accompanied Minister Sickles to Madrid, where he remained till the autumn of 1870.

Soon after his return to this country Mr. Hay, who had already written sufficiently to attract attention as a litterateur, embarked on a journalistic career, and on the invitation of Horace Greeley he became an editorial writer on the New York Tribune, then a power in republican politics.

From 1876 to 1900 he took an active part in presidential campaigns. When Mr. McKinley was elected president he sent Mr. Hay as ambassador to England, and especially during the Spanish-American war he gave evidence at that eventful time of his conception of the fundamentals of American policy in international affairs.

Although Mr. Hay secured the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, brought about the reference of the most far-reaching question in the recent Venezuela dispute—priority in payment for a belligerent claimant—to the international court of The Hague, and arranged for the peaceable adjustment of the Alaska boundary question, he is known throughout the world principally for the breadth and foresight of his policy in Asia. Mr. Hay came to the state department in September, 1898, at the close of the Spanish war.

Roosevelt in Grief.

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 3.—President Roosevelt sent the following message to Mrs. Hay: "Mrs. John Hay, Lake Sunapee: I cannot believe the dreadful news. Pray accept our deepest sympathy in your terrible bereavement. I do not know what to say to express my sorrow.
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SOME country editor is offering a a prize for the photograph of a gubernatorial candidate the Republicans can unite upon.

IT is up to some political economy student to explain the difference between a Roosevelt Republican and a Bryan Democrat.

THE railroad bureau has discovered a manifest difference between the country press and some of the great metropolitan dailies. The former is not for sale.

THE dead and wounded statistics for the glorious Fourth are now appearing. Every year is about alike in this respect. Patriotism and enthusiasm must pay a penalty.

YES, Bro. Eastman, Red Lake Falls is still the county seat of Red Lake county, and gives every indication of maintaining that distinction. The decisions of the courts seem to be quite uniform in confirming our title.

RAY JONES expects to be made governor of Alaska. It seems the present incumbent has been stealing from the goverment and the president was looking around for an honest man to fill the position when the rays of his lantern caught Mr. Jones.

ONE of the snappiest and brightest editorial pages in the state is conducted by Editor Gordon of the Brown's Valley Tribune. This paper is opened with eager expectancy of finding a feast of good things, and we are never disappointed.

THE pestiferous "cheap screw" lobbyist in the employ of corporations, whose business it is to hang around the capitol and "steer things" for their employers, ought to be thrown out as a general nuisance, says the Windom Citizen. Governor Johnson, or his successor, should devote a portion of his next message to this evil.

IT has been discovered that tax titles to ten lots in the site of the new Minnesota capitol are held by several St. Paul persons. They were acquired at the last delinquent tax sale. One of the purchasers, on discovering the prize he had picked up, was so elated that he gave immediate notice that the state would have to pay handsomely for a release.

SPEAKING of congressmen in general Mr. Eddy states that a congressman is valuable in an increasing ratio every year until he begins to think the country can't exist without him, and then he ceases to be of any value and should be shelved. Regarding the senate while he does not think it disloyal or dishonest he believes it is made up of fossils and requires rejuvenation. The ideas of today are not the ideas of yesterday says he. "A bill that would have been a fine thing ten years ago is the reverse now. We want new blood and new ideas. President Roosevelt is the man of the type we want in all public life, especially the senate."

THE COUNTRY EDITOR.

IN an editorial referring to the attempts of the railroad press bureaus to educate the country press of this state and to utilize it in explaining to the farmers the great injustice that would be done to the railroads under the passage of the government freight rate regulation, the Minneapolis Journal says of the country editors:

"The conduct of the average editor in Minnesota is extremely disappointing to the gentlemen who have undertaken his mental direction. He is singularly unappreciative of the favors being showered. He reads the literature, for a good country editor reads everything he gets his hands on, and then dips his pen in red ink and sits down to write a 'sassy' reply, serving notice on the railroads that they have got to get in line with the president's recommendations and submit to regulation, or worse will happen.

"The country editor, evidently, is no easy mark. That is not a new discovery, for certain classes of business men have known it a long time. The editor is a very busy man. The distractions of the postoffice, local politics and other avocations, with the sad antics of the gasoline engine, may engage his attention so his editorial columns fails to atrain George Harvey's standard. His little items about the subscribers who came to town and paid up in pork or vegetables may sound loosely written, but it is poor policy to underestimate his mental equipment. He reads the papers, and notes what he reads. He travels, too, and every year has an opportunity for a pleasant and educative trip to some quarter of the country. If the baby is not too small, he packs up, leaves the office with the devil, and spends a week or more getting up to date in some new section of the country. He is usually an information bureau for the village on every subject but religion. Evidently, the man or corporation that starts out to educate the country editor has a contract on his hands.

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If well fed and cared for a Pekin duck will nearly reach its matured weight at ten weeks of age.

Never allow a cow to calve in the pasture. The young thing in such cases partakes of the wild and it is never overcome.

The sheep's meridan of life is six years. After that the dowhill side comes at a pretty good jog. It pays to watch this.

Any old, crooked, blemished mare will not do to raise mules, unless you want to breed disappointment and waste your time and money.

What is the use of weighing the milk of each cow? Simply to find out which cow is the thief, carrying the bag, with nothing in it—for you.

The hired man question is becoming more of a problem each year, and the tendency of the times is toward smaller farms and more machinery.

The south is trying melons, peaches Bermuda onions and several other crops in place of cotton to the benefit of the soil and growers as well.

Always think well of the old farm and never speak ill of it. That means that you must have a farm worth thinking and speaking the very best things about.

A stallion may be handsome and yet be worthless as a breeder. High feeling has a good deal to do with the looks of a horse. He is not able to transmit his grain rations.

It is said that the truck and fruit crops in the United States are injured by insects to the extent of $80,000,000. Judicious spraying is one way to reduce this great loss.

Try the application of a thick cement, made by mixing fine, clean sand with white lead paint, to stop the unsightly cracks that often come around chimneys, and are not large enough to mend with tin or shingles.

Brain Leaks.

When jealousy sneaks in love slips out.

Some people pray like they ask for rebates.

Cheerfulness is a flower that must be cultivated.

Satan is always experimenting with new bait for wary fish.

The fruits of industry must be irrigated with perspiration.

The greatest heroes are those who have spent their lives for others.

When a man does his very best, God will take care of the final result.

Men who build good characters need never worry about their reputations.

The best parts of a vacation are looking forward to it and looking backwards at it.

The weeds of trouble are too often allowed to overrun the garden of cheerfulness.

The worst failures we have ever seen have been scored by men whom the world has called successful.

They may be necessary, but somehow or other we can never have a friendly feeling for dog catchers.

There are husbands whose ideal woman is one who can retain her good nature when the jelly refuses to jell.

The business man who strives merely to keep just inside the law is not a safe man to trust with your business.

One trouble with most men is that they think they could do another man's work better than they ever do their own.

The waitless barber shop would deprive a lot of men of an excuse for staying down town late on Saturday night.

The man who is always looking for the smooth road has no reason to complain if other men drive first to the goal of success.

The workman who makes it a principle to take an interest in his work sooner or later has the principal interest in the product.

Sacrifice does not consist in giving away something you do not want, nor in refraining from doing something you do not want to do.

It is a sad commentary on our boasted civilization that the newspapers think it necessary to print columns about a public official who is trying to expose graft.

The fellow who wins is the fellow who hustles out and gets a job. The fellow who is always hanging on by his eyebrows is the fellow who "accepts a situation."

FOOD DETECTIVES.

Men Will Be Appointed in Most Counties of the State.

As a part of the detective system of the state dairy and food commission outlined a few days ago E. K. Slater, commissioner, has decided to appoint food inspectors in practically every county in the state, whose duty it will be to keep on the lookout for adulterated products shipped in from other states and to report to headquarters at St. Paul.

These inspectors will serve without salary. In many instances they will be secretaries of retail merchants' associations, and, it is thought, will be recompensed by the abolition of adulterated food and the elevation of the retail trade generally. These inspectors will be clothed with the power of a regular salaried inspector of the department and will be expected to watch box car merchants and shipments of adulterated food into Minnesota from large concerns in Chicago, New York and other outside cities.

"This is a plan to protect the legitimate Minnesota merchants from competition with manufacturers of and dealers in adulterated products in other states," said Mr. Slater. "We hope it will also serve to protect the people of the state from the inferior goods sometimes sold by outside firms, which, being located in other states, are beyond the reach of the Minnesota law.

"If we are able to catch a representative of any of these firms in Minnesota, we of course can arrest him, but if the goods are shipped in without any representative, all we can do is to seize the goods, analyze them, and, if they are found illegal, notify the consignee, who will probably not patronize the firm again.

"This is in no sense a campaign against the legitimate dealers in other states. Our only desire is to abolish impure food, whether manufactured in Minnesota or in other states.

"I shall consult with the attorney general, and if I have authority to appoint such inspector to serve without salary, I shall do so."

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine, Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered, as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxat-ve. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. A. L. Riechert.

A Republican Estimate.

Bemidji Pioneer: William J. Bryan is still a great power in the Democratic party and he is unquestionably a greater power in the country today than ever before. The problems of state which Mr. Bryan pondered have made him a very different man from the Bryan of 1896, and if we had to have a Democratic president, there could be none better than William J. Bryan.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by electric bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorder, At all druggists, price 50c.

The King of Brilliants.

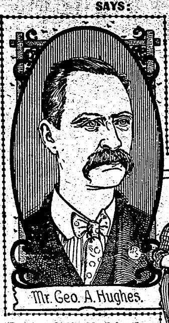
is the Northwestern Limited. Lighted by hundreds of incandescent electric lamps, both inside and outside, this train presents a beautiful appearance. Buffet library cars, with conveniences of the club, private apartments cozily arranged, finest of regular Pullman sleepers and reclining chair cars, mean comfort and pleasure to the traveler between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago on this famous train.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

MR. GEO. A. HUGHES SAYS:

"I FEEL AS GOOD AS I DID AT 20."


Mr. Geo. A. Hughes.

Many Suffer With Catarrh and Don't Know It.

The Phase of Catarrh Most Prevalent in Summer Is a Run Down, Worn Out Condition Known as Systemic Catarrh.

"Pe-ru-na is the Medicine for the Poor Man."

Mr. Geo. A. Hughes, 808 Mass. Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes:

"Peruna has done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I am forty-five years old now, and feel as good as I did at 20. I was very thin and run down, but Peruna acted just right in my case. I am a carpenter and sometimes need a tonic. Peruna is the medicine for a poor man."—Geo. A. Hughes.

A Congressman Uses Pe-ru-na in His Family.

Hon. Thos. J. Henderson, Member of Congress from Illinois, and Lieutenant in the Union Army for eight years, writes from the Lemon building, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"Peruna has been used in my family with the very best results and I take pleasure in recommending your valuable remedy to my friends as a tonic and an effective cure for catarrh."—Thos. J. Henderson.

Catarrh assumes different phases in different seasons of the year. In the early summer systemic catarrh is most prevalent. That tired, all worn out feeling in nine cases out of ten is due to a catarrhal condition of the mucous membranes. Peruna cleanses the mucous membranes and cures the catarrh wherever located.

There are no remedies for catarrh just as good as Peruna. Accept no substitutes.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late. Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

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Red Lake County Land for Sale Cheap

SW ¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire, 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy terms. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it and write me, D. M. Frederiksen, 372 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

Not a cent wanted unless you are cured. If you are sick and ailing take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, A great blessing to the human family. Makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. A. L. Riechert.

NEW BAKERY

W. A. Biteman has purchased the Home Bakery and Restaurant and intends to run a first class place. Mr. Biteman is a baker of long experience and intends to keep a complete line of Baked Goods, Confectionary, Fruits, etc. He invites the patronage of the people of Red Lake Falls and vicinity, and guarantees satisfaction in every respect. :: :: :: :: :: :: :: ::

Main Street - Just North of Postoffice

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Harry Healy spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

County Attorney Germo was at Lambert yesterday.

Henry Tillman was at Crookston over Friday night.

Miss Eva Paradis spent Sunday with Crookston friends.

Fred Zaiser was a business visitor at Crookston last Friday.

Several families enjoyed a picnic at the north dam last Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Bray is visiting her mother at Grand Forks this week.

Freund's orchestra furnished the music for Plummer's fourth of July dance.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was a business caller at this place yesterday.

Joseph Lefebre was at Thief River Falls several days last week visiting friends.

Samuel Heasly, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Thos. Pouliot. of Thief River Falls, is in the city visiting relatives and old friends.

Miss Erma Schrieter went to Crookston last evening for a visit with friends.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

"Nitch" and Clem Brunelle returned from their visit at Blackduck last Saturday.

B. E. Burkee, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller at this place one day last week.

O'Brien Bros. have a new adv. this week telling the merits of the Majestic range.

Anton Gueno is at the city hospital on the North Side and is reported as being quite sick.

Dr. I. Lemieux went to Montana Saturday evening to visit a son for a week or ten days.

Carl Kreuger returned home Saturday from Bemidji where he visited relatives for a week.

The Waseca Hail Insurance Co. always pays its losses in full. See Lewis & Higinbotham.

Mrs. Albert Brunelle is visiting her parents at Crookston this week. She went over last week.

A party of Terrebonne residents will leave this week for Montreal, Canada, on a pleasure trip.

A "strong man" gave an exhibition in front of O'Brien Bros.' hardware store Friday evening.

A. Wager, one of the prominent farmers from near Wylie, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brien, of St. Hilaire, was a guest of Red Lake Falls friends a day or two last week. Her many friends here are always glad to see her.

Some of the young people enjoyed an impromtu dancing party at the K. P. hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Conrad Lajambe, of Lambert, called on some of her numerous Red Lake Falls friends last Saturday.

The goverment has offered a reward of $200 for the apprehension of the Lambert post office robbers.

Nels Hakenson and Wm. J. Harlow were among the Thief River Falls people who were in the city Monday.

A. O. Davison and family came down from Wylie on the fourth and spent the day at the Tibbets home.

Mrs. Joseph Cyr returned last week from Hot Springs, Montana, where she had been for treatment.

Postmaster Louis Doucet of Lambert was in the city last Thursday night, the night his office was robbed.

S. A. Swanson recently sold a complete Waterloo threshing rig to Lars Klove, who lives north of the city.

Cashier Storaasli of the Bank of Red Lake Falls was a business visitor at Crookston one evening last week.

Miss Della Gervais returned to her home at Crookston Saturday after visiting relatives in this city for a week.

Post Office Inspector Frey, of Crookston, was in this vicinity last week working on the Lambert post office robbery.

The Waseca is time tried and hail tested. It will pay you if you have a loss. Insure quick.—Lewis & Higinbotham.

Several families joined in a basket dinner at the Blake building on the fourth. It was a jolly party and all had a good time.

Several of Red Lake Falls citizens had displays of fireworks Tuesday evening, some of which made a very creditable showing.

Mrs. Wm. Murphy and children returned to their home at Thief River Falls Saturday after a pleasant visit at the Kaufer home.

J. C. Wander and bride are expected to arrive in the city this week and they will immediately move into Mrs. Mercier's house.

I will have a car of fine horses in Red Lake Falls about July 4th. All good size and you can buy them at your own prices.—Louis Sieff.

The Merchants State Bank has a new adv. in this issue of the COURIER, Look it up and see what this popular institution has to say.

D. K. Lourie, of Crookston, was in the city over Sunday, having charge of the services at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Miss May Lee was at Thief River Falls Monday. She went through to Crookston on the evening train and spent the fourth at her old home.

O. A. Jackson, of McIntosh, was a visitor at this place last week, being a guest of his brother, K. C. Jackson, at his North Side home.

THE STURDY OAK

has its beginning with the implanted acorn. Likewise the Tree of Fortune takes root with the opening of a Savings Account. With us One Dollar is sufficient to start an account. Smaller or larger deposits may follow.

First State Bank

W. A. Biteman, the new baker, has an adv in this issue of the COURIER in which he invites the public to call and get acquainted with his goods.

The many friends of Ole Mikkelson will be glad to know that he is holding his own nicely and the indications all point to an early recovery.

Prof. A. Onstad went to St. Hilaire Saturday morning and remained until after the fourth, drilling and instructing the band at that place.

Night service began the first of the month with the local telephone exchange. Miss. Anna Campbell is the new operator and is on duty all night.

August Morin and Eli Mayhew were in from Brooks over Sunday. The gentlemen are building a residence for one of Brooks' prominent citizens.

John Roark, assistant warden at the Stillwater prison, arrived in the city yesterday and is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Ed. Enright north of the city.

The Great Northern is fixing the bridge over the street just north of the depot in accordance with the city council's wishes. It has been too narrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fournier were called to Argyle last Friday by the sad news of the death of a sister of Mrs. Fournier. They returned home Tuesday.

Come and eat ice cream and cake at Reichel's building next Thursday afternoon and evening. Served by the young ladies society of St. Mary's church.

Orson Doe has a fine collection of butterflies and takes great interest in the work. He has a large collection of beautiful specimens and is adding to it daily.

Miss May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McPeak, arrived the latter part of the week from Charles City, Iowa, for an extended visit with her parents.

There were no freight trains on this division of the Great Northern last Tuesday. The boys were given a chance to celebrate the day in true American fashion.

Mrs. L. P. Berthon and children went to Badger Sunday and are spending the week with old time friends. They expect to return home next Sunday.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending July 1, 1905: Ben Johnson, John Gray, Ollie Nelson.

Arthur Lamey and family returned to their home at Kent, Minn., Saturday after a two weeks visit here with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moranville.

P. J. Grady, of Northdome, was in the city over Sunday visiting his brothers, Frank and John. He left yesterday morning for Grand Forks where he is called on business.

A crowd of Red Lake Falls youngster were at Dorothy Sunday and played a game of ball with a nine representing that place. Our fellows won the game by a score of 18 to 6.

A gang of picture agents made life miserable for the women folks of this place last week. There were some six or eight of them and they canvassed the town thoroughly.

The Busy Store announces a clearance sale of muslin underwear in this week's paper. Look up their adv and take advantage of the many good things they are offering at this time.

A party of Red Lake Falls young men will go to Maple Lake next Sunday for their annual outing. They expect to be absent two weeks and are planning on a most enjoyable time.

Another coach could be used on this division of the Great Northern these days. The passenger trains are crowded daily and there are hardly seats enough for the passengers.

Miss Lillie Belair, one of the competent assistants in the Register of Deeds office, is at Two Harbors visiting relatives and old friends. She expects to be absent about a month.

A. H. Akre, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor one evening last week the guest of his cousin, Mrs. P. O. Floan. Mr. Akre represents the Old Style Lager in this district.

The young ladies composing the Merry Crew and Bon Ami clubs were guests at the Allison home west of the city Saturday. A most pleasant time is reported by those present.

Clearance Sale of Muslin Underwear

One Fourth Off, One Week Only

We overstocked ourselves so as to get bottom prices. THIS SALE SHOULD INTEREST YOU TO BUY.

Shirtwaist Sale

Thursday we shall put on sale about 30 pieces of shirtwaist goods in patterns of 3 and 3½ yards. Nobby waistings at prices to close out quick

Novelty Assortment

of Shopping Bags, Embroidery Collars. Belts, Pearl Necklaces and Chimisette Collars at

30c and 50c

Good Footwear a Necessity

QUEEN QUALITY Shoes are made to fit easy; look well longest and wear longer.

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Childrens RED SCHOOL HOUSE Shoes WEAR because their made strong. Your money takes care of itself if you buy Red School House Quality.

Highest Price Paid for Butter, Eggs, Wool, Etc. GOOD AS CASH.

GARCEAU & ZAISER
THE BUSY STORE

Ernest Purdy and brother, Seymore, of Hamilton, North Dakota, arrived in the city last Saturday and are guests at the home of Ernest's brother-in-law, Frank Brouillet.

While playing ball last Saturday Neil Kehoe met with an accident that will lay him up for some time to come. His right knee was badly sprained and causes him considerable pain.

A hail storm is reported to have passed over the country around Dugdale last Tuesday. Brooks is said to have been visited also the same day. Slight damage was done the growing crops.

Engineer McMillan, who pulled the passenger train on this division for a number of years, has been transferred to the St. Vincent line. Mc has hosts of friends over this way that will miss him.

While out driving Saturday Mrs. Ovide Emard and little daughter were quite badly bruised up by a runaway. No bones were broken but both Mrs. Emard and the child were badly shaken up.

Miss Meda Gonigan leaves this evening for Walnut, Ill., to join her mother and will make her home at that place hereafter. Miss Meda has made many friends here who will be sorry to see her leave.

G. H. Tibbets arrived Saturday from Flandreau, S. D., to visit a week or ten days with his family. Mr. Tibbetts is one of the instructors at the Flandreau Indian school, a position he has held for many years.

Farmers from different parts of the county who were in town Saturday all report the crops in excellent condition, and predict a bumper crop if the weather conditions are favorable from now until harvest time.

Messrs. Simons and Bourdon moved into their new office building last Friday. The new quarters make an most admirable place o business, and the gentlemen have one of the neatest in this section of the country.

The kid base ball nine went to St. Hilaire Sunday and beat the boys of that town in a game by a score of 9 to 0. They feel that they have been revenged for the drubbings the up-river youngsters gave them earlier in the season.

Hon. L. C. Simons went to Brooks Monday to take charge of the bank at that place, while W. B. Cheshire takes an outing. Mr. Cheshire is visiting at his old home at Walnut Grove, Minn., and expects to be gone about ten days.

At a meeting of the fire department Saturday evening it was decided to purchase a running cart and other tournament equipment with the money won at the Blackduck tournament. The boys will have a first class equipment and will hustle all competitors in the tournaments hereafter.

The Red Lake Falls band may go to the Western Canadian Industrial Exposition this year. The management is corresponding with the Winnipeg people and arrangements may be made for the band to play there on American day.

P. B. Gaass has become an expert at flying kites. He has two large kites which he delights to handle. His greatest trouble and annoyance these days is going out in the country two or three miles after the pesky things when the string breaks.

A. J. Jackson, of Watertown, S. D., returned to his home last week after a two weeks visit with his brother, K. C. Jackson, of the North Side. The brothers had not seen each other for over nine years and both enjoyed the visit immensely.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall left Tuesday for Detroit, Minn., where she joined a party of ladies from Minneapolis and St. Paul on a trip to the west. The Portland exposition and the Yellowstone Park will be visited, and it will take a month or six weeks to make the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zaiser arrived in the city Saturday morning and began immediately to keep house in their new home near the Presbyterian church. The young couple have hosts of friends in the city who wish them success and much happiness in their new relation.

Crookston Times: Ed. L. Healy, the Red Lake Falls land man, who spent last evening in the city on business, reports the general tone of business at Red Lake Falls this year as prosperous and the business men of the town as feeling good over the prospects. Mr. Healy believes the crop will be a good one and looks for a large amount of land business about harvest time.

Louis Parenteau was in from Terrebonne Saturday looking after business matters. He is just finishing a $9,000 job of ditching near Stephen, Marshall county, and this month will help appraise the state lands in Red Lake county, having been given this work by Governor Johnson.

E. Chatel was in the city over Sunday visiting his family and many friends. He reports his railroad work as progressing nicely in North Dakota and says he has work enough to keep his men and teams busy the balance of the season. He has been making his headquarters at York.

Manager Sivertson and Contractor Johnson went to Climax last evening to look over the new elevator the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. is building at that place. Mr. Sivertson will be away from home for several days on business connected with the milling company in and around Crookston.

Leo Steinert, manager of the Northern Minnesota Milling Co.. left last week for an extensive eastern trip. He expects to visit New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and will tell the good people of that section the merits of Northern Minnesota flour. He will be absent about a month and will no doubt enjoy the trip.

W. A. Biteman of Bemidji has purchased the Home restaurant and bakery and took charge the latter part of the week. Mr. Biteman is a first-class baker, and intends to supply the people of Red Lake Falls and vicinity with a full line of baked goods, confectionery, fruits, etc., and serve good meals at all hours. Red Lake Falls needs a good bakery, and no doubt Mr. Biteman will receive a liberal patronage.

A Long List of Bargains

THAT includes our entire stock of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Musical Instruments and Sewing Machines. Our aim is to continue to make the Leader Store worthy of its name. We spare no efforts to secure for our customers the best the market affords. We buy in large quantities, secure the lowest freight rates and have every facility for meeting every want of the purchasing public.

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We carry a large assortment. Beautiful patterns.

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SCROFULA A Disease We Inherit

The tainted blood of ancestors lays upon the shoulders of innocent offspring untold suffering by transmitting to them, through the blood, that blighting disease, Scrofula; for in nearly every instance the disease can be traced to some family blood trouble, or blood-kin marriage which is contrary to the laws of nature. Swelling, ulcerating glands of the neck, catarrh, weak eyes, sores, abscesses, skin eruptions, white swelling, hip disease and other deformities, with a wasting of the natural strength and vitality, are some of the ways this miserable disease manifests itself. The poison transmitted through the blood pollutes and weakens that health-sustaining fluid and in place of its nutritive qualities fills the circulation with scrofulous matter and tubercular deposits, often resulting in consumption. A disease which has been in the family blood for generations, perhaps, or at least since the birth of the sufferer, requires constitutional treatment. S. S. S. is the remedy best fitted for this. It cleanses the blood of all scrofulous and tuberculous poisons, makes it rich and pure and under the tonic effects of this great blood medicine the general health improves, the symptoms all pass away, there is a sure return to health, the disease is cured permanently while posterity is protected. Book on the blood and any advice wished, furnished by our physicians, without charge.

Scrofula appeared on the head of my little grandchild when only 18 months old, and spread rapidly over her body. The disease next attacked the eyes and we feared she would lose her sight. It was then that we decided to try S. S. S. That medicine at once made a speedy and complete cure. She is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease to return.

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GOPHER GOSSIP.

St. Paul.—It is believed that the census returns will show a population of nearly 2,000,000.

Washington.—Ole K. Shermoen was appointed postmaster at Stockwood, vice C. B. Romkey, resigned.

St. Paul.—Prof. W. M. Hays advocates the plan of having schools of agriculture in every county.

St. Paul.—William Ledy, night clerk at the Great Northern hotel, is probably fatally injured by a fall.

Moorhead.—The summer school for teachers at the normal opened yesterday with an enrollment of over 200.

Duluth.—Duluth butchers and grocers' associations alleged to operate in violation of Minnesota anti-trust laws.

St. Paul.—The butter and cheese contest, under the auspices of the state dairy and food commission, has 180 entries.

Minneapolis.—The safe in the general store of C. J. Carlson, 720 Twenty-sixth avenue north, was wrecked by safe blowers.

Little Falls.—The residence of J. A. McGregor, liveryman, was struck by lightning and destroyed. The loss is $2,500; insurance, $1,000.

Crookston.—The lowering of the grade on one of the streets caused a good deal of opposition, as some of the lots were left up in the air.

St. Cloud.—The state board of control has let the contract for the plumbing in the new normal dormitory to O. F. Doyle of St. Cloud.

Minneapolis.—The stock and plant of the Bohn Manufacturing company of St. Paul has been purchased by the City Sash and Door company.

Ft. Snelling.—Roy Stevens, private in Co. G, 28th U. S. infantry, was instantly killed by falling from the bridge spanning the river at Fort Snelling.

Two Harbors.—Arthur Basie, a 3-year-old son of Peter Basie, a miner in the Winnipeg mines, is dead from burns, having ignited his clothes while playing with matches.

Duluth.—While driving a roller on the grounds of the Northland Golf club, Herman Utick fell from his seat in front of the roller, which passed over his skull, crushing it flat and killing him instantly.

Washington.—By direction of the secretary of the interior, 37,800 acres of Indian lands in Minnesota will be opened to settlement on Aug. 17. These lands at present are partly in the Fond du Lac, Red Lake, White Earth and the Chippewas of Minnesota reservations.

Pipestone.—Crops were reported slightly damaged in the eastern part of the county. The smokestack at the electric light plant was blown down and crashed through the roof of the wholesale grocery house of Hornby, Nichols, Parker company, permitting the rain to flood the top floor and damage goods.

Superior.—The steel freight steamer George W. Perkins, built for the Pittsburg Steamship company, was successfully launched at the yards of the Superior shipbuilding company, being christened by Miss Jennie Jewell Powell of Duluth.

Stillwater.—The prison population is 692, equal to that of any period in the history of the institution. It is expected to grow before the courts take the usual summer vacation. Cots in corridors are in use and the female ward has fourteen women in ten cells.

St. Paul.—The revenue fund in the state treasury is overdrawn practically $347,000. A draft of $43,558.33 to pay interest on state capital certificates July 1, has run the amount of the overdraft up to the large figures.

Sauk Center.—Grave fears for the safety of the water power dam here are entertained. The Little Sauk dam, twelve miles north, went out and every stream tributary to the river is swollen. Melrose is alarmed over the rapid rising of the river.

New Ulm.—One of the windows of the Stuebe meat market was forced out by wind and William F. Fenske was cut in the leg. It is feared his leg will have to be amputated. The glass struck him just below the knee and cut the flesh away from the bone and also injured the bone.

Minneapolis.—Henry Hatten, when arraigned in police court, admitted without a show of shame that he had robbed his little son's bank that he might satisfy his cravings for whisky.

St. Paul.—P. M. Kirst, public examiner, reports as a result of the examination of the Adams Express company's Minnesota business that there is due the state $99.68 as gross earnings tax heretofore unpaid on newspaper express carried between St. Paul and Duluth in 1900 and 1902. The company has agreed to pay the tax without any contest.

Crookston.—All of the Italian laborers along the Great Northern line between this city and Winnipeg, who are employed on the extensive improvements being made on the line, struck, not for more wages or for fewer hours, but for permission to work twelve hours a day instead of ten hours, as they have been doing.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. Jessie Lacy was the victim of a fatal accident. She swallowed the contents of a package containing ten grains of strychnine in the belief that it was a headache powder, and expired in agony ten minutes after having taken the poison.

Franklin.—This section was visited by a terrific electrical storm. On many of the farms north of town the loss of crops is said to be complete. Lightning struck the Franklin mill, but did no damage. The funeral of William Fox Sr., a Birch Coulee pioneer, was held here. He was [illegible]

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VERY LOW RATES

COURAGE THAT WON

......By Frank H. Sweet

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Judge Pauls went down the office steps briskly, his face, which a few moments before had been creased into a frown, now beaming with the satisfaction of duty well done. He had forbidden the new doctor, who had no prospects and no faculty for money making, to visit his house any more. From what he knew of Edith and what he had seen in the young doctor's eyes he felt that he need apprehend no further trouble, and the affair had not gone far enough for either of the young people to suffer any heartache.

Dr. Phil was standing in front of an open window in his office, his hands thrust deep into his pockets, gazing out at the judge as he crossed the street and passed on through the field opposite toward the river, probably to see if the swollen torrent was doing any damage to his lands. Then, with the same strong, self contained look which the judge had seen and, against his will, admired, the young doctor turned back into his office.

There was no despondency in his clear gray eyes, no weakening of his square chin. He had fought his way from almost absolute ignorance at twelve in the depths of a coal mine through various situations to one school after another, through college and medical school and hospital practice, until now he was here in an office of his own waiting for the first patient.

There was a large back region of farm and mountain people here, and once he could gain their confidence it would offer him such a field as he loved, a life of hard, continuous work, with much of it in long journeyings under the open sky. The horror of his early boyhood in the black depths of the mine could never leave him; to be in the open air was to be in God's own world. The matter of recompense in money never troubled him.

As he turned from the window a man came hurrying across a field from the direction of the river. Reaching the opposite fence, he vaulted over without seeking the gate and ran straight to Dr. Phil's office.

THE ANIMAL SEEMED TO THINK IT FOOLHARDY TO PROCEED.

"Hello, doctor!" he called sharply. "You got a telephone?"

"Yes."

"Well, you call down to Dr. Peters at the Ferry road an' tell him to hurry to Dan Sims' house, on t'other side the river—tell him Lonesome valley. Dan jest hollered across to me an' said his wife'd cut herself with an ax, bad, an' they was holdin' back the bleedin' well's they could. The bridge is down to the Ferry road."

"But it's nearly twenty miles to the Ferry bridge. It will take Dr. Peters hours to reach her."

"Can't help that. No man could get across the river this side the bridge, an' Dr. Peters is the nearest. You'd have to go forty miles."

Dr. Phil was hurriedly gathering up some things from his table.

"There's the branch that runs into the river from the mountains," he called over his shoulder. "After this freshet it must be a torrent, as dangerous as the river itself. Dr. Peters could never cross it. He is too old."

The man's countenance fell. "That's so," he admitted. "I'd forgot all about the branch. I s'pose it's jest tearin' now. Well, I'll holler back to Dan an' tell him a doctor'll be over jest as soon's the water goes down a little an' that they must do the best they can."

"You'll do nothing of the sort. Hurry round to the stable behind the office and bring my horse. You'll find the bridle hanging on a peg. Never mind a saddle; that will be too much weight."

"But why"—

"Hurry, I tell you!" thundered Dr. Phil. "The woman may be bleeding to death. I'll be ready by the time you are back."

When the man appeared Dr. Phil was at the corner of the office, and he threw himself instantly upon the horse's back.

"You can't go"— the man tried to say, but Dr. Phil did not hear him. He was tearing across the street, and when they came to the fence the horse took it at a bound. A few minutes later they were at the river.

Several men were working in the edge of the water, trying to rescue lumber and other floating wreckage from the torrent. Judge Pauls was standing on the bank watching them. As the horse dashed down the bank the men threw up their hands warningly.

"You can't cross here!" one of them yelled. "It's sure death!"

"A woman's on the other side dying," was Dr. Phil's only answer.

He did not even attempt to check the horse, but plunged into the water at full speed.

This horse was the only piece of property that Dr. Phil owned, and he had been able to make the purchase because the ugliness and viciousness and small size of the animal had made the price very low. But the horse was apparently afraid of nothing in the world and had strong staying powers, and these were qualities which soon convinced the young doctor that he had obtained the very animal he needed without regard to price.

However, with that rushing, roaring torrent before him, the animal seemed to think it foolhardy to proceed, for before he had gone a dozen feet from shore he tried to turn and swim back. But now the firm, masterful hand of the rider was controlling his head, the calm, inflexible voice was sounding encouragingly in his ears, and after a few ineffectual attempts to turn the horse directed his gaze toward the opposite shore and did what Dr. Phil was doing —his best.

But no living thing could stem or cross that mad rush of water, and this Dr. Phil well knew. He must reach the other side, but he was not foolhardy.

The torrent was winding in its course. Dr. Phil's gaze had swept keenly from bank to bank; then he forced his horse into a current which approached the opposite shore nearly a half mile down. To the horrified spectators it looked as though they were being swept away, powerless to help themselves, as, indeed, they were for the time being. All Dr. Phil did was to guide the horse, and all the horse could do was to keep them above water. But as the current approached its nearest point to the other shore, not more than ten feet distant, Dr. Phil suddenly slipped into the water, with his hand twisted in the horse's mane, and in that position, freed from his weight and with the strong right arm assisting by quick, powerful strokes, the horse threw himself forward with a desperate effort which brought his feet upon the bottom. A few minutes later they emerged from the water and staggered up the bank.

Dr. Phil did not hesitate. Lonesome valley was two miles away, and he could reach it more quickly on foot than he could on the horse in its present exhausted condition. So he turned the animal loose; perhaps he could recover him again when he returned.

He found the woman weak from loss of blood and lack of proper attention. Another hour's delay might have been fatal. He remained with her two days, until she was out of danger, and then returned to the river. Contrary to his expectation, he found the horse grazing quietly within a few rods of where he had left him, and the animal greeted him with an unmistakable whinny of pleasure and relief. Perhaps the common danger in the river and the manner of escape had won the horse's respect and dependence; possibly the animal was already becoming fond of him. Dr. Phil had not received a fee for his services, but the family's gratitude and the way the horse trotted toward him, whinnying, were enough, and he recrossed the river with buoyant heart.

In his desk he found a letter which read:

My Dear Doctor—I was a little hasty the other day, and I realized it when I saw you crossing the river. Will you overlook it by taking dinner with us Sunday?
HENRY PAULS.

THE VALUE OF OPALS.

It Mainly Depends on the Colors Shown In the Stones.

Veins of opals are usually met with in soft formations where nothing above ground indicates their presence. The search for them, therefore, often requires considerable time. But it is not extremely difficult, for opals are generally found near the surface. Indeed, it was thought for a long time that they were not to be found as deep as twelve feet below the surface. This opinion has, however, given way in the light of evidence, because opals of great value have been discovered at a depth of fifty feet.

The value of opals depends upon several considerations, of which the principal one is the color. It is important that they should be bright and not present streaks or spots alternating with uncolored substance. The most valuable are those which have red fires or mixtures of red and yellow, blue and green. Opals of a single tint are of little value unless the tint is particularly striking and the figure beautiful. Indeed one of the essential qualities of the opal is the arrangement of the figure, which sets off strikingly the hue of the stone.

When the figure is quite regular and distinct it is the more valuable, much less so when the grain is quite small and irregular. Sometimes the color appears as a single blaze or with figures regularly spaced. It may then be of a fine ruby red and is much sought after, but oftenest the uniform tint is only green or reddish and has but little brilliancy.

The cutting is very important for the opal. Thus a thick stone will be much less beautiful than a thin stone, which on losing part of its volume, loses also the figure. The foundation tint contributes much to the beauty. It ought to be transparent, slightly milky and harmonize fully with the different reflections of the opal, which when it is really beautiful, presents a variety of hues infinitely pleasing to the eye.—Jewelers' Circular-Weekly.

THE TERM "IDIOT."

In the Original Greek It Simply Meant a Private Person.

The word idiot is itself of interesting history. Its primary Greek significance was that of a private as distinguished from a public person. Our words idiom, idiosyncrasy, etc., are from the same root. The idiot in Greek was simply one not engaged in public affairs. The beginnings of the degradation of the word are shown in its application soon to the common people as distinguished from the upper classes. It was then applied to unprofessional and lay people and soon became the slurring title of the unskillful and awkward. By slow degrees it became applicable to the stupid and at last to the imbecile and idiot. As late as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the word was still used in its earlier senses. This long sad history speaks indirectly of the pathetic history of the imbecile. If he was not killed or starved to death by neglect, etc., he was usually reduced to the condition of a beast either about the house or fields or was actually driven into the woods and forced to live in caves, among wild animals, etc. In 1799 Itard took a "wild boy" found in the forests of Aveyron and tried to teach him. The ability of the wild boys and wolf children to live and the number that did so shows that idiocy, as we have later learned, is of all degrees and that a mind may be variously defective in some ways, even idiotic, but in others with capabilities well preserved. Blind Tom, the pianist, and the large number of mathematic idiots are examples that show how far we are from understanding the real nature of idiocy, and they more than suggest the partial retention of sound mentality of the defective, the possibility of seizing upon the one or few normal or even highly developed faculties and perhaps bringing others into co-ordination with them and to normality. The court fools and jesters of the olden times were often such partial idiots and defectives, and they truly lived upon their "wits," which were often better than those of their masters.—American Medicine.

THE VALUE OF EXAMPLE.

To have your child truthful, be truthful.

To have him temperate, be temperate in all things.

To have him kind to others, be yourself kind to others.

Prescribe healthful amusements and so far as you can take part in them.

Prove to him by your life that a good name is to be chosen before great riches.

Teach him that riches are not to be despised, but should never be got by doing harm to others; that when acquired should be treated as a trust, not as a hoard.

To have him honest, present to him in yourself a living example of honesty. The chief part of a child's knowledge comes through observation. Acts mean more to him than speech.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A Demonstration.

Tommy and his little brother had been playing together most peacefully for some time when suddenly the baby gave a howl, followed by a series of shrieks. The mother rushed in and while soothing the crying child sought to find out what had hurt him. Tommy [illegible] resisted her cross examination for a time, but finally admitted that he was guilty.

"What did you do to him?" she asked.

"I stuck him with a safety pin."

"What in the world did you do that for?"

"Nurse said you couldn't hurt yourself with a safety pin, and I wanted to see if it was so."

Robert Burns' Muse.

Robert Burns, though he had the choice of such works as the Spectator, "Locke on the Human Understanding" and Pope, together with odd plays of Shakespeare, which formed the staple reading of his home, nevertheless owed most to an old collection of songs. "This," he says, "was my vade mecum! I pored over them during my rest or walking to labor, song by song, verse by verse, carefully noting the true, tender and sublime from affectation and fustian. I am convinced I owe to this practice much of my critic craft, such as it is!"—All the Year Round.

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Here is a pen portrait of Robert Louis Stevenson, written by Dr. Alexander H. Japp: "Not so tall probably as he seems at first sight from his extreme thinness, but the pose and air could not be otherwise described than as distinguished. Head of fine type, carried well on the shoulders, and, in walking, with the impression of being a little thrown back; long brown hair, falling from under a broadish brimmed Spanish form of soft felt hat, Rembrandtesque; loose kind of Iverness cape when walking and invariable velvet jacket inside the house."

The Gain From Others.

A man is strong in proportion to the quantity, the quality and the variety of forces which he absorbs from others. He is a power in proportion to the extent of his contact—socially, mentally and morally—with his kind and a weakling just in proportion as he cuts himself off from others.—Success.

After the Defalcation.

Junior Partner—I never suspected him at all. Senior Partner—Neither did I, although it did seem a little singular to me that he should be able to pay $2,000 a year rent out of a salary of $1,500.—New York Press.

No man will be found who does not sometimes hope or fear beyond the limits of sober probability.—Johnson.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

Summons

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake } IN DISTRICT COURT,
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Sjur Stolaas, Plaintiff
vs
Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaall, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaall, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated June 6th, 1905.

SJUR STOLAAS.
E. O. HAGEN, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
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LOCAL NEWS.

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The many friends of Arthur Mercier will be pleased to learn that he has become a member of the firm he has been working for at Thief River Falls the past few weeks. He recently became one of the proprietors and reports doing a fine business. His many Red Lake Falls friends wish him success in his undertaking.

The board of education is working diligently on the plans and specifications for the new North Side school building and expect to have all plans perfected in the very near future. Our local contractors can secure any desired information by calling on members of the board. It is probable that bids will be advertised for next week.

E. E. Roddis, of Pipestone, was a business visitor at this place one day last week. He is one of the prominent attorneys of his section of the state and enjoys a large practice. This was his first visit to this part of the state and he expressed himself as highly pleased with the country, and predicted a bright future for Red Lake county.

R. E. Bottomley, of Fairmont, Superintendent of Schools of Martin county, was in the city last week for several days. He recently purchased a quarter section of land in Gervais township and was here for the purpose of looking over his property. He is a genial and entertaining gentlemen and thinks well of the future of this section of the state.

C. W. Cress, one of the prominent farmers of Lake Pleasant, met with a peculiar and serious accident last week. While nailing some boards in his barn, one of the planks fell against the side of his head and three large nails struck against his ear and temple. For a time blood poisoning was feared, but at present Mr. Cress is doing well and will soon be entirely recovered.

Parenteau Bros, the Terrebonne cheese manufacturers, report a fine business this year and say they have enjoyed a prosperous season thus far. These gentlemen have built up a enviable reputation for fine goods and have no difficulty in finding a ready market for their product. They paid their farmer patrons 80 cents per hundred for milk during the month just past and it is needless to say their patrons feel satisfied and proud of the institution.

Saturday, July 15th., is the date set for the school election at which time two directors will be elected to succeed Messrs. Theo. Garceau and Frank E. Hunt, whose terms expire. It has been suggested by several of our citizens that it would be a good idea to re-elect these two gentlemen. They are eminently qualified for the position, being capable, trustworthy men, and both take an active interest in school matters. They have proven their worth on the board, and having knowledge of the work, they would be in a position to give still better service should they be returned to the board.

The special school election held Monday evening at the Lafayette building to vote on the proposition of bonding the district for $3,000 proved to be a very one-sided affair, resulting in a vote of 88 to 2 in favor of the idea. This insures a fine school building for the North Side, the district having about $8,000 to put into the structure. It is gratifying to know that our citizens are of one opinion on this question, and the school board is to be congratulated for the enterprise and progressive spirit manifested. Work on the new building will be rushed and an effort will be made to have every thing in readiness by the time school calls in September.

B. K. Cress, of Washburn, Ill., has been in Red Lake Falls this week visiting his son, C. W., one of the prosperous Lake Pleasant farmers. The elder Mr. Cress owns a half-section of land in the corn belt of Illinois, worth $200 per acre, and is one of the substantial and prominent citizens of his county. Mrs. Cress has the distinction of being a cousin of Mrs. William J. Bryan, her family name being Baird, the same as that of Mrs. Bryan. The COURIER is indebted for a pleasant call from Mr. Cress.

CONTINUE

Those who are gaining flesh and strength by regular treatment with

Scott's Emulsion

should continue the treatment in hot weather; smaller dose and a little cool milk with it will do away with any objection which is attached to fatty products during the heated season.

Send for free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue entertained forty-four of their friends at a six o'clock dinner last Thursday evening in honor of their first wedding anniversary. The tables were arranged on the lawn, and the weather man was certainly kindly disposed, since it was one of those beautiful summer evenings we read about. After an elaborate dinner the guests spent an hour or more in social intercourse and having a genuine good time. A large number of beautiful gifts were presented the host and hostess. It was certainly one of the most elaborate and enjoyable social functions of the year.

Crookston Times: Marcus Johnson and S. M. Sivertson of the Red Lake Falls and Crookston Milling companies who drove in this afternoon from Red Lake Falls, report that the condition of crops along the road between this city and Red Lake Falls look fine as a result of the two days warm sunshine and clear weather. The stand of grain near this city particularly is in good condition and every indication points to an unusual large crop. Near Red Lake Falls where the soil is heavy and the country low and drainage in an unfinished state the appearance of the grain is not so well off. It is thought however, if the warm weather continues it will bring the grain along in good shape.

Lewis Albers has been appointed deputy state boiler inspector for the 62d district which comprises the county of Polk. As he is also deputy for the 61st district, which is composed of the counties of Norman, Red Lake, Clearwater and Beltrami, he has work that will keep him busy for some months to come. He recently returned from Norman county where he had been at work, and leaves to-day for Red Lake where he will inspect the lake steamers. He expects to be away on this trip for three or four weeks. J. E. Morrisy, of Crookston, is the state inspector for the 62d district, and H. E. Zimmerson, of Ada, is inspector for the 61st. The gentlemen are indeed fortunate in securing Mr. Albers as deputy as he is eminently fitted for the position, and understands all the ins and outs of the business.

She Tried Five Doctors.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales, of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years; had severe pains in my back and a frequent desire to urinate. When riding I experienced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and then concluded to try Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three $1.00 bottles I was completely cured." A. L. Riechert.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A girl can never feel a misquito bite if it is through an open-work stocking.

Some girls have such a way of fooling themselves that when you squeeze their fingers they think you are teaching them algebra.

A woman's idea of a successful afternoon party is where they eat refreshments so they can't touch their dinner and they have headaches all evening.

It makes a man feel like a criminal to think how the two dollar box of candy he is taking home could have bought eight rare cigars of some use to the world.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and affected a permanent cure. "Unequalled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At all druggists; price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

An Awful Accusation.

St. Peter Free Press: One of the many questions the members of the last state senate will be asked to explain should they ask for a re-election is why did they defeat the bill, passed by the house, that provided for a test of illuminating oil as to its explosive properties? To the uninitiated it would seem that the Standard Oil Co. had more influence with the senators than the people of Minnesota.

DEER PARK.

Special to the Courier.

And still it rains.

The assessor has thus far failed to show up.

Two more homesteads were filed on here last week.

Your correspondent was a Thief River caller Thursday.

Theo. Hyland was at Gully last Wednesday for a load of oats.

Miss Ellen Swenson returned to her home at Grit last Saturday.

C. W. Johnson purchased a fine team of oxen from G. Swanson last week.

Overseer Johnson for our district began ordering out his pollmen last Tuesday.

Heavy frost here the night of the 22d. Garden truck was quite badly damaged.

Geo. Singer touched things up a little the other day when he placed a large cupalo on his big barn.

The Nesland brothers have furnished Postmaster Suerig with all the necessary office fixtures during the past week.

Enumerator O. H. Olson put the finishing touch to his work up this way last Wednesday. He now has only the town east to finish.

Ole G. Vatendahl was at Thief River last week where he went to receive treatment for his eyes. He was under the care of Dr. Bockman.

Henry Peterson, who worked for some time past for Geo. Singer, left recently and is now in the employ of his brother-in-law, Will Rodman.

Mrs. W. A. Swanson and daughter returned from Thief River last Thursday where Miss Mina had been under the care of Dr. Bockman.

Thor Moen and family arrived here Saturday from near Fosston. They will make their home on the homestead purchased by Mr. Moen last winter.

The Skreland brothers and Mrs. W. A. Swanson and daughter Mina spent a couple of days visiting friends and relatives at Grit during the latter part of the week.

Sunbeam Hunt passed through here last Saturday. He is making arrangements for a cook, mail carrier and a type setter. Surely he intends to go some when he gets started.

C. W. Johnson was caught out in the rain a couple of miles from home the other evening. Charles says he "had to stay" away anyway. We did not see him until the following day. But he still prays for rain.

Charles. W. Johnson says that Editor Hunt is not the only one looking for a cook. There are others. He says he hasn't quite as many warm inducements to offer as the editor, but feels confident he could make some lonely miss everlastingly smile if she would come his way.

Postmaster Singer says that his office is well patronized and has a large cancellation already. Mr. Singer now has one of the best equipped offices in the county. Fifty neat boxes add greatly to the appearance of the place. The mail comes to Rhoda three times a week.

Charles W. Johnson invited a couple of his next door neighbors to his home for a Sunday chat. They arrived promptly but Charles fell asleep during the conversation and was soon peacefully dreaming of the green fields of Illinois and the fair maiden he left behind a few short months ago. Seeing all efforts fruitless the visitors departed and will call again when Charles is awake.

Doctors Said he would not Live.

Peter Fry, Woodruff, Pa., writes: "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still getting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month, as there was no cure for me. Foley's kidney cure was recommended to me by a friend and I immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entrrely well. A. L. Riechert.

LILLO.

(Too late for last week.)

More rain, more rest,
More hoboes in the west.

Money order business established at the Lillo postoffice July 1st.

Mrs. J. Hanson is visiting relatives and friends at Sletten, Fosston and Thief River Falls.

Mrs. I. Lillo received the sad news recently of the death of her brother who lives at Appleton, Minn.

Mrs. G. Holstad has recently moved here to join her husband who resides on his claim on the north side of the river.

We are glad to welcome our old time neighbor Knut Byklum who has spent some years in his mother country, Norway.

Miss Grace Green closed her term of school in district No. 8 last Friday. She leaves immediately for Red Lake Falls to attend the summer school.

Mrs. Fore was called to Fosston last week on account of the illness of her mother. She expects to meet her mother, Mart Adson, of Duluth, while there.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

The Passing of Wylie.

St. Hilaire Spectator: For the first time since 1883 the people of Wylie will today be without mail service by train, the Great Northern surrendering their mail contract and a star route commencing from Red Lake Falls. The railroad company has as yet made no announcement as to whether they will continue to run the freight train down there but it is thought that the service will be irregular, if at all. The property owners of Wylie have taken the matter up with the Great Northern officials, but no agreement has been reached. Legal authorities have been consulted and unless the company comes forward with damages the chances for a big legal fight are excellent. The railroad company seem determined to wipe Wylie off the map. They will no longer sell through tickets to that point and their new folders do not name it as a station.

A Joke on Alaska

Red Wing News: Ray Jones, the distinguished lieutenant governor of Minnesota, is recommended for governor of Alaska by Senator Nelson, Tom Shevlin, E. B. Kellogg, Senator Clapp and other prominent Republicans. Apparently they do not care what happens to Alaska.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all outstanding warrants drawn against the Poor Fund of Red Lake County are now due and payable and interest upon said warrants ceases from this date.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 1st day of July, A. D. 1905.

Karl M. Hansen,
County Treasurer.

Magical Scenes in California.

If you contemplate a trip to California with its lovely seaside resorts, orange groves, beautiful groves and quaint old Missions, the pleasantest, shortest and quickest way to the magical scenes is over the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Every day from March 1st to May 15, tickets will be sold via this route at $25 from Missouri river good in tourist sleepers. Double berths $5.75. Fast trains, short line, no delays. Inquire of E. L. Lomax, G. A. & T. A., Union Pacific, Omaha, Neb.

Wine of Cardui Cured Her.

213 South Prior Street,
ATLANTA, GA., March 21, 1903.

I suffered for four months with extreme nervousness and lassitude. I had a sinking feeling in my stomach which no medicine seemed to relieve, and losing my appetite I became weak and lost my vitality. In three weeks I lost fourteen pounds of flesh and felt that I must find speedy relief to regain my health. Having heard Wine of Cardui praised by several of my friends, I sent for a bottle and was certainly very pleased with the results. Within three days my appetite returned and my stomach troubled me no more. I could digest my food without difficulty and the nervousness gradually diminished. Nature performed her functions without difficulty and I am once more a happy and well woman.

OLIVE JOSEPH,
Treas. Atlanta Friday Night Club.

Secure a Dollar Bottle of Wine of Cardui Today.

Conviction Follows Trial

When buying loose coffee or anything your grocer happens to have in his bin, **how do you know what you are getting?** Some queer stories about coffee that is sold in bulk, could be told, if the people who handle it (grocers), cared to speak out.

Could any amount of mere talk have persuaded millions of housekeepers to use

Lion Coffee,

the leader of all package coffees for over a quarter of a century, if they had not found it superior to all other brands in

Purity, Strength, Flavor and Uniformity?

This popular success of LION COFFEE can be due only to inherent merit. There is no stronger proof of merit than continued and increasing popularity.

If the verdict of MILLIONS OF HOUSEKEEPERS does not convince you of the merits of LION COFFEE, it costs you but a trifle to buy a package. It is the easiest way to convince yourself, and to make you a PERMANENT PURCHASER.

LION COFFEE is sold only in 1 lb. sealed packages, and reaches you as pure and clean as when it left our factory.

Lion-head on every package.
Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

You Are Eligible to Attend

The Annapolis or West Point Military School

If you are an unmarried American boy between ages of 17 and 23, of good habits and can pass the necessary physical examination; have a knowledge of reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography and history of the United States. Unlike most schools, the government allows you about $500 per year to defray all expenses. You receive a thorough military and academic education, and upon graduation may resign or accept a commission as lieutenant in the regular service.

Further particulars for four one cent stamps by addressing,

H. W. PHILLIPS, Louisville, Kentucky

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

Cough, Cough. Cough.

If your doctor tells you that your cough is the forerunner of consumption try Gloria Lung Balsam. It will do more for you than a change of climate. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

The Era of Noise.

What an age of noise this is! Do you know any single human being who is capable of being silent for an hour at a stretch? I know two, and I value them according to their rarity. Not only does everybody talk, but almost everybody talks loud. I went into a shop the other day, and the clatter of conversation sounded as though the place were full of people. Yet all the noise was produced by three individuals. Why should they shout?—London Truth.

The Classes In England.

In England the upper class gambles, but does not drink; the middle class drinks, but does not gamble, and the lower class both drinks and gambles. It is a characteristic circumstance that the upper class makes laws to prevent the lower class from gambling and that the lower class is in favor of legislation to prevent the upper class from drinking.

Great Inducements.

Gyer—Fitzem, the clothier, is advertising a silk umbrella with each twenty dollar overcoat he sells. Mrs. Gyer—That's nothing. Bloom, the florist, is giving away the earth with each plant he sells.—Chicago News.

Papa's Own Idea.

She—Darling, we must elope. He—But surely your father has no objections to— She—None whatever. He suggested it, in fact. He says it will be cheaper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Rheumatism of 50 years standing Cured.

Mr. Salome Boyer, of Goshen, Ind., writes: "I am 64 years old and have suffered from Rheumatism every since my fourteenth year, but thanks to Gloria Tonic I am now completely cured." Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Beautify your complexion with little cost. If you wish a smooth, clear, cream-like complexion, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, greatest beautifier known, 35 cents. A. L. Riechert.

New line of correct spring stationery just received at THE COURIER stationery store.

FREE RUGS A neat little circular telling all about those fine fluffy Rugs made from your old carpets. MPLS. RUG FACTORY, 112 4th St, N., Minneapolis, Minn

Every Protection For the Safe Handling of Passengers

The North-Western Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Ayer's

Take cold easily? Throat tender? Lungs weak? Any relatives have consumption? Then a cough means a great

Cherry Pectoral

deal to you. Follow your doctor's advice and take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It heals, strengthens, prevents.

"For 40 years I have depended on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. I know it greatly strengthens weak lungs."
MRS. P. A. ROBINSON, Saline, Mich.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for Weak Lungs

Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

I wish to announce that my Percheron stallion

"PRINCE"

can be found at Red Lake Falls from Friday night to Tuesday noon of each week. At Plummer Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Joseph Belair

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ATTENDANCE IS GROWING

The Training School is Proving Very Popular and the Attendance is Growing Daily.

The summer training school now in session in this city is proving very popular with the teachers and others interested in the work and the attendance has materially increased during the past week. Eighty-seven scholars are now enrolled and the number will be increased the coming week.

Conductor C. S. Yeager and his able corps of assistants are working diligently to make the school a success and are succeeding far beyond the fondest expectations of those who are taking an interest in the welfare of the undertaking. The instructors and scholars are all well pleased with the progress that has been made, and the interest manifested by all concerned is certainly commendable and bound to prove of great benefit to the teachers of Red Lake county.

There is a class of fifteen working on first grade subjects, who will take the examination at the close of the school for first grade certificates.

The school has been addressed by several local speakers, Father Fayolle of St. Joseph's church delivering an interesting talk yesterday. All of the instructors have delivered lectures on special subjects and will continue to do so throughout the term. Supt. S. J. Rice, of Redwood Falls, one of the ablest county superintendents in the state, has been secured for a lecture to be given on the 19th of this month. He is said to be an able talker and his visit is looked forward to with interest.

500,000 ACRES FOR FARMS.

State Will Offer Large Tract of Land for Sale.

It was announced at the state auditor's office that approximately 500,000 acres of state land will be sold at public auction next fall. This is a much larger amount than has ever been offered for sale in Minnesota.

A good share of the land is located in the more or less settled portions of North Central Minnesota, and the state officials will be very much surprised if the average price falls below $10 an acre, which means that the state will receive $5,000,000, an unprecedented sum for one year's sale of state lands.

These lands are to be located in Aitkin, Pine, Carlton, Crow Wing, Morrison, Todd, Hubbard, Becker and many other counties. The terms will be 15 per cent cash and forty years' time on the balance at 4 per cent interest.

The state heretofore has never sold more than 100,000 acres, and it has been popularly supposed that this is the limit that the state land commissioner can offer for sale. It appears, however, that this limit applies only to school lands. The land commissioner may sell 100,000 acres of school lands, and as many acres of other state lands, belonging to the university, institutions and other funds, as he deems best.

Knowledge that thousands of land seekers are pressing through Minnesota every year on the way to Canada and the Pacific coast has led the state auditor to place this large amount of lands on the market.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

EXCITEMENT UP THE RIVER

Thief River Falls was the Scene of a Fire and a Shooting Affair Last Night.

Word reached this city early this morning that fire at Thief River Falls destroyed two business houses and damaged another. Geo. Kerr's confectionery store and the restaurant conducted by Joseph Peterson were entirely consumed, and the Cyr & Mercier barber shop sustained a badly damaged roof. The fire occurred between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning, and its origin is unknown at this time.

Rumor has it that a stranger was held up and shot by a hobo last night in the up-river town. He was badly wounded but it is thought he will recover. Sheriff Linnihan left this morning for the scene of the tragedy.

One On Standard Oil.

In the hearing of the case of the Bartles Oil Company and others against the Minnesota railway companies before the state railroad and warehouse commission on the 23d, the independent oil companies scored against the railway companies of Minnesota. The complainants asked to have the rates on oil and gasoline, in less than car lots, reduced from third to fourth class, contending that they were paying third-class rates for less than car loads shipments, while shippers of tank cars were accorded fifth-class rates.

The commission saw the justice of the plea, and after Aug. 1, the independent oil dealers will enjoy fourth class rates for less than car load shipments.

COMMISSIONERS WERE BUSY

County Dads Meet in Regular Session and Transact Large Amount of Business.

The commissioners of Red Lake county met in regular session at the court house in this city Monday, all members being present. It proved to be a busy meeting and the commissioners transacted a large amount of business while in the city.

Following is a list of the most important transactions of the session:

$100 was appropriated out of the road and bridge fund for the improvement of Poplar River roads.

Liquor licenses were granted to J. G. Prior, of Wylie, and Remie Lafarvire, Brooks.

W. O. Long, Nels Myran and John Longren were attached to independent school district number 18.

A new school district was organized in section 52, range 40.

Three new towns were organized and will be known as Park, High Landing and Kratka.

H. K. Hommy, of Equality, was granted an auctioneer's license.

The application for abatement of taxes on the M. E. church property at Thief River Falls was granted. Application for abatement of taxes by Leon Laurent and Jos. Tschirhart was rejected.

The town of Lambert was appropriated $100 to be used on the roads, while Emardville was given $75 for the same purpose.

J. K. Wood was appointed engineer of Plummer ditch to be constructed in the town of Emardville, while Wm. Erb, Adam Zeh and W. E. Wood are to act as appraisers.

A supplemental list of grand and petit jurors was drawn and filed with the Clerk of Courts.

County Treasurer Hansen's books, vouchers, ect., were examined and found to be in first class condition.

The Red Lake County Agricultural Society received an appropriation of $150 for this year's fair.

The board adjourned yesterday afternoon to meet again Thursday, July 20th. The board meets next Monday as a Board of Equalization.

Report of Choral Club.

The following is a financial statement of the Red Lake Falls Choral Club, published for the benefit of members and those interested.

There were 44 members who signed the constitution and paid the entrance fee of 50c. This gave the Club $22, money enough to buy the first music. The cantata given June 12th netted $44.10, making the total receipts $66.10. The disbursements were as follows:

Feb. 13—30 copies "Phyllis...	$18 29
June 12—Accompanist.......	5 00
June 19—Opera House.......	12 00
June 19—Gazette, printing...	3 50
June 19—Courier. printing..	3 00
July 1—Wood....	3 00
July 1—Janitor.............	2 00
July 1—K.P. Hall, two nights	6 00
July 1—Presb. church.......	1 00
Total................	$53 79

This leaves a balance of $12.31 to the club's credit which was deposited in the First State Bank.

The club wishes to take this opportunity to thank Prof. Onstad for his untiring efforts in drilling the cantata, also Prof. Chamberlain and Mr. Tracy for their valuable assistance. We also wish to thank the Electric Light Co. for the free use of lights and the managers of the opera house for their generous kindness in allowing the club to practice there so many afternoons and evenings free of charge.

LEE C. HEALY, Treas.

Do You Realize the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

The King of Brilliants. is the Northwestern Limited Lighted by hundreds of incandescent electric lamps, both inside and outside, this train presents a beautiful appearance, Buffet library cars, with conveniences of the club, private apartments cozily arranged, finest of regular Pullman sleepers and reclining chair cars, mean comfort and pleasure to the traveler between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago on this famous train.

IMPURE MILK AND CREAM.

Farmers Who Ship Cream to Twin Cities to be Watched.

Farmers who ship cream to the Twin Cities at the present time had better change their mode of selling their product and patronize their home creamery. In the present warm weather shipments to the Twin Cities often spoil with the heat and the action of the state pure food department, as contained in the following article, will result in the destruction of large amounts of cream which have become slightly tainted on the journey below: "People who live in the country hereafter will not be allowed to ship impure milk and cream into the Twin Cities.

E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner decided yesterday to station two creamery inspectors in St. Paul and Minneapolis to be on the lookout for adulterated milk and cream. These inspectors will watch the creamers and will keep track of the shipments of milk and cream as they arrive from the country.

"We have found cases where cream more than a week old has been shipped into the Twin Cities to be manufactured into butter," said Mr. Slater yesterday. "Creameries have had to buy this kind of cream and milk because their competitors bought it. Such cream is not fit for butter or for anything else; the only way to insure good butter is to get good milk and cream.

"We expect no trouble in carrying out our plan. The proprietors of the creameries in the Twin Cities appear glad to co-operate with us. It is not to their interest to buy impure milk and cream."

Don't Put It in the Paper.

The Dodge Center Star is worried by people who want the editor to "cut it out." Some one recently offered to double his subscription if only the editor would leave out the baseball news. Another party complained that it was a waste of time to report sermons even in brief. Still another, who had no sympathy for the ladies, threatened to stop the paper if "Society News" were not curtailed. "A sanctimonious looking cadaver came up to the editor's desk," says the Star, "and wanted to know if we did not know that we were injuring the morality of the town when we published elopements, criminal assaults, etc." Another did not care for the "corn cob" locals. He didn't care whether Tom Smith lost a pig yesterday or whether Mary Jones called on neighbor Severson. What he wanted was more about the Pope. And so it went on. About the only way you can satisfy everybody is to do as the St. Paul Globe did the other day and decently quit.

England Relies on Us.

The new naval policy of Great Britain seems to mean the withdrawn of all protection from her colonies on this side of the Atlantic. She trusts to us to interpret the Monroe Doctrine to mean that no foreign power can acquire more land on this continent and that we will follow this out to prevent any country from robbing her, as they would thus acquire more land on our continent. If England will also allow us to make her beer she would also be better off, for no English brew has ever equaled golden grain belt beer and this delightful tonic would do the nation good. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

One Night Only.

Henry Shannon's four-act comedy drama—a play which has been seen in all the principal cities of the west the past season—will be here next Wednesday. The company closes its season July 30th at Duluth after a most prosperous season of forty-eight weeks. The company numbers twelve people, carries special scenery and many specialties are introduced during the action of the play. The company comes well recommended by the press, and money will be cheerfully refunded by Anderson & Wander to any one not perfectly satisfied with the performance. One night only, Wednesday, July 19. Seats on sale Saturday at Anderson's jewelry store.

MAKE HAY IF YOU CAN

Indications that Hay will be High and Scarce on the Market the Coming Winter.

While the COURIER does not particularly feel well qualified to give advice to its farmer readers about how to farm or anything of that sort, after a careful pursual of its exchanges this week it is moved to make the statement, make hay if you can.

The rains which have prevailed in this section recently have been almost state-wide and reports received by the general agents of farm implement companies and others interested in the status of the hay and other growing crops is to the effect that a hay famine next winter is imminent. In some sections meadows are covered with from six inches to a foot of water and the farmers can not get out on them to cut the grass.

Red Lake county has a great deal of good hay land and there is no question but what a good share of the crop will be harvested. It may be a trifle late, but except in isolated sections there is no reason to fear a hay famine of any serious proportions here.

In conversation with the COURIER a gentlemen who should know whereof he speaks predicts that hay will bring as high as $18 per ton in this vicinity next winter and be in demand at that figure.

HAVE DEFECTIVE EYESIGHT.

Many Children Attending School Have Poor Eyesight.

Fully 60,000 pupils of the Minnesota public schools are suffering from defective eyesight, and not less than 10,000 are afflicted with defective hearing.

This is considered a conservative estimate, based on the record of the first year's inspection of the eyes and ears of the school children, which has been carried on by the state board of health, assisted by the state superintendent of public instruction and the school authorities throughout the state.

What is still more significant, the parents of very few of these pupils are taking any apparent precautions against greater defects and possibly loss of eyesight. Of the 3,141 reported as having defective eyesight, only 319, about 10 per cent, are wearing glasses.

When it is considered that poor eyesight and hearing frequently lead to more serious disease of various kinds, the situation may be said to be serious. Physicians say that children frequently contract spinal diseases of the most virulent type by being compelled to lean over their desks to read.

The official report of inspections made during the school year, which has just closed, has been announced by Dr. H. M. Bracken, secretary of the state board of health. It shows that of 21,768 pupils examined, 3,141, more than 14 per cent, had defective eyesight, and 512, about 2.33 per cent, suffered from defective hearing.

It is probable that the precentage of pupils having defective eyesight and hearing is greater than this, for the reason that the tests applied by the teachers are very simple and are calculated to bring out only the more serious defects. Moreover, only 18,063 pupils are reported as having normal eyes, and those that are not normal, 3,705, naturally are defective.

Tests were made in fifty-five cities and villages in all parts of the state, and it is thought that the precentage of defective cases will be maintained throughout the state. In 1904 there were 424,663 pupils in the public schools, so that a fair estimate of the number having defective eyesight is something over 60,000 and of those having defective hearing over 10,000.

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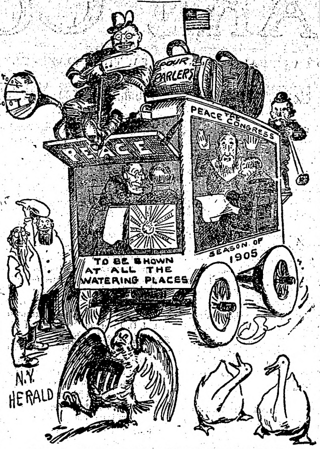

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FATAL EXPLOSION OF ROCK POWDER

TERRIBLE DISASTER OCCURS TO RAILWAY REPAIRERS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Eight Persons Are Instantly Killed and Two Others Are Injured—Bodies of the Victims Are Frightfully Mangled.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 10.—Eight men were blown to pieces and two others were injured by the premature explosion of a big blast of rock powder on the Pennsylvania railroad improvements near New Cumberland, at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The accident occurred directly across the Susquehanna river from the scene of the Pennsylvania railroad wreck on May 11, in which 23 persons were killed and many others injured. All the victims of Sunday's disaster were employes of P. S. Kerbaugh & Co., incorporated contractors, who are building the double tracks for the Pennsylvania railroad to connect with the Enola yards.

The Victims.

The dead are: James Wiseman, aged 50, dynamite boss, No. 98 Front avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.; Arthur Green (colored), 23 years old, steam driller, Harrisburg; Robert Thompson (colored), 23 years old, steam driller's helper, Harrisburg; Frank Mullach, a Slav, 43 years old; three Italians and one Slav, known only by numbers.

Not a trace of the two colored men who were killed can be found, and it is supposed their bodies were blown into the river, which is being dragged. An inquest was held by Squire Coble, of Lemoyne. The jury rendered a verdict of premature explosion from an unknown cause, and no blame attached to the contractors.

Horribly Mangled.

All the killed and injured were laborers, aside from Wiseman, whose body was terribly mangled. What could be found of it was identified by the fact that he dyed his hair. His scalp and a portion of his head was found on a hill, 200 yards from the blast.

Count Cassini Leaves.

Washington, July 10.—Count Cassini, Russia's first ambassador to the United States, after seven years' service here, left Sunday for Europe, and will later go to his new post at Madrid. Gathered at the station to bid him Godspeed were nearly every diplomat remaining here, and a number of the ambassador's personal friends.

Woman Burned to Death.

Omaha, Neb., July 6.—Mrs. Anna Johnston, in attempting to light a gasoline stove, mistook leaking gasoline for water and applied a match, causing a terrific explosion, which resulted in the woman's death and the partial destruction of her home.

Assassinated.

Pikeville, Tenn., July 10.—W. L. Tollet, proprietor of a hotel here, and brother of State Senator E. G. Tollett, of Crossville, was waylaid and shot to death Saturday while coming from his farm. No cause is known for the crime.

Milwaukee Fire Chief Dead.

Milwaukee, July 6.—Herman Meminger, chief of the Milwaukee fire department, died Wednesday from the effects of injuries sustained at a fire two months ago, when it was reported he inhaled acid fumes.

Wagon Works Burned.

Owensboro, Ky., July 10.—The Owensboro wagon works were destroyed by fire Sunday night. Loss $50,000.

UNDER THE BAN.

Fraud Order Issued Against Bank in St. Louis by the Postmaster General.

Washington, July 10.—Postmaster General Cortelyou has announced the issuance of a fraud order against the People's United States bank of St. Louis, Mo., its officers and agents, and E. G. Lewis, a publisher, effective July 9. The action bars the company from the use of the mails, after an investigation by the postal authorities as to the details of the business of the institution. The postmaster general in his announcement says: "It is understood that the funds of the bank which have not been borrowed by Mr. Lewis and his enterprises, amounting to about two-thirds of the total amount remitted, are deposited in banks and will be available toward reimbusement of the stockholders, who number upwards of 65,000. It is the intention of the officers of the post office department to cooperate with the secretary of state of Missouri in every proper way for the interests of the investors and depositors."

WILL REENTER CABINET.

Former Secretary of War Root Selected as Head of State Department—He Accepts.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 8.—Official announcement was made here Friday that Elihu Root has been appointed secretary of state. The announcement was made on the authority of President Roosevelt in the following statement given out by Secretary Loeb:

"Elihu Root has accepted the tender by the president of the secretaryship of state. He will take the oath of office in a couple of weeks, but it will necessarily be some little time before he closes up his business affairs. He will not go to Washington permanently until some time in September."

President Roosevelt is much gratified at Mr. Root's acceptance, and is deeply sensible of the personal sacrifices made by Mr. Root in again taking up the burdens and duties of a member of the cabinet.

VICTORY FOR OIL TRUST.

Kansas Refinery Bill Declared Unconstitutional by State Supreme Court.

Topeka, Kan., July 8.—The law passed by the legislature last winter appropriating $410,000 to build an independent oil refinery at Peru was Friday declared unconstitutional by the state supreme court, in an opinion rendered by Associate Justice Greene. The oil refinery law was considered one of the most direct blows struck at the Standard Oil company by the last legislature, which adopted several measures tending to restrict that concern in the handling of the Kansas product.

Russians Report a Victory.

St. Petersburg, July 7.—Gen. Linevitch, in a telegram to the emperor dated July 5 and confirming the defeat of the Japanese at Sanviatse, when a Japanese battalion was annihilated, says that after the capture of the position and the flight of the Japanese, the latter were reenforced and resumed the fight, but all their attacks were repulsed. The Russians captured a considerable quantity of supplies, and held the position until ordered to retire. The Japanese losses, Gen. Linevitch says, were enormous. Many Russians were wounded in such a manner as to prove that the Japanese were using dumdum bullets.

Begins His Duties.

Washington, July 8.—Secretary Bonaparte arrived in Washington on Friday and took up his duties at the navy department.

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RUSSIANS ROUTED ON THE ISLAND.

WHEN JAPANESE LANDED ON SAGHALIEN ISLAND THE RUSSIANS FLED.

"We Suffered no Loss," Reports the Japanese Commander. All the Stores were Blown up Before Retirement.

Tokio, July 11.—The following report has been received from the Japanese army headquarters on Saghalien island:

"Our army, without much resistance, occupied Karasakorsk early on July 8. The enemy burned the town and retired to positions eight miles north, where they resumed resistance. We dislodged them and are now in pursuit.

"At 11 a. m. on July 8 the enemy had retreated to a point 22 miles north of Karasakorsk. We captured two 11-centimeter guns, two 12-pounders and also an amount of ammunition.

"We suffered no loss."

Admiral Kataoka reports under date of July 7 as follows:

"My squadron went north and, acting in conformity with a pre-arranged plan landed marines on July 7 at a point previously chosen. There was no resistance and a portion of our army had already landed.

Under date of July 8 Kataoka reports.

"One of our torpedo destroyers reports on the afternoon of July 7, that Karasakorsk was burning. The forts previously shelled by the destroyer were then silent. Our army arrived at Yenguma on the afternoon of the seventh.

Under date of July 9th Admiral Kataoka says: "The squadron convoyed the transports through dense fogs on July 5th. The fleet preserved good order and reached the point chosen for concentration on the evening of July 7th. The fleet anchored and the work of sweeping the sea of dangerous obstacles was completed. The transports were led in gradually. The warships lowered launches and assisted in the landing of troops, guardships protecting the operation. Admiral Dewa reported that his division had reached the landing place at 6 in the morning and a landing was effected.

Fought for Life.

Minneapolis, June 11.—A quiet and desperate struggle for life occurred on the Lake street bridge Sunday night between husband and wife. The wife, a mother of nine children, had been ill for some time with nervous prostration, leaped from her sick bed and ran for the river. Her husband pursued her and caught her just as she was climbing over the railing. He threw both arms about her and dragged her back. Both fell on the sidewalk and struggled for a few moments, the woman fighting desperately for a chance to die. Passersby intervened and the woman was finally overpowered and taken to her home in a carriage. An officer arrived as she was being taken away, but her friends refused to give the policeman her name.

A Fearful Drop.

Lyon, Mass., July 11.—With a straight drop of 1,000 feet to what seemed certain death, William Canfield, a Boston aeronaut, leaped from his baloon over Lynn common in order to save Mrs. Camille Stafford, a woman aeronaut who ascended with him. She escaped unhurt. He was badly injured by striking the side of a house as his parachute swung in the wrong wind. Five thousand persons witnessed his startling descent.

The baloon was found to be leaking and the gas was escaping rapidly. Mrs. Stafford leaped sometime after Canfield left the baloon, striking in an apple tree from which she was rescued unhurt.

Ravages of Flood.

Pierre, S. D., July 11.—The waters of Bad river have receded far enough to let the people of Fort Pierre begin to take stock. They find that seventeen houses went down the Missouri, and that forty-three are more or less wrecked, while all which withstood the flood are damaged by water. A trip over the flooded district shows pitiful attempts to save something out of the wreck and slime. One man who was working on his lot was asked for the location of his house, and he pointed to two piles of wreckage.

There is scarcely a ranch building in the river valley between Fort Pierre and Midland. At the Bowley and Hollis ranches every building is gone.

Wrecked Saloons.

Iola, Kan., July 11.—Three saloons in West street, in the heart of the business section of Iola, were completely wrecked by dynamite early yesterday. Much damage was done to other property in the vicinity and the loss is conservatively estimated at $100,000. J. E. Thorpe, the owner of one of the saloons, was injured, but not seriously.

Bank Opened Again.

Brainerd, Minn., July 8.—The doors of the Northern Pacific bank of this city were opened by order of Bank Examiner P. M. Kerst, and business was resumed after a suspension of several weeks. The bank was opened with the full consent and approval of the public examiner, the reorganization committee having complied with all requirements and all the effects of the bank having been adjusted carefully. M. T. Dunn of Le Roy, Minn., was elected president and J. A. Batchelder assistant cashier.

TORNADO IN TEXAS.

Portion of State Swept by Furious Storm—Twenty-Four Persons Are Killed.

Dallas, Tex., July 6.—A special to the News from Nacona, Tex., says: A tornado and thunderstorm passed a few miles west and south of here Wednesday afternoon, killing 14 persand and injuring many others and destroying a number of nouses.

Many farmhouses were swept entirely away. The Baptist and Methodist churches at Belcher were considerably damaged. The Methodist church at Montague is reported wrecked, and the courthouse damaged, also other churches there. The Dixie schoolhouse, six miles south of here, was entirely blown away. Hailstones as large as hen's eggs fell here breaking out many window glasses.

Montague, Tex., July 6.—Ten people are dead as a result of a tornado that passed over Montague Wednesday afternoon. They are: A. P. Earl, Miss Sadie Earl, daughter of A. P. Earl; Burk Earl, his son; Baby of Lawrence Pillow, and the Tomlinson family, consisting of husband, wife and four children. Claiborn White, 45 years of age, was fatally injured. Houses totally demolished are: J. F. Clark's drug store; D. Y. Lunn's grocery store and offices, old bank building, occupied by G. L. Alcorn, real estate agent; store of Rowe Hardware company, and 15 dwellings. The tornado lasted perhaps 30 minutes. Hundreds of head of stock in this vicinity were killed outright by the wind. The number of injured is unknown.

FOUND GUILTY.

Jury at Portland, Ore., Convicts United States Senator Mitchell of Grave Charges.

Portland, Ore., July 5.—The jury in the case of the United States against United States Senator John H. Mitchell returned a verdict of guilty as charged at 11 o'clock Monday night. The charge was that Senator Mitchell, while occupying his public position, accepted a pecuniary compensation for practicing before the federal departments at Washington, which, under the federal statutes constitutes a crime. It is expected that the other indictments pending against Senator Mitchell, charging conspiracy with Puter and others to defraud the government of its lands will be dropped. What penalty will be imposed by Judge De Haven can only be conjectured. The statute provides for both imprisonment for not more than two years and for a fine of not to exceed $10,000.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs in the Race for Championship Honors.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	52	21	.712
Pittsburg	46	28	.621
Philadelphia	43	28	.606
Chicago	43	31	.581
Cincinnati	37	35	.514
St. Louis	27	46	.370
Brooklyn	22	51	.301
Boston	21	51	.292
American league:			
Chicago	41	23	.641
Cleveland	40	25	.616
Philadelphia	41	26	.612
Detroit	32	34	.485
Boston	29	33	.468
New York	29	34	.460
St. Louis	25	42	.373
Washington	23	43	.349

BOAT SWAMPED.

Eleven Log Drivers Are Drowned While Crossing Chippewa River in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee, July 8.—A special to the Evening Wisconsin from Chippewa Falls, Wis., says: Eleven log drivers were drowned in Chippewa river at Little Falls dam Friday. They lost control of the batteau, in which 16 men had crossed the river, and the boat swamped. Following are the names of the dead: Saul Bracket, Eau Claire; Louis Gokey, Max Billard, Flambeau; Pattock Leiden, Stanley; Ole Horen, Chippewa Falls; Joseph Peloquin, Drywood; Andrew Coneyl, Jim Falls; Oscar Barquest, Cadott; Bert Larry, Anson; Byron Ferguson, Chippewa City; Adolph Toutant, Cadott.

To Tunnel the Mississippi.

St. Louis, July 8.—Incorporation papers have been received by the organizers of the Illinois & Missouri Tunnel company formed for the purpose of excavating a tunnel under the Mississippi river between St. Louis and East St. Louis, Ill., for the handling of traffic. The capital stock will be $100,000. It is proposed to build a tubular steel tunnel, 50 feet below the river bed and about a mile in length. Work will probably begin within a year, and it will require a year's time to complete it.

Lone Robber Holds Up Stage.

Meadows, Idaho, July 10.—The stage from Warren to Meadows has been held up by a lone highwayman near Resort station. The bandit covered the driver with two automatic revolvers and compelled him to cut open the mail sacks and throw them down. He then removed all the registered letters. Two passengers and the driver were lined up and relieved of their valuables. The robber then coolly walked away with his plunder, amounting to $1,200 or $1,500. He was unmasked.

Ex-Mayor Dead.

Kenosha, Wis., July 10.—Maj. Frank C. Culley, formerly mayor of the city, and a man well known to the literary world, died here Saturday. Maj. Culley was 67 years of age.

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PROMINENT OFFICIAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DISMISSED.

Charged with Furnishing Inside Information Which Permitted Brokers to Manipulate the Cotton Market—The Scandal Is Exposed.

Washington, July 10.—As the result of the investigation by secret service agents into the charges made by Richard Cheatham, of Atlanta, secretary of the Cotton Planters' association, that information had been given to cotton brokers in New York by some person or persons in the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture, Secretary Wilson Saturday made public an official report in which he states that Edwin S. Holmes, the associate statistician, has been guilty of "juggling" the official report. The report says it has been found that Mr. Holmes communicated advance information to L. C. Van Riper, a New York broker, and M. Haas, of New York, who acted as a go-between, in conveying information from Holmes to other New York brokers, including Theodore Price. Steps have been taken by Secretary Wilson to prevent any further leakage of the department figures, and an entire reorganization of the bureau of statistics and manner of preparing monthly crop reports has been outlined by him. The papers in connection with the investigation were referred to the United States attorney for the District of Columbia, and he has reported that in his opinion a criminal prosecution will not lie against Holems. Holmes has been dismissed from the service of the department.

Holmes Extremely Rich.

The secret service agents followed the operations of Holmes into devious pathways. They found he had grown immensely wealthy in a few years, while receiving a small government salary, and that he had made $72,000 on one deal; that he is building a $200,000 apartment house in Washington; that he conducts a millinery store in New York in partnership with one Moses Haff; that he owns real estate in cities outside of Washington, and a large farm in a northwestern state. To what extent Brcker Price profited by Holmes' leaks it is impossible to learn at this time.

HONORS TO PAUL JONES

France Formally Delivers Remains of Long-Dead Naval Hero to United States.

Paris, July 7.—The ceremony of the delivery of the body of Admiral Paul Jones to the representatives of the United States was held at 3:30 Thursday afternoon in the American church on the Avenue de L'Alma in the presence of a distinguished gathering of the highest official, military and naval dignitaries of France, the diplomatic representatives of many countries and the special ambassadors and naval authorities sent from the United States to receive the body.

The formal ceremony consisted of the delivery of the body by Gen. Porter as the finder and custodian to Mr. Loomis, representing the United States, appointed to receive it, and Mr. Loomis commissioning Admiral Sigsbee to transport it to America. Both Gen. Porter and Mr. Loomis made short addresses during the ceremony. In a brief speech Admiral Sigsbee accepted the commission of conveying the body to the United States.

INDIANA BANK FAILS.

Institution at Hagerstown in Receiver's Hands—Liabilities of Over $100,000—Assets Unknown.

Richmond, Ind., July 7.—J. A. Spekenhier has been appointed receiver of the Commercial bank, of Hagerstown, Ind., on application of President Frank Mason. The liabilities exceed $100,000, while the assets are given as much less than that amount. The cashier, John Bowman, committed suicide last Monday, and this action led to the present receivership. Following the suicide an investigation was made, the affairs of the bank having been almost exclusively in Bowman's hands. According to a statement given out before the application for the receiver, only $1,900 in cash was found, although the assets are believed to be nearly $75,000. Th reason for Bowman's suicide have not yet developed.

Law Held Unconstitutional.

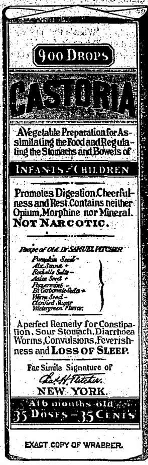
Indianapolis, Ind., July 8.—Judge Fremont Alvord, of the Marion county criminal court, Friday held unconstitutional the law passed by the last session of the legislature placing private banks of Indiana under state supervision. The case will be appealed.

To Separate Church and State.

Paris, July 5.—The bill for the separation of church and state passed the chamber of deputies late Monday night by the decisive vote of 341 to 233. The result was greeted by governmental cheering and opposition hisses, and there was intense excitement.

May Form Alliance.

Washington, July 7. — Japan and China are believed to be on the eve of reaching an agreement as to Manchuria and other important issues growing out of the war. An alliance would have a far-reaching effect on European powers as well as Asia.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THE Republican party needs first of all to get rid of a lot of dead and down timber.

IF Ray Jones is determined to be governor, we are all glad that is to be Alaska rather than Minnesota.

We have Charlie Mitchell's word for it that is better to be a Republican than to be a patriot. At least it's better for Charlie.

IF President Roosevelt patronizes a Minnesota clipping bureau he will hesitate long and earnestly before he gives the Alaska governorship to Ray Jones. Why, actually, half of the Republican country papers have been mean enough to insinuate that Ray is guilty of stealing timber.

PATRICK ELLARD DOWLING, the hero of the public accounts committee, seems undecided whether he will permit the Republicans who voted for Johnson to come back to the fold. Patrick is a stalwart of the stalwarts, and he believes in following the party flag even though it leads straight to hades.

THE politicians of the Republican party credit rank and file with low ideals and sordid ambitions. They imagine the voters can be driven into line by the crack of the party lash. This plan was attempted several times unsuccessfully, but the the politicians are slow to learn their lesson.

THE Windom Reporter man is telling tales out of school in saying that "a popular young man has been laid up a week with painter's colic because he kissed a girl's cheek." But he is fortunate compared with a Duluth young man who is laid up with a sore head because he kissed a married woman's lips.

IT must amuse the tens of thousands of independent voters of Minnesota to be told that they must vote the Republican ticket, whether they like it or not. The "dumb driven cattle" racket has been worked unsuccessfully so often that the self-appointed "leaders" ought to be able to read the future by the light of history.

"IT is very certain," says a farmer in a communication to the St. Peter Herald, "that the time honored old party gags have lost their soothing power in the northwest. The farmers will fill their own dinner pails and go 'gunning' for a lot of 'prosperity' that they have been swindled out of under a tariff which facilitates larceny and rewards extortion. Well, we shall see. It is interesting to note, that in the last election the farmers as a class voted for Roosevelt and Johnson. They are not all tired of Roosevelt and they have not had too much Johnson yet."

To illustrate a point Labor Commissioner Williams tells this story on the lawyers at a recent speech to the labor unionists at Brainerd: "Everybody goes into politics but the lawyer. He just waits until all the rest of them are through, then he skins them all. Hannibal Hamlin was a lawyer, who was vice president with Lincoln, and between campaigns practiced law in Maine. A man in the town where he lived fell into a hole and broke his leg. He sued the city and Hannibal Hamlin had his case. He got a verdict for $1000, but the city appealed to the supreme court, and here he won again, but in the meantime an awful bill of costs had piled up. After settling the matter up, Hamlin sent for his client and handed him a dollar. 'What is this for?' asked the client. 'That's your damages after taking out costs and my fee and other expenses,' said Hamlin. The man looked at the dollar and then at Hamlin. 'What's the matter with this dollar?' he asked. 'Is it bad?' When the lawyers get through you always find the people looking at the dollar."

THE DILATORY COMMISSION.

There is some apprehension that the capitol commission may finish its labors within the two years allotted. Several times recently three or four men have been working all day on the capitol approaches.—Red Lake Courier.

No insinuations, Bro. King. We have Gov. Johnson's word for it that the capitol commission has done its work in a first class manner without suspicion or graft.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

The COURIER has never criticised the capitol commission for the manner in which its trust has been executed. It is the general belief that the "marble pile" has been built without graft. The attempt of the commission to perpetrate itself by hanging on until the next legislature meets, is, however, a manifest injustice to the state. The work of completing the grounds could easily be completed in three months if there was the slightest effort to hustle.

GOV. JOHNSON AT LUVERNE.

An enthusiastic reception was tendered Gov. John A. Johnson by the people of Rock county, this state, on Tuesday last, during his visit at Luverne, where he delivered the Fourth of July oration. Referring to Gov. Johnson's able and eloquent address, Editor Miller of the Rock County Herald, and one of the leading Republicans of the state, pays our chief executive a very high tribute and compliment as will be seen by the following that appeared in this week's issue of his paper:

"Gov. John A. Johnson, the speaker of the day, was introduced. This was the crowning event of the day, and as our splendid young chief executive stepped to the front of the platform under the overhanging flags, tall, resolute, his handsome face lighted by that genial nature and love of his fellows which has won for him the affection of all who know him, yet dignified by the consciousness of his position and the grave responsibilities of his great office, he was greeted by the large audience with an enthusiasm which had in it all the depths of pride in our chief executive, honor for his office and sincere respect, admiration and affection for the man who has so conspicuously honored his exalted position and justified the trust reposed in him. Here, as everywhere, John A. Johnson was equal to the occasion. Like all his oratorical efforts his address was brilliant and inspiring. His clear, resonant voice carried every syllable to the remotest listener and from the first earnest word to the thrilling preoration he held the fixed and delighted attention of the audience. In the main it was a speech of the Roosevelt type—earnest, impressive and patriotic, with a deep and sincere purpose—an appeal for character, patriotism, manliness for the sturdy virtues that transend partizanship and find expression in good citizenship, for sane, decent, simple, earnest living, for education of the kind that makes sound manhood and womanhood, for love of justice and righteousness, and for practical and effective devotion to a high sense of public and private duty. 'I want good government and I care not from whom or what party it comes' was the keynote of the governor's appeal to the broader and higher patriotism that rises above party and partizanship, and the sentiment was most heartily applauded. But the governor did not forget that people liked to be amused as well as instructed and his genial good nature and wit broke out occasionaly in appeals to myrth that relieved the tension of earnest thinking. On the whole it was a magnificent address, and the enthusiastic approval, delight and approbation with which it was received found expression in ways that could not be understood.

"At the close of the exercises and as the governor passed from the platform to his carriage he was fairly besieged by the people who desired to meet him and to give expressions to their good will and admiration. As a matter of fact no governor or other distinguished official who has ever visited Luverne was ever greeted with such manifest respect and sincere affection as was shown toward Governor Johnson at the conclusion of his address."

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Mr. Robert O. Burke, Elnora, N. Y., writes: "Before I started to use Foley's Kidney Cure I had to get up from twelve to twenty times a night and I was all bloated up with dropsy and my eyesight was so impaired that I could scarcely see one of my family across the room. I had given up hope of living when a friend recommed Foley's Kidney Cure. One 50c bottle worked wonders and before I had taken the third bottle the dropsy had gone as well as all the symptoms of Bright's Disease. A. L. Riechert.

Not a cent wanted unless you are cured. If you are sick and ailing take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. A great blessing to the human family. Makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. A. L. Riechert.

The New Governor of Alaska.

Perham Enterprise: Ray Jones has been "mentioned" as a candidate for the position of governor of Alaska, with its wealth of valuable timber. A chap at our elbow suggests that an appointment would be equivalent to making a darkey deacon night watch over a chicken ranch.

The Source of Supply.

New York Times: At last the doctor consented to smile, the nurse was already laughing; the shadow had lifted from the sick room, and everything was well; and after profusely bathing her eyes Aunt Jennie came down to the breakfast table where her two small nieces were seated, wondering what had turned the house so topsy-turvy that morning.

"Guess what I know, girlies," she said gaily. "There's a little baby brother up stairs. He came this morning when you were asleep. What do you think of that?"

"Did he?" exclaimed the sharp-eyed Edith. "Then I know who brought him."

"You do?"

"Yes; it was the milkman. It said so on his cart yesterday."

"Said what?" asked Aunt Jennie, in astonishment.

"Why, families supplied daily!" was the quick reply.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by electric bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorder, At all druggists, price 50c,

The Baby's Finger Marks.

A lady received the following reply from a neighbor in answer to the question why she allowed her children and husband to litter up every room in the house, and the sentiment will find lodgment in the heart of every homeloving person in the land: "The mark of the little muddy feet upon the floor can be easier removed than the stain when those little feet go down into the highway of evil. The prints of the little fingers on the window pane cannot shut out the sunshine half so much as the shadow that darkens the mother's heart over the one who is but a name through the coming years. And if my John finds his home a refuge from care and trouble, and his greatest happiness within its four walls, he can put his boots in the rocking chair and hang his coat up on the floor every day in the week. And if I can stand it and he enjoys it, I cannot see that it is anybody else's business."

The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine, Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered, as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. A. L. Riechert.

Winnipeg Exposition and Fair

On account of the Winnipeg Exposition and Fair, held at Winnipeg, Manitoba, July 20th to 28th, the Great Northern Railway will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip to Winnipeg. Dates of sale are July 18th to 26th, returning limit July 31st. Ask your local agent for full particulars as to rates, etc,

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Could not turn her Head.

You could not find a worse case of rheumatism in a month's journey as the one recently cured by Gloria Tonic, the victim being Mrs. J. Evans, of Big Rapids, Mich. She writes: "I could not turn my head, nor dress and undress myself, but twelve boxes of Gloria Tonic completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

Doctors Said he would not Live.

Peter Fry, Woodruff, Pa., writes; "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still getting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month, as there was no cure for me. Foley's kidney cure was recommended to me by a friend and I immediately sent my son to the store for it and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entrrely well. A. L. Riechert.

The Courier Stationery Store has a line of new box papers.

28 Army Generals Send Letters of Endorsement To The Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

Brigadier-General King of Confederate Army,

Writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine that will effect all the cures that is claimed for its use."—J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C.

General Smalls, Beaufort, S. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna for catarrhal trouble and find it beneficial and to be all that it promises, and freely give it my unqualified recommendation."—Robert Smalls.

General Abbott, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I am fully convinced that your remedy Peruna is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott, 906 M. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Captain Yarnell, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results."—W. G. Yarnell, 2322 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C.

General McBride of U. S. A.,

Writes: "I have no hesitation in recommending Peruna to all persons who are afflicted with catarrhal troubles."—J. D. McBride, 450 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Longstreet of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can testify to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."—James Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.

General Noske of O. V. U.,

Writes: "I commend Peruna to those who are troubled with colds producing catarrh as a most efficacious cure and as a good general tonic."—Chas. F. Noske, 218 B. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Erwin's Recommend.

"Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D. C.

Brig.-General Schell Benefited.

"Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D. C.

General Duffield of the Union Army,

Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D. C.

General Butler of South Carolina,

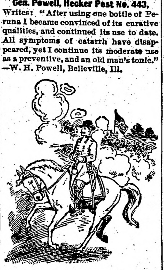
Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

Brigadier-General Kirby

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all those who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443,

Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.



Gen. Sebring of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy Peruna as a very excellent tonic, and also good for coughs, colds, catarrh, and general debility."—W. H. Sebring, 133 W. 4th St., Jacksonville, Fla.

General Lumax of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your remedy as a permanent and effective cure for catarrh, colds and to any one who needs an invigorating tonic to build up their system."—L. L. Lumax, 1603 19th St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Payne of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I join with my comrades in recommending Peruna to my friends as an invigorating tonic to build up the system."—Gen. Eugene B. Payne, 407 4th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Talley of Pa., Vol. U. S. A.,

Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 713 D St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

General Bigelow Cured.

Gen. J. G. Bigelow, 151 C. St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

"Peruna has made me well and it has given me more than ordinary strength and spirit for work."

Gen. O'Beirne of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "As many of my friends and acquaintances have successfully used your Peruna as a catarrh cure, I feel that it is an effective remedy, and I recommend it as such to those suffering from that disease as a most hopeful source of relief."—James R. O'Beirne, 290 Broadway, Washington, D. C.

General Chase, Ass't Adj. Gen'l, G. A. R.,

Writes: "The excellence of Peruna as a cure or relief for catarrhal disturbances is well established. Many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—B. F. Chase, 28 Harrison St., Anacostia, D. C.

General S. S. Yoder of Ohio,

Writes: "I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Washington, D. C.

General O'Connor of U. V. Legions,

Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna. It has been of the greatest benefit and service to many of my friends."—Dennis O'Connor, 788 82nd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Wright of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright, 1724 Corcoran St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Hawley of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."—A. F. Hawley.

Gen. Urell of Spanish War Veterans,

Writes: "Many of my friends have used Peruna with beneficial results as an effective remedy for catarrh."—M. Emmet Urell, 813 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Other Army Generals who praise Peruna are:

Brigadier-General Cook of Washington, D. C.
General Sypher of Washington, D. C.
General Middleton, Hancock Regiment, U. V. U., Washington, D. C.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

Cough, Cough, Cough.

If your doctor tells you that your cough is the forerunner of consumption try Gloria Lung Balsam. It will do more for you than a change of climate. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

The Cough that Tickles.

If your cough tickles, if your throat is inflamed try Gloria Lung Balsam. It drives away the inflamed patches and stops the cough at once. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Rheumatism of 50 years standing Cured.

Mr. Salome Boyer, of Goshen, Ind., writes: "I am 64 years old and have suffered from Rheumatism every since my fourteenth year, but thanks to Gloria Tonic I am now completely cured." Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Beautify your complexion with little cost. If you wish a smooth, clear, cream-like complexion, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, take Hellister's Rocky Mountain Tea, greatest beautifier known. 35 cents. A. L. Riechert.

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

H. W. PHILLIPS,
Louisville, Ky.

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FARMERS, ATTENTION!

I wish to announce that my Percheron stallion

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can be found at Red Lake Falls from Friday night to Tuesday noon of each week. At Plummer Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Joseph Belair

Ayer's

Bald? Scalp shiny and thin? Then it's probably too late. You neglected dandruff. If you had only taken our advice, you would have cured

Hair Vigor

the dandruff, saved your hair, and added much to it. If not entirely bald, now is your opportunity. Improve it.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for over 40 years. I am now 91 years old and have a heavy growth of rich brown hair, due, I think, entirely to Ayer's Hair Vigor."
MRS. M. A. KEITH, Belleville, Ill.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Prevents Serious Results From a Cold.
Remember the name Foley's Honey and Tar. Insist upon having the genuine.
Three sizes 25c, 50c, $1.00
Prepared only by Foley & Company, Chicago.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Mrs. J. B. Armstrong went to St. Hilaire this morning.

Ralph Wyer was a business caller at Crookston Tuesday.

Ernest Buse went to Crookston Tuesday on business.

The Reichert drug store is head quarters for paris green.

The Forresters enjoyed a dance at their hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Albert Brunelle returned from her Crookston visit Saturday.

A. J. LaPlante has been visiting friends at Crookston the past few days.

Miss Myrtle Armstrong has been wrestling with the mumps the past week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hanson, of the north side, Tuesday.

The young people enjoyed a dancing party at the K. P. hall Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Belair were St. Hilaire visitors Saturday between trains.

We have two second hand refrigerators that we will sell cheap, —F. E. Hunt.

Mrs. Arthur LaPlante is at Crookston this week visiting relatives and friends.

Kill the potatoe bugs with paris green. Reichert's drug store has plenty on hand.

The Waseca Hail Insurance Co. always pays its losses in full. See Lewis & Higinbotham.

G. H. Tibbets returned to Flandreau, S. D, Sunday after a week's visit here with his family.

H. H. Finrow has been elected president of Plummer's council in place of J. M. Reed, resigned.

A. O. Davison and family, of Wylie, were in the city Sunday visiting at the Tibbets home.

Oliver Caron returned from Crookston yesterday. He was employed in that city for several weeks.

The open air concert by the band last Friday evening brought out a large crowd of people, and the selections rendered were heartily received by the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Sortedahl spent Sunday out on the reservation with Mrs. Sortedahl's brother.

Mr. Sam Hunt and Miss Mayme Ericson drove to Maple Lake yesterday, returning home in the evening.

S. A. Swanson was at McIntosh last week where he partly closed a deal for two complete threshing outfits.

Mrs. Ed. Bray returned from Grand Forks Monday after visiting relatives there for a week or ten days.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls Tuesday where he was called on a case of a criminal nature.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

The weather the past few days has been ideal for the growing crops and everything looks favorable for a bumper crop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wander arrived in the city Saturday and have commenced housekeeping in Mrs. Mercier's house.

For Sale—One lumber wagon and one mower. I want to buy a two or three-year-old colt, good size, and a buggy.—Ernest Buse.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Neil, of Louisville township, are rejoicing over the advent of a son who arrived at their home July 5th.

Miss Alice Boyd left last evening for Minneapolis and St. Paul where she will enjoy a week's vacation from her duties at the Big Store.

L. M. Hoag, secretary of the Thief River Falls fair, was in the city Tuesday advertising the event which will be pulled off next month.

I will have a car of fine horses in Red Lake Falls about July 4th. All good size and you can buy them at your own prices.—Louis Sieff.

A party of young ladies of this city will leave tomorrow for Maple Lake where they will remain for several days enjoying camp life.

W. A. Schrieter says that by Aug. Ist Red Lake Falls people can talk with Perrault Station citizens. Work on the new line began this morning.

Chas. Brady and Peter Beaulieu returned the first of the week from northern Beltrami county where they visited friends for three weeks.

Jim and Paul state a few facts this week in their adv. about straw hats that you should investigate. Their announcement is on the first page.

Frank Brouillett enjoyed a week off from his duties at the Big Store last week. He put in the time fishing and having a good time in general.

Nitch Brunelle has been clerking at the Reichert drug store the past week in the absence of Orson Doe, who is enjoying a vacation at Maple Lake.

Word comes to the COURIER from Father Anschar, who is at St. Cloud, that services will be held at St. Mary's next Sunday at the usual hours.

Attorneys Boughton, McIntyre and Grady were at Crookston Tuesday where they were called by the county seat controversy now in the courts.

Mrs. Arthur Mason, of Terrebonne, has been quite sick with typhoid fever the past week. Her many friends hope for an early recovery.

Misses Laura and Vina Lizotte drove out to the latter's home in Louisville township Sunday and spent the day with old friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Thos. Goll, of Helena, Montana, is in the city visiting her sisters, Mesdams J. A. Duffy and W. T. Spillane. She will remain for several days.

T. G. Thompson, of Crookston, was in the city last evening. He recently sold a building at Thief River Falls and was here to have the papers recorded.

Geo. Ralph, of Crookston, was in the city Tuesday. We understand he tried to secure the engineer's job for the Plummer ditch for a friend but was unsuccessful.

Ernest and Seymore Purdy returned to their home at Hamilton, North Dakota, Saturday after a most pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brouillett.

W. C. Andrews, representing the wholesale paper house of Wright, Barrett & Stilwell, St. Paul, was in the city last Friday evening and heard the band concert. He expressed great surprise at finding such a fine organization in a city of this size, and said that few towns in the state could boast of as good a band.

Great July Clearance Sale

AFTER a successful season of retailing we find our store encumbered with remnants, short lines, odds and ends, etc. We will begin this week the most sensational sale ever conducted in this city. No reserves, no putting away of the best goods, everything will go, MUST GO. Look over these prices and better still come and look over the goods. : : : : : : :

STRAW HATS
Men's Tourist shapes, 75c, $1.00 $1.50 values, choice........... 50c
All our immense stock of clothing 25 per cent off. $10.00 suits for $7.50, $12.00 suits for $9.00, Etc.
Misses Oxfords and Slippers 20 per cent off. Misses Patent Leathers.
PONGEES
38c values........................ 19c
Best Calicos........................ 5c
16 inch all linen Crash, regular 10c 6c

WAISTS
Lot 1: 60c to $1.00 values,........ 49c
Lot 2: $1.25 to $2.50 valeus.... 98c
LADIES DUCK SKIRTS
$1.00 values.................. 49c
All Woolen and Mohair Skirts 25 per cent off.
WASH GOODS
Lot 1: 12½c 15c and 20c goods for.............. 10c
Lot 2: 23c, 25c, 30c, 35c goods for.............. 18c
25c children's hose, fast black, fine guage.............. 15c

THEY ALL SAY IT PAYS TO TRADE AT
THE BIG STORE Theo. LaBissoniere, Proprietor

THE BUSY STORE

Crockery Special

Excelsior porcelain, that's the name of it, not cheap bargain china, but sets that usually sell from $5 to $6, dainty designs 40 piece sets $3.95

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The warm weather of this week has decided us to continue sale of Muslin Underwear at 25 per cent off. 65c gowns go at 49c, 86c gowns go at 64c, Etc. We're overstocked Do not wait until sizes are broken.

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Farmers report grain as being in fine condition throughout the county. With favorable weather the next few weeks Red Lake county will harvest its banner crop.

Misses Mary and Clara Swisher returned to their Minneapolis home Monday evening after being a guest of their friend, Mrs. J. E. Argue, for a week or ten days.

The Busy Store has a new adv. in this paper that will pay you to read. They are offering some special inducements these days that you should take advantage of.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gamache returned Monday from Cass Lake where they visited at the home of Mrs. Gamache's brother, Eldide LaTondress, for several days.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending July 8th 1905: O. O. Bengstrom, Sam Tamble, Elmer Ray, and Russell Trafton,

H. H. Finrow, of Plummer, was in the city Tuesday and appeared before the county commissioners in behalf of a ditch the people of that town want the coming summer.

The Great Northern Ry. will run one of their popular excursions to Duluth this month. Tickets will be on sale July 20th, good to return July 24th. Round trip, $5.00.

The Red Lake Falls band has been engaged to play at the county fair at Thief River Falls next month. It has not been decided yet whether the band will play one or two days.

The Curts Dramatic Co. presented "David Harum" to a very small audience at the Metropolitan Opera House last evening. The performance is said to have been very good.

Sheriff Bailey of Beltrami county passed through the city Monday evening on his way to his Bemidji home after being in the northern part of his county on official business.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Co. is repairing and improving their water power at the mill on the north side. When all repairs are completed the dam will be in first class condition.

Miss Etta Zaiser entertained a number of her lady friends at luncheon Saturday afternoon. The occasion was a success in every detail and was much enjoyed by those present.

The passenger trains on this branch of the Great Northern continue to be crowded to the doors. It is the common impression that the company should put on at least another coach on this line.

M. T. Whitmore, formerly manager of the creamery at this place, is in the city this week visiting old friends and acquaintances. Mr. Whitmore is now making his home at Montevido.

A son came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Brien Tuesday night. As he is the first boy in the family he was royally welcomed and Wm. is walking with his head high these days. Here's hoping the young man lives long to be a joy and blessing to his parents.

Theo. LaBissioniere has been selling fruit the past two weeks that was raised on his father's place in Washington. The cherries have been especially good and are large and of a fine flavor.

The M. B. A. lodge is planning on a big dancing party next Monday evening at their hall. Ice cream and cake will be served and Freund's orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets, 75c.

Messrs. Germo and Simons and families were at Brooks all of last week camping. They were about a mile north of that little city on the banks of the river and report a most pleasant outing.

The many friends of Ole Mikkleson will be sorry to learn that his condition is not of the best at the present writing. It is to be hoped that a change for the better will take place in the near future.

Wm. Findeisou returned Monday from Minneapolis where he had been for several days on business. He reports that the crop conditions of this vicinity are away ahead of those of the country to the south.

It is best to let every small boy go swimming. He runs no greater risk of getting drowned while learning how to swim than he does of getting drowned later in life because he does not know how to swim.

The summer school has been the means of bringing a lot of fine looking young people to the county seat. They are an industrious crowd and are making the best of the opportunity afforded by the special school.

It is said that 30,000 acres of grain have been distroyed by hail in Redwood county. Red Lake county has been extremely fortunate this season and the indications at the present time point to a bountious crop.

Miss Sadie Lee, of Crookston, was in the city the first of the week visiting her sister, Miss May. She went to Thief River Falls Tuesday where she will visit friends for a few days before returning to her home.

Wild strawberries are plentiful this season and it is said the flavor is especially good. Several of our citizens have been out gathering the delicious fruit the past week and always succeed in securing large quantities.

Ed. L. Healy is exhibiting some barley from the Matt Steele farm that is far advanced and which gives every promise of yielding big. Mr. Steele has forty acres of the grain that he expects to harvest within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin and P. F. Pouliot returned from their western trip Saturday. They report a most enjoyable time and speak in glowing terms of the scenery and many places of interest to be seen in Washington.

Fertile Journal: The Red Lake Falls coach has been sent to the Brainard shops for repairs. It got caught in the hail storm at Grand Forks last Wednesday and nearly every window was broken, and the paint and varnish badly damaged. The storm must have been fierce.

The Big Store announces some great bargains in their adv. this week. A great summer clearance sale has been inaugrated and all who are looking for bargains should not fail to look over this week's large list of snaps.

Thos. R. Johnstone, of Crookston, northwest representative of the American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., was in the city last Saturday interviewing members of our fire department in regard to a new running cart for the hose team.

Health Officer Wilkinson has tested water from several wells about town the past week and finds the water is bad. Care should be exercised in the use of water these days and it would be a good idea to boil all of it before using.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dorothy sympathize with them in the loss of their young daughter whose death occurred last week. The funeral was held Saturday and was largely attended by friends of the bereaved family.

D. J. Daley, the St. Paul insurance man, was in the city last evening. He knows every man, woman, and child in the state of Minnesota. He went to Thief River Falls this morning to adjust a fire loss sustained by his company last night.

Reports indicates that a gang of burglars have been operating in the Red River valley the past week or two. Wednesday evening of last week the Halstad post office was robbed of $450, and it is thought the same gang done the work that was at Lambert a night or two later.

Dr. H. S. Argue was in the city over Sunday the guest of his brother, J. E. Argue. The doctor recently received his diploma from the medical department of the State University. He left Monday for Tacoma where he has accepted a position in the new Northern Pacific railway hospital.

The time of year has arrived when the thrifty housewife is putting up fruit. The average man can't see the wisdom of putting so much good money into fruit and sugar at the time the job is being done but he appreciates the forethought along in the winter when he is eating it.

Morris L. Harris, of Chicago, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. Louis Sieff. Mr. Harris is employed in the post office of his city and has been in the service for a number of years. He is a trick bicycle rider of considerable notoriety and thoroughly enjoys outdoor life. He has a two weeks vacation from his duties.

Wild strawberries are ripe at the present time and parties have gone out quite numerously during the past few days to gather the luscious but "hard to pick" fruit. In spots along the prairie the yield is phenomenally large and pickers report excellent success in filling their pails. The wild fruit is believed by many people of this section to possess a superior flavor to the tame varieties and the small prairie berry is much sought after for preserving.

OLD SORES OFFENSIVE-DANGEROUS

Nothing is more offensive than an old sore that refuses to heal. Patiently, day after day, it is treated and nursed, every salve, powder, etc., that is heard of is tried, but does no good, until the very sight of it grows offensive to the sufferer and he becomes disgusted and morbid. They are not only offensive, but dangerous, because the same germ that produces cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore. The cause is in the blood and as long as it remains the sore will be there and continue to grow worse and more destructive. The fact that thousands of old sores have been cut out and even the bones scraped, and yet they returned, is indisputable evidence that the blood is diseased and responsible for the sore or ulcer.

Some years ago my blood became poisoned, and the doctor told me I would have running sores for life, and that if they were closed up the result would be fatal. Under this discouraging report I left off their treatment and resorted to the use of S. S. S. Its effects were prompt and gratifying. It took only a short while for the medicine to entirely cure up the sores, and I am not dead as the doctors intimated I would be, neither have the sores ever broken out again. JOHN W. FUNDIS.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 28, 1903.

Valuable time is lost in experimenting with external treatments, such as salves, powders, washes, etc., because the germs and poisons in the blood must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. cleanses and purifies the circulation so that it carries rich, new blood to the parts and the sore or ulcer heals permanently. S. S. S. not only removes the germs and poisons, but strengthens the blood and builds up the entire system by stimulating the organs, increasing the appetite and giving energy to the weak, wasted constitution. It is an exhilarating tonic, aids the digestion and puts every part of the body in good healthy condition. Book on the blood, with any medical advice wished, without charge.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Contest a Tie.

St. Paul—Officials of the dairy and food commission are wondering to whom should they award the first prize in the butter scoring contest. Allie Olson of Hector and Alfred Schroeder of Lafayette each scored 97, and under the rules of the commission there is no way of ascertaining who is the winner.

It has been suggested that a coin be flipped to see who gets the prize, but should this coarse be decided on, there is a question as to who should receive the second prize. A. G. Schandall of Elmore scored 96¾, the score next to the highest, and would naturally receive the second prize. A. G. Schangot the second prize, the man who scored 97, but lost on the "flip" would get nothing. J. F. Kielty of Watkins, who scored 96½, expects the third prize. The first prize is $5 cash, the second $3 and the third $2.

Inheritance Tax.

The recent inheritance tax statements under the inheritance law passed by the recent legislature have been filed with the state auditor.

Five St. Paul estates come under the provisions of the inheritance tax law. The estate of Phal D Ferguson, estimated at $250,000, will pay the state about $12,000 on a 5 per cent basis. The estate is left to one heir, and the law allows an exemption of $10,000. The estate of Thomas Schnell, amounting to $72,300, will pay a tax of 1¼ per cent, after a $10,000 exemption has been taken out. The estate of Charles E. Dickerman, amounting to $150,000, is left to five heirs. Each heir is entitled to a $5,000 injunction. The estate of Katherine Stewart, amounting to $7,500, and the estate of Joseph O. Patee, amounting to $115,000 also come under the law.

Fire at Training School.

Red Wing.—The building used as a sloyd shop and laundry at the state training school was destroyed by fire at 1 o'clock the morning of July 2. The loss is estimated at $40,000.

The building was a three-story structure of brick and stone, and was used as a workshop in which the boys of the school were taught trades. The basement and lower floors were given up to the laundry and engine room.

The fire started from an unknown cause in the tailor shop and had gained great headway before it was discovered. Much of the material was of a light, combustible nature and burned like kindling. The burned structure was in the rear of the main building. No damage was done to any other building. A common report is that the fire was of incendiary origin.

Prison Population.

Stillwater — Some surprise was caused by the announcement that the number of criminals at the state penitentiary is increasing more than four times as fast as the population of the state. The population of the prison has increased 40.2 per cent since 1900, while the census bureau officials will be highly pleased if there is an increase of 10 per cent in the population of the state.

There are 702 prisoners at Stillwater, by far the largest number in the history of the institution. The number a year ago was 634, three years ago 553 and five years ago 486. Members of the board of control who returned to St. Paul announced that all the cells are full and that prisoners are compelled to sleep in the corridors.

At Isle of Pines.

Mankato—Judge John B. Ogle, the runaway forger and embezzler, who twice tried to kill himself, has been located at Neuva Gerona on the Isle of Pines, the refuge of A. A. Buck, the defaulting cashier of Mankato.

Owing to the fact that the United States has no extradition treaty with the Isle of Pines it will be impossible to bring Ogle back for trial and punishment.

Much Building.

Building permits aggregating $1,000,000 were issued in St. Paul last month. This is the largest amount issued in in one month in the history of the city. This figure is also greater than the total figure for several average months. While nearly one-half of this amount is covered by two large buildings, most of it includes average structures and additions to buildings.

News Notes.

Grand Rapids—A new iron ore district is discovered southwest of here.

Mendota—Falling into a pool caused by high water of the Minnesota river, Arthur Hugo Johnson was drowned. The child's body was taken to St. Paul for burial.

St. Paul—L. A. Rosing of the state board of control objects to locating the administration building at the school of agriculture on low ground.

St. Paul—The state census will show an increase of 300,000 in Minnesota's population.

Minneapolis.—A campaign against slaughterhouses located near the residence portions of some of Minnesota's beautiful cities and villages has been started by the state board of health.

Bemidji—The big logging camps of the R. E. White company at Kelliher were destroyed by fire, together with the clothing, bedding, money and personal effects of 150 men. The total loss is $3,000 and no insurance was carried. Shots fired by a drunken woodsman are supposed to have ignited the buildings.

Minneapolis—A Methodist minister from Hopkins called at the Hennepin county jail for a visit to O. D. Crawford, the murderer sentenced to be hanged at Elk River Aug. 15, but he was in a surly mood and refused to see him or anyone else.

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I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

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OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

In buying new, high-priced machinery, can you not think of something to lighten the wife's ceaseless labor? How about a washer, wringer and a bread machine? Say, give us your hand on that.

If a woodtick fastens itself in the flesh, do not pull it out. It will hold on till its neck breaks, and that leaves the head in the flesh, where it festers and makes a sore. Let a few drops of turpentine fall on it and it will let go and fall out.

Does the coat of the carriage horse look dusty and refuse to clean out and brighten up? Drive him enough to sweat him a little, some fine day, and when cleaning him rub him with moist straw. Then see. Also put in his feed a handful of oil meal or linseed meal each day.

A new bulletin has recently been published by Uncle Sam, entitled, "Milch Goats," which will prove of value to those of our old folks who are interested in that subject. Write to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., and ask for Bulletin No. 68, Bureau of Animal Industry.]

If you have a patch or field of quack grass that you wish to exterminate, take your hogs into partnership and they will do it for you. Scatter some whole corn on the ground to encourage them to root. As soon as they get a taste of the quack roots they will not stop until every one has been found and eaten.

Have you any especially fine sheep or lambs this summer? Why not let your neighbors see them at the local fairs? You might sell some at good figures. The boys would like nothing better than to show their stock for a few days at the fair. It would make them proud of their sheep and help them to love the old home better.

Farmers Folks who live on broad acres can scarcely realize how much a tiny bit of land means to a city dweller. During the past year the Philadelphia Vacant Lots Cultivation Association allotted vacant city lots aggregating 158 acres, to 756 needy families—with a resulting yield amounting in value to $37,500. Let's think of that, next time we feel inclined to find fault with the "long rows" on our own farms.

"Hello! Mr. Farmer. This is Uncle Sam. The weather for today will be rainy and windy. Better not spray those potatoes until tomorrow. Goodbye Br-r-r-rl" Now all this may read like a fable, but the march of progress bids fair to make it true, everywhere. Already in Ohio, more than 100,000 farmers receive government weather forecasts by phone every work-day morning. Iowa, Illinois and some other states enjoy similar privileges. Secretary Wilson hopes that every farmer in the United States who has a telephone will soon be reached with this up-to-date service.

Summons

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake }
IN DISTRICT COURT.
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Sjur Stolaas, Plaintiff
vs.
Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the obove entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service: and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated June 6th, 1905.

SJUR STOLAAS,
E. O. HAGEN, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
jn22.jy 20 Rooms 10-11-27 Wallace Blk.

Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
j13-27 Judge of Probate.

Vacation Hints

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A. Nizen, Agent for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

The Stork.

The stork has been known to perish in the flames of a burning house rather than to desert her young.

First Cultivated Rose.

It is said that the first cultivated rose was planted in Belgium in the year 1522. The damask rose was taken to England from France in 1573, the moss rose about 1724 and the China rose fifty years later.

Tobacco For Wives.

One hundred and twenty pounds of tobacco was the stipend paid for a wife by some of the early settlers of Virginia.

Weird "Angel Shark."

A fish known as the "angel shark" and generally found only in the north Pacific has just been caught by a trawler in the North sea. It is over four feet long and has oddly shaped fleshy wings instead of the ordinary fins.

Ether.

Ether was first used in surgical operations in 1846.

Brutal Law.

In England some centuries ago if an ordinary workman without permission moved from one parish to another in search of work or better wages he was branded with a hot iron.

"Fourteenth Guest" Agency.

There is a most curious agency in Paris whose business it is to supply the fourteenth guest. Parisians, like some other people, have a superstitious objection to dinner parties of thirteen, and this agency undertakes to supply at short notice a lady or gentleman "warranted to give satisfaction."

The Book of Job.

The Book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Literary Mexico.

Mexico is credited with being at the head of the Latin-American countries in the matter of letters. Besides possessing the oldest organs of Spanish-American journalism, it is said to have in active existence the first library established in America, which is now at least 300 years old.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and grate eight large potatoes, cut in an onion, beat in four eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix with two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, add and mix well. Fry in a hot skillet.

Bamboos Grow Best at Night.

The growth of the giant bamboos of the East Indies is so rapid that a difference in the rate of increase between day and night can be observed. The growth is more rapid at night, because then the air is more charged with moisture than in the daytime.

The First Typewriter.

The first typewriter was received by the public with suspicion. It seemed subversive of existing conditions. A reporter who took one into a courtroom first proved its real worth.

Autumn Leaves.

It is popularly believed that autumn leaves assume their brilliant hues when touched by the frosts. This is an error. Autumn leaves turn red and yellow and brown and intermediate tones because that is the natural way for leaves to ripen.

Gaboriau's Visitors.

Gaboriau was troubled with visitors, and of those he desired never to see again he suspended photos in his servants' room for guidance. Once an author called. The servants ran to consult the cartes and, being puzzled, asked the visitor to smile, which being complied with he was informed determinedly, "Master is not at home."

The Alps.

The Alps are situated in six states, the largest division being in Austria.

Largest Tin Users.

The United States is the largest consumer of tin in the world, but derives its supplies mainly from the Straits Settlements, from Banka and other eastern sources.

Gold Jewelry.

Gold jewelry, says an authority, may be perfectly cleansed by being placed for half an hour in a bowl of warm water to which a generous quantity of ammonia has been added. Stir the jewelry around in the water for a moment, cover the bowl and let stand.

Oil For Waves.

Lighthouses in Denmark are supplied with oil which is pumped on the waves during a severe storm.

Stewed Figs.

Stewed figs are a delicious sauce and make a nice dessert if served with whipped cream. Simmer the figs in sufficient water to cover them, adding a little sugar. Cook till they are tender and have swelled till they seem somewhat plump. Let cool and eat.

Black Diamonds In Brazil.

The black diamond fields in Brazil belong to the government, which farms them out and makes a further profit by a 13 per cent export duty.

Germany's Oldest Inn.

The oldest inn in Germany is the Gasthof Zum Riesen in Miltenberg-on-the-Main, which was already of considerable age when the Emperor Frederick I. stayed there in 1158. Since then it has entertained a succession of historical personages, including Gustavus Adolphus and Martin Luther and in more recent times General von Moltke.

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Wanted a Big "Bar'l."

A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

Musical Fish.

Lake Batticaloa, Ceylon, has the probably unique distinction of being the home of a musical fish. The sounds emitted by these are said to be as sweet and melodious as those which can be produced by a series of aeolian harps. Crossing the lake in a boat, one can plainly distinguish the pleasant sounds. If an oar is dipped in the water the melody becomes louder and more distinct.

A Pencil Tombstone.

A German pencil maker, deceased, has over his grave a gigantic stone representation of half a lead pencil set as a tombstone. It is of red sandstone, with a core of graphite eight inches in diameter.

Lager Beer.

Lager beer was so called because when first made it was stored for months before it was used on a "lager," or frame, in a cool cellar.

Wreckers' Debauch.

The wreck of a ship from Spain strewed the coast of England for six miles near the mouth of the Mersey with oranges, citrons, grapes and barrels of port. Most of the people of a neighboring village were intoxicated for several days.

Magical Scenes in California.

If you contemplate a trip to California with its lovely seaside resorts, orange groves, beautiful groves and quaint old Missions, the pleasantest, shortest and quickest way to the magical scenes is over the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Every day from March 1st to May 15, tickets will be sold via this route at $25 from Missouri river good in tourist sleepers. Double berths $5.75. Fast trains, short line, no delays. Inquire of E. L. Lomax, G. A. & T. A., Union Pacific, Omaha, Neb.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is, cattarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitution treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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The North-Western Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN Hair Renewer
A splendid tonic for the hair, makes the hair grow long and heavy. Always restores color to gray hair, all the dark, rich color of youth. Stops falling hair, also. Sold for fifty years. If your druggist cannot supply you, send $1.00 to R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H.

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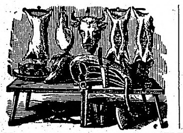

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The Majestic has just lately introduced the charcoal iron range body---watch the imitations soon.

For Sale by O'BRIEN BROTHERS
Popular Hardware Dealers
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I will dig wells by the day, foot or job and guarantee satisfaction on every job. Repairing a specility. I now devote my entire attention to this work. Leave orders at Courier office.
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Up-to-Date Barber Shop and Bath Rooms
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LOCAL NEWS.

Race suicide is evidently not one of the failings of North Dakota. Yesterday at La Moure, in that state, Mrs. Evigne E. Reilly presented her husband with three girls and a boy. They are all perfectly formed and normal in every particular, and likely to survive. Mrs. Reilly is 34 and now the mother of ten children.

The young men who compose the Maple Lake camping party left early Saturday morning for the lake and are enjoying out door life at this popular resort. A complete camping outfit accompanied the party and the boys are prepared for any emergency. The following are in the party: Harry, Lee and Ralph Healy, Harry Garceau, Norman Schrieter, Walter Buse, Orson Doe, and J. Drew Marshall.

Geo. Lange who lived in Louisville township several years and moved to Cottonwood last fall on account of his father's ill health, writes friends here that he has suffered from the hail this season and that his crop will be an entire failure. He reports the country to the south as being visited by hard storms this season and says the prospects for a crop in that locality are not very encouraging.

Lewis LaPiere, of Gervais township, left a sample of wheat at the Ed. L. Healy land office last Saturday that certainly indicate that Red Lake county's crops are in a prosperous condition. There are thirty-six heads from one kernel of wheat and the heads range from 4 to 6½ inches in length. It is fine looking grain and if nothing happens between now and harvest time Mr. LaPiere will have a monster crop.

The Minneapolis Journal has again displayed its enterprise by sending to Sweden and Norway its managing editor, Mr. W. B. Chamberlain, who will make a study of the new and interesting political developments in those countries for the benefit of Journal readers. Mr. Chamberlain is an American, a trained newspaper man, and an instructive, unbiased discussion of the situation in these two countries may be relied upon.

The Great Northern railway is in the fruit business on a large scale. Their fruit ranch is located at Monroe, Washington, and the business is conducted under the firm name of Great Northern Fruit Co. Station Agent Tracy received a consignment of raspberries Tuesday which he readily disposed of to the dealers in the city. The fruit company ship their products in small refrigerators and the fruit arrives in this section in first class condition. Raspberries will be coming along during the month of July, blackberries in August, while the month of September will be devoted to dewberries.

A deal was made yesterday afternoon whereby the saloon business conducted for a number of years by J. E. Bray became the property of Ed. Bray, possession being given at 6 o'clock last evening. The new proprietor has been a resident of this city for twenty-four years and has hosts of friends who will be pleased to learn of his new venture, and he will no doubt do a good business. J. E. Bray will go to Northwestern Canada where he has a fine hotel and saloon business. The family will not leave until in the fall.

At the trial held in Crookston Tuesday before Judge Watts in the county seat controversy Messrs. Evenson and Sweaas of Thief River Falls filed a complaint in intervention. The court allowed them to intervene and they were also allowed to file their complaint. Demurr was made to the complaint by Attorneys Grady and Boughton on behalf of three of our county commissioners, on a ground of a defect in parties in the action. It was stated in the demurr that the complaint does not state sufficient facts as to cause of action. The demurr was overruled and it is thought the matter will be appealed to the supreme court of the state.

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If you need flesh and strength use
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Send for free sample.
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50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

Mrs. Jeff Porter and young son, living three miles east of the city, had a runway on Main street Monday evening that caused considerable excitement for a few minutes. Their horse became frightened near the post office and ran down the street at at a very fast gait. At the Presbyterian church corner the buggy upset spilling the occupants to the ground and breaking the vehicle badly. Mrs. Porter's collar bone was broken and she was badly bruised and shaken up. The son escaped with minor injuries. Medical aid was immediately summoned and the sufferers are getting along nicely at this writing.

Crookston Times: Mat Milligan, the popular Great Northern engineer, has a crew of cement workers engaged on a full foundation for his residence on South Ash street, and the work is but a prelude to many renovations and improvements which will be put in at the Milligan home during the summer. A two hundred barrel cistern, hot water heating plant, renovation of the interior of the home and general tranformation of the property into one of the prettiest and most conveniently arranged residences of the city will be made during the next few weeks. Contractor Rowe has charge of the cement work.

The election of Messrs. Garceau and Hunt as members of the school board, to succeed themselves, seems to be an assured fact, judging from the talk of our business men and citizens the past week. The gentlemen are certainly capable officials and their work in the past as members of the board speak volumns in their behalf. It is a position that should be filled by competent men,—men who take an interest in the schools and who are qualified to transact the necessary business in a business-like manner. That Messrs. Garceau and Hunt have proven themselves men of this character has been ably demonstrated by their work on the board in the past. The election will be held next Saturday.

Editor George of the Fertile Journal was certainly feeling good last week. Things looked good to him as the following will testify: A drive through the country at this time is a pleasure. Nature is clothed in its loveliest tints. The field of grain, green and verdant and waving in the breezes, present an ever pleasing panorama. The hedges and sides of ditches and banks, railroad and other, are radiant with the fragrant and beautiful wild rose, and everywhere on the prairie which has not been disturbed by the plow or harrow during the spring, will be seen the tiger lily, the blue bell and other summer flowers. The birds sing in the branches and everything smiles as only God can make it. It is a lovely world, and "man alone is vile."

A city girl writes: "It is a fond dream of mine to become a farmers' wife and meander with him down life's pathway." Ah, yes, that is a nice thing, but when your husband meanders off and leaves you without wood, you have to meander up and down the lane pulling splinters off of the fenee to cook dinner, and when you meander along in the wet grass in search of the cows until your shoes are the color of rawhide and your stockings soaked, and when you meander out across twenty acres of plowed ground with a club to drive the hogs out of the corn field and tear your dress on the barbed wire fence, when you meander back to the house, found the billy goat has bunted the stuffing out of your child, and find the old hen and forty chickens in the parlor you'll put your hands on your hips and realize that meandering is not what it is cracked up to be.—Ex.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

DEER PARK.

Special to the Courier.

Haying is near at hand.

Crop prospects are good in this vicinity.

Mrs. Peterson, of Gully, is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Ed. Havik and family, of Grit, visited friends at High Landing last Sunday.

Strawberries and June berries are now ripe but very scarce in this vicinity.

M. E. Hyland was at McIntosh Tuesday, returning home Friday via Gully.

Young prairie chickens are very scarce this year on account of the heavy rains.

Stephen Singer, of Gully, was up to pay his partner, Editor Hunt, a short visit.

Will Rodman and Stephen Singer left for Gully last Wednesday on important business.

Ben Kviste, of High Landing, was back to the old farm in Equality for a load of movables last Thursday.

The weather prophets must have "slipped a cog" on the weather question. No signs of drouth here.

Editor Hunt has received his commission as postmaster of Sunbeam P. O. which is located on his homestead.

The grand fourth of July celebrations proved to be a failure in this part of the country on account of the rain.

Sam and Chas. Swanson are busy these days building a house on Sam's homestead. They expect to move in by the 15th.

Thor Moen and Knut Olson left for the town of Eden last Monday for a couple loads of goods from their old homes, but at this writing have not returned.

There now remains only about twelve quarters of land in Deer Park township that is vacant. Not so bad a record for the first year. Most of those left will go before fall.

Ben Kviste says it has been a practice of his to shave but once a year, and that on the fourth of July if it doesn't rain. It rained nearly all day this year but somehow Ben found time between showers. Ben says he will not be caught that way again. It has got to shine all day or no shave hereafter.

Many people ask why it generally rains on the fourth of July. Can it be we have drifted apart from the spirit and principles our forefathers fought for in the days of the distant past, and now take too much to other "spirits" such as beer instead, and thus forget that we gather to honor the valiant deeds of those who lived before us and uphold the day of our liberty? These beer celebrations have made a world of darkness for many, and too often have stained the day with cold-blooded murder. No wonder it rains.

BADGER.

Albert Lachance drove to the city on business Saturday.

George Herr passed through this vicinity Monday morning on his way south.

Miss Alyce Quesnell is at present working for Mrs. C. Cadieux in Terrrbonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Boisvert, of Lambert, visited at the home of J. Ducharme last week.

Miss Aurore Ducharme arrived home from Lambert last Saturday after working a few weeks for her sister, Mrs. LaCourciere.

A large number of Henry Laurents' young friends pleasantly surprised him Sunday evening. A good time is reported by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fortier, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Harren and children and Miss Dautremont, all of Red Lake Falls, were out this way Sunday, and on their way home stopped to see Miss Alma Quesnell, who returned a few days ago from Little Falls.

A "hammering bee" was held at the home Evangeliste Quesnell Saturday and needless to say every participant did his duty as Mr. Queensll's new barn proves. We are sorry to say that Adelard Champeau could not enjoy the entire day as he was quite badly hurt along towards evening. He was up quite high and had a large log in his arm when he lost his balance and fell to the ground, the log falling on him. He is improving at present and his many friends hope that he will soon regain his usual good health.

THE GARDEN KEYBOARD

Get busy right now.

Study the seed catalogues.

Don't neglect the advertisements.

Sow peas as soon as the ground can be worked.

Now will you be good and test your seeds?

Cherries and plums should be among the trees grafted earliest.

An "earliest green eating onion" is one of the new things of 1905.

"Trimming time"—the milder days of late winter and early spring.

"Prune when the knife is sharp," but never when the wood is frozen.

Lettuce and radish seed can go into the ground as soon as the surface can be scratched.

Plowing the garden when the ground is wet makes bad work. Better a good job a few days delayed.

Get the first sowing of sweet peas into the earth as soon as the frost is out. Cover four or five inches deep. Cool weather after planting will not hurt them.

March weather is uncertain, but in many regions seed of the hardier vegetables, such as cabbage, cauliflower, onions, peas, parsnips, lettuce, etc., may be sown when normally good weather condition prevails and the ground is dry.

Has it ever occurred to you that early table turnips may be a very profitable crop? They can be planted very early—often before the weather is settled. Give small dressings of nitrate of soda at intervals and reap a handsome return.

Here is a good grafting wax: Resin, four parts by weight; beeswax, two parts; tallow, one part. Break the materials fine, melt thoroughly together and pour into a pail of cold water. When hard enough, pull and work till it "gets a grain" and is of the color of taffy. The hands must be greased.

Apparently.

"So many people trust to luck."

"Yes. Luck seems to have excellent credit."—New York Press.

A Highly Colored Romance.

So well read he it made him blue
To know she thought him green, and yet
He sought her hand, and now the two
Their secret keep in-violate.
—Philadelphia Post.

In Worm Land.

First Worm—You look happy.

Second Worm—Yes. I just made a lucky turn.—Judge.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer. Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and affected a permanent cure. "Unequalled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles: At all druggists; price 50c and $1.00, Trial bottle free.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

She Tried Five Doctors.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales, of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years; bad severe pains in my back and a frequent desire to urinate. When riding I experienced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and then concluded to try Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three $1.00 bottles I was completely cured." A. L. Riechert.

THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Thedford's Black-Draught comes nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health than any other medicine made. It is always ready in any emergency to treat ailments that are frequent in any family, such as indigestion, biliousness, colds, diarrhœa, and stomach aches.

Thedford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently summon the doctor. It is as good for children as it is for grown persons. A dose of this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and when taken as directed brings quick relief.

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Thedford's Black-Draught has been our family doctor for five years and we want no other. When any of us feel badly we take a dose and are all right in twelve hours. We have spent lots of money for doctor bills, but get along just as well with Black-Draught. IRA H. BADER.

Ask your dealer for a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and if he does not keep it send 25c. to The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. and a package will be mailed to you.

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Sewing Machines
We handle the White. The "White is King."

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Peerless Organs
that have stood the test of time. Sold under guarantee. Testimonials from leading musicians and musical conservatories is evidence of their superior worth and high qualities.

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OFF FOR WINNIPEG

Red Lake Falls Band Will Furnish Music for Canada's Big Show.

This evening the Red Lake Falls band, accompanied by a number of our citizens will leave on the Great Northern for Winnipeg where the band will play tomorrow and Saturday.

Red Lake Falls may well feel proud of this engagement for the band as the exposition management insist on good music and search far and wide for a competent band. That our band has been selected as being the best and most proficient is an honor that all should rejoice in.

Three concerts each day will be given and all the operatic and popular music will be played in an artistic manner. The city will receive considerable publicity through this engagement and it will be the means of attracting attention to this part of the country.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the directors of school district No. 167, Red Lake Falls township, for the following repairs to school building: brick foundation, new floors and new sills, if necessary. Specifications can be had at the clerk's residence. Bids will be opened Saturday, Aug 5th, 1905. The directors reserved the right to reject any and all bids.

j20-a3 Clement P. Mercier, Clerk.

Where are you sick? Headache, foul tongue, no appetite, lack of energy, pain in your stomach, constipation. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents. A. L. Reichert.

WILL BE MARRIED.

Miss Mabel Wyer, formerly of this City to be Married Next Week.

The announcement made that Miss Mabel Wyer, daughter of J. I. Wyer, president of the First State Bank, and a former resident of this city, is to be married next Wednesday to John H. Rowe, a prominent young man of Minneapolis.

The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents at Excelsior and will be witnessed by the relatives and a few intimate friends. The bride to be is well and favorably known here, having made this city her home from 1885 until 1900. She has many friends in this section of the country who will wish her joy and happiness unbounded. The groom is a well known lumberman of Minneapolis and is spoken of in the highest terms by all of his acquaintances. The COURIER joins their many friends in wishing them joy and happiness in their new relation.

Life in the Open.

President Roosevelt's enthusiasm over what he calls "life in the open" has spread so rapidly in the last few years that it is recognized as one of the characteristics of Americans that they are keen for out-of-door sports. No one tendency could be more encouraging for us or any other nation. Combine this with a regular use of golden grain belt beer and will soon win the reputation of being the healthiest and safest nation in the world. The beer is unequaled as a tonic and table beverage and should be in every American home. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

ELECTED UNANIMOUSLY

Messrs. Garceau and Hunt Were Re-elected Members of School Board without Opposition.

The school election held at the Lafayette building last Saturday evening proved to be a very quiet and one sided affair. Twenty-nine votes were cast, Messrs. Theo. Garceau and Frank E. Hunt receiving every vote cast.

These gentlemen have a right to feel proud of the result of the election. To be unanimously chosen to succeed themselves is certainly a compliment and shows that they have the confidence of the people of the entire community. The COURIER compliments Messrs. Garceau and Hunt on their popularity and the excellent showing made at Saturday's election.

Patrick's Ambition.

Northfield News: Patrick E. Dowling of Steel Trust county, otherwise known as St. Louis, has been hovering between two ambitions ever since the legislature was half through with its session. First he thought he ought to be speaker of the next legislature; now he would not object to being nominated for lieutenant governor. It takes a wide stretch of imagination to think that the people would entrust the positions of presiding officers to a community that is so plainly dominated by the Steel Trust and the Associated Railroads. The man who will preside over the next State senate in this State must be a man who cannot in anyway be influenced by corporations. And this isn't personal to you, Patrick.

Paris Green

has no equal for potatoe bugs. At Reichert's drug store.

Berthon & Armstrong
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at prices that make light demands upon your pocketbook

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are the only hot weather shoes. The only tan shoe to buy is the

Walk-Over at $3.50

TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Ole Mikkelson Dies at his Home in this City after an Illness of Three Weeks.

Ole Mikkelson, a well known citizen of this city, died last Saturday after an illness of three weeks with typhoid fever. He had been in poor health for a number of years, and when he was taken sick with typhoid little hopes were entertained for his recovery. For a time he held his own but the fight was too much for his strength and he gradually failed until his death.

Mr. Mikkelson was born at New Lisbon, Wis., Nov. 22, 1852, and married Miss Anna Odette at Delevan, Minn., April 6, 1884. He joined the Free Will Baptist church at that place in 1889. The family moved to Murray county in 1896, where they lived for five years, moving to Red Lake Falls four years ago where they have made their home up to the present time. The deceased leaves a wife and one son to mourn his death.

Services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon after which the remains were taken to the Great Northern depot and prepared for shipment to Blue Earth where the interment will be made.

The bereaved family has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their hour of sadness.

A "Mother Goose" Party.

Miss Beatrice Emard entertained a number of her young friends at a "Mother Goose" party last Monday evening. The lawn was prettily decorated with Japanese and small colored glass lanterns, but unfortunately the rain spoiled this part of the program, but nothing daunted old "Mother Goose" and her train of followers took possession of the house where for a few hours high carnival reigned and is befitting when Mother Goose and her characters gather.

The following characters so dear to the young heart were represented: Old Mother Goose and son, Ida Mathias and Preston Hall; Little Jack Horner, Herbert Findeisen; Mary had a Little Lamb, Florence Hennemuth; The Old Woman who went to Market, and the Robber Stout, Lily Zaiser and Peter Crompe; Mary, Mary, quite contrary, Lillian Brady and Clara Rue; Little Boy Blue, Marcus Marshall; The Queen, eating bread and honey, Alice Zaiser; The Maid hanging out her clothes, Gerda Floan; The Frog that would a wooing go, Walter Garceau; Dame Cock-a-doodle-doo & Master Cock-a-doodle-doo, Lorena Zaiser and Theo. Garceau, Jr.; Ladybird, Dora Bray; Little Bo-peep, Rebecca Hunt; Jack Sprat and wife, Henry Borchers and Henry Zaiser; Jack be nimble, Carl Buse; Old Batchelor who brought his wife home in a wheelborrow, Robert Zaiser and Erma Schrieter; The Old Witch, Hazel Healy; The Queen and Knave of Hearts, Beatrice Emard and Rene Bray; Sing a song of six pence, Nap Lemieux; As I was a going along, long, long, Alfred Floan; Peter, Peter, pumkin eater, Peter Crompe; Little Miss Muffet, Austrid Kindseth; Simple Simon, Graham Kindseth; Jack and Jill, Oscar and Isabelle Helm.

The girls' prize was awarded to Miss Rebecca Hunt, the boys' prize going to Robert Zaiser. After refreshments were served the young people departed wishing their hostess happiness and complimenting her on the success of the occasion.

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the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

Red Lake County Shows Gain of 3,782

State Census Gives the County 15,917 People—Growth of 30 Per Cent. in Five Years.

Red Lake county's population by the 1905 census, just completed yesterday is 15,917, an increase of 3,782, or about 30 per cent., over the Federal census of 1900, which gave the county a population of 12,195.

The population of the city of Red Lake Falls is 1,782, a decrease of 103 since 1900. This is a most unsatisfactory showing. There is no question but that a great many people have not been counted, for the town is growing and the school attendance is larger than at any time in the past.

The city of Thief River Falls has a population of 3,502, which is an increase of 1639, or about 90 per cent. during the past five years. There is no one so brazen as to claim that there are 3500 people in Thief River, but the enumerator was unduly enterprising. He counted the 500 or more men engaged in building the Soo railroad and the 150 more at work on the water and sewer system and other improvements. Perhaps if a round thousand was taken frow the figures the net population figures of this city would be substantially accurate.

None of the towns have made heavy gains, although Poplar River, Gervais and Rocksbury have done well. The new towns on the reservation show a larger number of inhabitants than was generally expected.

On the whole the showing in Red Lake County is more than satisfactory---it is splendid. The population is almost equal to many of the counties in the southern part of of the state similar area, and the growth is larger relatively, than in any other county of the Red River valley.

The heavy growth in numbers puts Red Lake county in a different class, and some of the county officials will receive increased salaries and allowances as a result. Judge of Probate Tarrant will have his pay increased from $825 to $1,175 and Treasurer Hansen will be entitled to some allowance for clerk hire.

RED LAKE CO'S POPULATION.

The 1905 State Census and the 1900 Census Showing Gains and Losses

Towns and Cities	1905	1900	Gain	Loss
Black River	304	346		42
Bray	149	159		10
†Emardville	264	361		97
Equality	443	455		12
Garnes	349	367		18
Gervais	366	333	33	
Lake Pleasant	287	380		93
Lambert	522	494	28	
Louisville	411	490		79
Norden	459	441	18	
North	400	148	252	
Numedal	171	150	21	
†Plummer village	139		139	
Polk Center	371	371		
Poplar River	538	395	143	
Red Lake Falls Twp	345	391		54
Red Lake Falls City—				
First ward, 475				
Second ward 369				
Third ward 938	1782	1885		103
River Falls	346	329	15	
Rocksbury	626	599	27	
Sanders	341	367		26
St. Hilaire village	911	840	51	
Terrebonne	581	579	2	
Thief River Falls City—				
First ward, 1520				
Second ward 782				
Third ward 1200	3502	1819	1693	
Wyandotte	312	311	1	
*152-39	61		61	
*152-40	162		162	
*152-41	245	87	158	
*153-39	27		27	
*153-40	201		201	
*153-41	301		301	
*Smiley	400	98	302	
*154-39	19		19	
*154-40	78		78	
*154-41	320		320	
*154-42	184		184	
Totals	15917	12195	4256	534

*Organized since 1900.

†Plummer village incorporated in Emardville township since 1900.

DOING A GOOD BUSINESS.

Red Lake Falls Creamery is a Big Success.

The patrons of the Red Lake Falls Creamery received their checks today for cream delivered to the creamery during June. The price paid to the patrons is 17 cents per pound for butter fat, and this is after 1 and ½ cents per pound had been deducted from the total of the months run for the sinking fund. So in reality the patrons of the creamery received 18½ cents per pound of butter fat for the month of June. This is a very creditable showing and shows that the creamery is being conducted upon an economical basis and that a superior article of butter is being turned out.

Very few farmers realize what the success of the creamery means to this section of the country. But if they will stop to realize that several of the patrons of the local creamery to-day received checks amounting to $55.00 a peice they can at least see what it means in dollars and cents. The creamery is now being run on a business basis, as it has been during all this season. Every dollar is being looked after and patrons will receive every cent they have coming. More cream is needed for then better results can be obtained as the more butter that is turned out the less the expense and so the greater returns per pound. Look this matter over farmers, come in and investigate for yourself, and then at once become a patron of the creamery. In this way you will have an income not dependent wholly upon the weather.

DRAIN LANDS ON A SYSTEM.

Plans for Complete Survey of Swamp Lands.

Rapid progress is being made in preparation for the topographical survey of the state swamp lands in the northern part of Minnesota, authorized by the last legislature.

The United States bureau of geodetic survey and nearly all the railroads running into Minnesota are co-operating with the state officials in preparing the survey, which will be conducted by John Abercrombie, surveying engineer of the state drainage commission.

The railroads are furnishing maps and blue prints of the lands through which they run, and the United States government is furnishing reports on triangulation and geodetic survey which have been made by the federal bureau. The state is getting most of this information without expense; if it had to pay for the information the expense would be many thousand dollars.

This proposed survey is probably the most important movement in the history of drainage in Minnesota and the Northwest. It means that hereafter instead of building patches of ditches here and there the commission will construct a series of main channels as the foundation for a comprehensive system, covering the millions of acres of swamp lands in Northern Minnesota. The state drainage commission will have at its disposal complete information regarding the topography of the swamp lands, the elevations, the depressions, the inclines, the depressions, the levels and the like. When it has an application for a ditch it can refer to the records and tell at a glance whether the proposedditch is feasable.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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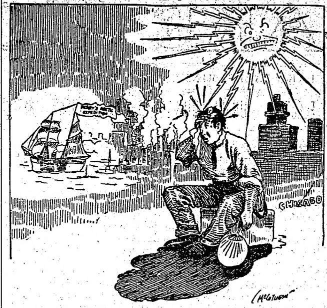


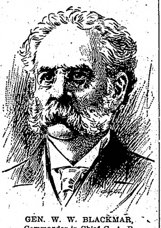
G. A. R. CHIEF DIES WHILE ON A TOUR

GEN. BLACKMAR, GRAND ARMY COMMANDER, PASSES AWAY IN IDAHO.

VETERAN GAINED FAME DURING WAR

Dead Leader's Remains Will Be Taken to Boston for Interment—Baltimore Man Succeeds to Vacant Office—Sketch of Life.

Boise, Idaho, July 18.—Gen. W. W. Blackmar, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. died here of intestinal nephritis. His wife was with him during his illness. The body will be embalmed and taken to the home of the family at Boston. The general arrived here on July 10 on a tour, during which he intended to visit Grand Army posts throughout the northwest. He was ill when he arrived and gradually failed. The seriousness of his condition was kept from the public at the request of his wife.



GEN. W. W. BLACKMAR,
Commander-in-Chief G. A. R.

Gen. Blackmar was born July 25, 1841, at Bristol, Pa. He enlisted in the Fifteenth Pennsylvania cavalry, and subsequently joined the First West Virginia. He served with distinction throughout the war and at Five Forks was promoted on the field by Gen. Custer to the rank of captain. Throughout three administrations, those of Govs. Long, Talbott and Rice, he was judge advocate general of Massachusetts. At the last national encampment of the G. A. R. he was elected commander-in-chief.

The New Commander.

Baltimore, Me., July 18.—By the death of Gen. Blackmar, Capt. John R. King, of this city, senior vice commander-in-chief, becomes, under the laws of the G. A. R., acting commander-in-chief, and will continue such until the next national encampment. Capt. King is pension agent for Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, and has an office in Washington.

Killed in a Church.

Owingsville, Ky., July 18.—Telegrams from Beattyville, Ky., say that John Miller, of Breathitt county, shot and killed James Crees and wounded James M. Thomas, during a fight in a church on Fraley creek, Lee county. Miller entered the church, according to the report received here, and announced that he was the best man in the house. Crees and Thomas disputed this and the shooting followed. A mob formed to lynch Miller, but the sheriff landed his prisoner safely in the Beattyville jail.

Injured in Elevator Fall.

Philadelphia, June 18.—District Attorney John C. Bell, Assistant City Solicitor Harry T. Kingston, and William Born, of Collingswood, N. J., were seriously injured Monday by a fall of an elevator in the Land Title building, the highest building in the city.

Two Drowned.

Rochester, N. Y., July 18.—By the accidental overturning of a rowboat on Keuka lake, N. Y., Miss Maude Masten, of Pennyan, and Miss Remer Faulkner, of Mansfield, Pa., were drowned. Four others of the party were rescued after much difficulty.

AWFUL DISASTER IN ITALY

ROOF OF A CHAPEL FALLS DURING SERVICES.

Sixteen Women, and Fifty Children Are Killed—Many Otehrs Are Injured.

Fermo, Italy, July 18.—The roof of the chapel of the women's hospital fell in Sunday morning during the celebration of mass, killing 16 women and 50 children, and injuring 16 women and a large number of children. The injured have been taken from the ruins.

Stones fell at first from the cupola, crushing the sisters who were near the high altar. The right wall immediately afterwards fell before escape could be effected. Soldiers and citizens, under the direction of the prefect and the mayor, undertook the work of rescue, but 12 girls only escaped unharmed. The town is plunged in mourning as the victims of the disaster belong to the best families of the district.

MANY DIE FROM HEAT.

Twenty-Three Perish from Intense Humidity—Little Prospects of Relief.

St. Paul, Minn., July 18.—Nine persons were drowned and three deaths from heat occurred in St. Paul and Minneapolis in 24 hours. The drownings were all resultant from accidents while bathing.

Chicago, July 18.—Two deaths and many cases of sunstroke are the accompaniments of the intense heat in Chicago. There is no prospect of relief unless the lake breeze should come to the aid of the suffering thousands. William Dubski fell dead while at work in the Hammond packing plant at the stock yards. He had been complaining of the heat. John Grogn dropped dead while walking about his home. In South Chicago nine infants have perished from the heat.

STEAMER SINKS IN STORM.

Stillwater, Minn., Vessel Turns Completely Over and Founders—Crew Escapes.

Wabasha, Minn., July 18.—The steamboat Clyde, of Stillwater, was struck by a tornado opposite Minneiska, halfway between Winona and this city, Monday, turned completely over and sank in 18 feet of water. The crew escaped.

The boat belonged to Bronson and Folsom, of Stillwater, and had in tow a raft of logs and lumber. Capt. D. B. Newcombe was not on the vessel at the time the storm struck her. The boat is a total loss.

American Squadron Sighted.

Plymouth, July 18.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York, arrived here Monday and reported passing in latitude 44.27 north and longitude 37.12 west the American squadron commanded by Rear Admiral Sigsbee, which is conveying the body of Admiral Paul Jones from France to the United States. Admiral Sigsbee reported all well on board the American warships, adding, "will be off Chesapeake Cape July 22."

Peary Sails for North Pole.

New York, July 18.—Lieut. Robert E. Peary on Sunday started on his long journey in quest of the north pole. His ship, the Roosevelt, which has been lying in the North river, opposite Thirtieth street, since Saturday night, weighed anchor and got under way at 3:10 p. m. The Roosevelt was saluted by all manner of steam and sailing craft on her way to the sea. She passed out the narrows at 4:45 p. m.

Clark's Condition Better.

New York, July 18.—Senator W. A. Clark, who is recovering from an operation upon an abscess in the ear, passed a comfortable night, and the indications are apparently very favorable. Dr. [illegible]Kernon visited the patient, remaining but half an hour.

Little Hope of Recovery.

Des Moines, Ia., July 18.—There is little change in the condition of Speaker Henderson, who is suffering from paresis. Very little hope is entertained for his recovery, although he may linger many months.

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Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

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JUDGES SET UPON, BALLOTS DESTROYED

Exact Motive of Attack, at Meeting of Labor Federation in Chicago, Is a Mystery—President Dold Opposes O'Neill.

Chicago, July 18.—Sluggers of the "wrecking crew" type invaded the Chicago Federation of Labor at its semiannual election here and after holding up the judges at the point of revolvers and tearing up the ballots used brass knuckles and slungshots on Michael Donnelly, prominent among the conservative labor leaders, and left him for dead on the floor of Bricklayers' hall. Donnelly's wounds, after he had been revived, were found to be serious. His face, body, legs, and arms were badly bruised and cut. At his home, where he was taken, physicians were unable to estimate his chances of recovery.

Preceding the "slugging" of Donnelly the "wreckers" turned loose upon the judges and clerks who were conducting the election. At the point of magazine revolvers they forced these men into submission, locked them in a small room at one end of the hall, and then destroyed the ballots, ballot boxes and other election paraphernalia.

The exact motive for the attack is a mystery. Some hold the opinion that labor politics was behind it. Others believe that Donnelly alone was marked for a beating. Donnelly himself says he was "too honest to please the labor machine."

Judges and Clerks Cowed.

The riotous scenes were enacted about noontime. All morning the election had been in progress, and active rivalry had accompanied the balloting. President Dold, it was said, up to noon was 50 or more votes ahead of his opponent, O'Neill. Without warning the "wrecking crew" descended. Bricklayer's hall at the time was quiet, and with the exception of a half dozen judges and clerks only a few persons were in the room. There were eight men in the "slugging" party, and they came up the back stairway together. They took possession of the big hall. Marching up to the desks where the judges and clerks of election were sitting they surrounded the four men and covered them with magazine revolvers. "Line up over there with your faces against the wall," was the order. It was obeyed with alacrity.

Ballots and Boxes Destroyed.

The ballot boxes were kicked in, the ballots and tally sheets torn up, and the voting booths wrecked. Nothing was left whole which might be employed afterward to carry on the election. Even the chairs on which the judges had been sitting were broken.

It was only when they had completed the devastation, littering the floor with the ballots and tally sheets, that the "wreckers" turned their attention to Donnelly. He had not yet returned and they awaited his entrance. To insure no interference they locked the judges and clerks, together with the sergeant at arms, in a small cloakroom at one end of the hall.

Murderous Attack.

Donnelly was met at the door as he opened it. Quickly a "slungshot" deftly swung felled the stockyards strike leader. A moment later the eight "wreckers" were kicking and beating him. The first blow had rendered him insensible, but his assailants continued mercilessly to rain fisticuffs on his face and body. They they took turns at kicking him with their heavy shoes. They then left him lying unconscious and made their escape.

Jaguar in New Role.

Colorado Springs, Col., July 18.—More than 2,000 people and four passenger trains on the Colorado Midland railroad have been held at tunnel No. 6, two miles west of Manitou, by a fierce South American jaguar. Before he was captured the animal clawed Joseph Bennett, of this city, cutting a severe gash across the right leg. Miss Delmon, a passenger on one of the trains, became frightened, and in endeavoring to scale a high cliff, fell a distance of 20 feet, breaking her left leg.

Aged Banker Dies.

Oshkosh, Wis., July 18.—Richard T. Morgan, a wealthy pioneer lumberman and banker, is dead at his home in this city, at the age of 76 years. He expired after an illness of several months, with kidney and heart disease. He was president of the National Union bank, Oshkosh, also vice president of banks at Tigerton and Winneconne.

Receiver Discharged.

St. Louis, July 18.—On motion of the attorneys for the People's United States bank, capitalized at $2,500,000, Judge McElhinney, of the St. Louis county circuit court, Monday dissolved the receivership for that institution, and discharged Receiver Selden P. Spencer, appointed by him several days ago on the request of Secretary of State Swanger, of Missouri.

Many Injured in Collision.

Hartford City, Ind., July 18.—Seventeen persons were injured Monday in a collision between a passenger car and a work train on the Muncie, Hartford City & Fort Wayne traction line. All of the injuries with one exception were slight.

MUST YIELD OR GO TO WAR

SWEDEN GIVES NOTIFICATION TO NORWAY.

Seceding Country Must Agree to Terms of Dissolution or Fight.

Stockholm, July 18.—Sweden's dissolution conditions now in course of preparation will possess all the force of an ultimatum, according to Capt. Baumgarten, who introduced in the upper house the resolution to appropriate 100,000,000 kroner ($26,800,000) for use in emergency. The captain has led an influential party in a strenuous fight against the separation of the countries.

"When the riksdag has decided on the dissolution terms," said the captain, "they will represent the country's irreducible minimum from the standpoint of national honor. Their rejection will give no alternative except war. The riksdag is determined that the crisis shall leave no blemish on Sweden's escutcheon. With the exception of the socialists the country solidly upholds this attitude. The king will not oppose it when the steadfastness of the nation's attitude is manifest. Sweden can put 100,000 effectives into the field the week after the declaration of hostilities, and Norway can only put 45,000. Sweden could maintain the same rate of preponderance throughout the war."

RUSSIAN REVOLT RENEWED.

Bloody Battles Between People and Cossacks at Tiflis—Other Rioting.

St. Petersburg, July 18.—Rioting was resumed in Lodz, Warsaw, Odessa and the Caucasian provinces. Dispatches from Tiflic received tell of bloody battles between Cossacks and revolutionists, with the slaughter of soldiers by rioters and the blowing up of government magazines and other buildings. Bombs were thrown in Baku Saturday morning and four police agents were killed. Several Cossack troopers were blown to pieces in Batoum, and in Moscow more than a dozen persons were injured in a cavalry charge on a mob. Cossacks in Lodz killed three men and wounded six persons, including two women, by firing a valley into a mob.

Lodz, July 18.—Part of the Ekaterinburg regiment stationed here mutinied Monday and killed an officer. The mutineers were arrested. Owing to the state of siege the citizens of Lodz are compelled to contribute $1,500 daily towards the maintenance of the troops here.

Warsaw, July 18.—A sergeant of detectives was shot and killed here Monday by an unknown man. A patrol of infantry while pursuing the assassin fired a volley killing a merchant.

ACKNOWLEDGES HIS GUILT

Man Wanted for Wife Murder Is Arrested in Colorado and Makes Confession.

La Junta, Col., July 18.—John Schiskloskas, a Russian, wanted at Belmont, Mass., for the murder of his wife last Wednesday night, was arrested Sunday afternoon by Sheriff Barr, while passing through the city on the Santa Fe railroad. The murderer confessed and gave the full details of the tragedy, which has been puzzling the Massachusetts police. He said that he and his wife were drinking and quarreling Wednesday afternoon and continued their quarrel at a park that night, when her taunts enraged him to such an extent that he cut her throat with a knife and threw the body into a gully. Then he started for the west, making no attempt to conceal his identity. The prisoner expressed his willingness to return without papers, and he will be held by Sheriff Barr pending the arrival of officers from Massachusetts.

Prominent Man Dead.

Paris, July 18.—Emile Arton, one of the principal figures in the old Panama canal scandal, was found dead in his apartments Monday under circumstances indicating suicide. Arton was sentenced in 1896 to eight years' imprisonment for complicity with Baron de Reinach and Dr. Cornelius Herz in the frauds of the Panama Canal company. Arton was the intermediary between Baron de Reinach and the incriminated French deputies, that is between the briber and the bribed.

Woman Kills Girl.

St. Louis, July 18.—In the presence of her mother, Bessie Barnes, aged 15 years, was shot dead on the street in front of her home at 2702 Lucas avenue, Sunday. Mrs. Mary Carder, aged 30 years, is under arrest charged with the shooting, which is said to have been the culmination of ill-feeling between the two families. Mrs. Carder is strapped to a cot at the police station raving over the shooting. By her side were her three small children.

Double Tragedy in Iowa.

Iowa City, Ia., July 18.—William Jones, a young farmer and stock buyer, has shot his divorced wife and also shot S. E. Danger, a farmer, for whom she was working. Both the woman and Danger will probably die. Jones gave himself up. He had been drinking.

American Is Winner.

London, July 18.—In the tennis final singles for the Davis trophy Beals C. Wright (United States) beat Norman E. Brookes (Australasia) 12-10, 5-7, 12-10, 6-4. The match took two hours and a half to decide.

RUSSIANS BADLY BEATEN BY JAPS

MIKADO'S TROOPS STEADILY CONTINUE TO ADVANCE AGAINST SLAVS.

JAPAN CLINCHES ITS CLAIM FOR SAKHALIN

Victory of Islanders Insures Occupation of Czar's Territory—Muscovites in Korea Driven Northward—Advances from Vladivostok.

Tokio, July 18.—It is officially announced that the Russian center holding Darline and vicinity was attacked July 11 and offered stubborn resistance. The attack was renewed at dawn of July 12, when the Japanese dislodged the Russians, driving them in the direction of Mauka. This victory ensures complete occupation of south Sakhalin by the Japanese. Eighty prisoners were taken by the Japanese, among whom was Lieut. Maximta. Four field pieces, one machine gun and ammunition warehouses were captured. The Japanese loss was about 70 men killed and wounded. The Russians lost 160 men.

Reliable information has been received here that the Russian forces in northern Korea have gradually been driven northward since last month and now hold only two positions south of the Tumen river. The latest information from the front, however, reports the advance south of a large force from Vladivostok, but it is believed the Russians will halt at Nokiefsk, north of the Tumen and concentrate their forces to make a resolute stand there against the Japanese advance.

Strength of Linevitch's Army.

Tokio, July 18.—It is officially reported that Gen. Linevitch's force numbers nearly 400,000, and that he is extensively using water transportation to bring forward men, supplies and ammunition. An official who recently returned from Manchuria expresses the opinion that Linevitch plans a great demonstration to synchronize the meeting of the plenipotentiaries, but that he does not intend real aggression.

Will Attend Conference.

London, July 18.—M. Routkowski, the Russian financial agent in London, had not received his appointment to the peace commission, though he expected to accompany the plenipotentiaries to Washington. Since M. Witte's appointment as chief plenipotentiary, M. Routkowski has been sounded by the government, and has signified his willingness to act. M. Routkowski said: "Japan has not yet intimated her terms, and the reports of her alleged terms are generally speculation. Hints have been dropped to Russia from time to time through British and other sources, but nothing positive has yet been proposed, and we have been informed that Japan will lay her definite propositions only before the Washington conference. The Japanese have great confidence in M. Witte, and M. Witte has great admiration for them. The personnel of Russia's commission should convince the Japanese that peace depends on the reasonableness of their terms. I believe Russia's acceptance of peace proposals is a greater show of strength than a continuation of the struggle for the sake of pride. Ending the war and turning her attention to internal improvement and the development of her industries will enhance the prestige of Russia more than a continuation of the conflict until Japan is finally overcome."

Russia Must Uphold Dignity.

St. Petersburg, July 18.—The Novoe Vremya Monday printed the following statement of Russia's position, which may be inspired: "Russia can consent only to such a peace as will affect the dignity or vital interests of the empire. To act otherwise would be fatal to Russia, and would threaten all Europe. Europe no longer believes in Japan's assurances that she will not restrict European interests in the far east. Even in England and America the voices of moral instigators can be heard in favor of the indirect interference of the powers to moderate Japan's demands. Our plenipotentiaries must remember that they must defend the interests, not only of Russia, but also of the other Caucasian powers, and they will find moral support in Berlin, Paris, Washington, and perhaps even in London. Our army in the field is much stronger than it was 15 months ago."

Found Guilty of Murder.

Kansas City, Mo., July 18.—Dr. Louis Zorn, a dentist, who in 1903 shot and killed Albert Sechrest, his tenant, was Saturday found guilty of murder in the second degree and sentenced to 15 years in the penitentiary. The murder was cold-blooded and unprovoked. Dr. Zorn, who is 50 years old, was wealthy and fought the case stubbornly.

Murdered in Race War.

Chicago, July 18.—John Rakulich, 36 years old, a foreman for the International Harvester company, in South Chicago, was murdered by factions in a race war between rival gangs of Hungarians and colored laborers and thrown into the Calumet river, according to the police, who Monday recovered the body.

Miners Strike.

Hazelton, Pa., July 18.—Alleging that they are not being paid standard wages the 250 employes of the Hazel Mountain Coal company at Black Ridge went on strike Monday. The company is not a party to the award of the anthracite strike commission.

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CHANNING SEABURY is learning the ways of frenzied finance. He will soon be eligible to the Equitable directorate.

THE population of Thief River Falls is 3502; Red Lake Falls 1782; St. Hilaire 911. The total increase for the three town is 1651.

OF course the state census is absolutely correct. Look at Thief River Falls. They have 3502 people. Isn't that proof convincing?

THE Duluth News Tribune thinks the Pennsylvania Democrats are no holier than the Republicans. If this is true, God have mercy on Pennsylvania!

THE Block boom for governor seems to be taking impetus. However, in politics the early bird does not usually get the worm. Dunn and Collins were EARLY BIRDS last year.

CHARMING SEABURY demands $5 from the state for attending play day exercises at the state capitol. Many of the other good people of the state attended without asking either per diem or mileage.

SECRETARY SHAW has publicly announced that he is not worrying about the treasury's big deficit, and the St. Cloud Times wonders if it isn't about time for the president to get a secretary who will worry about it.

THE Thief River enumerator evidently believes in taking people at their own estimation. On that basis we are surprised the census returns show no more than 3502. Lots of folks up there believe they are worth more than the ordinary folks.

IT is said the attorneys for the indicted packers will seek by injunction to prevent the trials. That is the limit of legal nerve, observes the Red Wing News. If the process of injunction is much further abused you will see the people rising to abolish it.

THE Minneapolis Journal says that Governor Johnson is reproved by the Pioneer Press for his refusal to approve Channing Seabury's bill against the state for miscellaneous services to the capitol commission. There seems to prevail in St. Paul a feeling that whatever Mr. Channing Seabury puts in a bill for he ought to have. His status as a favorite son in St. Paul is simply great and the governor's failure to appreciate Mr. Channing Seabury at the St. Paul estimate is incomprehensible to some people.

THE cities of the state will materially aid in bringing the state census population to a satisfactory figure. Figures complied by the state census bureau credit 23 of the small cities of the state with a net gain of 26 per cent in population over the census of 1900. Ten cities, in which are included Moorhead, Fergus Falls and Red Wing were credited with a population of 37,673 in 1900. The count this time gives them a total of 49,536, a gain of 30 per cent. Fourteen other small cities, which included Pipestone, Glenwood and Northfield, show a gain of 19 per cent.

EVERYTHING is in readiness for the execution of Edward Gottschalk in the Ramsey county jail on August 8. The hour of the execution was set Tuesday by Sheriff Miesen as between the hours of 1 and 2 in the morning. The rope has been purchased and is now in readiness for the morning of the execution. The gallows have been erected in the basement of the jail. The trap will be sprung by Sheriff Miesen, who will be assisted at the execution by a number of his deputies. A number of lights have been placed in the basement so that it will be almost as light as day.

IT looks to the Windom Reporter as though all grafters look alike to Governor Johnson: "Now there will be a row between the governor and the fellows who built the new capitol, or perhaps more properly speaking, between the governor and Chairman Seabury. The other day the governor refused to allow the payment of Seabury's bill which contained such items as "conferring with Senator Horton, $5.00." It would be interesting to go over the record and see how many such bills "honest" Sam Van Sant put his O. K. on. But Johnson hasn't been in politics long enough to learn the "way that are dark and the tricks that are mean." And then perhaps he isent a very bright student in that respect."

THOMAS W. LAWSON declares that of all men he has studied Minnesota's governor is the ideal candidate for president three years hence. In an address before the Jefferson club at Chicogo last Saturday night Mr. Lawson said: "The most interesting man I found in the West was the governor of Minnesota. I have seen many men and politicians in my day, and since my work began I have been carefully studying to find out what we had growing up in our midst in the way of real statesmen that would serve as presidential timber. Take my word for it, if I know men, I saw one man. Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota, who is made of the stuff for which the American people are looking."

THIEF RIVER FALLS has a progressive and enterprising enumerator. He is also a spiritualist. He can feel the presence of a good many people he never heard of. He went into a trance and saw 3502 people, using a telescope with a double lens. After that he rounded up the dogs and cemeteries, and also caught crews of lumberjacks. The enumerator is also the assessor, and when he starts out on the latter occupation he reverses the telescope and personal property looks so insignificant that it totals $61,000 less than last year. If Thief River has 3502 people they are poorer than Russian peasants, as they have but $37 per head, and the chattel mortgages on file with the city clerk aggregate more than three times this amount. It is time the Thief River folks made their bluff good by paying taxes on an equitable valuation, or confess that the census returns are padded 50 per cent, at least.

New Law in Effect.

A new law having to do with mileage books and tickets issued to railroad companies is now in effect. Under this law the common form of mileage book, or a mileage ticket, is good for travel in the hands of the holder thereof, whereas heretofore it has not been transferable, but good only when presented by the person who bought it.

This law went into effect July 1, but whether conductors have been made cognizant of its provisions cannot be determined. The local railway agents, when interviewed on the subject, stated that they did not know anything about the law, and they could not, therefore, state whether conductors would honor mileage in the hands of persons who had become possessed of it second handed.

The law is Senate File No. 225 and was passed at the last session of the legislature. It is designated as an act providing that certain mileage books or tickets issued by railroad companies operating lines in this state, except interchangeable mileage now in use, shall be good until used, and shall be transferable by delivery and good for travel in the hands of the holder thereof between stations in Minnesota.

Section 2 of the law states simply that the railroad companies accepting such mileage tickets shall not be liable to the owner of such ticket in case they are used by persons not legally entitled to use the same.—Wadena Tribune.

The Original.

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WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

The burned town of Warroad has fixed fire limits.

There is a mvsterieus cow malady at Parkers Prairie.

A St. Cloud man caught a live raccoon in a street of that city.

The Northwestern Telephone Co. has opened a toll station at Randall.

Bemidji will soon get its water supply from a flowing well recently completed.

Minnesota potatoes have been shipped to Hawaii and pronounced the best ever.

The meter system will save Fosston's electric light and water plant $1,600 yearly.

Barnesville has taken a step forward. It has voted for a $40,000 bond issue to install a waterworks system.

The Northern Pacific it is announced will soon put on a day train between Winnipeg Junction and Winnipeg.

The postmaster at Foley invested a thousand dollars in Western mining stocks about a year ago and they are now worth $35,000.00.

Cass Lake has a new ball park, the grand stand having a seating capacity of 600, and the park is said to be one of the finest in the state.

The new Catholic church to be erected at Perham at a cost of from $35,000 to $40,000 will be erected by Carl Kropp, a St. Paul contractor.

P. August Eklund, secretary of the Clay County Land company of Moorhead, has disappeared and it is reported that he is short in his accounts from $4,000 to $7,000.

Alexandria citizens expect that a recent breakdown in the electric light plant will ultimately mean that all of the machinery will have to be replaced with new and up-to-date machines. The recent trouble came about by the breaking of a cross head of the engine.

The Minneapolis & Rainy River railway company is about to extend its line, which runs some forty miles north from Deer River to Turtle Lake, twenty miles to the townsite of Big Fork, on the Big Fork river. Captain James Murchie, a surveyor of Grand Rapids, has been awarded the contract for laying out the line and will commence at once.

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Doctors Said he would not Live.

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Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pav charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

Cough, Cough, Cough.

If your doctor tells you that your cough is the forerunner of consumption try Gloria Lung Balsam. It will do more for you than a change of climate. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

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If your cough tickles, if your throat is inflamed try Gloria Lung Balsam. It drives away the inflamed patches and stops the cough at once. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Rheumatism of 50 years standing Cured.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

Prevents Serious Results From a Cold.

Remember the name Foley's Honey and Tar. Insist upon having the genuine.

Three sizes 25c, 50c, $1.00

Prepared only by Foley & Company, Chicago.

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

H. W. PHILLIPS,
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Write for Prices. **from Old Carpets**

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SW ¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire. 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy trems. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it at once and write me, D. M. Frederiksen, 172 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

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I wish to announce that my Percheron stallion

"PRINCE"

can be found at Red Lake Falls from Friday night to Tuesday noon of each week. At Plummer Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Joseph Belair

Every Man Every Woman Every Child

in Red Lake County is invited to open a savings account with this bank. Call and take one home with you. It costs you nothing.

First State Bank

Oldest Bank in the County

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Haying is in full progress.

Souvenir postal cards at Reichert's

S. L. Lewis was a Wylie visitor yesterday.

P. K. Olson was in from Plummer over Sunday.

Leo Steinert returned last week from his eastern trip.

The Big Store is advertising a clearance sale in this issue.

A hundred foot well is being drilled on the Louis Seiff place.

Attorneys Grady and McIntyre were at Crookston last evening.

Rev. Father Alto conducted services at St. Hilaire last Sunday.

The Odd Fellows installed their new officers last Saturday evening.

The First State Bank has a new adv. in this issue that will interest you.

Chas. E. Boughton was a business visitor at St. Paul several days last week.

Attorney Lee of McIntosh was a Red Lake Falls visitor the first of the week.

County Surveyor Wood was down from Thief River Falls over Tuesday night.

Harry Healy came up from the lake the first of the week for a day or two at home.

Attorney Maybe, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Monday night.

Jim and Paml give a timely talk in this issue. Their new adv. is on the first page.

County Attorney Germo was called to Thief River Falls Tuesday on official business.

Mrs. John Drier visited Lake Pleasant friends last week, returning home Friday.

Sam'l Hunt went to Maple Lake the first of the week and will remain for several days.

Editor Converse of the Cass Lake Times was in the city the first ofth week visiting his family.

Harry Healy is the possessor of a fine new slid trombone which was received the first of the week.

The Busy Store has a list of snaps that should be read to be appreciatad. Look up their new adv.

The heavy rain stormof last week kept a large number of our citizens from visiting Maple Lake Sunday.

Ernest Buse and Milt Whitmore drove down to Maple Lake Sunday afternoon, returning home Monday.

Dairy and Food Commissioner Winjkler passed through the city Monday on his way up the branch.

A party of young ladies of this place drove to Maple Lake Sunday where they enjoyed a most pleasant day.

Miss Eva Parradis returned from Crookston last Thursday having visited friends in that city for some time.

Mrs. N. Pouliot, of Cass Lake, arrived in the city last Friday and is making her sister, Mrs. Wm. O'Brien a visit.

Miss Eva LaPlante, of Crookston, arrived in the city last week and is the guest of her friend, Miss Eva Parradis.

During the severe storm Friday night a large tree near the old saw mill was struck by lightning and destroyed.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house, barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

Wm. Ittner was among those who journeyed to Maple Lake the first of the week and will enjoy outdoor life for a few days.

Several of our citizens have announced their intention of taking in the Great Northern's excursion to Duluth tomorrow.

Lee and Ralph Healy and Harry Garceau came home from Maple Lake Tuesday to pratice with the band for the Winnipeg trip.

Ed. L. Healy drove to Maple Lake Sunday taking down supplies to the bunch of boys and enjoying the day at the popular resort.

Rev. H. H. Knox will preach at the Demann school house next Sunday at 4 p. m. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. All are invited.

Sam Allard and young daughter returned from Grand Forks Monday where they had visited friends and relatives for some days.

A. Groshong has been carrying one of his arms in a sling the past few days on account of an abcess. He is rapidly improving.

Geo. Hennings sold his bird dog the first of the week to Crookston parties. It was a valuable animal and brought a good price.

J. H. Miller, trustee of the head lodge, was in the city Monday evening and took in the dance held at the M. B. A. hall that evening.

Milt Whitmore will return to his Montevideo home to-day. His many friends here hope he will visit the city again in the near futuae.

I will have a car of fine horses in Red Lake Falls about July 4th. All good size and you can buy them at your own prices.—Louis Sieff.

A. Groshong left last evening and will visit friends at Arlington and Glenco for a few days. Mrs. Groshong will return home with him.

For Sale.—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

James Rasmussen, living north of Terrebonne postoffice, left last night for William, North Dakota, where he will look over the country.

W. A. Swanson, of Deer Park, was a county seat visitor last Friday. He has many friends in this city who are always glad to see him.

A party of young men from this city played a game of base ball with the "Ridge" nine last Sunday. The "Ridge" won by a score of 17 to 3.

Our dealers are getting in large invoices of binding twine these days. From present indications Red Lake county will use lots of it this year.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending July 15 1905: C. W. Williams, J.G. Gerstner.

Chas. J. Chapman, who travels for a Duluth house, was in the city Tuesday for a short stay with his wife who is spending the summer in the city.

Rev. I. T. Aastad, will hold services at the Norwegian Lutheran church in this city next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. All scandinavians are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Odett, of Crookston, were here the first of the week attending the Mikkelson funeral. Mr. Odett is a brother of Mrs. Mikkelson.

Friday night's storm done considerable damage to the, telephone and electric light systems of the city but they were speedily repaired on the day following.

The young ladies of St. Mary's church served ice cream and cake last Thursday afternoon at the Reichel building. A neat sum was realized from the sale.

Mrs. J. E. Argue and sister, Miss Rebecca Hunt, leave this evening for Minneapolis to visit friends and to attend the Wyer-Rowe wedding at Excelsior next week.

The M. B. A. lodge held a very enjoyable dance at their hall Monday evening. Ice cream and cake were served and a most enjoyable time is reported by those present.

C. O. Kankel, the Terrebonne miller, was in the city last Saturday. The mill has closed down until Aug. 1st and will be thoroughly overhauled and repaired in the meanwhile.

Sam'l. Luxenbenger, living south of the city, lost four valuable horses during Friday night's storm. Lightning struck the barn, killing the animals, but the building was saved.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson, optician.

Henry W. Anderson, our popular jeweler, expects to go to St. Paul Saturday evening to spend a few days with his parents. There is to be a family reunion next week in that city.

Geo. and Roy Walker received a telegram Tuesday evening from Marshall announcing the serious illness of their father. They left immediately for that place to be present at his bedside.

The Great Northern passenger train Saturday morning unloaded its passengers at the Northern Pacific depot, not being able to get to their own depot on account of the washout in the new cut-off.

Saturday was by far the warmest day experienced in this section for years. While the thermometer registered but 85 the heat was very oppressive, the absence of a breeze making it very sultry.

The heavy rains of last week caused the rivers at this place to rise materially. The foot bridge just east of the Great Northern depot over the Clearwater was swept away by the large amount of water.

Theo. H. Johnson, of Washington, D. C., was in the city yesterday. He is connected with the census bureau and was here for the purpose of gathering statistics of the manufacturing industries of the city.

Another coach has been added to the passenger trains of this division of the Great Northern to accommodate the large traffic which is at present crowding the trains. The additional coach gives the train quite a distinguished appearance and adds greatly to the comfort of the passengers who before this time this summer have been cramped for room.

Special Get-Away Sale

The Result of a Progressive Season

We have to GET AWAY a lot of summer goods NOW. Goods we bought too much of—renmants, odds, etc,, all fine seasonable and up-to-date, but we must sell and get them away.

Lawns, Muslins, Baptistes

Counter 1 contains values at 18, 20, 25 & 30c, get away price.............. **15c**

Counter 2 contains values at 9, 12½ & 15c, get away price................ **5c**

Oxfords and Slippers

Childs and Misses, choice on the table.................................. **59c**

Ladies Tan and Black Oxfords 20 per cent. off

Straw Hats

Exceptional values for the whole family, get away price,

One-Half Off

Mens Underwear

Garments that sold at 50, 60 and 75c, get away price........................ **38c**

Balbriggin and Jersey ribbed pieces, worth 25 and 30c, get away price.... **19c**

Vacation Valises and Trunks

at prices to advertise us. Especially one value we seli at......... **$2.00**

All Goods Advertised Will Be Found on Display and Sold as Advertised...

THE BUSY STORE GARCEAU & ZAISER

Miss Sathre, of Thief River Falls, who is attending the summer training school in this city, spent Sunday at her home in the up-river town, returning te her school duties Monday.

The county commissioners met as a board of equalization Monday. They will complete their labors in that capacity today and will take up other business continued from last week's session.

John Wilson, of Cottonwood, Minn., was a Red Lake county visitor several days last week. Mr. Wilson is the owner of considerable real estate in this county, and is a firm believer in the future prosperity of this section.

Ralph E. Wyer will go to Minneapolis next Saturday so as to be present at the marriage ceremony of his sister, Miss Mabel, next Wednesday. He will be absent two weeks and anticipates a good time at the lakes.

Contractor Brady was at Crookston last week where he went to look over a bridge that it was thought could be used in the east end of this county. He reports the iron work about all that could be made any use of.

An act was passed by the last legislature making it a misdemeanor to sell or offer for sale the veal of calves less than four weeks old, punishable by a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $100 or by imprisonment for a period not to exceed 90 days.

John Jacobson arrived in the city from Portland, Oregon, Monday morning and will spend several months in this vicinity with his many old friends. He was formerly a resident of this place and contemplates a most pleasant time visiting among his old acquaintances.

An exchange tells of an editor in South Dakota, who started about fifteen years ago with fifteen cents, and who is now worth $100,000. His accumulation of wealth is owing to his frugality and strict attention to business, and to the fact that an uncle died and left him $99,998.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Faltinson, of Armstrong, Iowa, arrived in the city yesterday morning and are guests at the Chase home. Mr. Faltinson is one of the leading newspaper men of Northern Iowa and is prominent in politics. Mrs. Faltinson will remain in the city for some time.

Frank E. Packard, of Crookston, was in the city Monday rustling business for the Crookston Academy and Business College, which institution he is heavily interested in. He reports the school as being in a most prosperous condition, and says several improvements are contemplated. The school's large building is being overhauled, new departments added to the course of instruction and everything is being done to make it one of the leading institutions of learning in the state.

Sheriff Linnihan went to Thief River Falls Tuesday morning and expected to go into the reservation country from that city to post up the notices for the organization of the new towns authorized at the last meeting of the board of commissioners.

This section of the state was visited by a terific thunder storm last Friday night. The rain fell in torrents and the lightning was extremely sharp and continuous. There were no fatilities but considerable damage was done throughout the country to property.

Dan Johnson left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where he has accepted a position with a wholesale fruit house. Dan is a bright boy and will make his mark in commercial circles. He has many friends in this city who will wish him unbounded success in his new field of labor.

Fertile has a malt tonic joint and is doing a land office business, says the Journal. The proprietor says the law cannot touch him as the stuff he sells is non-intoxicating. He courts a test case and claims to have the backing of the firm that manufactures the stuff. Sounds like old Iowa talk.

Rev. Father Ansgar left Monday for Milwaukee where he will remain for some weeks at a sanitarium. His health has not been of the best lately and a complete rest is necessary. Rev. Father Alto arrived last week and will have charge of St. Marys church during the absence of the regular pastor.

Attendance at the summer school is still on the increase, ninty-three now being enrolled. The school enjoyed a most able and instructive lecture Tuesday morning by S. J. Race, of Redwood Falls. Mr. Race is a fluent and instructive talker and has the happy faculty of making his address not only instructive but highly entertaining. He has been county superintendent of the schools of his county for eighteen years, so is in a position to talk entertainly of school work.

John Deforge was struck by lightning during the storm Friday night. He had just opened a door at his home to look out when a flash of lightning blinded him, and upon examination it was found that his left hand and arm was badly burned. It was a close call and might easily resulted in a more serious accident.

The storm on last Friday night caused a bad washout on the Great Northern tracks in the new cut south of the depot. All the available section men were kept busy Saturday morning repairing the damage, and there were no trains until about noon. It is said the depot yards were entirely submerged at one time, the tracks being completely covered by the large amount of water.

A young man eighteen years of age was brought to the city Monday evening from Norden township and was adjudged insane in Judge Tarrant's court yesterday morning. Little is known of the unfortunate young man's past. His name was given as Peder Neppert and it is thought his parents live near the the Canadian line. Deputy Sheriff Jarman took him to the Fergus Falls asylum last evening.

Harry Healy went to Park River, North Dakota, Monday evening to play three games of ball with the team of that town against Grafton this week. The county fair is on and there is great rivalry between these two towns on the base ball diamond. If Park River's team is composed of players the equal of Harry they will make the best teams of the country hustle to beat them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayden, former residents of this city, were here over Sunday, guests at the home of Mrs. Hayden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krueger. The family has been living at Bemidji for some time past but Mr. Hayden has been in New Mexico the past eight months. He is engaged in the lumber business in the Southwest and the family left the first of the week for their new home in that region.

The July Clearance Sale at the Big Store Is Still Going On

Tremendous Bargains Left Yet

Wash Dress Goods at ***one-half price,*** Clothing ***25 per cent off,*** Skirts ***25 per cent off,*** Straw Hats (special lot) ***one-half price,*** Mens heavy Cotton Socks, ***7c,***

Patronize the Store that Puts Money in Your Pocket

Butter and Eggs the Same as Cash. We Are Paying 15 Cents for Eggs

They all say it pays to trade at

THE BIG STORE

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

Where Should the Reservoir Be on a Range?

Some stove men say on the right hand side, but we don't think so, don't believe it's the place at all, and let's tell our reasons why. When on the right hand side, that body of cold water is bound to have effect on the heating of your oven for all the heat must pass by it. Then if you want to heat water only, you have to heat your oven, too. When it's on the left side you heat water much quicker, easier, in fact can have it boiling if you want to. And to heat water only you don't require near the fuel and don't heat up the room.

The Majestic Reservoir is on the left side

For Sale by **O'BRIEN BROTHERS**

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It is as impossible to conquer the king of diseases—Contagious Blood Poison—with Mercury and Potash as it would be to conquer the king of the forest in a hand-to-hand encounter, as thousands who have had their health ruined and lives blighted through the use of these minerals will testify. They took the treatment faithfully, only to find when it was left off, the disease returned with more power, combined with the awful effects of these minerals, such as mercurial rheumatism, necrosis of the bones, salivation, inflammation of the stomach and bowels, etc. When the virus of Contagious Blood Poison enters the blood it quickly contaminates every drop of that vital fluid, and every muscle, nerve, tissue and bone becomes affected, and soon the foul symptoms of sore mouth and throat, copper-colored blotches, falling hair and eyebrows, swollen glands, sores, etc., make their appearance. Mercury and Potash can only cover up these evidences for awhile; they cannot cure the disease. S. S. S. has for many years been recognized as a specific for Contagious Blood Poison—a perfect antidote for the deadly virus that is so far-reaching in its effects on the system. S. S. S. does not hide or mask the disease, but so thoroughly and completely cures it that no signs are ever seen again.

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S. S. S. while eradicating the poison of the disease will drive out any effects of harmful mineral treatment. A reward of $1,000.00 is offered for proof that S. S. S. contains a mineral ingredient of any kind. Treatise with instructions for home treatment and any advice wished, without charge.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Half Fare Rates to Minn. State Fair.

There having been some misleading statements regarding half fare rates to the Minnesota state fair, the exact situation should be made plain to the people of Northwest. All lines in the Western Passenger Association have already granted the half fare rate. This includes the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul; the "Northwestern" and "Omaha"; the Great Western; the Minneapolis & St. St. Louis; the Burlington and the Wisconsin Central. It will be seen from this that half rates have actually been announced and are assured for all southern and central Minnesota, northern Iowa, eastern South Dakota and western Wisconsin. The Northern Pacific, Great Northern and "Soo" lines have held up the announcement of half rates pending arrangements for protecting themselves against the scalping of state fair tickets; but there is not the least question that these roads will grant the rate as usual and that the official announcement will be made in a short time—perhaps before these lines reach the reader. The people of the Northwest need have no fear that they will not get the usual half fare rate to the Minnesota state fair.

Hay.

Minneapolis.—Scarcity of hay may be felt this fall as a result of the flooding of the low lands along the Mississippi river. Thousands of acres of good meadow land lie along the banks of the river below the Twin Cities and along the headwaters. The July flood will make it impossible to get a crop from these, as the river has been high for so long that the growing grass has been converted into seaweed.

Coming so late in the season, the second crop will be light. The first crop, usually made in the latter part of June or first of July, is an important part of the Northwestern supply. With this cut off, the price of hay grown on the higher grounds probably will be much higher than it has been within recent years. Farmers near the Twin Cities who are fortunate enough to have good hay crops are expecting higher prices than those now prevailing.

Labor Bureau.

Minneapolis.—At a total expense of $170.38 the state free employment bureau, under the management of the state labor department, has effected a saving in the first month of its operation of $860 to the unemployed in search of work and to those who have applied for employees. A total of 430 applicants have been supplied with work, of whom 348 applicants were men and 82 women and girls. In all cases had the men applied to one of the regular fee employment agencies they would have been obliged to pay a fee of $2 each. In addition those who employed them would have been obliged to pay a fee. In the case of the women, those who hired them would have been obliged to pay a similar fee to the regular female employment agencies.

Fish.

Minneapolis.—Minnesota fishermen need not worry about the stock fish in lakes and streams of the state, if the efforts of the state game and fish commission are as successful as they have been this season.

The commission will plant more fry this season than ever before. It secured 110,000,000 pike eggs and is distributing 6,000,000 trout fry to various points throughout the state. Both figures are far in excess of any previous year.

The distribution of the pike fry was finished about the middle of June, and since then Oscar Davies, formerly clerk of the commission, has been engaged distributing the trout. He has stocked the lakes in the vicinity of St. Cloud, Clear Lake, Anoka, Winona and other points in the southern part of the state during the last few days. The commission aims to treat every section of the state fairly.

Improving the Capitol.

St. Paul.—An imposing entrance to the grounds of the new capitol, which may require the vacation of that portion of Wabasha street from Central avenue to Rice street, will probably be the next important task undertaken by the state capitol commission or its successor.

The capitol commission has practically decided not to undertake the construction of an approach this year, and it is possible that the matter will be deferred until after the next session of the legislature. The plan that has been suggested would require the expenditure of considerable money, more than the commission has left out of the $4,500,000 tax levy.

News Notes.

St. Paul—The Commercial club entertains 16,000 children at its Harriet island celebration.

Minneapolis—Margaret Ridge, ten years old, was drowned in Phalen creek.

Stillwater—A company is spending $2,000,000 for a plant at St. Croix Falls to furnish electric power for the Twin Cities.

St. Paul—The jury in the federal court finds Thomas B. Clement guilty as charged in twenty-four of the counts in the indictment.

St. Paul—Tests show that 60,000 children in Minnesota schools have defective eyesight and 10,000 defective hearing.

St. Paul—The Northern Pacific crop report shows crops in good condition, and the outlook good, if warm, dry weather comes.

Eveleth—There will be havoc on the iron range if Attorney General Young succeeds in having mineral leases declared invalid.

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Tickets at thie state on sale every day from Sept, 15 to Oct. 31. inc., via Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Literature about California free on application to E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

For Sale.—Good seed barley for sale. Call at my place.—O. Mikkleson.

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OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Wide tires are expensive, but they don't cost as much as keeping a country road in repair.

A five foot vein of soft coal under a man's farm will net him about $400 per acre on the usual royalty basis.

Just one-half day spent in clearing up around many a farm homestead would improve its appearance 500 per cent.

The kangaroo, which is noted for its enormous appetite, is said to be able to eat as much grass as six sheep.

These five points are applicable to the poultry business: Availability, adaptability, efficiency, cleanliness and economy.

The only calico mule in the world is at the farm of C. K. Billings, near Chicago, the well-known trotting horse enthusiast.

Why don't they change the wheels of chug-wagons and make roadrollers of the machines? Make 'em useful as well as ornamental.

An ingenious Greene county (Mo.) farmer has rigged his farm wagon up with a gasoline motor and runs into Springfield several times a week auto style.

Boys, don't kill the toads. A close observer estimates that one good-sized toad will destroy nearly ten thousand insects and worms in a single summer.

The culture of the silkworm is being promoted by the department of agriculture. One of the very worst fakes which ever hit the nation was a mulberry fad which struck it about 100 years ago.

A neighbor last year packed a barrel full of alternate layers of potatoes and snow apples. These apples, which are an early winter variety, kept in perfect condition until May. This is worth trying.

It is estimated, says the Ohio Farmer, that if all, or nearly all, of our farmers could be induced to discard the scrubs and use only pure breeds, the increase in the value of poultry would be 100 per cent.

Give us the farmer who takes time to look up, now and then, to see what is going on in the world about him. Living is not all in bending the back over the hoe or in growing good crops. Life is more than a living.

If you are building a new small barn or other farm building, don't go to the trouble or expense of having timber framed, as we used to do. Get a plank of the right width, spike them together with twenties and brace them well. This makes a frame as strong as anybody could ask for, and saves a lot of time and work, too.

Farmers' daughters are educated in many parts of Germany in traveling schools, which go from village to village to give girls over 16 years of age practical lessons in housekeeping, cooking, the selection of food care of poultry and cattle, the cultivation of vegetables and butter and cheese making. The results have been so satisfactory that it is now proposed to add instructions in nursing, cooking for the sick, mending and sewing.

Summons

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake }
IN DISTRICT COURT,
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Sjur Stolaas, Plaintiff
vs.
Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake County, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the City of Crookston, Polk County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated June 6th, 1905.

SJUR STOLAAS.
E. O. HAGEN, Attorney for Plaintiff,
Crookston, Minn.
jn22.jy 20. Rooms 10-11-27 Wallace Blk.

Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
j13-27 Judge of Probate.

THE PORCUPINE.

Only Known Creature That Eats the Foliage of the Hemlock.

"You don't have to skirmish around much to get feed to fatten one of these hemlock porcupines on," says an old woodsman. "Just sprinkle some salt over a stick of cordwood or saw log for that matter, and he'll eat the whole business and enjoy it as you would mince pie." The customary diet of these animals is hemlock browse. They make themselves a home in a hollow log or under the roots of some old tree, but always within reach of a big hemlock.

The hemlock is their pasture, and they make beaten paths going to and fro between the tree and their home. Once up in a tree the porcupine goes out on the big limbs and, pulling the small branches in with one paw, browses on the pungent leaves. In going through the woods you will find little piles of these fine leaves on the ground under hemlock trees. That means that a porcupine is feeding in the tree, the leaves on the ground being dropped from his feast.

Sometimes a porcupine will remain in a hemlock tree for a week at a time, hugging close to the trunk at night and feeding during the day. This curious little beast is the only known living thing that eats the foliage of the hemlock.

DANGER SPOTS IN A STORM.

Places to Avoid When the Lightning Is Flashing.

Out of doors trees should be avoided in a thunderstorm, and if from the rapidity with which the explosion follows the flash it is evident that electric clouds are near at hand a recumbent posture is the safest. It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts or low buildings or under the arch of a bridge, and a distance of twenty or thirty feet from tall trees or houses is an eligible situation, for should a discharge take place these elevated bodies are most likely to receive it.

It is well also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream may determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room or when standing on a thick hearth rug. The chimney should be avoided on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it, and gilt moldings or bell wires are sources of risk. In bed we are tolerably safe, since blankets and feathers are bad conductors.

It is injudicious to take refuge in a cellar, because the discharge is often from the earth to a cloud, and buildings frequently sustain the greatest injury in their basements.

THE TERM "IDIOT."

In the Original Greek It Simply Meant a Private Person.

The word idiot is itself of interesting history. Its primary Greek significance was that of a private as distinguished from a public person. Our words idiom, idiosyncrasy, etc., are from the same root. The idiot in Greek was simply one not engaged in public affairs. The beginnings of the degradation of the word are shown in its application soon to the common people as distinguished from the upper classes. It was then applied to unprofessional and lay people and soon became the slurring title of the unskillful and awkward. By slow degrees it became applicable to the stupid and at last to the imbecile and idiot. As late as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the word was still used in its earlier senses. This long sad history speaks indirectly of the pathetic history of the imbecile. If he was not killed or starved to death by neglect, etc., he was usually reduced to the condition of a beast either about the house or fields or was actually driven into the woods and forced to live in caves, among wild animals, etc. In 1799 Itard took a "wild boy" found in the forests of Aveyron and tried to teach him. The ability of the wild boys and wolf children to live and the number that did so shows that idiocy, as we have later learned, is of all degrees and that a mind may be variously defective in some ways, even idiotic, but in others with capabilities well preserved. Blind Tom, the pianist, and the large number of mathematic idiots are examples that show how far we are from understanding the real nature of idiocy, and they more than suggest the partial retention of sound mentality of the defective, the possibility of seizing upon the one or few normal or even highly developed faculties and perhaps bringing others into co-ordination with them and to normality. The court fools and jesters of the olden times were often such partial idiots and defectives, and they truly lived upon their "wits," which were often better than those of their masters.—American Medicine.

THE VALUE OF EXAMPLE.

To have your child truthful, be truthful.

To have him temperate, be temperate in all things.

To have him kind to others, be yourself kind to others.

Prescribe healthful amusements and so far as you can take part in them.

Prove to him by your life that a good name is to be chosen before great riches.

Teach him that riches are not to be despised, but should never be got by doing harm to others; that when acquired should be treated as a trust, not as a hoard.

To have him honest, present to him in yourself a living example of honesty. The chief part of a child's knowledge comes through observation. Acts mean more to him than speech.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS
TO WESTERN CANADA
$10.00 FOR ROUND TRIP TICKETS
TO THE FAMOUS CARROT RIVER VALLEY

During the month of July the Canadian Northern Railway will sell tickets on any day from EMERSON on the INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY to Melfort and return, good for thirty days, with stop over privileges, for **$10.00.** Regular trains for the Carrot River Valley leave Winnipeg every Monday and Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. Minnesota and Dakota landseekers should buy tickets to Emerson, the International Boundary, where they can then purchase the $10.00 excursion tickets to Melfort and return.

THE CARROT RIVER VALLEY which now has railway facilities for the first time, is the most fertile part of the great **Saskatchewan Valley.** Two-thirds of the country is open prairie. The soil is a rich loam varying from one to four feet in depth. The running streams in every township furnish an abundance of pure water. The praries are covered with richly luxuriant grass. There is absolutely no Alkali or stone and there is no section in Western Canada to-day that will produce the same enormous yields of **No. 1 Hard Wheat.** The country too being equally well adapted to diversified farming. With the splendid railway facilities now afforded by the building of the Canadian Northern Railway through this marvelously rich district, this section of Western Canada will be settled quickly and prices will advance rapidly. **Act Now,** and **get** land in the best part of all Canada at **First Prices.**

FIVE NEW TOWNSITES JUST PUT ON THE MARKET
TISDALE, STAR CITY, RIVERSIDE, KINISTINO and MELFORT

these new towns offer to the business and professional man in every line opportunities to get in on the ground floor in the most thriving, hustling towns in the most productive and prosperous sections of Western Canada.

FREE HOMESTEADS

Good Free Homesteads of 160 acres each, can still be had near railroad stations. This year will be the last chance to secure good free lands within reasonable distance of the railway. Write for maps, printed matter, price lists, etc.

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BB Canadian Northern Building, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA

Wanted a Big "Bar'l."

A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a waiting patient:

"Wasn't it beautiful? It wasn't really necessary to pound half so long, but I did so enjoy his inflection that I almost pounded the hickory plug into splinters. Wonderful command of language the judge has!"—National Magazine.

Musical Fish.

Lake Batticaloa, Ceylon, has the probably unique distinction of being the home of a musical fish. The sounds emitted by these are said to be as sweet and melodious as those which can be produced by a series of aeolian harps. Crossing the lake in a boat, one can plainly distinguish the pleasant sounds. If an oar is dipped in the water the melody becomes louder and more distinct.

A Pencil Tombstone.

A German pencil maker, deceased, has over his grave a gigantic stone representation of half a lead pencil set as a tombstone. It is of red sandstone, with a core of graphite eight inches in diameter.

Lager Beer.

Lager beer was so called because when first made it was stored for months before it was used on a "lager," or frame, in a cool cellar.

Wreckers' Debauch.

The wreck of a ship from Spain strewed the coast of England for six miles near the mouth of the Mersey with oranges, citrons, grapes and barrels of port. Most of the people of a neighboring village were intoxicated for several days.

Magical Scenes in California.

If you contemplate a trip to California with its lovely seaside resorts, orange groves, beautiful groves and quaint old Missions, the pleasantest, shortest and quickest way to the magical scenes is over the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific lines. Every day from March 1st to May 15, tickets will be sold via this route at $25 from Missouri river good in tourist sleepers. Double berths $5.75. Fast trains, short line, no delays. Inquire of E. L. Lomax, G. A. & T. A., Union Pacific, Omaha, Neb.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is cattarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitution treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Every Protection For the Safe Handling of Passengers.

The North-Western Line between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago and between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Omaha, is protected by the block signal system. The total mileage of the NORTH-WESTERN line is now 9,063 miles; 3,023 miles are protected by this the best known method for the safe handling of trains.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

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Ask Your Local Agent About Rates

LOCAL NEWS.

John G. Lindvet, of Lillo, was in the city Saturday and informed the COURIER that he had just received word from his attorneys that he had won the land case he has been fighting in the land department for over two years. Mr. Lindtvedt in behalf of his mother contested the claim of Miss Husby for the possession of the ne¼ ne¼ of section 35 in Equality township. The case was taken up through the Interior department, and the Secretary recently decided the case in favor of the Lindvets. It is a valuable piece of property and Mr. Lindvedt naturally feels gratified in becoming its possessor. N. Campbell, of Crookston, and Chas. H. Babbitt, of Washington, D. C., were the attorneys who handled the victor's side of the case.

DEER PARK.

Special to the Courier.

Mosquitos are plentiful.

Haying is now the order of the day.

Ye scribe was a Grit visitor Friday.

Ole Skreland, of Grit was a caller here last Saturday.

C. W. Johnson was at Plummer on a business deal last Monday.

C. W. Johnson has been busy the past week making a new pasture.

Torkel O. Lande and son, Thor, were Thief River callers last week.

It is rumored that the Soo surveyors are east of us working this way.

Sam Swanson has his house ready now and is going to move in at once.

Several parties from here have already sent in their final proof applications.

C. W. Johnson, our road boss, is busy these days keeping track of his pollmen.

Last Saturday was the warmest day of the summer, and perhaps for years past.

Ben Kviste and your correspondent made a business trip to Crookston last week.

John Polbrook and Mrs. Peterson went to Gully last Monday, the former returning Friday.

Thor Moen and Knut Olson returned from Eden last Saturday with two loads of movables.

A. J, and Oscar Lillo were at Plummer for two loads of store goods for the Lillo store last Tuesday.

There was a dancing party at Geo. Singer's place Sunday evening. There was a large crowd in attendance.

Chas. Swanson returned to Grit last Thursday night, after working at his trade, carpentering, here for a few days.

Two more homesteads were filed on in this town last week. Vacant land will soon be a thing of the past in this section.

John L. Roduiecski, the Rodney postmaster and, and Mike Kolski were down for two loads of goods for the new store on section 10.

Editor Hunt of the Sunbeam gave your correspondent a call last Sunday. He said he failed to get paper in time for the issue of July 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustein Skreland, of Grit, have been visiting friends and relatives here the past week. Mr. Skreland is highly pleased with our country.

The breaking season is now about over. There has been a large amount of breaking done in this town this season, some parties doing as much as sixty acres.

Last Friday night a bad thunder storm passed over this section. The lightning made things lively but no serious damage was done. Considerable rain fell and haying has been delayed for a few days.

The second payment on lands bought last June are now due. If you have not thought of the matter you had better make arrangements to meet it before the sixty days are up, or else your land will be cancelled without notice.

We understand that several parties intend to prove up at the end of fourteen months. But those doing so should make arrangements to pay their second payment, as that becomes due before the fourteen months are up, and not wait with the intention of paying when you prove, for in that case you stand a chance to loose your land by cancellation, Be prepared, as the government does not intend to show any mercy in the matter. Your correspondent has been reliably informed on this subject.

Mother's Ear

A WORD IN MOTHER'S EAR: WHEN NURSING AN INFANT, AND IN THE MONTHS THAT COME BEFORE THAT TIME,

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ST. HILAIRE.

Special to the Courier.

Henry Enderly, of Plummer, spent Sunday at this place.

Neil Dahl is attending the training school at Red Lake Falls.

Editor Harry E. Ives has gone to the cities for a short vacation.

Mrs. E. L. Eikhoff visited relatives in Crookston several days this week.

Miss Mabel Hannay is able to be out again after an attack of appendicitis.

Rev. and Mrs. Barker visited friends at Crookston several days this week.

Mrs. J. B. Armstrong, of Red Lake Falls, is visiting Mrs. M. McAndress this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruneau Toutant are the proud parents of an eleven pound boy.

A. Manserious left for Chicago Monday. He spent several days here visiting relatives.

W. A. Sorsoleil visited his daughters who are teaching near Langdon, N. D., last week.

Miss Ella Lindahl went to Red Lake Falls last Saturday where she will attend the training school.

According to the returns of census enumerator A. F. Lang St. Hilaire has a population of 911.

Mrs. Robt. Gebott left Tuesday for Portland, Oregon, where she will visit relatives and take in the exposition.

L. T. Bergh is traveling for a harvester company for a couple of months. His family remain on their claim.

K. O. Gigstad is wearing his left hand in bandage these days, the result of a bad burn caused by some trouble with a kerosene lamp.

Misses Katie Patterson, Alice Hall, Eva Johnson and Selina Hoff went to Red Lake Falls last Wednesday and spent a most enjoyable evening with Miss Catherine Pirath.

Manager Pettibone of the saw mill, left Thursday for an extended eastern trip in the interest of the company. A. Lord, of Bemidji, will have charge here during his absence.

The ice cream social given at the bowery last Wednesday evening was a grand success, both socially and financially. Besides giving the people some good music, delicious ice cream and cake, the boys took in nearly $40. We hope they will entertain us again soon.

BADGER.

Ed. Cadieux, of Terrebonne, was a business caller here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Quesnell drove to the Falls Monday on business.

Misses Amie and Aurore Ducharme spent last Friday at the St. Ives home.

Alice Quesnell, who has been absent the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ducharme visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. Robillard Sunday.

Quite a number of people saw the "whistler" pass here Monday at 3 p. m. on his way north.

Anthony Quesnell and son Willie passed through these limits last week on their way to Brooks.

Mrs. L. C. Cadieux, of Terrebonne, visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. St. Ives. last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Montreiels visited with Mrs. Montreiels parents in Terrebonne last week.

Mrs. M. Quesnell and daughters, Alma and Anna, were guests at the Joseph Ducharme home last week.

Miss Ida Wolfe, one of Terrebonne's most popular young ladies, visited with Miss Zelia Quesnell this week.

Adelard Laurent arrived home Saturday after working at Thief River for several weeks past.

A crowd of young friends gathered at Michael Quesnell's home Sunday evening and were royally entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pontbrient and children, of Red Lake Falls, were guests at the Damasse La-Chance home Monday.

A number of young people from this vicinity will take in the Duluth excursion this week. They will no doubt have a delightful time.

Notice of Teachers' Examination.

The regular semi-annual teachers examination will be held at Red Red Lake Falls, August 3, 4 and 5, in accordance with the following program:

THURSDAY, AUG. 3.
(Second Grade Certificates.)
A. M.—8:00 Enrollment,
8:30 Aritmetic,
10:30 Physiology-Hygene.
P. M.—1:30 English Grammar,
3:00 Reading,
4:15 Drawing.
FRIDAY, AUG. 4.
(2nd Grade Studies Continued, & Civics)
A. M.—8:00 Professional Test.
9:00 Spelling.
9:30 Geography.
11:90 Music.
P. M.—1:30 U. S. History.
3:15 Civics.
SATUREAY, AUG. 5.
(First Grade Studies.]
A. M.—8:00 Geometery.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.—1:30 Algebra.
3:00 Phys. Geo. or Gen. History.

A teacher desiring to obtain a mark in composition and penmanship, but not in grammar, will write on the first question only. Civics is not a second grade subject.

H. T. MCANULTY, Co. Supt.

DRAINAGE CAMPAIGN PLANNED.

State League Will Meet at Crookston to Discuss the Matter.

The best methods of draining the hundreds of thousands of acres of swamp lands in the northern part of the state will be discussed by a meeting of the Minnesota drainage league which will be held at Crookston on Aug. 1st. The organization of the league which was begun a few weeks ago, will be perfected.

Gov. John A. Johnson, State Engineers George A. Ralph and John Abercrombie, the nine Minnesota congressmen and the two United States senators have been invited to speak at the meeting.

"The purpose of the league is to promote sentiment in favor of drainage of swamp lands" said Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston, who was in St. Paul recently preparing for the meeting. "The league plans to co-operate with the state authorities in drainage lands and it will also take an active part in the drainage of private lands, in which the state is not directly interested.

"We plan to carry on a sort of educational campaign in favor of drainage. It is only necessary to present the practical advantage of drainage to pursuade property owners that it is a good thing. It is a busines proposition for the state and for property owners. If by spending $1,000 in the construction of a ditch, the state increases the value of its land to the extent of $10,000, it has thereby gained $9,000. It is such facts as these that we wish to present to the people.

"Our league is opened to every one who is interested in reclaiming Minnesota's swamp lands. It is not restricted to those who live in the northern part of the state. We have members as far south as Nicollet county, which has recently spent a considerable sum for drainage. In the league are merchants, real estate men, lawyers, in fact all classes of people who are interested in the subject."

She Tried Five Doctors.

Mrs. Frances L. Sales, of Missouri Valley, Ia., writes "I have been afflicted with kidney trouble five years; had severe pains in my back and a frequent desire to urinate. When riding I experienced much pain over the region of the kidneys. I tried five physicians without benefit and then concluded to try Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three $1.00 bottles I was completely cured." A. L. Riechert.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and affected a permanent cure." Unequalled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At all druggists; price 50c and $1.00, Trial bottle free.

The Courier Stationery Store.

100,000 FISH PLANTED.

Game and Fish Commission Place That Many Yearly.

Minnesota fishermen need not worry about the stock of fish in the lakes and streams of the state, if the efforts of the state game and fish commission to secure fish fry every year are as successful as they have been this season.

The commission will plant more fry this season than ever before. It secured 110,000,000 pike eggs and is distributing 6,000,000 trout fry to various points throughout the state. Both figures are far in excess of any previous year.

The distribution of the pike fry was finished about the middle of June, and since then Oscar Davies, formerly clerk of the commission, has been engaged distributing the trout. He has stocked the lakes in the vicinity of St. Cloud, Clear Lake, Anoka, Winona and other points in the southern part of the state during the last few days. The commission aims to treat every section of the state fairly.

Should the commission plant 100,000,000 fish every year and should half of them, 50,000,000, grow up, the fishermen in future years may catch 50,000,000 fish a year without decreasing the supply. On the supposition that there are 100,000 active fishermen in the state, each fisherman could catch 500 fish a year.

"We have been very successful in getting fish eggs this year," said Mr. Fullerton, "but we have to do well some years to make up for the bad years. It takes a tremendous amount of fish to keep up the supply. The drain on the lakes is almost inconceivable. If one were to know the amount of fish taken out of White Bear Lake every Sunday, he would be surprised.

"In distributing the fish we aim to treat every section of the state fairly. Of course some times we have more applications for fry than we can fill, but this year I believe that we shall have enough for all."

Brain Leaks.

Earth's greatest heroes do not sleep under towering monuments.

Variety is the spice of life, but too much seasoning spoils the dish.

You can not tell a "smutty" story without getting some of the soot on your soul.

We can always do better work tomorrow if our memories of today are pleasant ones.

The young man who thinks he knows it all is just on the brink of acquiring some knowledge.

Some men have rendered their best service to their country in dying for it—ohers by living for it.

A cistern must be filled before it can be drawn from. So with life—those who put most into it get the most out of it.

We know of nothing quite so sad as an old maid trying to appear kittenish, unless it is an old man who thinks he is a ladykiller.

"Wisdom is good with an inheritance," says Proverbs. And that reminds us of the ever-present patriot who is always shouting for the old flag—and an appropriation.

TAKE WINE OF CARDUI AT HOME

Are you a sufferer?
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Wouldn't you prefer to treat yourself—AT HOME?

Nearly 1,500,000 women have bought Wine of Cardui from their druggists and have cured themselves at home, of such troubles as periodical, bearing down and ovarian pains, leucorrhoea, barrenness, nervousness, dizziness, nausea and despondency, caused by female weakness.

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Wine of Cardui does not irritate the organs. There is no pain in the treatment. It is a soothing tonic of healing herbs, free from strong and drastic drugs. It is successful because it cures in a natural way.

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Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

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Vacation Hints

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A. Nizen, Agent, for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 820,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics, it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

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ON A TOUR OF INSPECTION

State Auditor Iverson and a Large Party of Newspaper Men Pass Through the City.

Wednesday morning the band and a number of our business men assembled at the Great Northern depot to greet State Auditor Iverson and a large party of newspaper men who passed through the city on their way to Greenbush.

State Auditor Iverson has been touring the north country for several days looking the country over in the interest of the state immigration society recently organized. The newspaper men accompaning the party represent the leading dailies and agricultural papers of Chicago, Des Moines, Kansas City, St. Paul and Minneapolis. The tour will be the means of advertising the advantages of this section of the country to thousands of people, and no doubt will be the means of bringing hundreds of good citizens to the Valley and other points in Northern Minnesota.

Ed. L. Healy had a magnificent display of grasses and grain at the depot, the visitors expressing great admiration for the exdibit. They left with a better idea of the resources of this county than when they arrived.

Paris Green

has no equal for potatoe bugs. At Reichert's drug store.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

DIED AMONG STRANGERS.

Stranger from Middle River Dies Suddenly in this City.

Last Saturday Mathew Ryan, of Middle River, arrived in this city in a critical condition and died Sunday morning at the John Drier home.

It is thought he was on his way to Crookston, where he had friends and by mistake got off at this place thinking he was at that city, He had been sick for several days and was in a critical condition, suffering from a bowel trouble. Dr. Wilkinson was called, and administered to the man's needs, but medical aid had been delayed too long to be of any assistance to the unfortunate man. He was taken to the John Drier home and everything possible done for his comfort. He passed to the great beyond Sunday morning. Peter Ryan, of Crookston was notified of the occurence and he and his family came to this city immediately and took charge of the remains. Mr. Ryan was no relation to the deceased although bearing the same name. They were formerly neighbors back in Wisconsin.

The unfortunate man was between 45 and 50 years of age. He has no relatives or close friends in this part of the country. The funeral was held Monday from St. Joseph's church, Rev. Father Fayolle conducting the last sad rites.

The King of Brilliants.

is the Northwestern Limited Lighted bv hundreds of incandescent electric lamps, both inside and outside, this train presents a beautiful appearance, Buffet library cars, with conveniences of the club, private apartments cozily arranged, finest of regular Pullman sleepers and reclining chair cars, mean comfort and pleasure to the traveler between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago on this famous train.

EQUALITY DAMAGE SUITS.

Equality Man asks Damages for Water on Land.

A suit has been filed in district court by T. T. Boe asking for $300 damages caused by overflow on his farm and also restraining the supervisors from further continuing the construction of a certain ditch which he claims has drained a lake onto his land the water taken from its natural course. The case will be tried before Judge Watts. Atty Chas. Martin recently located at McIntosh represented the plaintiff.

Is This a Solution?

The business men of Delevan, Wis., are taking a unique way to get even with the mail order houses in Chicago. They paid their local drayman $40 a month to get the names of those who were receiving freight from mail order houses. When one of these parties went into a Delevan store to buy anything on credit he was refused no matter how good his financial standing was. When they had butter and eggs they were told to sell their produce to Montgomery Ward or Sears & Roebuck. The result was that the town was put on a cash basis and the people were forced to quit trading with mail order houses. —St. Charles Union.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the directors of school district No. 167, Red Lake Falls township, for the following repairs to school building: brick foundation, new floors and new sills, if necessary. Specifications can be had at the clerk's residence. Bids will be opened Saturday, Aug 5th, 1905. The directors reserved the right to reject any and all bids.

j20-a3 Clement P. Mercier, Clerk.

PRETENDING PERCY.

Young Man Arrested Last Night for Stealing Money and Valuables.

A young man giving the name of Percy Brown is in jail in this city being charged with stealing money and rings at the Central hotel yesterday.

Brown is canvassing the surrounding country on a picture enlarging scheme and has been stopping at the Central hotel for three or four days. Miss Gunda Johnson, of Thief River Falls, and Miss Louise Noveid, of Marshall county, are staying at the same hotel, and while at school yesterday morning their room was entered and $25.11 and two valuable rings were stolen.

They did not report their loss to County Attorney Germo until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Brown was suspected immediately as he was seen near the room and a search was made for him. He was found last night by the local police at the Zaiser livery barn having the two rings in question on his person, but the money was not found. As he was intoxicated it is thought he had spent the money during the day.

The authorities are to be congratulated on the prompt apprehension of the thief and it is to be hoped the young ladies will be able to recover their money as well as the jewelry.

One on Teddy.

President Roosevelt received the greatest rebuff of his life at the hands of a woman of the backwoods of Albemarle, who did not know she was speaking to the head of the nation. Few heard it and it is likely the story would never have become circulated had not Mr. Roosevelt let it out.

It occurred at Red Hill, Albemarle county, the little station on the Southern railway where the president left the country home to go the country home purchased by Mrs. Roosevelt. According to his usual manner, the president stopped to shake hands with the crew of the train.

Just at that time he noticed a plainly dressed elderly lady attempting to get on the car. Rushing forward, Mr. Roosevelt assisted her to ascend the steps; he then caught her hand and gave it a regular "executive shake."

The president was dressed in a rough-and-ready costume, and the woman had no idea who he was. Snatching her hand away, and eyeing him wrathfully she said:

"Young man, I dont know who you are and I don't care a cent, but I must say you are the freshest somebody I've seen in these parts."

She then entered the car, and the president turned away, convulsed with laughter.

Hot Weather Tempers.

It is much easier to keep good natured in cold weather than in hot. One may be uncomfortable in cold weather but there is seldom the irritability present that there is when the thermometer begins to soar. Sometimes it seems as if one's power of control has been entirely exhausted. The reason is often with the diet, and you will find that by using golden grain belt beer regularly and eating less meat and heavy foods your temperature will be lower and you will feel more rested and comfortable. The theory of the thing is simple; meat and hearty foods create an over-supply of heat, while this delicious tonic contains the same nourishment, but in a liquid, cooling form, easy to digest. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Doctors Said he would not Live.

Peter Fry, Woodruff, Pa., writes: "After doctoring for two years with the best physicians in Waynesburg, and still getting worse, the doctors advised me if I had any business to attend to I had better attend to it at once, as I could not possibly live another month, as there was no cure for me. Foley's kidney cure was recommended to me by a friend and I immediately sent my son to the store for [illegible] and after taking three bottles I began to get better and continued to improve until I was entrrely well. A. L. Riechert.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

BAND AT WINNIPEG.

Red Lake Falls Band Makes Many Friends in Canada.

The Red Lake Falls band returned Monday morning from a most successful trip to Winnipeg. Many new friends were added to the admirers of this organization on the trip, and incidently Red Lake Falls received a whole lot of good advertising through the band's playing.

On Thursday evening of last week the boys gave a concert at Crookston that was listened to by a large crowd of people. Every number received most enthusiastic applause and the band was compelled to respond to an encore at the conclusion of the program. The citizens of Crookston went out of their way to make things pleasant for the members of the band which was highly appreciated.

The "Yankee band" made a hit at Winnipeg. The band boys met the leading citizens of that city and province who entertained in a most lavish manner. The boys playing was a revalation to the Industrial Exposition management and they were not slow in showing their admiration for the good music furnished. The band was to leave Winnipeg Saturday evening but an engagement for two concerts at the fashionable hotel of the city was made for that evening and Sunday so the boys remained another day.

The exposition is all that is claimed for it. It is a big show and is the event of western Canada each year. The management is to be congratulated upon the excellence of the entertainment afforded visitors, and it can be safely said that more people from this section of the country will attend in the years to come.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Doings of the City Dads at Their Last Meeting.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall July 20, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were allowed:

David Moren, street work	$16 50
Joseph Payment, " "	4 50
Theo. Detorge " "	5 25
Julius Keibl, " "	15 00
John Deforge, " "	19 80
Adelor Bisson, " "	2 00
Cleophas Guerin, labor	2 00
Dr. I. Lemieux, professional services	14 25
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., street lights for May and June, 1905	223 92
Peter Martell, blacksmith acct.	4 40

The liquor bond of Fred Borchers, with J. B. Armstrong and Jas. M. Patnode as sureties, was on motion approved.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, Pres.

Approved this 26th day of July, A. D. 1905, J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, Clerk.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

Could not turn her Head.

You could not find a worse case of rheumatism in a month's journey as the one recently cured by Gloria Tonic, the victim being Mrs. J. Evans, of Big Rapids, Mich. She writes: "I could not turn my head, nor dress and undress myself, but twelve boxes of Gloria Tonic completely cured me." Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Not a cent wanted unless you are cured. If you are sick and ailing take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. A great blessing to the human family. Makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. A. L. Riechert.

ROBBED ON TRAIN.

Bemidji Woman Robbed of Money and Tickets.

Mrs. Charles Schmidt of Bemidji who came through this morning accompanied by her four small children enroute to Casselton, North Dakota, was the victim of one of the most despicable robberies which has ever been reported in Northern Minnesota, and but for the kindness and sympathy of passengers upon the train she would have been stranded here without funds or ticket, says the Crookston Times. Mrs. Schmidt after getting along the road from Bemidji some distance, lay down in the car seat and dropped asleep. Her purse was attached to her hand by a silver chain and in it were her tickets and a considerable amount of cash. When she awoke in this city and started to get her little ones off the train she discovered that her purse had been taken and although a vigorous search of the car was made by Conductor Smith not a trace of the missing pocket book was found. The unfortunate woman was in a frenzy over her loss and in her despair appealed to the railroad officials here to provide her with transportation to Casselton; Conductor Smith corrobrating her story in regard to the ticket and loss of purse, the request was denied however, and but for the efforts of Conductor Smith and Brakeman Stansbury, the family would have been stranded here. A purse of sufficient size to purchase tickets and leave several dollars over was raised and the glad light which came in the unfortunate woman's eyes as she was put safely aboard the train by the kind railroaders was more than recompense for their energies in her behalf.

It is supposed by the railroad men that the theif whoever he was perceived the pocket book hanging from the woman's wrist as she slept and pried open the fastenings of the chain while the other occupants of the car were dozing or diverting their attention to other things. The fact that the car was well filed with passengers makes the robbery all the more bold and daring.

BADGER.

Special to the Courier.

Arthur Robillard visited here this week.

Miss Zelia Quesnell was a business caller at the Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Robillard visited friends and relatives at Gentilly Sunday.

Roy Walker left last week for Marshall where he was called by the serious illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolphie Champeau spent part of last week at the home of Joseph Champeau in Terrebonne.

Miss Alice Quesnell left Tuesday for Terrebonne where she will work for Mrs. L. C. Cadieux for some time to come.

Mrs. Amede Jolly, of this place, and Mrs. Louis Pigeon, of Terrebonne, are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity this week.

A large number of people spent Sunday evening at the home of Adelard Laurent, and needless to say all had a most enjoyable time. The party broke up at a "wee small" hour.

A number of our young people took in the Duluth excursion. Among those who went were: Messrs. Edward and Eli St. Ives, Peter La Chance, Medore Robillard, Louis Quesnell and Misses Alice and Anna Quesnell, Amie and Aurore Ducharme and Ella Robillard. All report a most delightful time among their many friends and relatives in the Zenith city.

Bent Her Double.

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by electric bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk as straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorder, At all druggists, price 50c.

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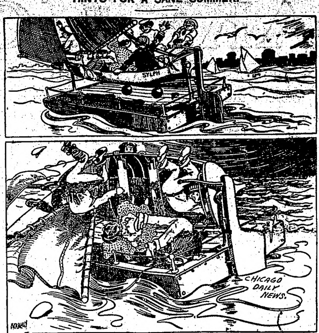

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NEW YORK STATE TO APPLY PROBE

METHODS OF LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES TO BE FULLY INVESTIGATED.

Gov. Higgins Makes Request in a Special Message to General Assembly —Body Appoints Commission of Inquiry.

Albany, N. Y., July 21.—Gov. Higgins Thursday afternoon sent to the legislature a message recommending for its consideration the appointment of a joint commission to investigate the business of life insurance as carried on in this state.

Both houses adopted in the afternoon the Armstrong insurance investigation resolution. It appropriates $50,000 for the expenses of the investigation. The senate members of the committee will be Armstrong, of Rochester (chairman), and Tully, of Corning, republican, and Riordan, of New York, democrat. Speaker Nixon said he would not immediately appoint the assembly members.

The Armstrong resolution provides for the appointment of a joint committee to investigate and examine into the business and affairs of life insurance companies doing business in the state of New York, with reference to the investments of said companies, the relations of the officers thereof to such investments, the relations of such companies to subsidiary corporations, the government and control of said companies, the contractural relations of said companies to their policy holders, the cost of life insurance, the expenses of said companies and any other phases of the life insurance business deemed to be proper, for the purpose of drafting and reporting to the next session of the legislature such a revision of the laws regulating and relating to life insurance in this state as said committee may deem proper.

BASEBALL.

Tables Showing the Standing of Clubs of the Two Leading Organizations.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	60	25	.706
Pittsburg	54	32	.628
Philadelphia	49	35	.583
Chicago	50	36	.581
Cincinnati	46	40	.535
St. Louis	31	56	.356
Boston	28	58	.326
Brooklyn	24	60	.286
American league:			
Cleveland	51	29	.638
Chicago	47	30	.610
Philadelphia	46	32	.590
Detroit	42	38	.525
Boston	35	41	.461
New York	34	41	.453
St. Louis	31	49	.388
Washington	26	52	.333

New Orleans Alarmed.

New Orleans, July 24.—A post mortem examination of a victim showed beyond doubt the presence of yellow fever in New Orleans. Six persons already have died, while several others are suffering from the malady. The city board of health, under the auspices of which the autopsy was conducted, announced the malady is confined to the Italian quarter and it is believed it will not spread.

Two Killed by Train.

Rock Island, Ill., July 24.—Four men Saturday resting in a railroad switchyard here were struck by a train of cars inadvertently shunted down upon them. William McFarland, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and an unidentified Chicagoan were killed.

Prominent Judge Dead.

Ann Arbor, Mich., July 21.—Judge Noah W. Cheever, of this city, who has been prominent in the affairs of the national prohibition party, died suddenly at his home Thursday from apoplexy. He was 65 years of age.

Woman Cause of Tragedy.

Luverne, Ala., July 24.—E. O. Bishop shot and killed Gordon Reddock. Both were prominent merchants. Bishop's wife was the cause of the shooting.

BRINGS BODY OF JONES.

Admiral Sigsbee's Squadron Arrives with Remains of Famous Naval Hero.

Norfolk, Va., July 24.—Thae body of Admiral John Paul Jones, recently found in Paris, as the result of a search inspired and conducted under the direct charge of Gen. Horace Porter, former United tates ambassador to France, passed in the Virginia capes Saturday morning on the United States cruiser Brooklyn, under Rear Admiral Sigsbee, the Brooklyn having as consorts across the Atlantic from France the cruisers Galveston, Tacoma and Chattanooga.

On this coast the fleet was met by the battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet in two divisions, the first being under the command of Rear Admiral Evans and the second commanded by Rear Admiral Davis. The three squadrons approached the capes together, the vessels under command of Rear Admiral Evans leading, and the Davis and Sigsbee squadrons closely following. The Sigsbee and Davis squadrons proceeded immediately up Chesapeake bay bearing the body of Admiral Jones toward Annapolis, Md., its last resting place, while the vessels of Admiral Evans' squadron said farewell to the other fleets, and proceeded to Old Point comfort, Va.

DISASTROUS CYCLONE.

Causes Damage Estimated at $100,000 in Racine County, Wis.—Two Lives Lost.

Racine, Wis., July 24.—With a roar that was heard for five miles, a cyclone struck the northern rim of Racine county Sunday, killing two men and damaging property and crops $100,000. The cyclone came from the southwest, and at its first dip struck the large barn of Adolph Meisner, which was torn to pieces, the debris, with grain and farm machinery, being scattered 200 feet. Trees were uprooted and fences blown away, the damage on this farm alone amounting to $5,000. In every quarter grain is ruined, but no other buildings were destroyed. For miles trees can be seen uprooted and fences down. At a farm in Thomsonville, a workman whose name was not known was struck and killed. Near Union Grove, Adam Hunter, an old farmer, was picked up by the storm and his neck broken. At the Haumerson brick yard lightning struck a shed and six men were stunned. Two barns were struck and wrecked. At least a dozen cattle were killed.

Talk of Alliance.

Washington, July 24.—Far eastern advices reaching Washington tell of the effect upon the Chinese of the victories gained by Japan over Russia. Not only has the government been affected, but the people have come to regard Japan in a new light, and the diplomatic corps at Peking already has begun to discuss the probability of an alliance between China and Japan.

Illinois Lawmaker Dies.

Chicago, July 24.—News reached Chicago Saturday that Representative Aaron Norden, of this city, who represented the Fifth senatorial district in the last two legislatures, died of acute Bright's disease at Sturgeon Bay, Wis., Saturday morning.

Root Sworn In.

Washington, July 20.—Elihu Root, of New York, was sworn in as secretary of state Wednesday. The oath was administered by William McNeir, assistant librarian of the state department.

More Indictments.

Milwaukee, July 22.—The grand jury of Milwaukee county, which is investigating alleged graft, returned another batch of 27 indictments Friday evening, 14 persons being involved.

Secures Beautiful Park.

Colorado Springs, Col., July 24.—Director Perkins, of the Burlington road, has given the famous "Garden of the Gods," worth $250,000, to Colorado Springs for park purposes.

French Squadron Coming.

Paris, July 24.—Minister of Marine Thomson has decided to send a squadron to visit the United States at the end of October.

Salvation for Women in Nu-tri-ola

THE world is full of sick women who might be well. Poor, pale, suffering Martyrs! Blood so poor that every vital organ, nerve center, even the brain cells, are starved and lose their force. Their sufferings from Dyspepsia, Headache, Kidney Trouble, Dragging or Bearing Down Pains, Leucorrhœa, Nervous Prostration, etc., etc., the victim and God alone may know. Listen to our

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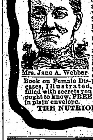

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BOILER ON THE BENNINGTON, LYING IN HARBOR AT SAN DIEGO, CAL., EXPLODES.

Loss of Life Is Appalling—A Total of Fifty-Nine Known to Be Dead, While Scores of Others Are Badly Injured.

San Diego, Cal., July 22.—Broken and blackened, with her flag flying at half mast, her hold filled with 15 feet of water, the United States warship Bennington lies beached on the shores of San Diego harbor. Fifty-nine of her crew lie dead at city morgues, the fate of a dozen more is as yet undetermined and three-score are stretched upon beds of pain in various hospitals. This is the result of the explosion which wrecked the trim little naval craft and wrought such terrible havoc among her crew at half-past ten o'clock Friday morning.

The Casualty List.

San Diego, Cal., July 24.—A careful compilation of casualties was made at nine o'clock Sunday night, and is as follows:

Buried in military cemetery at Fort Rosecrans, 47; dead now in morgue, 10, awaiting shipment to relatives; dead in fireroom of Bennington still unrecovered, 2; total dead, 59. Injured at various hospitals, 50; missing, 16. Grand total, dead, missing, and injured, 125. Of the injured at hospitals, seven or eight are expected to die. Forty-nine bodies were taken to the cemetery Sunday, but two were brought back upon telegraphic orders for shipment, which reached here after they had been started for the cemetery. Ensign Perry's body has been embalmed, and will be shipped to the naval cemetery at Annapolis.

Boiler Explodes.

The Beninugton at the time of the accident was lying in the stream just off the commercial wharf at the foot of H street. The warship had received orders from the navy department at Washington to sail for Port Harford, where she was to meet the Monitor Wyoming and convoy that vessel to Mare Island navy yard. Steam was up and everything was in readiness for sailing when suddenly, and without any warning whatever, the starboard forward boiler exploded with a deafening roar. The explosion was terrific. People standing on the shore saw a huge cloud of white steam rise above the Bennington. Columns of water were hurled into the air, and for a distance of nearly twice the height of the spars of the vessel.

Boats Go to Rescue.

It was immediately apparent that an awful disaster of some kind had happened on board the warship. The ferry boat Ramona was coming across the bay at the time of the accident. Capt. Bertelsen, of the Ramona, immediately gave orders to change the course of the boat and, instead of continuing his trip to the San Diego side of the bay, hurried to the aid of the stricken warship. The tug Santa Fe, which was tied up at the commercial wharf, the launch McKinley, the government launch General De Russey and a large number of other launches and water craft which were near the scene at the time, also rushed to the assistance of the Bennington and endeavored to lend every assistance possible. By the time the Ramona had arrived many of the sailors of the Bennington who had jumped into the bay to escape the scalding steam had been rescued, and the removal of the wounded, which already had been commenced, was being conducted in perfect order.

A Terrible Scene.

On board the Bennington were presented terrible scenes. The force of the explosion had torn a great hole in the starboard side of the ship, and the vessel was already commencing to list. A section of the upper deck was carried away from stem to stern. Blood and wreckage was distributed over the entire ship, the after cabin and the vicinity of the ship adjacent to the exploded boiler resembling a charnel house. Over it all hung the great cloud of white smoke, which drifted slowly toward the Coronada shore.

Many Blown Overboard.

A dozen or fifteen were blown overboard by the force of the terrific explosion. Capt. Wentworth, who was looking at the Bennington when the disaster occurred, says he saw human bodies hurled over a hundred feet upward. The air was black with smoke, which enveloped the ship. When it cleared away only a few men could be seen on the decks, while a number were floundering in the water. A boat was lowered from the vessel's side and most of them were picked up and taken on board. The shock of the explosion penetrated every section of the ship, blood and ashes being found as far as the stern of the captain's cabin. Portions of the upper deck were carried away and great damage was done in all sections. For a long time the hot steam prevented access to the space between decks, where most of the dead bodies lay, and it was not until late in the afternoon that the last were removed from the boiler rooms. Several bodies were tightly wedged in by a bulkhead that the woodwork had to be hewn away to free them. Most of the bodies had been mangled most beyond hope of recognition.

Boiler Was Unsafe.

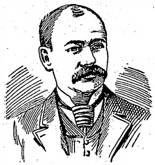
The boiler which exploded, it is said, was regarded as unsafe. Commander Young stated that during a recent return from Honolulu the steam pressure was kept reduced in that particular one. The ship's inner works are a tangled mass of machinery, and she probably will have to be dismantled in order to examine her in injuries.

DEATH'S CALL CAME TO PROMINENT MAN

COL. DANIEL S. LAMONT YIELDS TO SUDDEN ATTACK OF HEART FAILURE.

End Comes After Sickness of But Half an Hour—Long President Cleveland's Private Secretary, and Afterwards Secretary of War.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 24.—Col. Daniel Scott Lamont, secretary of war during the administration of President Cleveland, died suddenly at his home at Millbrook, Duchess county, Sunday night at 9:15 o'clock. Heart failure was the cause of death. Col. and Mrs. Lamont were out driving in the afternoon, and he appeared to be enjoying the best of health. After dinner he complained of feeling ill, and Dr. Stewart, of New York, who is a guest at the house, immediately went to his aid. The physician diagnosed the case as an attack of heart failure, and in spite of the heroic treatment, Mr. Lamont passed away within half an hour. At his deathbed were Mrs. Lamont and two daughters Frances and Bessie. Several guests at the Lamont home were also present when the end came.



DANIEL S. LAMONT.

His Career.

Daniel Scott Lamont was born at Cortlandville, N. Y., on February 9, 1851. He began life in journalism, and from 1885 to 1889 was private secretary to President Cleveland, by whom he was appointed secretary of war on March 6, 1893. Mr. Lamont was vice president of the Northern Pacific railway, and a director and trustee in many railroad and financial corporations. He leaves a widow and two daughters. He was a member of many New York clubs.

Col. Lamont was one of the most trusted political and business advisers of President Cleveland during the latter's administrations. He went with him to Washington first in the capacity of private secretary during Mr. Cleveland's first term, from March, 1885, until March, 1889, and again during his second term from March, 1893, to March, 1897, when he served Mr. Cleveland in the higher position as secretary of war. As private secretary to the president, Col. Lamont was brought in contact with practically all the public men who called at the white house, and the president relied considerably on his judgment in matters political. While in Washington Mr. Lamont made friendships which he retained during his later service in the cabinet. His family entertained largely, and were always prominent in the social affairs of the capital. Col. Lamont's close relations with President Cleveland began at Albany when Mr. Cleveland was governor of New York, and Mr. Lamont was a political reporter.

ROCK LEDGE BLOWN UP.

Government, at Cost of $749,000, Removes Obstruction in New Hampshire River.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 24.—A charge of dynamite weighing 45 tons was exploded under Henderson's Point, in the Piscataqua river, Saturday afternoon, hurling a ledge of rock three acres in extent from the bed of the stream. From the banks of the river and from islands in the harbor about 30,000 persons witnessed the big blast, which is understood to be the greatest ever discharged in this country. Chief Engineer Gregory, of the United States navy department, was in charge and the people were kept at a safe distance. No damage was done to property in the vicinity. The contract price of the undertaking was $749,000. The switch by which the immense blast was discharged was operated by Miss Ethel Foster, the young daughter of the superintendent of the contracting firm. The explosion was the culmination of an engineering project which has been underway for the last three years and which has attracted the attention of experts, both in this country and abroad. It was the removal of a great ledge of rock that obstructed the way to the big dry dock recently completed by the government at the United States navy yard on Seavey's island.

Gen. Blackmar Buried.

Boston, July 24.—Veterans of the Civil War, Sons of Veterans, members of the Relief Corps, and other patriotic societies on Sunday paid honor to the late Gen. Wilmon W. Blackmar, whose funeral was held in this city. During the morning the body lay in state in Memorial hall at the state house, where it was viewed by thousands.

Equitable Official Removed.

New York, July 20.—Chairman Paul Morton, of the Equitable Life Asurance society, summarily removed as comptroller T. D. Jordan, and appointed in his stead William A. Day, assistant attorney general of the United States.

GREAT DANGER FROM OIL FIRES.

THE BIG FIRE IN TEXAS STILL BURNING AND LIABLE TO SPREAD.

Twelve Lives Thought to Have Been Lost So Far. Hundreds of Men are Fighting Fire to Preserve Other Fields.

Houston, Tex., July 25.—The fire in the Humble oil fields, which started Monday night, is still burning fiercely, but it remains confined to the tanks of the Texas company.

While no names are ascertained, it is believed that twelve persons lost their lives. So far as can be learned, these were all negroes, who were employed in trying to prevent the spread of the flames.

Forty-three mules are known to have perished. The managers of the Texas company state that the tanks contained approximately 2,500,000 barrels of oil, which was valued at 25 cents per barrel, and that none of the oil will be saved.

In addition they say the big pumping plant at the tanks were entirely destroyed, making a total loss of more than $6,000,000.

Yesterday the efforts of the fire fighters have been confined to throwing up earthen embankments between the burning tanks, of which there are eleven, and those in which 4,000,000 barrels of oil belonging to other companies are stored.

These tanks are 3,000 and 4,000 feet away from the fire, but the water which covers the field as a result of the rain of Sunday has floated the burning oil to the first level and a sudden boil over may send the burning fluid to the second embankment, which would place the other tanks in greater danger.

The fire is not spreading toward the producing field, and it is not expected that it will. Hundreds of men were engaged last night strengthening the levees, building them higher, and in throwing up additional ridges.

Hoboes Put Up Strong Fight.

Hallock, Minn., July 25.—The police department had an exciting time the other night trying to round up a gang of hoboes whose actions brought suspicion on themselves. They were taking the town by turns trying to sell pocketknives and other valuables. When an attempt was made to arrest them they put up a strong fight. Marsall Olson and his assistants made speedy work of it and lodged them safely in jail. However, Olson was forced to knock one down with his revolver and fire a few shots to keep the others from running away. They were allowed a reasonable time to leave town the next morning.

Drowned.

Appleton, Minn., July 25.—A horse trader named Walker was drowned in the Minnesota river four miles south of here. The bridge across the river is out pending repairs, and the horsemen have been camped on the Lac qui Parle side for some days. Two of them came to Appleton for groceries, crossing in a boat and swimming their horse and buggy. On returning, one of them walked across on the stringers, intending to get the boat for his companion, who, not caring to wait, drove into the river, which at this point is fifteen feet deep, with a rapid current, and the man and horse both drowned.

Sheriff Gets Papers.

Washington, July 25.—Bennett Williams, sheriff of Blue Earth county, Minnesota, was at the state department yesterday and obtained the necessary extradition papers for A. A. Buck, who has been arrested in Cuba. Buck is wanted in connection with the defalcation of the bank at Mapleton, Minn., and is now held in Havana.

Fire at Belle Plaine.

Belle Plaine, Minn., July 25.—Fire starting in the Anderson building destroyed the entire structure, which was occupied by M. J. Mangan's barber shop and Paul B. Buelow's tailor shop. Mrs. Foley's dwelling, which adjoins the Anderson building on the east side, was also destroyed, and Mrs. McDevitt's building on the west side was badly damaged.

Italian Riots.

Racine, Wis., July 25.—Two factions of Italians, seeking to gain control of the Italian colony in the northwest section of this city engaged in a fierce fight yesterday.

Revolvers, dirk knives and other weapons were used. A general riot call was sent in. Two Italians were arrested.

Devastated.

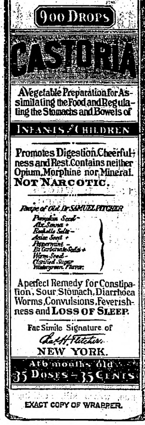
Sydney, N. S. W., July 25.—News has been received here that a hurricane devastated the Marshall islands June 20.

Smashed.

Superior, Wis., Suly 22.—As a result of reckless speeding in an automobile, one man was killed and another injured here yesterday.

The automobile contained a party of three from Duluth, consisting of J. R. Morrow, an attorney; T. A. Rubrecht, a prominent lumberman, and a third man whose identity has not been established as he escaped injury and immediately disappeared.

Morrow was driving the machine at a high speed, swinging back and forth across Tower avenue.



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The poor old Pioneer Press takes its Republicanism like the Blue Grass colonel takes his whiskey—straight. Anything and everything that parades under the party name and bears the party label is swallowed without a grimace or the bat of an eye It defends and supports every Republican candidate, regardless of his standing in private life or as a public official, says the Fairmont Sentinel. It defends every action of a corporation-controlled legislature, no matter in what manner the rights of the producing masses and toilers of the state are trampled under foot. In every clash between the masses and the classes the Pioneer Press is arranged with the interest of its millionaire stockholders and directors.

Understanding as we do the history and the predelictions of this discredited organ of plutocracy, it is easy to see why it should defend Channing Seabury. the silk-stocking president of the capitol commission who last week rendered a bill of $790. embracing practically every working day from December 8 fo June 26 inclusive.

This bill, most of the items of which were trivial and not proper charges against the state, was not approved by Governor Johnson, on the advice of the Republican attorney general. In an official explanation of the reasons for withholding his approval the governor says:

"The spirit of the law, as I construe it, is to the effect that members of the commission are not authorized to act as individuals and that compensation is only premitted when meeting as members of said board of state capitol commissioners. In the itemized bill of Mr. Seabury he practically claims compensation for every calendar day of the year, except Sunday, beginning December 8 and concluding June 26. The items indicate that Mr. Seabury did not give all his time to the discharge of his duties under the act to provide a new capitol for the State of Minnesota."

The governor further holds that Mr. Seabury has no right or authority under the law to hear applications for positions, nor to employ applicants for positions. He has no authority under the law to individually perform actions for the entire board and receive compensation therefor.

Among the items contained in Mr, Seabury's bill we notice:

Conference with Senator Horton	$5.00
Signed certicfiates of indebtedness	5.00
Signed contracts for war pictures	5.00
Mailed contracts for war pictures	5.00
Signed contracts for asphalt walks	5.00
38 days hearing applications for positions	190.00
	$210.00

Nearly all of the remaining items are as inconsequential and of as little importance. And yet the Pioneer Press charges that Governor Johnson is "playing petty politics," and is "in small business" when he refuses to endorse an attemp-ed graft of $5 per day for a period of more than 100 days. The Pioneer Press admits that "many of the items are trivial," and the bill is in itself conclusive that there is no warrant of law for the charges. It is a plain attempt at "graft." and the governor is entitled to the thanks of the people of the state for calling attention to this effort to purloin the public money. Simply because Channing Seabury lives on Summit avenue, wears silk stockings and boasts of aristocratic linage, offers no excuse for a miserable, petty steal. No man has done or can do the state so much service or add so much to the luster of its good name as to be entitled unlawfully to a single penny. That Mr. Seabury cannot claim this money as a legal right is admitted even by his newspaper champion, and yet Governor Johnson is unbraided for not consenting to be a particeps criminis to an illegal and wrongful act! Mr. Seabury is not entitled to pay except for attendance at meetings of the board. A high-salaried man is employed as secretary of the commission to attend to the correspondence and do all work of the office, and it was never contemplated that Mr. Seabury should be paid for work another official is provided to do.

Instead of the action of Governor Johnson being "an exhibition of petty politics," it shows an anxiety to obey the law and defend the rights of the people.

All grafters look alike to Gov. Johnson.

Some of the Minnesota metropolitan dalies—notably the Pioneer Press and Tribune— are much opposed to grafters who live a long ways off. They are severe in cauterizing Depew, but are much offended when Channing Seabury is criticized.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW must be pretty bad. The Pioneer Press asks him to resign.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Mules are wanted, but not the man kind.

Rub dry cement into the cracks of a leaky trough.

The beef trust is still doing business at the old stand.

There is no excuse for tramps when farmhands are wanted everywhere.

Dust air-slacked lime into cuts. It keeps off flies, checks bleeding and heals.

The quantity of milk may be changed by intelligent feed but the quality is born with the cow.

One hand washes the other. We must all help one another; it is the best and happiest way.

A pound of butter can be made from the same amount of food as a pound of beef. The butter sells for 20 cents and beef for 5 cents.

A crow hunt was recently held by thirty-nine hunters of Elgin and Kane counties, Ill., lasting two days. Their record was 1,131 crows, besides fifty butcher birds and five hawks.

In all of Japan there are only 10,000 square miles of strictly arable land. How such a people could ever develop on such a very limited area a productive soil is the wonder of the century.

By direction of the Secretary of the Interior, 37,800 acres of Indian lands in Minnesota will be opened to settlement August 17. These lands at present are partly in the Fond du Lac, Red Lake, White Earth and the Chippewas of Minnesota reservation.

A farmer residing near Stanhope Iowa, is the possessor of a horse that he states is fifty-two years old. This statement is also vouched by other reputable citizens in that neighborhood. The owner of this aged animals drives him four miles each day to a creamery on a milk wagon.

B. F. Combs of Parker, Kan., says his prospect for a big apple crop this year is the best he ever had. He expects to raise 500 cars, which represents 87,500 barrels. He has never yet sold a barrel of apples for less than $3, and if his prospects keeps up and also the price he will get $262,500 for his apple crop.

New Hampshire has an egg farm that is about the biggest thing in the line yet heard of. This farm contains eight hundred acres, and six hundred houses, accommodating eight thousand and four hundred hens. Gathering eggs daily on this farm must be a little matter like picking up sixty or eighty bushels of eggs a day.

Bulgaria has purchased and ordered some 5,000 American plows. A season of farm activity is therefore following the passage of war clouds. It is a good indication and augurs well for Bulgaria's coming prosperity if some newspaper correspondent does not start off again with the statement that conditions are grave.'

If you see "a dark man comin' with a bundle" meet him at the door and tell him you don't want anything. If all would quit patronizing pack peddlers it wouldn't be a week until there would be none traveling the roads to scare women who happen to be alone at the house, into buying something they don't want just to get rid of them.

The man with the old buggy really takes the most comfort after all With the new one you do not want to go out when it is muddy and the rest of the time you are afraid to go far from home for fear it will rain. About the only way to take comfort with a new buggy is to go out and plaster it up and then you will forget that it is painted.

At an Eastern experiment station it was found that a horse weighing 1,200 pounds and kept at moderately hard work would cost $74.82 per year for board. Foods, of course, are higher there than here. With us it would not cost so much. Taking one horse with another as kept on a farm the cost of keep would not be more, probably than $50.

A breeder of the Polled Angus cattle in central Iowa said the other day that he can produce on his farm one year with another a 1,200 pound Angus steer for each four acres of his farm. This finished steer is worth one year with another about $80, which gives him an income of $20 per acre for his land. It should be said that the use of the farm for this purpose has brought the soil up to a most productive condition.

It is said that in Norway a bucket of water is always placed within reach of a horse when he is taking his allowance of hay. "It is interesting" says the writer of this incident, "to see with what relish they take a sip out of one and a mouthful of the other alternately, sometimes only moistening their mouths, as any rational being would do while eating a dinner of such dry food. A broken-winded horse is scarcely ever seen in Norway.

The meanest man has been found at Indianapolis. He sneaks around in the night boring holes in shade trees, which he fills up with salt and coats over in such a way as to make detection difficult. Unless discovered and taken out, the salt will kill the trees, To think that such a wretch as this could be found anywhere short of the bottomless pit of perdition. He is worse than a wife-murderer. To wantonly kill a tree is a crime which should be made a felony by the laws of every state in the Union.

Honey is the only sweet that may be eaten in any quantity and for a long time without interfering with the action of any of the vital organs. Its food value is twice that of pork, pound for pound, and it has been noticed that presistent honey-eaters are not nearly so liable to disease of the respiratory organs as those who do not use it at all. It is calculated that the entire honey product of 60 bees during their entire life will not amount to more than one pound of honey, an amount that a man with a good appetite would eat in a day without thinking much about it.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

28 Army Generals Send Letters of Endorsement To The Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

Brigadier-General King of Confederate Army,

Writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine that will effect all the cures that is claimed for its use."—J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C.

General Smalls, Beaufort, S. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna for catarrhal trouble and find it beneficial and to be all that it promises, and freely give it my unqualified recommendation."—Robert Smalls.

General Abbott, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I am fully convinced that your remedy Peruna is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott, 906 M. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Captain Yarnell, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results."—W. G. Yarnell, 2322 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C.

General McBride of U. S. A.,

Writes: "I have no hesitation in recommending Peruna to all persons who are afflicted with catarrhal troubles."—J. D. McBride, 450 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Longstreet of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can testify to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."—James Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.

General Noske of O. V. U.,

Writes: "I commend Peruna to those who are troubled with colds producing catarrh as a most efficacious cure and as a good general tonic."—Chas. F. Noske, 213 B. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Erwin's Recommend.

"Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D. C.

Brig.-General Schell Benefited.

"Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D. C.

General Duffield of the Union Army,

Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D. C.

General Butler of South Carolina,

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

Brigadier-General Kirby

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all those who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443,

Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.

Gen. Sebring of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy Peruna as a very excellent tonic, and also good for coughs, colds, catarrh, and general debility."—W. H. Sebring, 133 W. 4th St., Jacksonville, Fla.

General Lumax of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your remedy as a permanent and effective cure for catarrh, colds and to any one who needs an invigorating tonic to build up their system."—L. L. Lumax, 1603 19th St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Payne of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I join with my comrades in recommending Peruna to my friends as an invigorating tonic to build up the system."—Gen. Eugene B. Payne, 407 4th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Talley of Pa., Vol. U. S. A.,

Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 713 D St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

General Bigelow Cured.

Gen. J. G. Bigelow, 151 C. St., N. W., Washington, D. C., writes:

"Peruna has made me well and it has given me more than ordinary strength and spirit for work."

Gen. O'Beirne of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "As many of my friends and acquaintances have successfully used your Peruna as a catarrh cure, I feel that it is an effective remedy, and I recommend it as such to those suffering from that disease as a most hopeful source of relief."—James R. O'Beirne, 290 Broadway, Washington, D. C.

General Chase, Ass't Adj. Gen'l, G. A. R.,

Writes: "The excellence of Peruna as a cure or relief for catarrhal disturbances is well established. Many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—B. F. Chase, 28 Harrison St., Anacostia, D. C.

General S. S. Yoder of Ohio,

Writes: "I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Washington, D. C.

General O'Connor of U. V. Legions,

Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna. It has been of the greatest benefit and service to many of my friends."—Dennis O'Connor, 738 82nd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Wright of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright, 1724 Corcoran St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Hawley of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."—A. F. Hawley.

Gen. Urell of Spanish War Veterans,

Writes: "Many of my friends have used Peruna with beneficial results as an effective remedy for catarrh."—M. Emmet Urell, 813 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Other Army Generals who praise Peruna are:

Brigadier-General Cook of Washington, D. C.
General Sypher of Washington, D. C.
General Middleton, Hancock Regiment, U. V. U., Washington, D. C.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

Ayer's

Losing your hair? Coming out by the combful? And doing nothing? No sense in that! Why don't you use Ayer's Hair Vigor and

Hair Vigor

promptly stop the falling? Your hair will begin to grow, too, and all dandruff will disappear. Could you reasonably expect anything better?

"Ayer's Hair Vigor is a great success with me. My hair was falling out very badly, but the Hair Vigor stopped it and now my hair is all right."—W. C. LOGSDON, Lindsay, Cal.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for **Thin Hair**

Estray.

Early this spring two yearling cattle came to my place. Owner is requested to call, pav charges, and take same away.

Fred Coe, Ives Station.

Cough, Cough. Cough.

If your doctor tells you that your cough is the forerunner of consumption try Gloria Lung Balsam. It will do more for you thau a change of climate. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

The Cough that Tickles.

If your cough tickles, if your throat is inflamed try Gloria Lung Balsam. It drives away the inflamed patches and stops the cough at once. Best for children. Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Rheumatism of 50 years standing Cured.

Mr. Salome Boyer, of Goshen, Ind., writes: "I am 64 years old and have suffered from Rheumatism every since my fourteenth year, but thanks to Gloria Tonic I am now completely cured." Sold by W. A. Schrieter.

Beautify your complexion with little cost. If you wish a smooth, clear, cream-like complexion, rosy cheeks, laughing eyes, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, greatest beautifier known. 35 cents. A. L. Riechert.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Prevents Serious Results From a Cold.
Remember the name Foley's Honey and Tar. Insist upon having the genuine.
Three sizes 25c, 50c, $1.00
Prepared only by
Foley & Company, Chicago.

Young Men Wanted

How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination. send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

H. W. PHILLIPS,
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SW ¼ 10-152-44, 3 miles west of St. Hilaire, 7 miles North of Red Lake Falls. Price $12, easy trems. Level land, black soil, some brush, perfect title. Go see it at once and write me, D. M. Frederiksen. 172 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

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FARMERS, ATTENTION!

I wish to announce that my Percheron stallion

"PRINCE"

can be found at Red Lake Falls from Friday night to Tuesday noon of each week. At Plummer Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Joseph Belair

Every Man Every Woman
Every Child

in Red Lake County is invited to open a savings account with this bank. Call and take one of our savings banks home with you. It costs you nothing.

First State Bank
Oldest Bank in the County

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Harry Healy spent the first of the week at Maple Lake.

Joseph Fortier and family spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Misses straw hats at your choice for 18c at Garceau & Zaiser.

Clem and Nitch Brunelle were at Maple Lake the first of the week.

C. L. Hanson, of Fertile, visited his many friends at this place Tuesday.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, transacted business at this place Monday.

Miss Lillian Buse was employed at the Busy Store several days last week.

Art Ittner was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday visiting his mother.

Mrs. M. Verboncer, of Grand Forks, is in the city visiting her daughters.

Chas. Bourdon and family were guests at the Ralph cottage at Maple Lake Sunday.

Oscar Carlson, Plummer's guardian of the peace, was a county seat visitor Monday.

Leo Steinert was under the weather the first of the week but is able to be out again.

C. O. Elwood, the St. Paul land man, was in the city the first of the week on business.

Knut Steen, one of Wyandotte's prominent citizens, was in the city on business Monday.

White waist goods, worth 15, 18 and 20c a yard, one week, lot choice 15c at Garceau & Zaiser.

Misses Mollie Allard and Lillian Buse were among those who were at Maple Lake Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Argue and sister, Miss Rebecca Hunt, are at Minneapolis this week visiting friends.

Miss Eva LaPlante returned to Crookston Friday. She has been a guest of Miss Eva Paradis.

H. W. Anderson, our jeweler, is at St. Paul this week visiting his parents and old time friends.

Mrs. A. O. Davidson and children, of Wylie, spent Sunday in the city with her mother, Mrs. Tibbets.

Joseph LaChance returned home yesterday from Brooks where he had been at work for some time.

Dr. N. M. Watson and B. P. Berthon accompanied the Editorial excursion to Greenbesh Wednesday.

Ladies tan and embroidered hose, regular price 25, 30 and 35c, this week a pair 19c at Garceau & Zaiser.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Aug. Moren returned from Hallock Monday. He visited a son at that place who has charge of a lumber yard.

Jas. Meehan Jr. passed through the city Tuesday morning on his way from St. Paul to Thief River Falls.

Joseph Pouliot looked after things at Berthon & Armstrong's store during the proprietors' absence last week.

A. M. Anderson has charge of his brother's jewelry business this week during the latter's absence at St. Paul.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Neighbors to-morrow evening. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Marie Page, of Crookston, arrived in the city Friday and is the guest of her old friend, Miss Eva Paradis.

A large number of Red Lake Falls people spent Sunday at Maple Lake. This resort is very popular with our people.

Mrs. A. P. Toupin returned from her visit at Park River, N. D., Saturday. Her son Irve returned home with her.

A crowd of our young people gathered at the Gerlach home west of the city Sunday and had a most enjoyable time.

Miss Mayme Ericson returned home Monday after spending several days at the Hanson cottage at Maple Lake.

For Sale or trade.—I have a house barn and two lots in Plummer which I will sell or trade for a good farm. —Louis Sieff.

J. K. Johnson returned from Climax yesterday where he has been at work on the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's. elevator.

Work is being pushed on the telephone line from this city to Perrault Station and will be completed in a few days.

Mrs. Z. Pouliot returned to her Cass Lake home Saturday after visiting her sisters at this place for several days.

J. H. Miller, the M. B. A. organizer, was in the city Tuesday for a short time on business connected with the order.

A Circle Can Never Be a Square
But Our Square Dealings Increas the Circle of our Patrons

It is cheap goodness and not cheap cheapness that distinguishes our offerings from that of others.

Our special offerings in wash goods and clothing have enabled us to do an immense amount of business during an usually dull times. We are still offering extraorPinary values in Wash Goods.

Fancy dimities worth 8c for	5c
Job lot of taffetas, ducks, oxfords, dimities, etc., worth 12½c to 25c, for	10c
25c to 40c goods for	18c
Huck towels, 14x27, one-half linen	4c
" " 16x32 for	10c

Nothing like it for the price ever sold before.
Children's elastis waists one-half off.

Misses 25c hose	15c
Ladies straw sailors, 39 and 50c	29c

Your fancy, your figure and your desire for saving are all to be suited here.

They all say it pays to trade at
THE BIG STORE
Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

Chas. Bourdon Jr. went to North Dakota last week where he will be employed by a Soo surveying crew the coming summer.

Your fruit preserving will be well done if you use Mason's jars. Rubbers of best quality also at Garceau & Zaiser.

Geo. A. Mowry, Minneapolis, was in the city yesterday. He is connected with the German American Insurance Company.

The young ladies club, the Bon Ami, left the first of the week for Maple Lake for a week or two at that popular resort.

Miss Rose Herron assisted the regular force at the Big Store last week during the absence of the proprietor at Winnipeg.

Rev. H. W. Knox is wearing a broad smile these days all on account of a little son that arrived at his home last Saturday.

Henry Hennemuth went to Humboldt Tuesday where he will make some repairs on the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's. elevators.

Miss Rosanna Asselin returned to her Crookston home Saturday after being a guest of the Misses Crompe of this city for some days.

Verne Healy has accepted a position with the Red Lake Falls Milling Company and is now acting as stenographer for that firm.

John Kirsch, of the Crookston Journal, passed through the city yesterday on his way to Greenbush with the editorial excursion.

There will be a dance at the Wood man hall next Thursday evening, Aug. 3d. Everybody invited to attend and have a good time.

Agents are thick. Most every day the housekeepers of the city are called upon to look at different household novelties or fancy work.

I will have a car of fine horses in Red Lake Falls about July 4th. All good size and you can buy them at your own prices.—Louis Sieff.

The Lady Forresters will give a dance Thursday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served and a most enjoyable time is looked for by all.

T. A. Hoverstad, of the state experimental farm at Crookston, will deliver an address before the summer training school next Saturday.

The members of the Y. P. S. C. E. served ice cream and cake at the Reichel building last Thursday. A neat sum was realized from the sale.

A new barn 26x40 is being built by Eli Lasha at his place two and one-half miles west of the city. It will be a fine improvement to the farm.

Engineer McMillan is again on his run on the Great Northern after an absence of several weeks. He spent his vacation in Illinois with relatives.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending July 22 1905: Mishell Kenell, Auguste Kulneel.

Ewald Zaiser, who went to Winnipeg with the band, remained in that city after the band returned home for a visit with two sisters who reside there.

Mrs. Cash Brunelle of Blackduck arrived in the city the first of the week and is visiting her mother in Louisville township and other relatives in this city.

Samuel Gibeau returned home last Friday from an extended trip in the west. He was absent about two months on the trip and had a most delightful time.

Ernest Toupin returned to Maple Lake Monday evening after being in the city while his employers, Berthon & Armstrong, were with the band at Winnipeg.

Ralph E. Wyer left Saturday evening for Excelsior to attend the marriage ceremony of his sister, Miss Mabel, and will remain at the lake for about two weeks.

Shows are coming thick and fast these days. "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" was here Monday night while "Old Arkansaw" entertained the populace last evening.

J. K. Hannay and daughter, Miss Mabel, of St. Hilaire, drove down to this city Tuesday afternoon and remained a few hours while Mr. Hanney transacted some business.

J. W. Olson, State superintendent of public instruction, arrived in the city this morning and has been visiting the summer training school during the day. He will deliver a lecture at the Metropolitan opera house this evening.

Crookston Journal: During the visit of the Red Lake Falls band the other day, a number of extra police were sworn in. Some Thief River men were reported in town.

Architect Strassberger, of Crookston, was in the city Tuesday attending the meeting of the school board when contract for the new north side building was let.

The boys camping party at Maple Lake has broke up all the members of the party having returned home. As usual a most enjoyable time is reported by all who composed the party.

Wiley Tindolph passed through the city yesterday morning on his way to Thief River Falls. He had spent two months at Minneapolis, Chicago and southern Minnesota points.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson, optician.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman was in the city Monday. He drove down from Thief River Falls in the morning, and took the afternoon train for Crookston where he was called on business.

Mrs. Jos. Tschirhart, who has been sick for some time past, is rapidly improving these days and is now able to be up and around. Her many friends hope she will soon entirely recover.

Mrs. I. D. Converse left Tuesday evening for Cass Lake and will make that place her home hereafter. Mr. Converse is in charge of the Times there and will continue in that capacity in the future.

Joseph Prudhome, of Lake Pleasant township, is erecting a fine new residence on his farm. It is said that the new structure will be a most commodious one and will be complete in every detail.

Our trap shooters have received word from Thief River Falls that eight or ten shooters from that place will be here next Sunday for a friendly contest. The affair will be pulled off at the old base ball grounds.

Crookston Times: Red Lake Falls has a band of which the residents of that place may well feel proud. The work of the organization is excellent and many compliments were heard last evening on the class of music produced.

K. Faltinson returned to his home at Armstrong, Iowa, Tuesday evening after a week's visit in the north country. He thinks well of this country and was agreeably surprised at the resources and prospects of this section.

The state school land sale for Red Lake county will be held in this city Thurday, Oct. 26, at 10 o'clock a. m. State Auditor Iverson will conduct the sale. About 2000 acres will be offered, practically every township in the county being included in the list.

Among those who attended the Winnipeg exposition from this city last week were: Dr. N. M. Watson, Commissioners Sutter, Demann and Falardeau, Joseph Perrault, J. M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain and Dr. I. Lemieux.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ericson were Duluth over Sunday, taking advantage of the excursion to visit the Zenith city. Mr. Ericson visited a sister he had not seen for a number of years and needless to say they enjoyed the time very much.

W. U. O. Wilson of the Robertson Lumber Company was in the city the first of the week. Mr. Wilson is traveling auditor for the Minnesota yards. He is a very pleasant and entertaining gentleman to meet and is making friends rapidly.

Adolph Lemiex, one of the prosperous farmers of Louisville, is repairing and building an addition to his residence. When all the improvements contemplated are completed he will have one of the best residences of his neighborhood.

E. B. Howes, the Great Northern civil engineer who was in this city several months last year, was in the city the first of the week shaking hands with old friends. He has been at York, North Dakota, all summer and was on his way to his home in St. Paul for a short vacation.

At a meeting of the board of education Tuesday the contract for a frame school building for the North Side was awarded to J. K. Johnson, but there has been a hitch in the proceedings this afternoon. It is possible a brick building will be erected. The board meets tomorrow to decide the matter.

An eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Lasha, living west of the city, met with an accident yesterday in which one of her legs was broken. A team of horses became frightened and unmanageable and ran over the little girl with the above result.

St. Hilaire Spectator: James Brady, of Lake Falls, came up Friday to examine the north bridge. He reported the bridge as unsafe and suggested temporary repairing to prevent the structure from falling into the river. The street commissioner was instructed to do the temporary work.

A new school house in district number eighty-one in Terrebonne is being built. The building will be built of cement blocks made at Dugdale, the lumber for the building being from the Robertson yards in this city. It is to be a commodious building with all the modern improvements.

Roy Linnihan met with a painful accident last Friday. In some manner he smashed one of his fingers with a rock causing a very painful wound. The finger was split and the nail torn off. He is now carring the injured hand in a sling and it will be some time before he fully recovers.

The J. B. Cigar Co. sold their pool tables the first of the week to Z. Bregier who will conduct a pool room at his old location on Main street. Mr. Breiger is having his room neatly papered and otherwise repaired, and having considerable experience in the business, will no doubt run a first class resort.

A party of young ladies went to Maple Lake Monday where they will enjoy themselves for the next two weeks. The following compose the party: Misses Mable Zaiser, Lucy Aunt, Ina Linnihan, Jessie Carver, Stella Hennemuth, Alice Ericson, Mable Rue. Mrs. M. Hennings will act as the young ladies chaperon this week while Mrs. G. H. Tibbetts will act in a like capacity next week.

The many friends of Miss Mayme Linnihan were greived to learn the first of the week that she had been taken suddenly ill at Dugdale where she was visiting friends. Her parents were summoned and she was taken to Crookston yesterday and is now at the hospital in that city. She is said to be suffering with appendicitis, but is reported as being much improved this morning. All hope for her early recovery.

Leo Spillane returned home Tuesday morning from Grand Rapids where he had been working in a printing office for some months past. He will remain in the city and will have charge of his father's confectionery business. Leo has many friends here who will be glad to welcome him home. We predict he will not only hold the trade of the establishment but will add greatly to the volume of the business.

The death of Mrs. Katherine Toulouse occurred at the home of her daughter at Bemidji last week. Mrs. Toulouse was an old resident of Red Lake county, having resided in Lambert for nearly thirty years, and has many friends who will be sorry to hear of her taking away. She was the mother-in-law of Joseph LaChance of this city. Five daughters and two sons are left to mourn her death, Two daughters living in Philadelphia were present at her bedside when her death took place. The funeral was held Wednesday of last week.

County Attorney Germo was called to Thief Riuer Falls last Saturday where a young man 22 years of age, giving the name of Albert Murie was arrested charged with stealing $32.00. At the municipal court he intimated that he desired to plead guilty so he was taken before Judge Watts at Crookston Monday and received a sentence confining him to the reformatory at St. Cloud. Deputy Sheriff Jarman immediately took the young man to the reform school where he is now doing time

Tuesday was "pay day" at the St. Hilaire creamery. On that day $4,000 was distributed among the farmers of that section as money due them for cream for one month. L. A. Carlson, a farmer living east of that town received a check for $85, while a number of patrons received $65 for their month's cream. The creamery is running to its full capacity and Geo. L. Austin, who has charge of the institution is working night and day. These facts should convince the patrons of our local creamery that dairying is a most profitable branch of the farm, and they should put their shoulder to the wheel and help make the venture at this place a success.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Warran is to have a $6,000 village hall.

Ottertail county is going to hire a tax collector.

A new Masonic hall to cost $7,000 is to be built at Bemidji.

Little Falls is all excitement over their coming street fair.

Moorhead is to have a street fair and carnival Aug. 23—26.

It cost Crookston $1,160 to celebrate the fourth of July.

The farmer's elevator at Fosston recently declared a dividend.

Cass Lake is said to have the finest ball park in the north country.

Fifty business men of Fargo toured the valley recently booming their town.

Hubbard county's wheat crop is shy but the oats will be a bumper crop.

A Red River Valley Editorial Association will be organized in Crookston, Aug. 1st.

The Red River Valley watches every rain storm with an eye apprehensive of hail.

Moorhead and its street railway are at outs and there's talk of canceling the franchise.

Injunctions and circulars anonymous begin to fly by night in the Clearwater county seat fight.

A Crow Wing county man has been offered $100 per acre for his land—since he has succeeded in raising iron.

Northdome feels sure of getting the Soo, and says the line from Thief River Falls to Duluth will be built in the near future.

Crookston claims to be the fourth city in the state in railroad importance. St. Paul is said to be the first, Minneapolis second and Duluth third.

If the Great Northern ever builds to Roseau or the Crookston league team wins a game there will be hope for the Koochiching dam says the Bemidji Pioneer.

A doctor in Crookstor lost five dollars the other day by betting that M. M. Davis, of that city, who is 73 years of age, could not turn a hand spring. But the aged man did it and pocketed the V.

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SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

SWEDEN

The National Good Templars of Sweden held their annual meeting in Hernosand. The receipts for the past year were $7,500, and there was a balance of $3,400 in the treasury.

Governor de Geer addressed a temperance rally near Kristianstad, and he closed by recommending a peaceful solution of the union problem. His remarks were cheered with enthusiasm.

The Malmo Arbetet, a radical Socialist newspaper, recently contained an announcement in which a boycott was declared in the plainest and most definite terms. The victims were nine women who were running small bakeries of their own, and the public boycott was justified on the ground of "an intolerable and despicable competition."

It is fifty years since a uniform rate of postage for letters was introduced in Sweden.

A very violent thunderstorm passed over southern Sweden July 2, and the damage done by the rain was considerable.

The special tourist trains running from Stockholm to the northernmost regions of Sweden were not well patronized in the early part of the season. One train had only one passenger on its return trip to Stockholm, but it started its next trip north with seven passengers. It is hoped that the people will appreciate this splendid opportunity to see some of the most charming spots on the face of the earth.

Arrangements were made for having a number of French members of the Swedish-French Society visit half a dozen of the most noted cities of Sweden this summer, but Prof. Lundell of Upsala, the president of the Swedish section, has announced that the visit will be postponed until next year on account of the union crisis.

The queen of Sweden is to stay from July 15 to Oct. 1 at Long, Grum parish. She is to be the guest of Mrs. General Rosensvard, nee Lowenhjelm. For many years the queen spent the hot season at Skinnarbol, Norway.

A cable dated July 20 said that both houses of the riksdag had concluded their secret meetings and a joint committee was preparing a bill embodying the suggestions of the different factions for a settlement of the differences between Sweden and Norway.

The chapter of Lulea has asked for an appropriation of about $70,000 for buildings for a new normal school at Lulea.

There was no dancing at the ball given by the royal court July 11.

A fire which started in a woodshed at Veinge station could not be put out until several wooden buildings were destroyed.

A monument has been unveiled at Sodra Staket, Stockholm, in memory of a battle which took place at that point Aug. 13, 1719. A Russian army which had burnt Nykoping, Norrkoping and other towns had landed at Sodra Staket. About 6,000 Russians were met by Col. Fuchs, who commanded 700 men of the Sodermanland regiment, and made it so hot for the Russians that they re-embarked as fast as they could.

The Skane stag is becoming so scarce in Sweden that the government bay decide to save it from extinction by protecting this game for a number of years in one or more national parks.

Sweden had 11,500 manufacturing establishments at the close of the year 1903, and the number of employes was 271,000. During that year the number of factories increased 600, and that of the employes 8,000. The value of the products was $301,500,000.

NORWAY

The storting has raised the duty on pork from 2½ to 3¾ cents.

Vice President Gade of the University of Norway donated $40,000 to Bergen, his native city, for the establishment of a pathological and anatomical laboratory in connection with the city hospital.

And. Jacobsen, a shipowner, announced that he would put two steamers on the route between Kristiania and Antwerp, where the Ostlandske Steamship company has been running a regular line of steamers for many years. The announcement was at once frowned upon by the press as a case of illegitimate competition, and Mr. Jacobsen is expected to come to the conclusion that he tried to be a wee bit smarter than he is. A few years ago a German company cut down the rates and tried to ruin the Norwegian line; but the latter was saved by the Norwegian business people who did not bite on the German hook. The same business people are depended upon to put Mr. Jacobsen out of the fight.

The Swedes were heavy buyers at the Trondhjem horse market, over 400 animals being sent to Sweden by rail shortly after the market-day. The average price paid was about $80.

The tourist ships visiting western Norway are carrying more passengers now than last year. There are not quite so many Englishmen, but more Germans than last year. The tourist season started a little later than usual. The tourists take great interest in the political discussion between Norway and Sweden.

The Luossavaara and Kirunavaara Mining company in northern Sweden ordered machinery for $59,000 from the Vulkan iron works, Kristiania, because the Swedish factories could not produce the goods on account of the lookout.

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota; being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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COMMISSIONER'S DOINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners at the July Meeting.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., July 10, 1905.

Pursuant to law, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County met in regular session at the court house at one o'clock p. m:

Present, Commissioners Johnson, Sutor, Demann, Falardeau and Shaw.

Minutes of Commissioners meetings of May 1, 2 and 3 and July 5 and 6 were read and approved.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Falardeau was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, that the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road and Bridge Fund to aid the Town of Poplar River in grading the highway between Sections 2 and 3 and 10 and 11 in said Town.

On motion carried unanimously, the application of J. G. Prior for license to sell intoxicating liquors in the Town of Polk Centre and the application of Remi Lafaivre for license to sell intoxicating liquors in the Townsite of Brooks in said County was granted.

The petitions of W. G Hunt and otners and that of E. Miller and others for the organization of new school districts was presented to the Board and on motion carried unanimously a day of hearing on same was set for September 5, 1905 and notices of such hearing were ordered to be issued accordingly.

On motion a recess was taken to July 11, 1905.

July 11, 1905, the Board reconvened at 9 o'clock a. m. with all members present.

The petition of William A. Swanson and others for the oaganization of a new school district was read and arguments for and against the granting of same were heard.

On motion duly carried the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order forming a new school district was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

The petition of William A. Swanson and others who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a school district, having been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake County, and the County Superintendent of Schools having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof, and it appearing that there are in such district so to be formed, the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age.

NOW, SAID PETITION Having been publicly read at a meeting of said Board of County Commitsioners held on the eleventh day of July, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said Board.

IT IS BY SAID BOARD ORDERED, That a School District be, and the same is hereby formed within the Town of Deer Park in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and and described as follows to-wit:

All of Sections Four (4,) Five (5,) Six (6.) Seven (7,) Eight (8,) Nine (9,) Seventeen (17,) and Eighteen (18) in Township One Hundred and Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake County, Minnesota, the same to be known and numbered as School District No. "34" in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at a meeting held July 11, 1905.

(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor of Red Lake County.

The petition of A. R. Jorris, Casser Falk and others asking that the unorganized portion of Congressional Township No. 153 North, of Range 43 West in the County of Red Lake, be attached to the Town of Rocksbury was presented to the Board and on motion carried unanimously the petition was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Upon receiving a petition of a majority of the legal voters residing within the unorganized territory of congressional Township 153 North, of Range 43 West in said County, and a petition signed by a majority of the legal voters of the organized Town of Rocksbury in said County, accompanied by the proper affidavits as required by law, asking that the said unorganized territory be annexed and attached to the said Town of Rocksbury, the same being an adjoining town, we, the Board of County Commissioners of said County did on the 11th day of July, 1905, after a careful consideration of the matter, grant the request contained in said petition, and the said unorganized territory is hereby attached to and made part of the said Town of Rockbury.

The boundaries of the said Town of Rocksburo as hereby fixed and established by us are as follows:]

Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 1 in Township 153 North, of Range 43 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in said County and State, running thence west to the northwest corner of Section 6 in said Town and Range, thence south to the southwest corner of Section 31 in said Town and Range, thence east to the southeast corner of Section 36 in said Town and Range, thence north to the place of beginning, being all the territory lying and being within the limits of Township 153 North, of Range 43 West in said County.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1905.
(Seea) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

The petition of G. C. Gulard and others asking that Township 153 North, of Range 40 West in the County of Red Lake be organized as a Town under the Township organization law, was presented to the Board and on motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Upon receiving the petition of a majority of the legal voters of congressional townshsp No. 153 north, of range 49 west of the fifth principal meridian in said county and state, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the township organization law, to be named Highlanding, we, the Board of county commissioners of ssid county, did on the 11th day of July, 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundries of such town and to name the same Highlanding in accordance with said petition and designate Highlanding postoffice in said town as the place for holding the first town meeting in such town, to be held on the 29th day of July, 1905 for the purpose of electing one chairman of the board of supervisors, two supervisors, one town clerk, one assessor, two justices of the peace and two constabies, to serve until the next annual town meeting and hereby designate Peter C. Wold, A. E. Abraham and Alfred Eve and judges of election.

The boundaries of said Town of Highlanding as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the north-east quarter of section 1 in township No. 153 North, of Range 40 west in said county, thence west to the northwest corner of section 6 in said town and range, thence south to the south-west corner of section 31 in said town town and range, thence east to the south-east corner of section 36 in said town and range, thenee north to the place of beginning.

By order of the Board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
chairman, Board county commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
county Auditor and Ex-officio clerk of the Board.

The petition of R. E. Sotheran and others, asking that township 154 north, of range 40 west, in Red Lake county, Minnesota be organized as a town, was placed before the board and on motion duly carried the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota. }
county of Red Lake. } ss

Upon receiving the petition of a majority of the legal voters of congressional township No. 154 north, of range 40 west of the 5th principal meridian in said county and state, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the new town organization law to be named Park, we, the Board of county commissioners of said county, did on the 12th day of July, 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such town and to name the same Park, in accordance with said petition and designate the residence of John O'Reilly on section 29 in said town as the place for holding the first town meeting in such town to be held on Saturday, the 29th day of July, 1905, for the purpose of electing one chairman of supervisors, two supervisors, one town clerk, one treasurer, one assessor, two justices of the peace and two constables to serve untill the next annual town meeting, and do hereby designate John O'Reilly, Morgan Vaughn and Osten Ardahl as judges of election.

The boundaries of said town of Park, as fixed and established by us are as follows;

Beginning at tha north-east corner of Section 1 in township 134 north, of range 40 west in said county, thence west to the north-west corner of section 6 in said town and range, thence south to the south-west corner of section 31 in said town and range, thence east to the south-east corner of section 36 in said town and range, thence north to the place of beginning.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
chairman Board county commissioners.
Attest; JAMES E. FORD,
county Auditor and Ex-officio clerk of the Board

The petition of carl Jensen and others asking that township 153 north, of range 41 west in Red Lake county, Minnesota, be organized as a town, was placed before the Board and on motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioners was granted and tne following order was made:

State of Minnesots, }
county of Red Lake } ss

Upon receiving the petition of a majority of the legal voters of congressional township No. 154 North, of range 41 west of the 5th principal meridian in said county and state, asking that the same be organized under the township orginization law, to be named "Kratka," we the Board of county commissioners of said county did on the 11th day of July, 1905, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such town and to name the same "Kratka," in accordance with said petition, and designate Kratka postoffice in said town as the place for holding the first town meeting in such town, to be held on saturday, the 29th day of July, 1905, for the purpose of electing one chairman of the board of supervisors, two supervisors, one town clerk, one treasurer, one assessor, two justices of the peace and two constables to serve until the next annual Town meeting, and do hereby designate Carl Jenson, Ed. Emerson as judges of election.

The boundaries of said town of Kratka as fixed and established by us are as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of section 1 in township 153 north, of range 41 west, in said county and state, thence west to the northwest corner of section 6 in said town and range, thence south to the south-west corner of section 31 in said town and range, thence east to the southeast corner of section 36 in said town and range, thence north to the place of beginning, being all of congressional township No. 153 north, of range 41 west of the 5th principal meridian in Red Lake county, Minnesota.

By order of the Board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of county commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio clerk of tne Board.

On motion duly carried an auctioneer's license was granted to H. K. Homme.

The following report was submitted by the Board of Audit:

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

We, undersigned Board of Audit of said Red Lake County convened at the office of the County Treasurer of said County on the twenty-first day of June A. D. 1905 for the purpose of examining and auditing the accounts, books and vouchers of K. M. Hansen County Treasurer of said County, and to count and ascertain the kind, description and amount of funds in the treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully report that we found said Treasurer indebted to the several funds at the beginning of business on June 21, 1905, in the aggregate sum of $69,256.05, and we find the Treasurer in possession of funds covering said iddebtedness in kind and amounts as follows:

Cash in safe	$ 47 08
Cash items, money orders and checks	141 16
Town orders	55 50
Deposited in First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	24338 64
Deposited in Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	17705 98
Deposited with First State Bank of Thief River Falls	5075 23
Deposited with First State Bank of St. Hiliare	3007 29
Deposited with First National Bank of Thief River Falls	7690 25
Deposited with Bank of Red Lak Falls	3090 71
Deposited with Citizens Bank of Thief River Falls	4045 82
Deposited with Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire	4038 39
Total funds on hand June 21, 1905	$69256 05

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.
JOSEPH PERRAULT, Clerk of District Court,
O. J. JOHNSON, Chm. Board of County Commissioners,
} Board of Audit, Red Lake County

On motion duly carried the foregoing report was approved.

On motion duly carried the application of the M. E. Church of Thief River Falls for abatement of taxes on Lots 35, 36, 37 and 38 in Kuox Rearrangemrnt of Block 24, in Red Lake Rapids, was recommended for approval by the State Auditor.

On motion duly carried the applications of Leon Laurent and Joseph Tsehirhart for abatement of taxes for the year 1904, were rejected.

Commissioner Falardeau offered the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, that the sum of $75 be and is hereby appropriated out of the County Road & Bridge Fund to aid the Towns of Emardville and Poplar River in the construction of a bridge across Lost River between Sections 35 and 36 in Twp. 151, Range 32 and Sections 1 and 2 in Twp. 150, Range 42 the same to be paid, to the Treasurer of the Town of Emardville upon the completion of the bridge, out of any moneys in said fund not otherwise appropriated.

Be it further resolved that the sum of $100 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road and Bridge Fund to aid the Town of Lambert in the construction of a bridge across Hill River between Sections 23 and 35 in said Town of Lambert, the same to be paid to the Treasurer of said Town on completion of said work out of any money remaining in said fund not otherwise appropriated.

Which motion was declared by unanimous vote and the resolution was declared adopted.

The petition of the Village Council of the Village of Plummer for the establishing of a county drainage ditch commencing at a point about 50 rods west of the northeast corner of Section 13 in Twp. 151, Range 42, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the section line between Sections 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15, 9 and 16, in said township to a point about 30 rods west of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of Section 16 in Twp 151, Range 42 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, was read to the Board and on motion made by Commissioner Shaw carried unanimously the following resolution appointing an engineer was adopted:

In the matter of the petition of the Village Council of the Village of Plummer for locating and constructing County Ditch No. 22 in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

State of Minnesota }
County of Red Lake } ss

Whereas, a petition bearing date the twenty-fourth day of May, 1905, signed by John M. Reed, President, Julius Plete, J. E. Buskirk and H. H. Finrow Trustees, and Chas. W. Latta, Village Recorder of the Village of Plummer in said County, praying for the establishment of a certain drainage ditch in said County, designated and numbered by the County Auditor as County Ditch No. 22, the route of which is more fully described in said petition, and a proper bond accompanying the same, has been filed with the County Auditor of said County as by law required:

AND WHEREAS. It appears by satisfactory proof to the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, that due notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place at which the same would be heard has been given as required by law;

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Board of County County Commissioners of said County at a regular session held this day, do hereby appoint J. K. Wood as a competent and experienced engineer to make an accurate survey of the line of said ditch from its source to its outlet as provided and provided and specified in and by Chapter 230 of the General Laws of 1905, and after completing his duties as such engineer to make and file his report with the County Auditor of said County on or before the first day of July, 1905.

Dated July 11, 1905.
By the Board.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board Co. Com. of Red Lake Co.
Attest: JAMMS E. FORD, Co. Auditor.

On motion made by Commissioner Shaw and carried unanimously, the following order appointing viewers on County Ditch No. 22 was made.

In the matter of the petition of the Village Council of the Village of Plummer for County Ditch No. 52 in the Conuty of Red Lake, State of Minnesota;

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Whereas, a petition bearing date the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1905, signed by Jno. M. Reed, President, Julius Pleth, J. E. Buskirk and H. H. Finrow, Trustees and Chas. W. Latta, Village Recorder of the Village of Plummer in said County praying for the establishment of a ditch in said County, designated and numbered by the County Auditor as County Ditch No. 22 the route of which is fully described in said petition, together with a proper bond accompanying the same, has been filed with the County Auditor of said County; and said County Auditor has given due notice of the pendency of said petitfon, and the said notice has been published and served as by law required; and having had on said petition pursuant to said notice; and said Commissioners have heretofore duly appointed a competent engineer, to-wit J. K. Wood to make a survey of said ditch:

Now, therefore, we, the Board of County Commissioners of said County, at a regular session held this day, do hereby appoint Adam Zeh, and Wm. Erb and W. E. Wood three resident freeholders of said County, who are not interested in the construction of said proposed work, and not of kin to any of the parties known to be interested therein, to be viewers of said proposed work and of the route thereof. The said viewers shall first take an oath to faithfully perform their duties as such viewers; and thereafter having received a certified copy of the petition for said ditch and of the order appointing them such viewers and of the order of the County Auditor of said County designating the time and place of the first meeting of said viewers, shall meet at the time and place specified in the order of the County Auditor aforesaid and shall proceed to view said proposed work, and the land damaged or benefitted thereby; and having completed said view and examination of said work, shall make and file their report thereof with said County Auditor of said County within thirty days after the date of their first meeting. In their first report they shall in tabular form give the names of the owners of each tract of land so benefitted or damaged by said proposed work, the description of each tract of land so benefitted or damaged (said names of owners to be the same as appear on the County tax duplicates of said County, and the description to be given in legal form), and the total number of acres in each of said tracts, the estimated number of acres in each tract of land to be benefitted or damaged (as the case may be), the number of acres added to any tract by the total or partial drainage of any meandered lake, or the change of any water course and the location and value of such added land, the damage, if any, to riparian rights pertaining to any tract and the amount that each tract of land will be benefitted or damaged by the construction of such work. In case said ditch drains, either in whole or in part, any public or corporate road or railroad, or benefits any such road so that the roadbed or traveled track of any such road will be made better by the construction of said ditch, said viewers shall estimate the benefits arising therefrom to said road, roadbeds or railroads, and repart said benepts together with the names of roads and other particulars necessary to identify the corporations, private or public to be benfitted thereby and and amounts of bonefits of each; they shall report as part of such tabular statel ment the damages awarded to each municipaor other corporation for injury to any road or roadbed, and from the necessary construction and maintenance of any bridge, culverts or other works rendered necessary by the establishment of such ditch, stating the same separately. They shall also report the total estimated benefits in respects to said ditch entire, and branches thereof, if any, and also whether or not, in their opinion, the estimated expense of the construction of said ditch including the damages assessed therefor, is greater than the utility of said proposed ditch; and whether or not said proposed ditch is impractible for any reason, and, if so, stating the reason why it should not be constructed. In making said view and survey of said proposed work and their report thereon, the said viewers shall proceed according to Chapter 230 of the General Laws of 1905.

The Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.
(Seal) By O. J. JOHNSON, Chairman.
Dated this 11th day of July, A. A. 1905.
JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

The following resolution offered by Gommissioner Johnson was adopted by unanimous vote:

Resolved, that the sum of $250 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Revenue Fuud to the incidental Expense Fund of this County, and the County Auditor and County Treasurer are authorized to make such transfer on their books.

The petition of John Longren asking that he with his lands be attached to Independent school District No. 18 was read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of same, on motion carried unanimously the same was granted and the following order was made:

Whereas, the petition of John Longren, a legal voter, freeholder and resident of this county, representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described which adjoin Independent School District No. 18 and asking that he with his said lands may be attached to said adjoining School District No. 18 for the following reasons:

That the petitioner and lands herein described lie in no organized school district. Convenience of location with reference to schools in Indebendent School District No. 18 and to be a resident of a district where a complete and full graded school in in existence, was presented to the Board of Commissioners of this County at a session of said Board held on the second day of May, 1905 for the action of said Board thereon: And whereas, it was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should been had on said petition at a session of said Board commencing on the 11th day of July, 1905 at the County Auditor's office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County; And whereas, it was further orderad in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public oplace of each of the the school districts to be effected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the clerk of each of said school districts affected, personally a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and, whereas, at the said session of the said Board of County Commissioners commencing the 11th day of July, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to the said last named date having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the Board with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said Board being of the opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined that the said petitioner and the following described lands owned by him to-wit.

The South-east quarter of Section 27 in Township 154 North, of Range 43 West, be and the same are hereby attached to said adjoining school district No. 18 and said lands are hereby made a part of said last named school district for all purposes whatever.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 11th day of July, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners
Attest: JAMES E. FORD.
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

The petition of Nils Myrin, asking that he with his land be attached to Independent School District No. 18, was read, and no one appearing to be heard against the granting of the prayer of the petitioner, on motion carried unanimously the same was granted and the following order was made:

Whereas; the petition of Nils Myrin a legal voter, freeholder and resident of this county, representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described, which adjoin Indepenndent School District No. 18, and asking that he with his said lands may be attached to said adjoining School District No. 18 for the following reasons:

Because petitioner and his said lands are in no organized school district, convenience of location with reference to the schools in said Independent School District No. 18 and to be in a school district where a complete and full graded school is existence, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this County at a session of said Board held on the second day of May, 1905, for the action of the said Board thereon; and

WHEREAS, It was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said Board, commencing on the 11th day of July A. D. 1905, at the County Auditor's office in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County; and

WHEREAS, It was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the Clerk of each of said school districts, personally, a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and

WHEREAS, at the said session of the said Board of County Commissioners commencing on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1905 due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to the last named date having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the Board with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against the granting of the prayer of the petitioner and said Board being of the opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined, that the said petitioner and the following lands owned by him to wit:

Lots 8, 9 and 10 in Section 27 in Township 154 North, of Range 43 West in said County, be and the same are hereby attached to said adjoining Independent School District No. 18, and said lands are hereby made a part of said last named School District for all purposes whatever.

By order of the Board et County Commissioners.

Dated tne 11th day of July, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners, Red Lake County.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

The petition of W. O. Long to be attached with his land to Independent School District No. 18 was read and no one appearing to be heard against granting the same, on motion duly carried the prayer of the petitioner was granted and the following order was made:

WHEREAS, The petition of W. O. Long, a legal voter, freeholder and resident of this county, representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described, which adjoin Independent School District No. 18 and asking that he with his said lands be attached to said adjoining Independent School District No. 18 for the following reasons:

Because the petitioner and his above described lands are in no organized school district.

Convenience of location with reference to the schools in Independent School District No. 18 and

To be in a school district where a complete and full graded school is in existence,

Was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this County at a session of said Board held on the second day of May, A. D. 1905 for the action of said Board thereon; and

WHEREAS. It was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of the said Board commencing on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905 at the County Auditor's office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County; and

WHEREAS, It was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to and leaving with the Clerk of each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition, personally, a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and

WHEREAS, At the said session of the said Board of County Commissioners, commencing on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to said last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the Board with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, the said Board being of opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined that said petitioner and the following described lands owned by him to-wit:

Lots 6 and 7 and the east one-half of the north-west quarter of Section 27 in Township 154 north, of Range 43 West in said County be and the same are hereby attached to said adjoining Independent School District No. 18 and said lands are hereby made a part of said last named School District for all purposes whatever.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman of Board of County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

The petition of Martin Moylan asking that he with his lands be attached to the Independent School District No. 18 was read and no one appearing to be heard against the granting of the same, on motion duly carried the prayer of the petitioner was granted and the following ordee was made.

WHEREAS, The petition of Martin Moylan a legal voter, freeholder and resident of this county representing that he is the owner of lands hereinafter described, which adjoin Independent School District No. 18 and asking that he with his said lands may be attached to said adjoining Independent School District No. 18 for the following reasons:

That the petitioner and the lands herein described are in no organized School District.

The convenience of location with reference to the schools in said Independent School District No. 18, and

That he desires to be in a district where a complete and full graded school is in existence,

Was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of this County at a session of said Board held on the second day of May, 1905 for the action of said Board thereon; and

WHEREAS. It was thereupon ordered by said Board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said Board commencing on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905 at the County Auditor's Office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County; and

WHEREAS, It was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place of each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition and by handing to and leaving with the Clerk of each of said school districts, personally a copy of said order at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing; and

WHEBEAS, At the said session of the said Board of County Commissioners commencing on said 11th day of July, 1905, due proof of the service and postjng of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to said last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by said Board with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said Board being of opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined that the said petition, and the following describlands owned by him to-wit:

The North-east quarter of Section 27 in Township 154 North, of Range 43 West in said County be and the same are hereby attached to the said adjoining Independent School District No. 18 and said fands are hereby made a part of last named School District for all purpesas whatever.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.

Dated July 11th, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Board Co. Commissioners of Red Lake, Co.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board

On motion a recess was taken until July 12.

July 12, 1905, the Board convened with all members present.

The petition of Otto L. Bakken asking that he with his land be set from Sechool District No. 18 to School District No. 135 was presented to the Board and on motion carried unanimously a day of hearing was set for same for Sept. 5, 1905.

The Board proceeded to make a supplementary list of names to be drawn for Grand and Petit Jurors, which list was duly certified and filed with the Clerk of the Dist. Court.

The petition of W. J. Polbrook and others for a County Road in Townships 152 and 153 North, of Range 49 West, was placed before the Beard and on motion carried unanimously said petition was laid over till the next meeting of the Board.

Commissioner Demann offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas; after due consideration, this Board has estimated that the necessary expenses for the ensuing year will be as follows;

For County purposhs	$ 16000
For County roads and bridges	3500
For inierest and principal on bonds	3500
For maintaining Court House and Jail	1000
Local 1 mill school tax	3500
Total estimated expenses	$27500

Therefore Be It Resolved that, to meet such expenses, the following sums be levied as a basis of taxation in said County for the year 1905.

For County purposes, (County revenue fund	$ 16000
For County Roads and bridges. (County road and bridge fund)	3500
For interest and principal on bonds (bond and interest fund)	3500
For maintaining Court House and Jail, (court house and jail fund)	1000
Local 1 mill school tax	3500

Which resolution was seconded by Commissioner Falardeau by the following vote:

Aye Commissioners Demann, Falardeau and utor.

No Comissioner Shaw.

The Chairman declared the resolution adopted.

The Board proceed to examine the books and accounts of the County Treasurer, found same correct and fied a certificate of their findings in the office of the County Auditor.

Commissioner Shaw offer the following resolution and moved its adoption.

Resolved, that the sum of $150 be and the same is hereby appropioted from the County revenue fund to be paid to the Red Lake Agricultural Society to aid in holding an Agricultural Fair in the City of Thief River Falls in 1905.

Which resolution was duly carried and the Chairman declared the same adopted.

On motion carried unanimously the following bills were allowed:

St. Hiliare Spectator, publishing notice to leagal voters ....$5.80 allowdd at	$ 4 40
Plummer Pioneer, publishing notice to legal voters	4 40
Plummer Pioneer, publishing notice teachers examination	4 40
Red Lake Falls Gazette, publishing notice to legal voters	4 40
Red Lake Courier, publishing commissioners proceedinge and other legal notice	62 84
W. A. Schrieter, medecine for prisoner and 1 dozen erasers	2 30
School Education company, 1 ream examination paper	2 40
McGill-Warner company, blanks and office supplies	11 05
Miller Davis Printing company, blanks, 7 bills	24 27
C. F. Greenwood, office supplies	9 89
Free Press Printing company, blanks and deed record	26 95
W. M. Welsh company, certificates of award for county superintendent	20 00
Pioneer Press company, blank books and blanks	79 70
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for county offices	15 50
King & chase, office supplies	8 25
Joseph Perrault, Misc. fees clerk court	6 00
" " certified copy of Judge Stroberg et al vs board of county commissioners	1 35
Joseph Perrault, services on county board of audit days	6 00
James E. Ford, services on county board of audit 3 days	9 00
James E. Ford, witness fees 1 day and mileage	3 98
S. L. Lewis, insurance premium on court house, $1000	27 50
A. P. Toupin, insurance premium on furniture and fixtures, $1500	39 00
W. A. Schreiter, wall paper for court house	3 30
Nick Helm, painting bridge signs	10 00
B. H. costello, assessing personal property in Twp. 152, Range 39	1 00
W. E. Wood, assessing personal property in assessment Dist. No. 3	37 50
Peter C. Wold, assessing personal property in assessment Dist. No. 4	63 00
B. Puschinsky, repairing office chairs	1 35
D. Linnihan, Sheriff, amount paid for long distance telephone calls	2 75
James E. Ford, county auditor, amount paid for long distance telephone calls	1 00
Red Lake Falls Telephone Exchange, rent of telephones in court house and jail, May and June, 1905	10 00
Joseph Belair, coroner's fees, viewing remains of Mrs. Joseph Falardeau	17 90
D. Linnihan, sheriff, sheriff's misc. fees state cases	133 50
D. Linnihan, sheriff, posting notices of pendency or petition for county ditch No. 22	7.00
Ceo. Jarman, deputy sheriff, fees in [illegible] cases	[illegible] 50
Red Lake Falls Electric Light company lights in court house, April, May and June, 1905	[illegible]
Alcide Perusse, services as fire warden in town of Terrebonne	[illegible] 00

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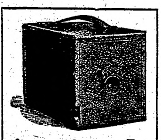

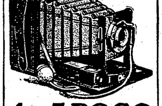

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

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Louis Parenteau, services as fire warden in town of Terrebonne	2 00
Thomas Moreeu, services as fire warden in town of Poplar River	5 00
S. L. Lewis, justice fees, State vs Joan Baown	6 45
S. L. Lewis, justice fees State vs John Brown end Nepoleon Miller	5 90
Victor Nord, witness fees, State vs W. G. Brown	2 68
Nels A. Nelson, witness fees, State vs. W. G. Brown	1 68
Olal Brekke, constable fees, State vs Jas. and Knut Torgerson	2 00
N. J. Burgquist, constable fees, State vs. Jas. and Knut Torgerson	2 00
Ole A. Skavguag, constable fees, State vs. Jas. and Knut Torgerson	2 00
Christ Christianson, constable fees, State vs Jas. and Knut Torgerson	4 80
Oscar carlson, constable fees, State vs Jas. and Knut Torgerson	7 80
Erick Iverson, meals and rooms for prisoners	1 50
Chas. W. Latta, costs State vs. Knut Torgerson	7 80
Chas. W. Latta, costs, State vs. Jas. Torgerson	7 80
James Sutor, attending commissioners meeting 5 days, 50 miles	20 00
Wm. C. L. Demann attending commissioners meeting 5 days, 28 miles	17 80
O. J. Johnson, attending commissioners meeting 6 days, 90 miles	27 00
Daniel J Shaw, attending commissioners meeting, 120 miles	30 00
Louis Falardeau, attending commissioners meeting, 144 miles	35 40
O. J. Johnson, services on board of audit 2 days	6 00
Thos. Germo, amount paid for long distance telephone call, in criminal matters	7 88
K. M. Hansen, county treasurer, amount paid for postage, county treasurers office	40 18
Alex Johnson, engineers services on county ditches	44 00
A. F. Anderson extra work on Gervais Ditch No. 1	91 06
F. L. Hagen, board and lodging of pauper	3 00
Bethany Hospital, hospital fees, care of Geo. Dorty	92 80
Dr. H. Grundy, medical attendynce of Geo. Dorty	119 00
A. Sinvik, board and care of Martea Amundson	79 00
The following bills were laid over:	
Free Press Printing co., summer schaol records	3 10
H. A. Johnson, witness fees	3 40
Miller Davis Printing co., blanks and blank books	60 50
Dr. I. Lemiex, medical attendance on Mrs. Knut Flage	15 25
The following bills were rejected;	
F. Jeffers, long distance telephone calls	6 25
Pioneer Press co., copy holder	2 00
Thief River Press, stationery for county surveyor	3 25
chas. Brady, care of A. Romier	2 00
E. E. Fletcher, care of A. Romier	2 00
Arthur Lafontaine, care of A. Romier	2 00

On motion carried unanimously the board adjourned to July 00, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio clerk of the Board.

ST. HILAIRE.

Special to the Courier.

Joe Demars left Saturday to visit with his wife's people in Terrebonne.

E. M. Hoff is building an addition to his barn at the rear of his store.

Milt Whitmore and Miss Lillian Buse drove up from Red Lake Falls Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Jolitz, representing the Singer Mfg. Co., was in town several days last week.

Mrs. Barker entertained the ladies of the M. E. church last Thursday.

The firemen gave a dance Saturday evening at the bowery. The weather was fine and all report a good time.

J. A. Kinney left Tuesday for North Dakota on a business trip.

Miss Etta Zaiser, of Red Lake Falls, was in town Thursday.

The patrons of our creamery have just received their checks for cream delivered in June. The price paid for butter fat was 20 cents and the total amount was about $4,000. $85 was the largest check. The creamery turned out 86 tubs of butter in one week during June.

Wm. Eickhoff spent Thursday with his family here.

Adolph Settenberg, the drayman, has been confined to his home with stomach trouble the past week.

The annual school election was held Saturday evening. The old board was elected for the following terms: Dan Patterson and E. M. Hoff, for three years; K. O. Gigstad and H. O. Jackson, two years; B. E. Burke and A. S. Wilson, one year. There will be nine months of school begining Sept. 4th.

The ladies aid society of the Swedish Lutheran church met at the home of Mrs. Andrew Soderberg Wednesday. There was a large attendance.

James Foss, who for the past three years has been a most efficient shipping clerk for the Crookston Lumber Co., left for Bemidji Saturday where he will be employed in the same capacity. Mr. Foss' many friends are loath to see him leave but all wish him success in his new home.

B. G. Grace expects his mother and sister from Davenport, Iowa, to arrive here for a visit on Thursday.

E. F. Evans arrived from Bemidji Monday to assume the duties of superintendent of the saw mill at this place.

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A. M. Richards, manager of the Crookston Lumber Co., came up from Bemidji Monday.

Wm. J. Lau arrived in this place Tuesday from Minneapolis. He is connected with the Crookston Lumber Co.

The members of the tennis club and a few invited guests had a picnic on the point Tuesday.

Miss Esther Olson, of Fertile, is visiting Miss Alice Hall and other St. Hiliare friends this week.

The ice cream social given at the farm home of A. S. Anderson, five miles southeast of town, last Sunday was attended by about 200 people who report a most delightful time.

Mrs. Geo. L. Austin entertained the officers of the creamery association at dinner last Friday.

DEER PARK.

Special to the Courier.

Another heavy rain feel here last Sunday evening which delayed haying for a short time.

M. E. Hyland and your correspondent transacted business in Plummer last Tuesday.

The Sunbeam is now a weekly visitor in these parts and it seems to be well along on local news.

Wanted at once by farmers—Good haying weather.

The last week's Sunbeam reports a wolf scare in that vicinity last last Monday evening. No one was killed, only one man up a tree.

Eddy Singer transacted business at Sunbeam last Friday.

Chas. Swanson and family from Equality moved into their new home here last week.

Sam and Chas. Swanson went to Equality for two loads of movables last Saturday.

Al Ofthus was a business visitor at Plummer last Thursday.

There was a social "hop" at Geo. Singer's last Saturday evening.

Geo. Singer is at present entertaining a bad boil much to his dislike.

A week from next Saturday evening there will be another little social hop at Geo. Singer's. All are welcome.

The Red Lake and Clearwater rivers are about as high now as they were last spring, and people that must cross must swim their teams and stock across, and yet our worthy county commissioners seem to think there is no hurry about a bridge down this way in spite of our petitions.

M. E. Hyland transacted business at Skunktown last Friday.

"Cruely to animals" is a remark often made by officers of the law, when animals are abused to any extent, and generally its offenders are given the limit of the law for each offence. Now we wish to remind our worthy county commissioners that they are daily causing unjust cruelty to animals in their neglect to provide bridges for the general welfare of the public that is compelled to cross the river at the risk of losing ther animals and their own lives. If the petitions for these bridges are not to be respected, they ought to at least have a little feeling for the poor animals, even if the county is buried in debt. Something must be done at once, gentlemen, or other steps will be taken by the petitioners to show that there is a limit to all abuses.

Editor Hunt says that he must have either a woman or a horse and that at once. He dont care which.

Osmond Mandt hurt one of his legs the other day quite bad. He was leading a cow when some other cattle scared her and she stepped on him.

Road Overseer Johnson says the poll tax work is nearly all done in his district.

A few stray deer have been seen around here of late.

Lightning struck a large oak tree near Benny Rustad's claim shanty the other evening and burnt the ground for several feet around.

Benny Rustad came near having an encounter with a large lynx the other day. He was only a few feet from him. He said he whistled and that kind of turned him to one side, or else he would have made right for him. Benny said that his hair was just about standing straight for a minute or two.

P. A. Rustad from Garnes made a short stay with his son Benny last Thursday.

Crop prospects around here are good. Flax is heading out now and promises from 15 to 20 bushels.

The Stork.

The stork has been known to perish in the flames of a burning house rather than to desert her young.

First Cultivated Rose.

It is said that the first cultivated rose was planted in Belgium in the year 1522. The damask rose was taken to England from France in 1573, the moss rose about 1724 and the China rose fifty years later.

Tobacco For Wives.

One hundred and twenty pounds of tobacco was the stipend paid for a wife by some of the early settlers of Virginia.

Weird "Angel Shark."

A fish known as the "angel shark" and generally found only in the north Pacific has just been caught by a trawler in the North sea. It is over four feet long and has oddly shaped fleshy wings instead of the ordinary fins.

Ether.

Ether was first used in surgical operations in 1846.

Brutal Law.

In England some centuries ago if an ordinary workman without permission moved from one parish to another in search of work or better wages he was branded with a hot iron.

"Fourteenth Guest" Agency.

There is a most curious agency in Paris whose business it is to supply the fourteenth guest. Parisians, like some other people, have a superstitious objection to dinner parties of thirteen, and this agency undertakes to supply at short notice a lady or gentleman "warranted to give satisfaction."

The Book of Job.

The Book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Literary Mexico.

Mexico is credited with being at the head of the Latin-American countries in the matter of letters. Besides possessing the oldest organs of Spanish-American journalism, it is said to have in active existence the first library established in America, which is now at least 300 years old.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and grate eight large potatoes, cut in an onion, beat in four eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix with two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, add and mix well. Fry in a hot skillet.

Bamboos Grow Best at Night.

The growth of the giant bamboos of the East Indies is so rapid that a difference in the rate of increase between day and night can be observed. The growth is more rapid at night, because then the air is more charged with moisture than in the daytime.

The First Typewriter.

The first typewriter was received by the public with suspicion. It seemed subversive of existing conditions. A reporter who took one into a courtroom first proved its real worth.

Autumn Leaves.

It is popularly believed that autumn leaves assume their brilliant hues when touched by the frosts. This is an error. Autumn leaves turn red and yellow and brown and intermediate tones because that is the natural way for leaves to ripen.

Gaborian's Visitors.

Gaborian was troubled with visitors, and of those he desired never to see again he suspended photos in his servants' room for guidance. Once an author called. The servants ran to consult the cartes and, being puzzled, asked the visitor to smile, which being complied with he was informed determinedly, "Master is not at home."

The Alps.

The Alps are situated in six states, the largest division being in Austria.

Largest Tin Users.

The United States is the largest consumer of tin in the world, but derives its supplies mainly from the Straits Settlements, from Banka and other eastern sources.

Gold Jewelry.

Gold jewelry, says an authority, may be perfectly cleansed by being placed for half an hour in a bowl of warm water to which a generous quantity of ammonia has been added. Stir the jewelry around in the water for a moment, cover the bowl and let stand.

Oil For Waves.

Lighthouses in Denmark are supplied with oil which is pumped on the waves during a severe storm.

Stewed Figs.

Stewed figs are a delicious sauce and make a nice dessert if served with whipped cream. Simmer the figs in sufficient water to cover them, adding a little sugar. Cook till they are tender and have swelled till they seem somewhat plump. Let cool and eat.

Black Diamonds In Brazil.

The black diamond fields in Brazil belong to the government, which farms them out and makes a further profit by a 13 per cent export duty.

Germany's Oldest Inn.

The oldest inn in Germany is the Gasthof Zum Riesen in Miltenberg-on-the-Main, which was already of considerable age when the Emperor Frederick I. stayed there in 1158. Since then it has entertained a succession of historical personages, including Gustavus Adolphus and Martin Luther and in more recent times General von Moltke.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss
City of Red Lake Falls. }

Notice is hereby given, that applications have been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office praying for License to sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on August 6th, 1905, and terminating on August 6th, 1906, by the following persons and at the following places, as stated in said applications, respectfully, to-wit:

LATENDRESSE BROTHERS.

In that certain building situated on lot 18 of block 7 in Champaign and Dows add to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday, the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Red Lake Falls this 25th day of July, A. D. 1905.

A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
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In Probate Court.
Special Term July 24th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Antieme Juneau, deceased:

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Antieme Juneau deceased, late of said county, has been delivered to this court;

And whereas, George Dupont has filed therewith his petition representing, among other things, that said Antieme Juneau died in said county on the 23rd day of July, 1905, testate and that said petitioner is the executor named in said last will and testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to George Dupont.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and the said petition, be heard before this court, at the probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county, on Monday, the 21st. day of August, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 24th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT.
Judge of Probate.
j27-a10.

Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn., March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
C. C. ANDREWS,
Cnief Fire Warden.

Where are you sick? Headache, foul tongue, no appetite, lack of energy, pain in your stomach, constipation. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents. A. L. Reichert.

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This great stock medicine is a money saver for stock raisers. It is a medicine, not a cheap food or condition powder. Though put up in coarser form than Thedford's Black-Draught, renowned for the cure of the digestion troubles of persons, it has the same qualities of invigorating digestion, stirring up the torpid liver and loosening the constipated bowels for all stock and poultry. It is carefully prepared and its action is so healthful that stock grow and thrive with an occasional dose in their food. It cures hog cholera and makes hogs grow fat. It cures chicken cholera and roup and makes hens lay. It cures constipation, distemper and colds in horses, murrain in cattle, and makes a draught animal do more work for the food consumed. It gives animals and fowls of all kinds new life. Every farmer and raiser should certainly give it a trial.

It costs 25c. a can and saves ten times its price in profit.

PITTSBURG, KAS., March 26, 1904.

I have been using your Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine on my stock for some time. I have used all kinds of stock food but I have found that yours is the best for my purpose.

J. S. HASSON.

Let Common Sense Decide

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Merchants State Bank

Of Red Lake Falls.

Do You Know That the Merchants State Bank is a strictly home institution. All our officers and stockholders live in Red Lake Falls and have established the Merchants State Bank with their own money. We do a regular banking business in every department. There is no transaction too large for us to handle and none too small for us to give our attention.

Our Savings Dep't. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us, ranging from $100 to $200. These are saving accounts and are continuallg growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. Don't put off any longer. Open a savings account with us.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a

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A. O. LETVIG, Wylie, Minnesota.

Vacation Hints

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A. Nizen, Agent, for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

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the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

DETROIT TO BEMIDJI.

The Northern Pacific to Build Across White Earth.

Announcement was made from an authoritative source last week that the Northern Pacific had decided to build a new line of road from Detroit to Bemidji, a distance of about 60 miles.

The new line will cross the White Earth Indian reservation and open a fertile country whose inhabitants have been clamoring for better railroad facilities foa years.

A full engineering equipment consisting of provisions, camping outfit and all necessary supplies was shipped from Minneapolis yesterday and it is understood the engineers will commence the work of running the line sometime next week.

The new line will extend in a northeasterly direction to Bemidji. Detroit is already on the main line of the Northern Pacific and the Soo's Winnipeg line crosses there. Another railroad will make the town an important railroad point.

Nels Bruggeman, a civil engineer of Winnipeg, who is thoroughly posted on the railroad situation in that part of the state through his connection with other lines, says the new branch is of the highest importance to people living in that section of the state.

"The N. P. is first on the ground" he said, "and I understand there will be no delay in pushing the line to completion."

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansficid, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A. L. Reichert.

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EXCURSION TO WINNIPEG

Northwestern Minnesota Editors Visit the Metropolis of the Great Canadian Northwest.

The members of the Northwestern Editorial association enjoyed a splendid outing last week, their objective points being Alexandria, Winnipeg and Detroit. A party of about thirty boarded a special car furnished by the Soo railway at St. Paul Thursday morning. The first stop was at Alexandria, where the party was shown over the city by the citizens. Afterwards the editors were taken to the lakes for a ride in gasolene launches. A "fish fry" luncheon was served on the lake shore. Senator Nelson was a member of the entertainment committee and extended the address of welcome, which was happily responded to on behalf of the visitors by President Pease and Secretary Bernard. The Alexandria people were most generously hospitable, and to United States Senator Nelson, Senator Ward, E. E. McCrea and the Hennings brothers the editors owe a debt of deepest gratitude. Alexandria is not only a thriving commercial city, but it has unequalled advantages and attraction as a summer resort.

Thursday night at 10 o'clock the party started for Winnipeg, the metropolis of Manitoba, arriving there early the following morning. To most of the editors this was the first visit to Winnipeg, and no one was disappointed at the evidences of growth and prosperity. It now boasts of 100,000 people, and it needs no prophet's eye to see within a decade one of the greatest centers of trade west and north of Chicago. To the west there is an empire extending to the Pacific ocean, all tributary to Winnipeg.

The party was taken in charge by Mr. A. L. Preston, general agent of the Soo railway, who devoted the larger share of three days in looking after the comfort of his guests. Mr. Preston was formerly employed in the city ticket office of that company at St. Paul, and he seemed entirely at home in a crowd of Minnesota people. In passing we wish to acknowledge the many kindnesses shown by Mr. L. P. Green, traveling passenger agent of the Soo, who was with the party during the entire trip.

Among the many attractions provided for the party at Winnipeg were a scenic street car ride and a visit to the fair. The exposition is similar in many respects to the Minnesota state fair, and the varied exhibits of fruits, cereals, live stock, etc., is a surprise to one unacquainted with the rapid development of Manitoba. At the fair grounds a luncheon was provided by the officers of the exposition, and an hour was given to a list of appropriate toasts.

While of course Manitoba is a part—and an important part—of the Dominion, she has full power in making and enforcing local laws and regulations, and to the average American many peculiarites are noticeable. Perhaps the most forcible example is the observance of the Sabbath. If everyone doesn't go to church he is at least forbidden many of the liberties of St. Paul or Minneapolis. The saloons close at 8:30 Saturday evening, remaining closed until Monday morning; the street cars are not allowed to run; base ball games and other sports are prohibited, and even the parks are unavailable to the working classes, as they are all a considerable distance from the business section, and the working classes cannot afford carriages or automobiles. There is not a Sunday newspaper in Manitoba, or for that matter in the Dominion. Sunday theatres are forbidden. In fine, they have a puritanic Sabbath—one that would do credit to the Massachusetts colony of two hundred years ago. Whether or not it is more satisfactory, or whether the people generally like it better we do not know. The Winnipeggers are satisfied perhaps because they are used to it. It is a day of church-going and home-staying, and is undeniably a relief to the anxious father and mother with children of an age when their feet are wont to stray. Whatever the week-day temptations, Sunday affords no additional trials, as is the case in the average city in America.

One of the pleasant features of the stay in Winnipeg was the serenade given the party at the Corona hotel by the Red Lake Falls band. The editors—and for that matter all who heard the music—all agree that Red Lake Falls has the best band of any town of its size in North America. I have heard a great deal of praise for Prof. Onstad and his band, and the trip to Winnipeg was worth a great deal in advertising the town and its vaunted musical organization.

The return from Winnipeg commenced Sunday evening, but before dispersing the party enjoyed day at Detroit the queen of the summer resorts. The entertainment consisted of a carriage ride about the city, a steamboat ride through the chain of lakes, a delightful luncheon at one of the club houses on the lake shore, a serenade by the Detroit band, and a dancing party at Hotel Minnesota. Detroit people know how to entertain and especially to George D. Hamilton, editor of the Record, and his estimable wife the boys and girls of the party owe a great deal. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton delight in looking after the comfort of others and have the happy faculty of making their guests feel at home. Mr. Hamilton, by the way owns the model country printing office of Minnesota, and the newspaper instinct of the average editor prompts him to be jealous of the remarkable success of the Record and its genial editor. Detroit is a city of pretty homes, beautiful lakes and groves, and enterprising business men and citizens.

Tuesday evening the crowd arrived at St. Paul, convinced that they had never had a more delightful time in their lives. The president of the association, G. S. Pease, the veteran editor of the Anoka Union, may well be proud of the success of the outing.

J. E. K.

OUR SOUTHERN COUNTIES.

Fell Off in Population Because Young Men Seek Cheaper Lands.

The decrease in population in Southern Minnesota counties during the past five years, shown by the census returns thus far, is accounted for by Superintendent G. H. Wright of the state census bureau as the result of changing conditions, and not through the fact that this section is not as prosperous as it was former years. Census returns from counties in the northern part of Iowa show a similiar condition.

"There is only an imaginary line dividing Iowa from Minnesota, and census returns from the northern portion of our neighboring state show the same decline in population as in the southern counties in Minnesota," said Mr. Wright. "Those sections of the two states were settled earlier than other sections, and they have endured the same experiences that all older settlements suffer.

"Land in the southern part of the state has reached a high price, and farmers are not slow to take advantage of that. They sell their holdings at big prices, and purchase land in the northern part of the state, North Dakota or Canada, where land is cheaper. Then some people have the pioneering habit. I have known some who have struck out three times for the wilderness.

"Then take the grown up children. They daughters marry and move away with their husbands. The sons go to sections of the state where they can purchase cheaper land. Some times the father, who has become prosperous, buys land for his son in the northern part of the state, say, and starts him up that way."

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES

Red Lake County Training School Closed Tuesday—Was a Very Successful School.

The summer training school closed Tuesday after a term of eight weeks of a most successful school. It was one of the largest schools in the state, the attendance reaching over the one hundred mark. All the teachers were very enthuiastic in the work, and both instructors and scholars worked hard to make the school a great success.

Conductor Yeager and his able corps of instructors are deserving of great praise for the success of the school, and their work will be remembered by the teachers of this county for some time to come. State Supt. Olson was very enthuiastic over the school at this place and pronounced it one of the very best held in the state this summer.

Supt. Olson delivered a lecture to the school last Thursday morning, and in the evening spoke to a large audience at the Metropolitan opera house. Both addresses were interesting and instructive and were productive of much good to all who are interested in educational matters.

Friday evening a reception was given the members of the school at the Lafayette school building. The band orchestra furnished several selections in the usual artistic manner, and Mrs. Chase and Miss Iza Tibbitts each sang a solo. Refreshments were served and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Prof. Hoverstadt, of the experimental farm at Crookston, addressed the school Saturday. His talk proved very interesting, his audience learning something new along the lines of scientific farming.

Yesterday about forty of the teachers attended a picnic at the Healy mill. Boat rides and other amusements made a most pleasant day.

The balance of this week will be devoted to examinations. Most of the teachers are still in the city and will not leave until Saturday.

NEVER BETTER.

The Crop Outlook in Red Lake County Promising.

Despite the many rumors in circulation concerning the prevalence of black rust in the wheat fields of Minnesota, conservative business men in this sity who have examined the wheat from various farms in this county, declare that the wheat nor the stalk have been affected by rust. While some claim to have discovered some rust on the leaves, they believe that a continuation of the present favorable weather will mature the crop without the least particle of damage.

The crop outlook in Red Lake county was never better according to local crop experts. Wheat has headed rapidly during the continued weather of the past three weeks and is in excellent condition. In fact, it now looks as if the wheat crop in Red Lake county would be one of the largest and best in years.

Farmers are feeling well sattsfied with the crop outlook and say that not only wheat, but all other crops as well, have grown and matured at an astonishing rate during the past twenty days of clear weather. Oats are especially heavy this year and the yield will be heavier than in years. Flax and barley are both showing up well and both grains will yield heavily.

The hay crop this season was one of the best in years. While some of the wild hay could not be cut owing to the extreme wet weather of June, yet the crop of timothy and clover was one of the heaviest crops ever known and fully recompensed the farmers for the loss of wild hay in the lowlands. Haying will be almost completed by the last of this week and the harvesting of barley has already commenced. Potatoes are being dug and are a fairly good crop. They were in many cases, however, injured to some extent by the excessive moisture in June and will be more or less susceptible to rot.

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the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

DETROIT TO BEMIDJI.

The Northern Pacific to Build Across White Earth.

Announcement was made from an authorative source last week that the Northern Pacific had decided to build a new line of road from Detroit to Bemidji, a distance of about 60 miles.

The new line will cross the White Earth Indian reservation and open a fertile country whose inhabitants have been clamoring for better railroad facilities foa years.

A full engineering equipment consisting of provisions, camping outfit and all necessary supplies was shipped from Minneapolis yesterday and it is understood the engineers will commence the work of running the line sometime next week.

The new line will extend in a northeasterly direction to Bemidji.

Detroit is already on the main line of the Northern Pacific and the Soo's Winnipeg line crosses there. Another railroad will make the town an important railroad point.

Nels Bruggeman, a civil engineer of Winnipeg, who is thoroughly posted on the railroad situation in that part of the state through his connection with other lines, says the new branch is of the highest importance to people living in that section of the state.

"The N. P. is first on the ground" he said, "and I understand there will be no delay in pushing the line to completion."

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A, L. Reichert.

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EXCURSION TO WINNIPEG

Northwestern Minnesota Editors Visit the Metropolis of the Great Canadian Northwest.

The members of the Northwestern Editorial association enjoyed a splendid outing last week, their objective points being Alexandria, Winnipeg and Detroit. A party of about thirty boarded a special car furnished by the Soo railway at St. Paul Thursday morning. The first stop was at Alexandria, where the party was shown over the city by the citizens. Afterwards the editors were taken to the lakes for a ride in gasolene launches. A "fish fry" luncheon was served on the lake shore. Senator Nelson was a member of the entertainment committee and extended the address of welcome, which was happily responded to on behalf of the visitors by President Pease and Secretary Bernard. The Alexandria people were most generously hospitable, and to United States Senator Nelson, Senator Ward, E. E. McCrea and the Hennings brothers the editors owe a debt of deepest gratitude. Alexandria is not only a thriving commercial city, but it has unequalled advantages and attraction as a summer resort.

Thursday night at 10 o'clock the party started for Winnipeg, the metropolis of Manitoba, arriving there early the following morning. To most of the editors this was the first visit to Winnipeg, and no one was disappointed at the evidences of growth and prosperity. It now boasts of 100,000 people, and it needs no prophet's eye to see within a decade one of the greatest centers of trade west and north of Chicago. To the west there is an empire extending to the Pacific ocean, all tributary to Winnipeg.

The party was taken in charge by Mr. A. L. Preston, general agent of the Soo railway, who devoted the larger share of three days in looking after the comfort of his guests. Mr. Preston was formerly employed in the city ticket office of that company at St. Paul, and he seemed entirely at home in a crowd of Minnesota people. In passing we wish to acknowledge the many kindnesses shown by Mr. L. P. Green, traveling passenger agent of the Soo, who was with the party during the entire trip.

Among the many attractions provided for the party at Winnipeg were a scenic street car ride and a visit to the fair. The exposition is similar in many respects to the Minnesota state fair, and the varied exhibits of fruits, cereals, live stock, etc., is a surprise to one unacquainted with the rapid development of Manitoba. At the fair grounds a luncheon was provided by the officers of the exposition, and an hour was given to a list of appropriate toasts.

While of course Manitoba is a part—and an important part—of the Dominion, she has full power in making and enforcing local laws and regulations, and to the average American many peculiarites are noticeable. Perhaps the most forcible example is the observance of the Sabbath. If everyone doesn't go to church he is at least forbidden many of the liberties of St. Paul or Minneapolis. The saloons close at 8:30 Saturday evening, remaining closed until Monday morning; the street cars are not allowed to run; base ball games and other sports are prohibited, and even the parks are unavailable to the working classes, as they are all a considerable distance from the business section, and the working classes cannot afford carriages or automobiles. There is not a Sunday newspaper in Manitoba, or for that matter in the Dominion. Sunday theatres are forbidden. In fine, they have a puritanic Sabbath—one that would do credit to the Massachusetts colony of two hundred years ago. Whether or not it is more satisfactory, or whether the people generally like it better we do not know. The Winnipeggers are satisfied perhaps because they are used to it. It is a day of church-going and home-staying, and is undeniably a relief to the anxious father and mother with children of an age when their feet are wont to stray. Whatever the week-day temptations, Sunday affords no additional trials, as is the case in the average city in America.

One of the pleasant features of the stay in Winnipeg was the serenade given the party at the Corona hotel by the Red Lake Falls band. The editors—and for that matter all who heard the music—all agree that Red Lake Falls has the best band of any town of its size in North America. I have heard a great deal of praise for Prof. Onstad and his band, and the trip to Winnipeg was worth a great deal in advertising the town and its vaunted musical organization.

The return from Winnipeg commenced Sunday evening, but before dispersing the party enjoyed day at Detroit the queen of the summer resorts. The entertainment consisted of a carriage ride about the city, a steamboat ride through the chain of lakes, a delightful luncheon at one of the club houses on the lake shore, a serenade by the Detroit band, and a dancing party at Hotel Minnesota. Detroit people know how to entertain and especially to George D. Hamilton, editor of the Record, and his estimable wife the boys and girls of the party owe a great deal. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton delight in looking after the comfort of others and have the happy faculty of making their guests feel at home. Mr. Hamilton, by the way owns the model country printing office of Minnesota, and the newspaper instinct of the average editor prompts him to be jealous of the remarkable success of the Record and its genial editor. Detroit is a city of pretty homes, beautiful lakes and groves, and enterprising business men and citizens.

Tuesday evening the crowd arrived at St. Paul, convinced that they had never had a more delightful time in their lives. The president of the association, G. S. Pease, the veteran editor of the Anoka Union, may well be proud of the success of the outing,

J. F. K.

OUR SOUTHERN COUNTIES.

Fell Off in Population Because Young Men Seek Cheaper Lands.

The decrease in population in Southern Minnesota counties during the past five years, shown by the census returns thus far, is accounted for by Superintendent G. H. Wright of the state census bureau as the result of changing conditions, and not through the fact that this section is not as prosperous as it was former years. Census returns from counties in the northern part of Iowa show a similiar condition.

"There is only an imaginary line dividing Iowa from Minnesota, and census returns from the northern portion of our neighboring state show the same decline in population as in the southern counties in Minnesota," said Mr. Wright. "Those sections of the two states were settled earlier than other sections, and they have endured the same experiences that all older settlements suffer.

"Land in the southern part of the state has reached a high price, and farmers are not slow to take advantage of that. They sell their holdings at big prices, and purchase land in the northern part of the state, North Dakota or Canada, where land is cheaper. Then some people have the pioneering habit. I have known some who have struck out three times for the wilderness.

"Then take the grown up children. They daughters marry and move away with their husbands. The sons go to sections of the state where they can purchase cheaper land. Some times the father, who has become prosperous, buys land for his son in the northern part of the state, say, and starts him up that way."

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES

Red Lake County Training School Closed Tuesday—Was a Very Successful School.

The summer training school closed Tuesday after a term of eight weeks of a most successful school. It was one of the largest schools in the state, the attendance reaching over the one hundred mark. All the teachers were very enthuiastic in the work, and both instructors and scholars worked hard to make the school a great success.

Conductor Yeager and his able corps of instructors are deserving of great praise for the success of the school, and their work will be remembered by the teachers of this county for some time to come. State Supt. Olson was very enthuiastic over the school at this place and pronounced it one of the very best held in the state this summer.

Supt. Olson delivered a lecture to the school last Thursday morning, and in the evening spoke to a large audience at the Metropolitan opera house. Both addresses were interesting and instructive and were productive of much good to all who are interested in educational matters.

Friday evening a reception was given the members of the school at the Lafayette school building. The band orchestra furnished several selections in the usual artistic manner, and Mrs. Chase and Miss Iza Tibbitts each sang a solo. Refreshments were served and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Prof. Hoverstadt, of the experimental farm at Crookston, addressed the school Saturday. His talk proved very interesting, his audience learning something new along the lines of scientific farming.

Yesterday about forty of the teachers attended a picnic at the Healy mill. Boat rides and other amusements made a most pleasant day.

The balance of this week will be devoted to examinations. Most of the teachers are still in the city and will not leave until Saturday.

NEVER BETTER.

The Crop Outlook in Red Lake County Promising,

Despite the many rumors in circulation concerning the prevalence of black rust in the wheat fields of Minnesota, conservative business men in this sity who have examined the wheat from various farms in this county, declare that the wheat nor the stalk have been affected by rust. While some claim to have discovered some rust on the leaves, they believe that a continuation of the present favorable weather will mature the crop without the least particle of damage.

The crop outlook in Red Lake county was never better according to local crop experts. Wheat has headed rapidly during the continued weather of the past three weeks and is in excellent condition. In fact, it now looks as if the wheat crop in Red Lake county would be one of the largest and best in years.

Farmers are feeling well sattsfied with the crop outlook and say that not only wheat, but all other crops as well, have grown and matured at an astonishing rate during the past twenty days of clear weather. Oats are especially heavy this year and the yield will be heavier than in years. Flax and barley are both showing up well and both grains will yield heavily.

The hay crop this season was one of the best in years. While some of the wild hay could not be cut owing to the extreme wet weather of June, yet the crop of timothy and clover was one of the heaviest crops ever known and fully recompensed the farmers for the loss of wild hay in the lowlands. Haying will be almost completed by the last of this week and the harvesting of barley has already commenced. Potatoes are being dug and are a fairly good crop. They were in many cases, however, injured to some extent by the excessive moisture in June and will be more or less susceptible to rot.

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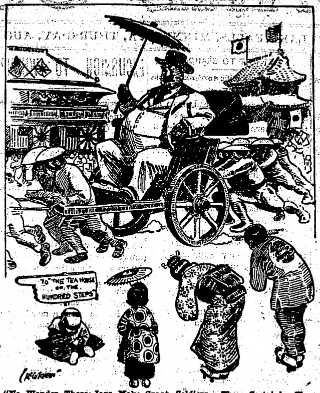
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SCOURGE SCARES SOUTHERN CITY

OUTBREAK OF YELLOW FEVER IN NEW ORLEANS CAUSES ALARM.

Fifty-Seven Deaths from the Awful Pest Are Recorded—Southern Towns Almost Panic Stricken—Business Paralyzed.

New Orleans, July 31.—The yellow plague is spreading. Here and there in parts of the city remote from the original infected district new foci are appearing. But the health authorities are hopeful, and the citizenship—rich and poor, women as well as men—is working, with the awful memories of a quarter of a century ago as an inspiration, to throttle the epidemic in its infancy. If human energy can do it, it will be done.

City Is Isolated.

New cases reported up to 6 p. m. Sunday, 27; total cases to date, 283; deaths Sunday, 3; deaths to date, 57. Though it was Sunday the work of sanitation, fumigation, oiling and screening went on just the same, and will continue daily until the city has been thoroughly screened and made mosquito proof.

New Orleans is an isolation hospital. Apprehension of contagion, born of the dread past, has caused the neighboring states to inclose the Crescent City of the south within the walls of quarantine. The last gap in the wall was filled when the entire state of Tennessee, following the quartines established by Memphis and Chattanooga, closed its doors against the city and all points where yellow fever is prevalent.

Mississippi, with Gov. Vardaman firm in his determination that no refugee from Louisiana shall cross the state line or set foot on the gulf shore, hems the stricken city on one side. Texas interposes a barrier even to a pathway to healthful zones on the other side. The waters of the gulf of Mexico are the only refuge for those who might flee, but at ports beyond the gulf the quarantine still raises its hand, not only against the residents of New Orleans, but travelers unfortunately caught here at this time.

Panic in Small Towns.

A dispatch Saturday from Drs. Wasdin and Donald, who are in charge of the case at Lumberton, states that no new cases have appeared and they feel confident of their ability to stamp out the infection without further spread. The order requiring all persons to exhibit health certificates before entering Mississippi went into effect Saturday. The most disquieting news in the yellow fever situation Saturday is the evidence that panic is increasing in the smaller towns of Louisiana and Mississippi and that a disposition is growing to revive the disastrous commercial quarantines of 1897, when some of the country towns even refused to receive ice or hardware from New Orleans. Columbia, La., bars all kinds of merchandise except hardware. Utica, Miss., will not receive freight of any kind; Osyka, Miss., will take no fruit or vegetables; Jackson, La., wants no household articles from New Orleans. Several towns in Tennessee and others along the Mississippi Valley road in Mississippi refuse to allow express matter of any kind to be put off; Port Gibson will not take bread nor anything wrapped in burlap that may be shipped from this city. Some of the Texas towns are asking that the mails be fumigated.

Will Meet in Toronto.

London, July 27.—The British Medical association has accepted the invitation to meet at Toronto in 1906.

GREAT COAL COMBINE.

Interests Estimated in Value at $50,000,000 Have Been Consolidated.

Columbus, O., July 28.—Coal, railroad and dock properties, conservatively estimated to be worth $50,000,000, in which Columbus capital is largely interested, were combined into one company at a meeting held Thursday in New York, according to advices from the metropolis. It will be the second largest coal corporation in the world, and be known as the Sunday Creek company, taking its name from one of the coal producing concerns included, the Sunday Creek Coal company. Seven coal corporations owning properties scattered throughout Ohio and West Virginia, and employing in the neighborhood of 16,000 men, are now to operate under one directorate and set of officers. In the consolidation of the interests leading officials drop out to make room for those who figure in the reorganization, which becomes effective on August 1. The companies included in the consolidation, which are now a part of the Sunday Creek company, are the Sunday Creek Coal company, the Buckeye Coal & Railway company, Ohio Land & Railway company, Continental Coal company, Kanawha & Hocking Coal & Coke company, St. Paul & Western Coal company, and Boston Coal, Dock & Wharf company.

GONE TO HIS REWARD.

Death Calls Isaac W. Joyce, Methodist Bishop of Minnesota—Many Years in the Ministry.

Minneapolis, Minn., July 28.—Bishop Isaac W. Joyce, Methodist bishop of Minnesota, died at his home, No. 310 Groveland avenue, at 1:20 o'clock this morning, as the result of a cerebral hemorrhage and consequent attack of paralysis which he sustained while delivering a sermon at the Red Rock (Minn.) campmeeting on Sunday, July 2.

Bishop Joyce came to Minnesota six years ago. Previous to that time he had been presiding bishop of the Methodist missionary field work in China and Japan. It is said of him that he has spoken in the cause of religion in every civilized country of the world. Before going abroad he was a pastor at Chattanooga, Tenn., for four years, and at Cincinnati, O., six years. He is a graduate of Hartsell university, a United Brethren institution of Ohio. Bishop Joyce was 69 years old. He is survived by a wife and one son, Col. Frank M. Joyce, of this city.

TRAIN IS DITCHED.

Accident on Santa Fe Road Near Lemont, Ill.—One Man Is Killed.

Chicago, July 31.—The outgoing California express of the Santa Fe railroad, one of the heaviest of the transcontinental trains, went into the ditch at Lemont at 10:45 Saturday night. The smoking car and reclining chair car were overturned completely and smashed up, being rolled 30 feet from the track; the dining car and the four Pullmans were derailed. One man was killed outright and several were injured, some of them fatally. The wreck was attributed to high speed on a sharp curve.

Swedish Loan Arranged.

Stockholm, Sweden, July 31.—Arrangements have been completed by the government and a syndicate of banks at Hamburg, Berlin, Paris and Brussels, headed by the Stockholm Commercial bank for an immediate credit of $12,500,000, half of the loan authorized by the riksdag.

Five Killed in Wreck.

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.—A freight train wrecked in the Central of Georgia railway yards in the western part of the city Wednesday caused the deaths of three white men and one negro and fatal injuries to Yardmaster Fred Woodall.

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CONDEMNED MURDERER AND BIGAMIST REPRIEVED IN NICK OF TIME.

Gov. Deneen Acts When Assured Case Will Be Carried to Supreme Court, and Postpones Hanging Until August 25.

Chicago, July 29.—Gov. Deneen at 12:40 o'clock Friday granted Johann Hoch a reprieve until August 25, when the appeal of his case will be taken to the state supreme court. Mrs. May Wilson, known for her efforts to keep Capt. Streeter out of prison, started the train of events which eventually brought the governor's order for a stay by appearing at the county jail and promising to furnish the $600 necessary for taking Hoch's case to the supreme court. On this vague promise Mr. Deneen made a telephonic request that time set for the hanging be delayed an hour or so. Meanwhile Attorney Albert T. Thompson, a friend of Isadore Plotke, counsel for the bigamist, appeared on the scene in the role of "preserver" and gave $500 in new $10 bills toward the "Hoch defense fund." The receipt of this money, coupled with Plotke's promise to take his client's case to the supreme court, led State's Attorney Healy to ask the governor for the reprieve, and it was granted. It was 12:50 o'clock when Jailer Whitman, his face beaming with happiness, entered the death chamber and officially notified Hoch that he had been granted another lease of life. Hoch, at that time, had but 70 minutes more to live according to the mandate of the circuit court.

Five Murders Charged.

Five murders, in addition to the crime of wholesale bigamy, are attributed to Johann Hoch. The victims were his wives, and arsenic was the agency that ended their lives. Hoch, according to the police investigation of his carer, made matrimony his source of living for nearly ten years, making a specialty of German widows of the working class, whom he wedded and deserted after obtaining their savings.

Of the earlier history of Hoch and the marriages incident thereto little is known, but he confessed to having had 11 wives, six of whom are living. The wives who died and whom he is accused of having murdered are:

Huss, Mrs. Jacob—Married in Wheeling, W. Va., in 1877; died in three months, leaving Hoch $2,500.

Steinbrecker, Mrs. Julia—Married in Chicago August 5, 1895; died leaving Hoch $4,000.

Bartles, Mrs. Henry—Married in Cincinnati in March, 1897; died shortly.

Becker, Mrs. Mary—Married in St. Louis in 1903; died after a two days' illness.

Welcker, Mrs. Marie—Married in Chicago December 10, 1904; died January 12, 1905.

Hoch began his career in Chicago in 1892. In that year he married and lived under the name of C. A. Mayer. His wife, whose name is unknown, died three weeks after the wedding.

Last Episode His Undoing.

The particular matrimonial episode that led to the unmasking of Hoch as a "Bluebeard" was his marriage last December to Mrs. Marie Welcker, owner of a candy shop at Willow and Larrabee streets. After an illness of 23 days the woman died, exhibiting the symptoms of arsenical poisoning. A week later Hoch married the sister of his newly buried wife, and deserted her shortly afterward, and the case then was reported to the police.

January 19 last, the day following the charges made against Hoch by another sister of Mrs. Welcker Hoch, he disappeared with $750 which his new wife had given to him. He was captured in New York January 30.

Twenty-Three Killed.

Liverpool, July 28.—An electric express train on the Lancashire & Yorkshire railroad, bound from Liverpool to Southport, collided Thursday evening with an empty stationary train at the Hall Road station, causing the death of 23 persons and the injury of many. The first car of the express, which was crowded, was smashed to pieces and only six of its occupants escaped.

Held to the Grand Jury.

Terre Haute, Ind., July 28.—Gus A. Consman, formerly cashier of the failed Vigo county national bank, waived preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner A. M. Higgins on Thursday, and was held to await action of the federal grand jury, which meets in November. He furnished bonds for $10,000. Consman is charged with embezzling $1,000 of the bank's funds.

Voted for Lincoln.

Rochester, N. Y., July 31.—John W. Stebbins, for many years a prominent resident of this city, died Saturday night at the age of 86 years. He served in the assembly in 1855, and took a prominent part in the election of William H. Seward as United States senator. In 1864 he was a Lincoln presidential elector.

Rich Merchant Dead.

Panama, July 29.—Herman Luna, a rich German merchant who had resided on the isthmus for more than 40 years, is dead here.

Will Permit Women to Vote.

Melbourne, Victoria, July 27.—The Victorian assembly passed a bill granting the elective franchise to women.

DOUBT IS CAST ON PEACE MOVE.

NOT IMPROBABLE THAT NEGOTIATONS WILL FAIL IS JAP BELIEF.

Witte Says Conditions Must be Necisarily Based on Present Existing Conditions. The Conference May be Useless.

Tokio, Aug. 1.—Hot discussions prevails here among the people and in the press regarding what settlement the Japanese should make with Russia in the forthcoming peace negotiations.

Public opinion generally is agreed that the time is not yet ripe for peace overtures. Japanese people and press are doubtful. It is declared to be improbable that the negotiations will fail, as was the case in the Franco-Prussian war.

Many different opinions are held by prominent men in all classes as to what terms Japan ought to demand from Russia.

The following are understood as being generally agreed upon:

That the leases of Dalny, Port Arthur and other concessions obtained by Russia in Manchuria be transferred to Japan.

That Manchuria be opened to the commerce of the world, and the administration of Manchuria be taken in hand by Japan until order is restored completely.

That the Russian warships interned in neutral ports be delivered to Japan.

That the Eastern Chinese railway become Japanese property.

That the island Sakhalim be ceded to Japan.

That that part of the Amur region ceded to Russia by China in virtue of the Pekin treaty be ceded to Japan.

That the Amur and its tributaries be declared neutral waters, and the warships of the powers be allowed to use the waters freely.

That a certain area on the frontiers of China and Siberia be made a neutral zone, where all military operations shall be prohibited.

That minimum indemnity be from two to three million yen.

FIRE.

The Village of Excelsior Narrowly Escapes Destruction by Flames.

Minneapolis, Aug. 1.—A fire which threatened to destroy the business portion of the village of Excelsior broke out about 1 o'clock Monday morning in the Excelsior bakery located on the south side of Water street.

As soon as it was discovered that the fire could not be handled by the local fire department a call was sent to this city for help.

A steamer and two hose carts with the necessary horses and men were at once dispatched to the scene of the fire.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis railway supplied an engine and three cars for the apparatus, and the run to Excelsior was made in time to check the fire and to prevent its spread.

The Miller block, north of Elliott's meat market, was also in danger at one time, but the timely arrival of the Minneapolis firement saved it from burning..

Hakin's cafe across the street from the bakery caught fire but was saved with slight loss.

The bakery building was owned by Gust Pfeiffer, and the bakery was operated by George Dansow. The loss to building and contents will be about $4,000.

Struck Gas.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 1.—The Fergus Gas company, which is headed by Senator Cole, got its drilling apparatus into shape during the past week and struck its first gas pocket or vein at a depth of 63 feet. A pipe 12 inches in diameter is being put down. This pipe fills with water to within four feet of the surface. The gas bubbles up through the water and burns freely when lighted. The company will now suspend operations for a short time in order to make some tests before going further.

To Fight Standard Oil.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 1.—Negotiations practically have been completed by which the Mellons, the Pittsburg bankers, will combine all of the important oil interests of Kansas and the Indian Territory. Thus the Mellons will control the most powerful company independent of Standard Oil in the southwest.

Burned.

Staples, Minn., Aug 1.—The Palmer operahouse burned at 5 o'clock Sunday morning; loss, $7,000, with $5,000 insurance. The grocery firm of W. E. and O. C. Poore lost $3,000, partly covered by insurance. C. A. Poore, clothing, loss $2,000, partly covered.

Police Chief Mandamused.

St. Paul.—Chief O'Connor, of the city police force, was mandamused to show why he should not arrest George Dayton on a charge of maintaining a gambling place in the Grand Central hotel, Seventh and Wabasha streets.

Good Investment.

Waubay.—The farmers' elevator here is anither instance of a paying investment. After paying the officers' salaries, elevator expenses and dividends, there is $[illegible] clear gain.

RUSSIANS FLY IN DISORDER

Japs Capture Town of Rykoff and Strike Hard Blow at Retreating Enemy.

Tokio, July 31.—The following dispatch has been received from the Japanese army headquarters: "Our independent cavalry which entered Rykoff (on Sakholin island, 45 miles northeast of Port Due) July 27, withdrew on finding order in the city unfavorable to its occupation. Our army, intending to crush the enemy's forces before they retreated from the eminences west of Rykoff, commenced to advance at 3 a. m. of July 28. The van, together with an independent body of cavalry, advanced by forced marches, taking and dislodging the enemy holding the northern extremity of Rykoff and rushed into the town. Confused street fighting ensued, but the town was completely taken at 8:30 o'clock in the morning. The enemy's main strength, which opposed our right column, fled in disorder southward, taking the short route leading to Pareono. On July 28 a detachment which was sent south in pursuit of the enemy met the enemy's infantry, some 800 strong, at a point six miles south of Rykoff, and killed over 200 and captured 500. The enemy's strength opposed to our right column was some 3,000 infantry and four guns and four machine guns, and that opposed to our left column, some 2,000 infantry and four guns. The enemy's loss in trophies is under investigation."

St. Petersburg, July 31.—Gen. Stoessel has been relieved of command of the Third Siberian army corps.

DEADLY THUNDERBOLT.

Lightning Strikes Crowd at Coney Island and Kills Five Persons.

New York, July 31.—During a thunderstorm of terrific intensity which passed over New York Sunday afternoon five persons were struck by lightning and instantly killed, and nine were seriously injured at the Parkway baths, Coney island. At the same time one man was killed and three others prostrated at Gravesend beach. The intense heat of the morning attracted a great multitude to the shore resorts, and late in the afternoon, when the storm blew up from the westward the Parkway beach was thronged with bathers and spectators. The rain descended in torrents and hundreds of men, women and children sought shelter under the big bathhouse, which is elevated above the sand on piles. The lightning was incessant, and terrific thunderclaps shook the bathhouse, to the terror of the crowd huddled together beneath it. A few minutes before five o'clock a bolt struck the flagstaff and grounded in the very thickest of the crowd. Nearly 50 persons were prostrated and the rest, screaming with terror, rushed out into the storm. Those who had remained in the water were also panic-stricken and fled in all directions, not daring to enter the bathhouse, which appeared to be on fire. Ambulances were summoned from all the nearest hospitals, and on their arrival five persons were found dead and nine unconscious under the bathhouse. The bodies of all were scorched by the electric fluid.

BASEBALL.

Tables Which Show the Standing of Clubs of Two of the Leading Organizations.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	65	25	.722
Pittsburg	58	33	.637
Philadelphia	52	37	.584
Chicago	52	39	.571
Cincinnati	46	45	.505
St. Louis	33	59	.359
Boston	29	62	.319
Brooklyn	27	62	.303
American league:			
Chicago	50	32	.610
Cleveland	53	35	.602
Philadelphia	48	35	.578
Detroit	43	42	.506
New York	39	41	.488
Boston	39	43	.476
St. Louis	32	52	.381
Washington	30	54	.357

To Stop Smuggling.

New York, July 27.—The custom house authorities intend to take active measures to stop the extensive smuggling of tobacco at Bayonne, N. J., where on Saturday 27 bales of Sumatra tobacco, valued at about $2,000, were seized in the house of a woman who is said to be the agent of a gang of smugglers. There have been 20 cases of alleged smuggling lately at Bayonne, and in every instance the vessels belonged to the Standard Oil company.

Deficit Scaled Down.

Washington, July 31.—The monthly statement of the government receipts and expenditures, which will be issued by the treasury department on August 1, will show the receipts for July, 1905, to have been approximately $49,180,000 and the expenditures about $62,960,000, leaving a deficit for the month of $12,680,000. The deficit last July was $17,900,000.

Call for Farm Hands.

Des Moines, Ia., July 28.—One of the most urgent calls for harvest hands received in this city has come from North Dakota, where a local employment firm was notified that 1,000 men were wanted in that state to harvest the wheat crops.

Has Resigned.

Washington, July 27.—Announcement is made at the department of agriculture that Mrs. Bertha Burch, private secretary to former Statistician Hyde has resigned and that the resignation has been accepted.

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Long ago a prophet said "Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad," and the Republican leaders are giving added evidence to the truth of the adage. They imagine the average voter to be so thoroughly imbued with the notion that Republican policies and candidates are sacred things, and that a scratch on the Republican ticket is an insult to the state. These "leaders" ought to know better than to advance such puerile arguments. They have enough bats on the head to have learned the lesson that the Minnesota voter is a free and independent animal who is neither led to water nor made to drink of a decoction that smells bad.

Under existing conditions the Republican voter has no voice in nominating a ticket or constructing a platform. The ticket is named by one of the several crowds that want the offices; the platform dictated by Bill Grimshaw or some other representative of the Federal end of the machine. It is no wonder the voter tires of this sort of thing, and the breaking away from the thraldom of party prejudice is a sure and certain indication that the voter is getting his eyes opened.

No man nor no party has a mortgage on a voters conscience. If a candidate for office fails to come up to the required standard; if he is notoriously corrupt or unfitted; if he has robbed the people, or if he is controlled by interests that will use him for purposes of plunder and prostitution, it is the duty of the intelligent, and God-fearing voter to use every effort and employ all legitimate means to defeat him.

The idea that a candidate should be supported because he is on "my ticket"—Bah! Better call back the Roman oligarchy and be done with it.

THE Faribault Pilot calls upon the governor to order an investigation of the accounts in the office of the board of control. Why not? The people are entitled to know how their money has been spent. It would be better for the state if every department should be subject to rigid investigation. The overhauling in the auditor's office, for instance, has resulted in a number of wholesome reforms.

RECIPROCITY with Canada is not a probability of the near future. The United States has dilly-dallied too long, and the special interests of Canada—the lumbermen and manufacturers—have discovered that they do not want competition from the United States. In the meantime the farmers on both sides of the line are getting the worst of it.

PAUL MORTON will need more than a presidential whitewash to repair the damage to his reputation. Many of the leading Republican papers are now charging that as president of the Equitable he is the tool of Thos. F. Ryan, the Wall street gambler who controls the capitol insurance company.

THE St. Paul Dispatch still insists that the Seabury incident is "a political play" on the part of Governor Johnson. Maybe it is, but the people of Minnesota like to see the grafters exposed, whether they be of the royal purple or plebian.

CHARLIE MITCHELL'S paper, the Fairmont News, has gone out of existence, having been purchased by the Independent. Mr. Mitchell will leave Fairmont, and rumor has it that he is slated for a federal job.

THE Fairmont Sentinel suggests that P. Ellard Dowling get the smell of Standard oil from his clothes before announcing his candidacy for lieutenant governor.

MINNEAPOLIS is getting to be a big girl now, and how proud she must be of the fact that Loren Fletcher succeeds to John Lind's shoes.

ONE by one the heroes fall, and there'll be more yet ere the campaign against graft is o'er.

CAN NOT BUILD THE CANAL.

J. D. Yeomans, formerly a member of the inter-state commerce commission, says the Panama canal project is the biggest humbug of the age and that it will never be built. Among other drawbacks to the scheme he points out the following:

"The Penama canal is the biggest humbug of the age. I have no hesitation in saying that, in my opinion there will never be a canal built there. No important American engineer who was not paid for it ever hazarded the opinion that there would be a canal there. The last monthly report of the work done shows that it will take 110 years to finish it The weeds grow in one end faster than they can carry out dirt in the other.

"No engineer has ever found a rock or clay bed in that celebrated Culebra cut, where the U. S. has done most of its work. There has been a cut of 30 feet there and thirty inches rain falls in thirty hours down those banks. Does anyone suppose that the alluvial soil won't wash down in there to make a mud canal too thick for a government dredge boat to keep afloat in?

"The Nicaragua route was feasible, and for that reason it was abandoned. I was a member of a syndicate prepared to build the canal for $120,000,000 tons of merchandise annually. We were prepared to do the work in four years. This looked too much like a canal, and the great influnces behind the present transcontinental transporation business suddenly ceased opposing the canal project and pushed the clamor over to Panama. The men who run our big railroads know what Panama is. By the Nicaragua route as projected a ship could leave New York harbor and arrive in San Francisco in eighteen days. No freight train is scheduled to go overland inside of twenty three days. That's what struck in the Nicaragua project. Red tape, civil service reforms and yellow fever will do the rest."

The Seabury Investigation.

Blue Earth Post: Governor Johnson is doing his duty, his whole duty in holding up the bill of Channing Seabury, chairman of the capitol commission. It will be a good thing for the honest members to have every item scrutinized from the start to finish. Johnson is doing his duty—doing what Lind and Van Sant failed to do. There is no more call for praise on the part of his admirers than there is for criticism by his political enemies. Honest officials court the closest scrutiny and grafters deserve it. On the face of it, Seabury's bill looked as if it should have been handed in at the office of the Equitable Assurance company of which "the late" Chauncey Depew was a member of the board of grafters.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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LABOR DAY PROCLAMATION.

Governor Johnson Calls on Citizens to Observe the Holiday.

Governor Johnson yesterday issued a Labor Day proclamation, setting aside Monday, Sept. 4th as the day. Unlike the formal proclamation of former executives, Governor Johnson, in passing, makes some general comments upon the subjects of labor, capital and problems arising from the relations of capital to labor. The proclamation follows:

The legislature of the state having designated the first Monday in September of each year as labor day and it being desirable that this day be generally observed,

Now, therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of said state, pursuant to law and costom, do hereby request that on Monday, Sept. 4 A. D. 1905, there be a general suspension of trade and toil. Labor is the basis of all wealth and prosperity. In the community of interest so essential to our well being and our progress, the relation of the employer and employee should not be strained. Between capital and labor there should be difference. Labor, seldom asking for more, should always be given a fair chance. In all problems involving any difference between capital and labor there should not only be a just toleration, but wise and patriotic consideration. On this day let there be not only the recreation of the holiday but a discussion of problems looking toward a settlement of differences, the realization of the true dignity of labor and the establishment of all industry on the basis of equal rights to every citizen. Let full co-operation follow and in the enjoyment of this day let the central thought be the up-building of the state and nation and the elevation of the citizen to the highest possible standard.

GRAIN BOARD OF APPEALS.

Members Organize and Elect Arthur Evenson Chairman.

Gov. Johnson last week reorganized the new state board of grain appeals, the members of which will take offices Aug. 1. The following members were assigned to Minneapolis: Arthur Evenson, St. Peter; W. F. Keslo, Hallock, and S. F. Thorson, Winthrop. The following members will sit at Duluth: Philander McCarger, Fergus Falls, T. B. McManus, Crookston, and Theo. Thorson, Glenwood.

Neither division of the board, however, will be identified permanently with Duluth or Minneapolis. It was decided that two boards should rotate between Duluth and Minneapolis. The two divisions will make alternate shifts weekly between the Zenith City and Minneapolis. This is the first time that such an arrangement has been secured. Gov. Johnson attempted to have the old board do this during the last few months of its existence, but it flatly refused to do so.

Arthur Evenson was chosen chairman of the board. He has been a member for the last six months, having been selected to succeed the late Martin Lally. The members assigned to Duluth left last evening to acquaint themselves with the conditions there.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague", that claims so many victims every year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. For sale by A. I. Reichert.

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The rails on a track that appears to be well laid often begin to move lengthwise, so slowly that their motion is imperceptible, until its results have accumulated, but with such great force that nothing will stop it. The onward movement of the rail tears up spikes, and shears off steel bolts. The motion is always in the direction of traffic and is due to the moving trains. To prevent this is still a question unanswered, but golden grain belt beer will prevent ill health. Get a case for home use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

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Mrs. Leone Dolehan.

Miss Louise Matt.

Miss Anna Prescott, in a letter from 216 South Seventh street, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

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Mrs. Leone Dolehan, in a letter from the Commercial Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of dang r to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to p s at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

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Some stove men say on the right hand side, but we don't think so, don't believe it's the place at all, and let's tell our reasons why. When on the right hand side, that body of cold water is bound to have effect on the heating of your oven for all the heat must pass by it. Then if you want to heat water only, you have to heat your oven, too. When it's on the left side you heat water much quicker, easier, in fact can have it boiling if you want to. And to heat water only you don't require near the fuel and don't heat up the room.

The Majestic Reservoir is on the left side

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

John Bourdon is reported as being very sick.

C. L. Hanson, of Fertile, was in the city over Sunday.

Big bargains in stoves and ranges at Hunt's hardware store.

We were in error last week when we stated that the stranger who died

Crookston is advertising a street fair to take place Aug. 7th to the 12th.

H. H. Zaiser was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday between trains.

Miss May Lee went to Thief River Falls yesterday for a visit with friends.

Prof. A. Onstad was at St. Hilaire last evening drilling the band at that place.

Thos. Johnstone, the fire apparatus man from Crookston, is in the city to-day.

Some of our farmers have began to cut barley. The yield is large this season.

County Atty. Germo took in the drainage meeting at Crookston Tuesday evening.

Marcus Johnson arrived in the city yesteaday morning for a short business stay.

J. K. Wood, county surveyor, was down from Thief River Falls over Monday night.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was among those who visited the county seat Saturday.

Messrs. Schultz and Provost, of Dorothy, were county seat business callers Monday.

Dr. J. E. Argue went to St. Hilaire this morning on his regular professional visit.

Atty. Chas. N. Boughton is at Fergus Falls where he was called on legal business.

Ralph Converse, is now a resident of Cass Lake and is assisting his father on the Times.

Ernest Buse and son, E. G. were at Mentor Tuesday where they purchased a team of horses.

Z. Bregier opened his new pool room Saturday. It will no doubt prove a popular resort for our amusement loving people.

Frank E. Hunt announces some bargains in stoves and ranges in his adv. this week.

J. W. Lynch, one of Equality's prosperous citizens, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

S. A. Swanson was at St. Hilaire Tuesday where he went to close a threshing machine deal.

The Busy Store announces a big discount sale this week in their advertisement. Look it up.

We have a number of second hand binder canvasses that we are selling cheap.—F. E. Hunt.

Theo. LaBissoiere went to Maple Lake last evening where he will visit an uncle for a few days.

It was exceedingly cool Sunday evening and some of the nervous ones were looking for a frost.

Miss Carrie [illegible] arrived in the city Tuesday from Bemidji and will visit her parents for a few days.

If you want a baby carriage or go-cart you can get one for less than cost at Hunt's hardware store.

Miss Emma Allard joined the party of young ladies from this city camping at Maple Lake last evening.

Dr. Dunlap, of Crookston, was in the city Saturday consulting with Dr. Watson in a case east of town.

The Red Lake Falls boys who camped at Maple Lake for a few weeks returned home Monday.

Oscar Fredricks, of the Scandia Bank at Crookston, was in the city the first of the week visiting friends.

Adolph Olson, one of the instructors at the summer school, departed Tuesday for his home at Brandon.

F. J. Parker and family, of Marshall, were guests of Messrs. Simons and Bourdon in this city over Sunday.

Mrs. Hennings returned from Maple Lake Monday where she had chaperoned a party of girls for a week.

at the John Drier home, was named Ryan. Mr. Drier tells us the unfortunate man's name was Matt Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Groshong returned last week from the southern part of the state where they visited relatives.

For Sale—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Mayor Duffy and Representative Simons were at Crookston Tuesday evening attending the drainage meeting.

The Thief River Falls trap shooters failed to put in an appearance Sunday on account of the threatening weather.

J. K. Johnson went to Climax Monday where he is building an elevator for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Supt. Jenks and family of the Great Northern passed through the city Monday in their special car, bound for Greenbush.

There was no mail from the south yesterday morning, the telegraph operators strike being responsible for the delay.

E. B. Ho[illegible] passed through the city Saturday on his way to St. Paul after visiting friends at St. Hilaire for several days.

Walter Quesnell, who has been employed at Brooks for some time past, has resigned his position and is now in the city.

Joseph Po[illegible]ot is at Grand Forks this week taking in the street fair. From there he will go to Maple Lake for a few days recreation.

Mrs. F. A. [illegible]dy and children, who have been out of the city for two months past visiting relatives, are expected home this week.

Local shooters are beginning to talk about the merits of their bird dogs and are anxiously awaiting the opening of the chicken season.

Mrs. [illegible] H. Martin, of Crookston, arrived in the city yesterday and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere, for a few days.

Sam Allard has accepted a position with Grand Forks Lumber Co. and is now at work in that city. He is employed in the planning mill.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending July 29 1905: W. H. Taft, D. McDongall.

Editor Ives of St. Hilaire passed through the city Monday evening on his way to Crookston to help organize the Red River Valley Editorial Assn.

The coal man is already getting in his work for next winter. Several people have been laying in a supply of the necessary article this week.

The "kid band" is meeting regularly every Monday evening now days and will soon be able to furnish new members for the regular band.

Merril Roux returned home from western Canada last Friday. He has a claim in that country and spends six months each year on the property.

L. Rewerts, of Gervias, received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his father at Wabasso, Minn. He left last evening to attend the funeral.

Willie Roux and Wm. Philon returned home from Crookston last Friday. They had been employed at the saw mill in that city for some months past.

Gunder Krostoe, of Fisher, representative from the 61st district, was in the city last Friday the guest of his friend and co-worker, Hon. L. O. Simons.

The many friends of Miss Mayme Linnihan will be pleased to learn that she is recovering nicely from her illness and no further trouble is looked for.

S. M. Sivertson returned from Climax this morning. He reports this morning's storm as being a local affair and thinks there was but little damage done.

While south of the city three or four miles last Saturday V. M. Higinbotham saw a young fawn. Three deer are reported as being in that neighborhood.

Sheriff Linnihan went to Greenbush Tuesday, taking the young man who was recently returned from Fergus Falls to the authorities of Rosseau county.

A. M. Anderson, of the firm of Anderson & Wander, went to the cities last Friday. He went on a buying tour and also to visit his parents in St. Paul.

The Thief River Falls trap shooters have sent down word that they will surely be here Sunday. A shooting tournament will be pulled off on the old base ball grounds.

The band gave a concert Tuesday evening. Although the concert was given on short notice one of the largest crowds of [illegible]

Orban Hamry returned to the city this week after spending about four months in the Red Lake country. He has been at work for a lumber company towing logs across the lake.

The telegraph operators on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads are out on a strike, and as a consequence the train service has not been up to the usual standard the past day or two.

Roy Walker returned Monday from Marshall where he was called last week by the serious illness of his father. He reports his father as being much improved.

H. W. Anderson returned home Monday morning from St. Paul where he had spent a week with his parents and old acquaintances. He reports a most pleasant vacation.

The Royal Neighbors will give a dance this evening at the Woodman hall. Ice cream and cake will be served in the Blake building from 4 until 12 o'clock. Tickets, 50c.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses, or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson, optician.

Assessor Moran returned Saturday from St. Paul where he spent several days last week with relatives and friends. He reports a most pleasant time while at the capital city.

Arthur Mercier was down from Thief River Falls over Monday night. He reports doing a good business at the upper falls and is well pleased with his new business venture.

Ed. Bray left for his new home in western Canada a week ago and is now located in that part of the world. He is running a hotel and bar room and is reported to be enjoying a large business.

Mark Hall, of Auburn, Neb., arrived in the city last week and has been visiting his son, Homer, the Great Northern operator, this week. Mr. Hall will return to his southern home tomorrow.

Chas. F. Latta, editor of the Plummer Pioneer, passed through the city Wednesday on his way home from Crookston where he helped organize the Red River Valley Editorial Association.

Clerk of Courts Perrault is finding fault because there is no business in the marriage license line these days. He even threatens to get married himself just to keep his hand in on the license line.

Peder Nepper, the young man recently sent to the insane asylum at Fergus Falls from this county, was brought back Saturday by one of the attendants of the institution, the management of the asylum declaring [illegible]

The Red Lake County Teachers Association held a meeting Monday at the Lafayette school building. Chas. Moller was re-elected president of the association. The other officers elected were as follows: Vice Pres., Miss Anne [illegible] [illegible]

Mrs. Robt. Bourdon, Miss Ella Kreuger, Miss Clara Allison and Carl Kreuger went to Maple Lake Saturday. The party returned Monday with the exception of Mrs. Bourdon who remained until yesterday.

A hard rain storm passed over this section early this morning. The rain came down in torrents and the wind blew a gale for a few minutes. It is said some hail fell, but as yet no damage to crops has been reported.

The Northern Pacific Ry. will sell round trip tickets to the North Dakota State Fair, Grand Forks, Aug. 28 to Sept. 2, return limit Sept. 4, for one fare plus 50c. This covers admission to fair. Children at half fare.

George, the thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Orr, living east of the city, was very sick last week with a bowel complaint but is now pronounced out of danger and is rapidly regaining his usual good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Romsos, of Wylie, were in the city Monday evening and boarded the Great Northern train bound for Mabel, a town in the southern part of the state. They will visit relatives of Mrs. Romsos.

Mrs. Everdell went to her home at Whapeton, N. D., Tuesday after having acted as one of the instructors at the summer school in this city. She left many friends in Red Lake county who will remember her with pleasure.

Sheriff Linnihan and Policeman Lizee were at St. Cloud last week where they took Percy Brown, the young man who stole money and jewelry at the Central hotel last week. He will serve a term at the reform school.

L. F. Lammers, of Heron [illegible] was in the city Monday and looked the surrounding country over thoroughly before his return home. He is one of the prominent [illegible] and citizens of the southwestern part of the state.

J. A. Kenney and E. J. Bray, of St. Hilaire, were pleasant visitors at the COURIER office Tuesday. Mr. Kenney had just procured a marriage license from Clerk Perrault and was of course a very happy man. The COURIER joins with his numerous friends in wishing he and his bride much joy and happiness for years to come.

Dr. Frank R. Sedgley, one of the attendants at the Fergus Falls insane asylum, was in the city Saturday, bringing the young man from Rosseau county home. The doctor is a most pleasant gentleman and made a number of friends during his short visit.

At a recent meeting of the board of education Dr. N. M. Watson was elected as director to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sam Allard. The doctor is eminently qualified for the position and will make a first class official.

C. S. Yeager, who was the conductor of the summer training school, left Tuesday for his home in Fosston. Mr. Yeager is an instructor of ability and has made many friends among the teachers of Red Lake county this summer.

Two residents of Wyandotte township got into trouble last Sunday one of the parties having the other arrested for assault. The hearing was held before Justice Lewis of this city who thought that both men should give bonds to keep the peace.

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Our last week's Get Away Sale cleaned us of light weight Dress Goods. Now comes a SWEEPING REDUCTION on all Summer and Gauze UNDERWEAR. You get what you want for the whole family.

25 Per Cent Discount

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The balance of our summer Shirt Waist stock will go at the same reductions. Colors in tan, white and grays. Remember 25 PER CENT. OFF.

Just received an excellent piece of Ecru Cable Net for curtain and door panels, 5[illegible] inches wide, price **50c per yard.**

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If so, Fruit Jars and Sealing Waxes sold by us are guaranteed, delivered in perfect condition, which is an inducement in getting up fruits.

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TO clean up our stock and make room for new fall Goods we offer the following big bargains:

1 GARLAND Steel Range 6 hole, with reservoir and high closset, worth $60, now $50

1 ACORN Steel Range, 4 hole, with reservoir and higt shelf, worth $45.00, now $45

1 No. 9 CAST COOK Stove worth $16— now $12

1 No. 9 [illegible] COOK Stove with [illegible] worth $30, now $25

1 No. 9 CAST COOK stove with reservoir, worth $25, now $20

We also have one refrigerator left worth $20, take it at $15

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SKIN DISEASES
SPEAK FOR THE BLOOD

Skin Diseases speak for the blood and tell of the acid-laden, poisonous condition of that vital fluid, and of its effort to throw off and rid the system of the poisons and waste matters that have accumulated in it. Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, Boils and diseases of this type are all caused by a weakened and polluted blood circulation, and though they may have lain dormant in the system during the cold weather, at the coming of Spring and Summer, when the blood is reacting and making extra efforts to expel all morbid and poisonous matter, they make their appearance. External remedies cannot cure; they soothe and give temporary relief, but often clog the pores and glands, and the poison causing the trouble is thus shut up in the system to break out afresh later on. S. S. S., a purely vegetable blood remedy, cures all skin diseases by going down into the circulation, driving out all poisons and waste matters, strengthening the blood, leaving the skin soft and smooth, and building up the entire system by its tonic effect. S. S. S. cures Nettle Rash, Poison Oak and all skin diseases that enter the system through the pores and glands, as well as those that have their origin in the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

In 1896 I experienced at times patches on the inside of my hands that itched and burned, causing much discomfort. I was convinced I was afflicted with a type of Eczema. I consulted several physicians, and used several external applications, receiving but slight temporary relief. I decided to try S. S. S., and soon I found myself entirely cured.
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GOPHER GOSSIP.

St. Paul.—Gov. Johnson seeks assistance for flood sufferers.

St. Paul.—The mutilated body of an infant is found in Pike lake.

St. Paul.—Joseph Trinke is killed while working in Omaha roundhouse.

St. Paul.—Miss Mathilde Schuster follows her sweetheart to the grave.

St. Paul.—Mary Matheson, 589 Charles street, nine years old, is drowned in the river.

Winona.—The steamer Clyde, which was overturned by the gale near Minneiska, has been raised.

Duluth.—The city's population is 64,946, compared with 52,969 in 1900, an increase of 11,977, or 22.6 per cent.

St. Paul.—Henry Blakeley of St. Paul is appointed general Western freight agent of the Northern Pacific.

Robbinsdale.—Oliver W. Newell, a prominent citizen and veteran of the civil war, died very suddenly at his home.

Minneapolis.—A party of newspaper men are the guests of the state on a trip to inspect the state's resources.

Winona.—At the close of the summer school session twenty students will be graduated from the Winona normal school.

St. Paul.—The record for the county morgue for July shows seventeen cases, the largest in the history of the institution.

Moorhead.—The meat market of G. M. Huffaker was entered by burglars during the night and the cash register rifled of $5.90.

Hastings.—Foul murder is charged by Coroner Kramer in connection with the body of a 1-year-old child taken from Pickerel lake.

Seattle.—S. G. Fulton, assistant general freight agent of the Northern Pacific, will be offered a place in the service of the company at St. Paul.

Winona.—Union men will abandon their big parade on Labor day this year and in place of a demonstration in the city will have an excursion and outing.

Minneapolis.—While alone in her home Mrs. Christina Miller, living at 2715 Twenty-sixth avenue south, dropped dead in the kitchen of her house.

Minneapolis.—The exodus to secure cheaper lands is assigned as the reason for a decrease in the population of some of the Southern Minnesota counties.

Stillwater.—The population of this city has increased 117 since 1900. The census bureau announced the 1905 count, which is 12,435. In 1900 it was 12,318.

Minneapolis.—After forty days the river gave up the body of Frank Eller, the eldest son of Patrolman Thomas Eller, who was drowned on the evening of June 13.

Aitkin.—Conditions in the flood devastated district about here have not been exaggerated and $25,000 will be needed to tide over the inhabitants until harvest time next year.

Duluth.—Twenty-eight thousand four hundred and nineteen tons is the increase in tonnage of the vessels enrolled in the port of Duluth this year over that of last season.

Duluth.—Winnipeg won the four-oared race in the regatta here, crossing the line fifteen feet ahead of the Minnesota four from St. Paul. Duluth was third, considerably in the rear.

Minneapolis.—Andrew Nordin was buried under a ton of earth while excavating for a connection with the water main at 18 University avenue southeast in Minneapolis, causing his death.

New Prague.—The supply building of the cooper shop burned. The loss was about $2,000, with no insurance. The building was the property of the New Prague Flouring Mill company.

Lake City.—William Funke, aged 20, a well known youth of Wabasha county, living about nine miles from this city, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a revolver.

St. Paul.—John Lajor, 65 years old, a colored laborer for the Barber Asphalt company, and living on Woodbridge street, dropped dead on his way to work. Apoplexy was the cause of his death.

Mankato.—Ralph Neuman, the 15-year-old son of Christian Neuman, died of lockjaw. While working at the Pay candy factory a rod of a lemon drop machine struck his left foot, breaking the flesh.

Crookston.—Unless the Crookston Lumber company appeals to the supreme court Emery Ulseth of this city will secure the sum of $2,000 for a broken nose, received while employed as a lumber piler.

Duluth.—Iron mining men express mild but genuine surprise that the state officials should propose to have steps taken to increase the royalties on state properties that are now under lease to mining companies.

Winona.—Five thousand tons of wild hay has been lost to the Winona market because of the continued high water this summer. This is the conservative estimate of some of the leading hay dealers in this section.

Tyler.—Rev. H. J. Pederson, founder of the Danebod college, and formerly pastor of the Danish Lutheran church here, died at his home in Ruthton after a long and painful sickness. Rev. Mr. Pedersen was one of the foremost clergymen of the Lutheran church in America.

Stillwater.—When Thomas Moran was released from prison he was taken in charge by Sheriff Rawlings of Monona county, Iowa, to face the charge of stealing a team of horses May 16, 1901. Gov. Johnson honored the requisition of the governor of Iowa.

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
j13-27 Judge of Probate.

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ECHOES.

"Eenie, meenie, miney mo,
Crack a fenney, finey fo,
Ommanuga, poppatuga,
Rick, stick, dan do."
No sense for savants wisdom laden
Lies within that childish strain;
But there's bliss that comes from Aidenn
Down life's golden shore again,
When the lay that used to throb us
Comes from out the long ago,
Time, old graybeard, cannot rob us
Of our "eenie, meenie mo."

"Entry, mentry, cutey corn,
Apple seed and apple thorn,
Wire, brier, limber lock,
Six geese in a flock."
Ah! old graybeard, you can never
Still the song that used to thrill,
Hide away the forms that ever
Troop along the meadow hill.
Song of cheer and mery laughter!
Lad and lassie, they will flock
Through the years of the hereafter
With their sunny "limber lock."

"One zaw, two zaw, zig zaw zam,
Bobtail, vinegar, ticklum tan,
Harum, scarum, virgum marum,
Stringlum, stranglum, buck and John."
Ah! we recall each joyous fellow,
And each lassie sweet and fair,
With the silver moonbeams mellow
Spreading halos o'er them there,
And again their faces meet us
As no other faces can;
And their voices come to greet us
With the dear old "zig zaw zan."

"Eenie, meenie, monie my,
Bassaloney, boney, stry,
Hare, ware, crown, nack,
Alko, balko, we wo wack."
No classic stanzas laid before us
E'en by master hands can thrall,
Cannot thril us and implore us,
Like that far-off echoing call.
There is throb of joy and frolic,
Sweetness of the days gone by,
Trembling in each ringing rollick
Of our "eenie, monie my."
—Horace Seymour Keller, in N. Y. Sun.

THE EVICTION OF MONSIEUR

By
J. C. PLUMMER

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"OUT on the street he goes, bag and baggage," said Mrs. Raggett, "unless he pays me what he owes me. And to-morrow morning, too."

"I think Musseer Grande means all right," remonstrated Capt. Gaggett, somewhat feebly.

"You are a nice judge of people, you are," retorted his wife, scornfully, "there's not a rum-sucking old sailor about the wharves who hasn't borrowed money from you, and they all mean well. You'd think the Old Boy meant well, I suppose, if he stuck you on his fork."

Capt. Raggett, guiltily conscious of having loaned Capt. Simon Bond a dollar, that very morning, held his peace.

"For a whole month that old Frenchman has been promising me my money," continued Mrs. Raggett, "says he's a letter coming from France with a lot of money in it. Where's the letter, I'd like to know? I won't be made a fool of no more."

"Wait until to-morrow night," pleaded Capt.. Raggett, "the letter may come tomorrow."

"Letter from the moon," sniffed his wife, "there's no letter, you ninny; he's only playing off on me for time."

"If you please," said a gentle voice from the staircase, "is it that the post has come not yet?"

"Yes, he's come, gone and forgot it," replied Mrs. Raggett, roughly.

"And no letter," cried Monsieur Grande, with a gesture of despair. "I am desolated, Madame Raggett. Again I cannot fulfil my promise. But patience, Madame, it must come, it must come."

"There may have been gales at sea," put in Capt. Raggett.

"Yes, yes," exclaimed the Monsieur, "and held the ships ahead, no aback; patience, Madame, patience."

The old man ascended the stairs to his room, supperless, for Mrs. Raggett had made no hospitable sign.

Monsieur Grande was the sole boarder at the Raggett mansion. The tall, thin, old Frenchman, with the oval of his face accentuated by the grey imperial at his chin, with his gentle manners and perpetual struggle with the idioms of the English language, had made many friends in the neighborhood, but he had never made a favorable impression on Mrs. Raggett. That strenuous lady denounced his gentleness as weakness, and his mistakes in language, stupidity. At first the Monsieur made a meagre living, writing for some Franch newspaper, but, latterly, his contributions seemed unwelcome, and he became back in his board. Then a letter came from France, and the Monsieur came to Mrs. Raggett, his face as radiant as a sunny day in June. In his excited manner he read that a legal matter had been settled in France, and that a remittance of 3,000 frans would be made the monsieur by the next mail. Monsieur trod on the air. He invited both the captain and his wife to a dinner at a French restaurant, and to the theatre afterwards. He promised treats, galore, to the neighbors, and presents to the dirty children, who loved to play tricks on the old Frenchman.

But day succeeded day, and the letter came not. Day by day the irony of Mrs. Raggett changed to insulting mockery, and the gentle old man was overwhelmed with shame. Wistfully he watched for the postman each day, and sadly he bowed his head, as he passed the house, without leaving the expected missive.

Capt. Raggett, entering his room, stealthily, found the old man sitting with his face on his hands.

"Ahoy, musseer," said the captain, softly, "here's a bit of bread and 'am I hooked from the safe. Eat it."

"I am desolated," groaned the monsieur, "will the letter nevaire come?"

"Musseer," said the captain, suffering from a throat obstruction, "you'd better get ready to weigh anchor to-morrow."

"Comment?" asked the monsieur.

"The missus 'll ask you to get out to-morrow," explained the captain, still suffering with impeded utterance. "I want to give you the word."

"I must leave; is it that I must leave?"

"That's what she says," said the captain, "and you come straight down to the schooner Nautilus. I'll give you a berth."

"But, my letter, captain. It will come here, and I must be here to get it."

Capt. Raggett shook his head, sadly. He did not believe in the letter, but not for the world would he have had the monsieur suspect his doubts.

Mrs. Raggett arose the next morning, in a first rate humor for an eviction. She had slept poorly, and had discovered that her husband had loaned a dollar to Capt. Bond. She ate breakfast with a ferocious gleam in her eyes, which chilled the blood of the captain, and directly the meal was finished she prepared for action.

"Mister Grande," she said, sharply, entering the room of the old Frenchman, "I've come for the money due me."

"Mais the letter, it has not come," exclaimed the old man. "When it comes I will pay you."

"Mister Grande," said Mrs. Raggett, "you will do me the favor of leaving this house and board."

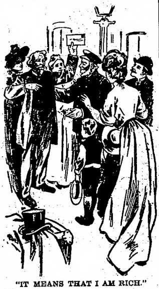
Monsieur Grande made no move to leave. He sat, as if stunned, in his room.

Mrs. Raggett was a woman of prompt action. She summoned a ragged, slattern of a man, called Pete, who did odd jobs for enough to buy a drink, and ordered him to carry the monsieur's scanty furniture out on the sidewalk.

The neighbors gathered, as the small pile of effects were placed alongside the gutter, and commented in undertones. When the last piece of furniture was out of the room, Pete grasped the arm of the old man, as he leaned against the wall, and began to drag him out. Then something happened. Pete lay down, suddenly, on the floor, his head striking the boards with a thump, and Capt. Raggett, his face as red as a lobster, escorted the old man carefully down stairs.

Pathetically, the old man perched himself on the pile of his household goods, and concealed his face with his hands. The neighbors looked on, silently. Many of them had undergone the same misfortune in their time, and their sympathy was not the less, because they were silent. They were not wont to be expressive of their emotions.

Suddenly, the old Frenchman's head arose, a hopeful, wistful expression came into his eyes, for away up the street he saw the grey uniform of the postman. He came briskly down the street, stopping at one house after another, until he reached the Raggett house.


"IT MEANS THAT I AM RICH."

Monsieur gazed at him, eagerly.

"Nothing," said the postman, shaking his head.

"Rien," groaned the old man, his head dropping on his breast.

Mrs. Raggett laughed scornfully, and Capt. Raggett, who was leaning against the mantel-piece in the lowest possible spirits, was so depressed at the nondelivery of the letter that he knocked a nickel clock off the mantel and with it a mass of papers tucked behind the clock.

"Orkard idjut," exclaimed Mrs. Raggett.

The captain solemnly picked up the clock and replaced it. Then he gathered up the papers. There was one bulky envelope from some installment house which had come unsealed and contained advertising matter. As the captain picked this up another letter dropped from out of the advertisements.

"What's this?" exclaimed he, "a letter for M. M. Francois Grande. Where did this come from?"

Mrs. Raggett colored. "I suppose it got tucked into that there other letter and nobody noticed it," she said. "Let me see it."

"It belongs to Musseer Grande," said the captain, and he bore it to him.

With eyes gleaming, with gaelic utterances pouring from his lips, the old man opened the letter. There was the draft for 3,000 francs, and, more, a promise of a like sum in two months.

The old Frenchman waved the draft, triumphantly.

"I was sure, captain," he exclaimed. "It is that I am riche. It is that we have a dinner at the restaurant, that the friends have presents and the children have bon-bons."

Mrs. Raggett was harsh, but she had some feeling. She declined the invitation to the dinner.

"It'd have choked me," she exclaimed.

Monsieur still boards at the Raggett house. His articles sell again, and in two months' time another draft and another dinner, more presents, more bonbons for the children.

If the imported ants really destroy the boll weevil, they will be forgiven any additional annoyance they cause in connection with the picnic pie and cake.

THE TERM "IDIOT."

In the Original Greek It Simply Meant a Private Person.

The word idiot is itself of interesting history. Its primary Greek significance was that of a private as distinguished from a public person. Our words idiom, idiosyncrasy, etc., are from the same root. The idiot in Greek was simply one not engaged in public affairs. The beginnings of the degradation of the word are shown in its application soon to the common people as distinguished from the upper classes. It was then applied to unprofessional and lay people and soon became the slurring title of the unskillful and awkward. By slow degrees it became applicable to the stupid and at last to the imbecile and idiot. As late as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries the word was still used in its earlier senses. This long sad history speaks indirectly of the pathetic history of the imbecile. If he was not killed or starved to death by neglect, etc., he was usually reduced to the condition of a beast either about the house or fields or was actually driven into the woods and forced to live in caves, among wild animals, etc. In 1799 Itard took a "wild boy" found in the forests of Aveyron and tried to teach him. The ability of the wild boys and wolf children to live and the number that did so shows that idiocy, as we have later learned, is of all degrees and that a mind may be variously defective in some ways, even idiotic, but in others with capabilities well preserved. Blind Tom, the pianist, and the large number of mathematic idiots are examples that show how far we are from understanding the real nature of idiocy, and they more than suggest the partial retention of sound mentality of the defective, the possibility of seizing upon the one or few normal or even highly developed faculties and perhaps bringing others into co-ordination with them and to normality. The court fools and jesters of the olden times were often such partial idiots and defectives, and they truly lived upon their "wits," which were often better than those of their masters.—American Medicine.

THE VALUE OF EXAMPLE.

To have your child truthful, be truthful.

To have him temperate, be temperate in all things.

To have him kind to others, be yourself kind to others.

Prescribe healthful amusements and so far as you can take part in them.

Prove to him by your life that a good name is to be chosen before great riches.

Teach him that riches are not to be despised, but should never be got by doing harm to others; that when acquired should be treated as a trust, not as a hoard.

To have him honest, present to him in yourself a living example of honesty. The chief part of a child's knowledge comes through observation. Acts mean more to him than speech.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

THE PORCUPINE.

Only Known Creature That Eats the Foliage of the Hemlock.

"You don't have to skirmish around much to get feed to fatten one of these hemlock porcupines on," says an old woodsman. "Just sprinkle some salt over a stick of cordwood or saw log for that matter, and he'll eat the whole business and enjoy it as you would mince pie." The customary diet of these animals is hemlock browse. They make themselves a home in a hollow log or under the roots of some old tree, but always within reach of a big hemlock.

The hemlock is their pasture, and they make beaten paths going to and fro between the tree and their home. Once up in a tree the porcupine goes out on the big limbs and, pulling the small branches in with one paw, browses on the pungent leaves. In going through the woods you will find little piles of these fine leaves on the ground under hemlock trees. That means that a porcupine is feeding in the tree, the leaves on the ground being dropped from his feast.

Sometimes a porcupine will remain in a hemlock tree for a week at a time, hugging close to the trunk at night and feeding during the day. This curious little beast is the only known living thing that eats the foliage of the hemlock.

DANGER SPOTS IN A STORM.

Places to Avoid When the Lightning Is Flashing.

Out of doors trees should be avoided in a thunderstorm, and if from the rapidity with which the explosion follows the flash it is evident that electric clouds are near at hand a recumbent posture is the safest. It is seldom dangerous to take shelter under sheds, carts or low buildings or under the arch of a bridge, and a distance of twenty or thirty feet from tall trees or houses is an eligible situation, for should a discharge take place these elevated bodies are most likely to receive it.

It is well also to avoid water, for it is a good conductor, and the height of a human being near the stream may determine the direction of a discharge. Within doors we are tolerably safe in the middle of a carpeted room or when standing on a thick hearth rug. The chimney should be avoided on account of the conducting power of the carbon deposited in it, and gilt moldings or bell wires are sources of risk. In bed we are tolerably safe, since blankets and feathers are bad conductors.

It is injudicious to take refuge in a cellar, because the discharge is often from the earth to a cloud, and buildings frequently sustain the greatest injury in their basements.

The Stork.

The stork has been known to perish in the flames of a burning house rather than to desert her young.

First Cultivated Rose.

It is said that the first cultivated rose was planted in Belgium in the year 1522. The damask rose was taken to England from France in 1573, the moss rose about 1724 and the China rose fifty years later.

Tobacco For Wives.

One hundred and twenty pounds of tobacco was the stipend paid for a wife by some of the early settlers of Virginia.

Weird "Angel Shark."

A fish known as the "angel shark" and generally found only in the north Pacific has just been caught by a trawler in the North sea. It is over four feet long and has oddly shaped fleshy wings instead of the ordinary fins.

Ether.

Ether was first used in surgical operations in 1846.

Brutal Law.

In England some centuries ago if an ordinary workman without permission moved from one parish to another in search of work or better wages he was branded with a hot iron.

"Fourteenth Guest" Agency.

There is a most curious agency in Paris whose business it is to supply the fourteenth guest. Parisians, like some other people, have a superstitious objection to dinner parties of thirteen, and this agency undertakes to supply at short notice a lady or gentleman "warranted to give satisfaction."

The Book of Job.

The Book of Job is believed to be the most ancient literary work in existence. It is known to have been written prior to the Pentateuch and prior to the promulgation of the law.

Literary Mexico.

Mexico is credited with being at the head of the Latin-American countries in the matter of letters. Besides possessing the oldest organs of Spanish-American journalism, it is said to have in active existence the first library established in America, which is now at least 300 years old.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and grate eight large potatoes, cut in an onion, beat in four eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix with two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, add and mix well. Fry in a hot skillet.

Bamboos Grow Best at Night.

The growth of the giant bamboos of the East Indies is so rapid that a difference in the rate of increase between day and night can be observed. The growth is more rapid at night, because then the air is more charged with moisture than in the daytime.

The First Typewriter.

The first typewriter was received by the public with suspicion. It seemed subversive of existing conditions. A reporter who took one into a courtroom first proved its real worth.

Autumn Leaves.

It is popularly believed that autumn leaves assume their brilliant hues when touched by the frosts. This is an error. Autumn leaves turn red and yellow and brown and intermediate tones because that is the natural way for leaves to ripen.

Gaboriau's Visitors.

Gaboriau was troubled with visitors, and of those he desired never to see again he suspended photos in his servants' room for guidance. Once an author called. The servants ran to consult the cartes and, being puzzled, asked the visitor to smile, which being complied with he was informed determinedly, "Master is not at home."

The Alps.

The Alps are situated in six states, the largest division being in Austria.

Largest Tin Users.

The United States is the largest consumer of tin in the world, but derives its supplies mainly from the Straits Settlements, from Banka and other eastern sources.

Gold Jewelry.

Gold jewelry, says an authority, may be perfectly cleansed by being placed for half an hour in a bowl of warm water to which a generous quantity of ammonia has been added. Stir the jewelry around in the water for a moment, cover the bowl and let stand.

Oil For Waves.

Lighthouses in Denmark are supplied with oil which is pumped on the waves during a severe storm.

Stewed Figs.

Stewed figs are a delicious sauce and make a nice dessert if served with whipped cream. Simmer the figs in sufficient water to cover them, adding a little sugar. Cook till they are tender and have swelled till they seem somewhat plump. Let cool and eat.

Black Diamonds In Brazil.

The black diamond fields in Brazil belong to the government, which farms them out and makes a further profit by a 13 per cent export duty.

Germany's Oldest Inn.

The oldest inn in Germany is the Gasthof Zum Riesen in Miltenberg-on-the-Main, which was already of considerable age when the Emperor Frederick I. stayed there in 1158. Since then it has entertained a succession of historical personages, including Gustavus Adolphus and Martin Luther and in more recent times General von Moltke.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman went to his home at Thief River Falls Monday morning after spending several days here. There has been considerable business in the Sheriff's office lately and owing to Sheriff Linnihan's enforced absence Mr. Jarman has been on the jump.

While driving home fron St. Hilaire one night last week Fred Zaiser met with an accident that laid him up for several days. One of the lines of the harness broke and the team ran away. The buggy was upset and Mr. Zaiser was thrown to the ground with great force, He lit on his shoulders and was considerable bruised. He was confined to his home for a couple of days but is again able to be about.

Maple Lake has been visited this season by more people than ever before and is fast becoming one of the most popular summer resorts of Northern Minnesota. Seventy-two cottages are now located there and they have been occupied most of the summer, besides there have been numerous camping parties. Most of the young people of this city have been at the popular resort this summer and all report a delightful time.

that he was not insane. It seems the young man's parents live in Rosseau county and that he had been sent to Fergus Falls from that county before. He was taken to that county Tuesday and turned over to the authorities who will be responsible for him in the future. What cost Red Lake county has been to in the matter will be refunded by Rosseau. It is thought the young fellow will be sent to the home for the feeble minded at Faribault.

Hugh McRae, employed in the state land commissioners department, arrived in the city Tuesday and in company with Adam Zeh, of this city, and Louis Perenteau, of Terrebonne, is out this week appraising the state lands in Red Lake county. All state lands, including school sections and swamp land, will be gone over. There are about 12,000 acres in the county and the gentlemen will be at their labors about two weeks.

Hallock Enterprise: On their way home on the flier last Sunday evening, the Red Lake Falls Band, after filling a two day's engagement at the Winnipeg fair, gave our citizens a few lively airs which was much appreciated. This musical organization is one of the best in state. It has about thirty members in all, and each are thorough musicians. The boys are now considering a proposition to go to Portland, Oregon. As the band is made up of business men who own and operate their own business establishments in Red Lake Falls, they are at liberty to go and come when they like, and it is altogether likely that they will make the trip. The organization is under the direction and leadership of Prof. Onstad, formerly director of music at St. Olaf's College, Northfield, Minn.

Did you ever happen to ride on a train through the country when a farm dog would run out and run along after the cars barking to the fullest capacity of his lungs, says an exchange. The dog attracts a little attention from the passengers at first, but the train soon pulls away from him. He and his wail are lost in the distance. The train hasn't been injured a particle, but the dog is tired and out of wind. Well, said the writer, that dog is just like a lot of people in this world. They loose no opportunity to bark at the trains of successful business men. The dog imagines the train is running away because it does not fight back but the train is back the next day and will continue to come along after the dog is out of wind and gone to the happy hunting grounds. So when you are in the field dont bid for business with a bark at your competitor. In rush of business affairs people have no time to pay attention to the barker. Attend strictly to your own affairs and saw wood. After a while you will get enough so you want have to bark.

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We noticed a large number of catalogues at the Great Northern depot yesterday from Sears, Roebuck & Co. The books were put up in boxes without any marks as to where they come from. The three boxes were addressed to three different parties of this section who will no doubt distribute them to the farmers of this vicinity. When any of our good farmer friends are tempted to buy something from these catalouges just stop and consider a few things. Look through the book and see how much these fellows are willing to give for the betterment of your condition. How much do they say for the maintainance of your schools, roads, township and county government? Can you find anything in the catalogue that gives any light on how much they pay for your butter and eggs, or other products you have for sale? Times have been pretty hard for a number of people in the Northwest the past year. Have some of our local merchants been carrying your account for a number of months waiting for your crops to pay your obligations? Will Sears, Roebuck & Co. trust you? Not much, and you pay just as much or more for their merchandise as you would if you kept your trade at home, where it would help build up the country.

Summer School Resolutions.

Whereas, our summer school is about to close, we, the teachers of Red Lake county, actuated by a desire to show our deep sense of gratitude and hearty appreciation of the untiring efforts of our instructors and county superintendent, and for the favors conferred upon us by the Board of Education and the people who so generously assisted us with our reception.

Resolved, that our best wishes are due to our instructors and that it is our earnest desire that they be with us again next year;

Resolved, that the county superintendent has made the summer school and teachersa ssociation a success in Red Lake county and has been very faithful in the interests of the teachers;

Resolved, that we express our gratitude to the Board of Education for the many favors shown us;

Resolved. that we heartily appreciate the hospitality of the people cf Red Lake Falls;

Resolved, that a copy of these resulutions be printed in the Red Lake Courier and the Gazette.

Teachers of Red Lake county.

Don't Take Out Your Dog.

Local sportsmen who have habitually "trained" their dogs during the month of August just prior to the opening of the hunting seasons will do well to pursue the provisions of the game law passed at the last session of the legislature.

Section 28 of the amended game and fish law prohibits the use or training of hunting dogs during the month of August and declares that dogs allowed to run at large in fields during the month shall be considered public nuisances and may be killed by any person. Their owners are also subject to arrest for a violation of the game laws. In the past when a game warden came across an offender in the fields before the opening of the season the excuse offered was that he was "simply training my dogs." The time-worn excuse will not go any longer.

ST. HILAIRE.

Special to the Courier.

Wm. Zaiser, the Red Lake Falls livery man, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. F. C. Grace and daughter, of Davenport, Iowa, arrived in town last Thursday and will visit G. B. Grace.

Miss Mae Pettibone entertained a number of friends Friday evening.

Miss Annie Anderson, of Devils Lake, North Dakota, is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Fred Gebott and D. S. Bridge have severed their connection with the saw mill at this place, and will go to Frazee to work for the Commonwealth Lumber Co.

Inspector J. G. Winkjer, of Crookston, was in town Saturday on his way home from Plummer.

Robert Jackson is working at the mill office where he will remain until school begins.

W. C. Currie came over from Euclid on business Saturday.

Miss Annie Fellman, who is attending the training school at Red Lake Falls, visited her parents here over Sunday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Palmgren, Friday, July 28, son.

J. K. Hannay drove to the county seat one day last week. His daughter, Miss Mabel, accompanied him.

Editor Ives, of the Spectator returned from his vacation Thursday of last week.

James Brady, of Red Lake Falls, has been awarded the contract for repairing the north bridge.

Prof. Onstad is making weekly visits here in the interest of the band. The boys are making great progress under his leadership.

Paul C. Burrill, of Fergus Falls, was in the city Tuesday trying to arrange for a course of lectures for the coming season, but was unable to secure the necessary gvarantee.

Miss Inez Patterson entertained a few friends at an all night party Thursday night, the occasion being her fourteenth birthday.

Miss Edith Daul and Miss Emma Hoff returned from the training school at Moorhead Monday.

Miss Mabel Hanney left Tuesday for Seattle where she will visit a brother. She will, also, visit the Portland exposition before her return.

Mrs. Deo Cummings has been ill for several days past.

Miss Alice Cotton, of Minneapolis, arrived in the village Wednesday and will be the guest of her friend, Miss Helen Hannay.

Mrs. W. A. Sorsoliel is sick.

Mrs. Remington will entertain the ladies aid of the M. E. church Thursday, Aug. 3.

BADGER.

Special to the Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Dona Laurent spent Sunday with Gentilly relatives.

A few friends spent Sunday at the M, Quesnell home.

Miss Annie Ducharm has been seriously ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnell entertained their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Will St. Ives, Saturday and Sunday. They returned to their Crookston home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Adelard Laurent accompanied Rev. Sisters Mary Christopher and Colum, of Little Falls, to Lambert Monday on a collecting trip. Sister Mary Christopher is a daughter of Mrs. Thomas Perusse of Terrebonne. They returned shortly after and collected in Terrebonne and Red Lake Falls.

Micheal Quesnell commenced cutting a twenty-acre piece of barley Monday morning.

Mrs. L. Pigeon, of Poplar River returned home Sunday after a week's visit with Badger friends.

Mrs. Moses Ducharme and children, of Perrault Station, were guests at the home of J. Ducharme Monday.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Every time you go to town make it a point to have something to sell.

God made the country, the other fellow made the town.—Daniel Webster.

Either shelter tools or burn them. A thing not worth sheltering is not worth saving.

Poultry raising is now the fad in Florida, where the industry has long been neglected.

Now is a good time to make a thorough inspection of young trees for borers. Dig them out.

When killing fowels let the blood drip into a pail of bran, as the mixture makes a splendid food,

Grit, oyster shells or a baked mixture of salt and charcoal should always be available for the hens.

The successful man is the fellow who gets his second wind when prospects are dark and discouraging.

To irrigate an acre of land requires more water than some folks think. About 22,545 gallons of water are necessary to apply one inch of moisture to an acre field.

A nice, neat and thrifty looking dooryard may not be the source of a great deal of money, but nevertheless it does bring a great deal of comfort, enjoyment and appreciation from others.

Read your insurance policy over frequently. It is right for you to know and be sure just what is required of you by the company, and what the company will really do for you if burnt out.

Pretty soon we shall be having rainy weather again. Make a dressing for your shoes and boots of castor-oil and lard, melted together with a little lampblack stirred ir, and rub it thoroughly into the leather.

Estimates of the value of the wheat crop in western Kansas show that in many cases the crop for this year is worth four times the price of the land, based on sales at the beginning of the year. The southwestern crop estimate is 104,000,000 bushels of winter wheat.

That "wonderful" English potato, the Eldorado, has suddenly dropped in price from a maximum of about $2,000 a pound, to a maximum of about twenty-five cents. Which shows that it requires more than a big price to maintain a "wonderful" reputation. Too much booming is not good for either seed potatoes or investors' pocketbooks.

A so-called "express company" is sending letters from New Haven, Conn., to western farmers, advising that the "company holds one boxed typewriter directed to you, on which there are charges amounting to ninety-five cents; package will be promptly forwarded upon the receipt of the amount; otherwise will be sold for charges." Of course the whole thing is a swindle.

Of all the booms we know of, the one that does the country the most good is the boom in young men. It is their day. They are in demand everywhere. The farmer who has a half a dozen or so and can keep them with him is a good deal better off than he would be with a lot of the stock of some mining speculation away off, nobody knows where. We believe in the boom for boys and girls.

Right now is the best time in the world to paint buildings and fences. The heat drives in the oil There are two sides to every question, but when it comes to painting, there are several sides. Paint, besides preserving the buildings, adds to the general appearance of the place, enhances the value of the farm, makes us feel better and sets a good example for others. Unpainted buildings and fences give a place a desolate and forlorn look.

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Vacation Hints

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A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 820,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

LOCAL NEWS.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman went to his home at Thief River Falls Monday morning after spending several days here. There has been considerable business in the Sheriff's office lately and owing to Sheriff Linnihan's enforced absence Mr. Jarman has been on the jump.

While driving home fron St. Hilaire one night last week Fred Zaiser met with an accident that laid him up for several days. One of the lines of the harness broke and the team ran away. The buggy was upset and Mr. Zaiser was thrown to the ground with great force, He lit on his shoulders and was considerable bruised. He was confined to his home for a couple of days but is again able to be about.

Maple Lake has been visited this season by more people than ever before and is fast becoming one of the most popular summer resorts of Northern Minnesota. Seventy-two cottages are now located there and they have been occupied most of the summer, besides there have been numerous camping parties. Most of the young people of this city have been at the popular resort this summer and all report a delightful time. that he was not insane. It seems the young man's parents live in Rosseau county and that he had been sent to Fergus Falls from that county before. He was taken to that county Tuesday and turned over to the authorities who will be responsible for him in the future. What cost Red Lake county has been to in the matter will be refunded by Rosseau. It is thought the young fellow will be sent to the home for the feeble minded at Faribault.

Hugh McRae, employed in the state land commissioners department, arrived in the city Tuesday and in company with Adam Zeh, of this city, and Louis Perenteau, of Terrebonne, is out this week appraising the state lands in Red Lake county. All state lands, including school sections and swamp land, will be gone over. There are about 12,000 acres in the county and the gentlemen will be at their labors about two weeks.

Hallock Enterprise: On their way home on the flier last Sunday evening, the Red Lake Falls Band, after filling a two day's engagement at the Winnipeg fair, gave our citizens a few lively airs which was much appreciated. This musical organization is one of the best in state. It has about thirty members in all, and each are thorough musicians. The boys are now considering a proposition to go to Portland, Oregon. As the band is made up of business men who own and operate their own business establishments in Red Lake Falls, they are at liberty to go and come when they like, and it is altogether likely that they will make the trip. The organization is under the direction and leadership of Prof. Onstad, formerly director of music at St. Olaf's College, Northfield, Minn.

Did you ever happen to ride on a train through the country when a farm dog would run out and run along after the cars barking to the fullest capacity of his lungs, says an exchange. The dog attracts a little attention from the passengers at first, but the train soon pulls away from him. He and his wail are lost in the distance. The train hasn't been injured a particle, but the dog is tired and out of wind. Well, said the writer, that dog is just like a lot of people in this world. They loose no opportunity to bark at the trains of successful business men. The dog imagines the train is running away because it does not fight back but the train is back the next day and will continue to come along after the dog is out of wind and gone to the happy hunting gronnds. So when you are in the field dont bid for business with a bark at your competitor. In rush of business affairs people have no time to pay attention to the barker. Attend strictly to your own affairs and saw wood. After a while you will get enough so you want have to bark.

We noticed a large number of catalogues at the Great Northern depot yesterday from Sears, Roebuck & Co. The books were put up in boxes without any marks as to where they come from. The three boxes were addressed to three different parties of this section who will no doubt distribute them to the farmers of this vicinity. When any of our good farmer friends are tempted to buy something from these catalouges just stop and consider a few things. Look through the book and see how much these fellows are willing to give for the betterment of your condition. How much do they say for the maintainance of your schools, roads, township and county government? Can you find anything in the catalogue that gives any light on how much they pay for your butter and eggs, or other products you have for sale? Times have been pretty hard for a number of people in the Northwest the past year. Have some of our local merchants been carrying your account for a number of months waiting for your crops to pay your obligations? Will Sears, Roebuck & Co. trust you? Not much, and you pay just as much or more for their merchandise as you would if you kept your trade at home where it would help build up the country.

Summer School Resolutions.

Whereas, our summer school is about to close, we, the teachers of Red Lake county, actuated by a desire to show our deep sense of gratitude and hearty appreciation of the untiring efforts of our instructors and county superintendent, and for the favors conferred upon us by the Board of Education and the people who so generously assisted us with our reception,

Resolved, that our best wishes are due to our instructors and that it is our earnest desire that they be with us again next year;

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Don't Take Out Your Dog.

Local sportsmen who have habitually "trained" their dogs during the month of August just prior to the opening of the hunting seasons will do well to pursue the provisions of the game law passed at the last session of the legislature.

Section 28 of the amended game and fish law prohibits the use or training of hunting dogs during the month of August and declares that dogs allowed to run at large in fields during the month shall be considered public nuisances and may be killed by any person. Their owners are also subject to arrest for a violation of the game laws. In the past when a game warden came across an offender in the fields before the opening of the season the excuse offered was that he was "simply training my dogs." The time-worn excuse will not go any longer.

ST. HILAIRE.

Special to the Courier.

Wm. Zaiser, the Red Lake Falls livery man, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. F. C. Grace and daughter, of Davenport, Iowa, arrived in town last Thursday and will visit G. B. Grace.

Miss Mae Pettibone entertained a number of friends Friday evening.

Miss Annie Anderson, of Devils Lake, North Dakota, is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Fred Gebott and D. S. Bridge have severed their connection with the saw mill at this place, and will go to Frazee to work for the Commonwealth Lumber Co.

Inspector J. G. Winkjer, of Crookston, was in town Saturday on his way home from Plummer.

Robert Jackson is working at the mill office where he will remain until school begins.

W. C. Currie came over from Euclid on business Saturday.

Miss Annie Fellman, who is attending the training school at Red Lake Falls, visited her parents here over Sunday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Palmgren, Friday, July 28, son.

J. K. Hannay drove to the county seat one day last week. His daughter, Miss Mabel, accompanied him.

Editor Ives, of the Spectator returned from his vacation Thursday of last week.

James Brady, of Red Lake Falls, has been awarded the contract for repairing the north bridge.

Prof. Onstad is making weekly visits here in the interest of the band. The boys are making great progress under his leadership.

Paul C. Burrill, of Fergus Falls, was in the city Tuesday trying to arrange for a course of lectures for the coming season, but was unable to secure the necessary gvarantee.

Miss Inez Patterson entertained a few friends at an all night party Thursday night, the occasion being her fourteenth birthday.

Miss Edith Daul and Miss Emma Hoff returned from the training school at Moorhead Monday.

Miss Mabel Hanney left Tuesday for Seattle where she will visit a brother. She will also visit the Portland exposition before her return.

Mrs. Deo Cummings has been ill for several days past.

Miss Alice Cotton, of Minneapolis, arrived in the village Wednesday and will be the guest of her friend, Miss Helen Hannay.

Mrs. W. A. Sorsoliel is sick.

Mrs. Remington will entertain the ladies aid of the M. E. church Thursday, Aug. 3.

BADGER.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dona Laurent spent Sunday with Gentilly relatives.

A few friends spent Sunday at the M. Quesnell home.

Miss Annie Ducharm has been seriously ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Quesnell entertained their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Will St. Ives, Saturday and Sunday. They returned to their Crookston home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Adelard Laurent accompanied Rev. Sisters Mary Christopher and Colum, of Little Falls, to Lambert Monday on a collecting trip. Sister Mary Christopher is a daughter of Mrs. Thomas Perusse of Terrebonne. They returned shortly after and collected in Terrebonne and Red Lake Falls.

Micheal Quesnell commenced cutting a twenty-acre piece of barley Monday morning.

Mrs. L. Pigeon, of Poplar River returned home Sunday after a week's visit with Badger friends.

Mrs. Moses Ducharme and children, of Perrault Station, were guests at the home of J. Ducharme Monday.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Every time you go to town make it a point to have something to sell.

God made the country, the other fellow made the town.—Daniel Webster.

Either shelter tools or burn them. A thing not worth sheltering is not worth saving.

Poultry raising is now the fad in Florida, where the industry has long been neglected.

Now is a good time to make a thorough inspection of young trees for borers. Dig them out.

When killing fowels let the blood drip into a pail of bran, as the mixture makes a splendid food,

Grit, oyster shells or a baked mixture of salt and charcoal should always be available for the hens.

The successful man is the fellow who gets his second wind when prospects are dark and discouraging.

To irrigate an acre of land requires more water than some folks think. About 22,545 gallons of water are necessary to apply one inch of moisture to an acre field.

A nice, neat and thrifty looking dooryard may not be the source of a great deal of money, but nevertheless it does bring a great deal of comfort, enjoyment and appreciation from others.

Read your insurance policy over frequently. It is right for you to know and be sure just what is required of you by the company, and what the company will really do for you if burnt out.

Pretty soon we shall be having rainy weather again. Make a dressing for your shoes and boots of castor-oil and lard, melted together with a little lampblack stirred in, and rub it thoroughly into the leather.

Estimates of the value of the wheat crop in western Kansas show that in many cases the crop for this year is worth four times the price of the land, based on sales at the beginning of the year. The southwestern crop estimate is 104,000,000 bushels of winter wheat.

That "wonderful" English potato, the Eldorado, has suddenly dropped in price from a maximum of about $2,000 a pound, to a maximum of about twenty-five cents. Which shows that it requires more than a big price to maintain a "wonderful" reputation. Too much booming is not good for either seed potatoes or investors' pocketbooks.

A so-called "express company" is sending letters from New Haven, Conn., to western farmers, advising that the "company holds one boxed typewriter directed to you, on which there are charges amounting to ninety-five cents; package will be promptly forwarded upon the receipt of the amount; otherwise will be sold for charges." Of course the whole thing is a swindle.

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(Seal) N. W. TARRANT, Judge of Probate.

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The Northern Paciffc Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A. Nizen, Agent, for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 820,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

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OLD RESIDENT PASSES AWAY

John B. Bourden, a Resident of Red Lake Falls for Twenty-Eight Years Passes to the Great Beyond.

John B. Bourden, one of the first settlers of this section, died at his home in this city last Thursday, after an illness of several days.

Mr. Bourden was one of the pioneers of this section of the country and had a large acquaintance and many friends. In company with two brothers, J. W. and P. N. Bourden he moved here at a early day and by hardship and toil helped develope a wilderness into a garden of Eden.

He was born Jan. 1, 1842, at La-Prairie, Canada, and came to this country in 1860, locating at Chatfield, Minn. He enlisted in the union army and served two years and nine months in the civil war. He moved to Red Lake Falls twenty-eight years ago.

He leaves a wife and seven children, the oldest son being a resident of Minneapolis.

The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Saturday, a large number of friends being present to pay their last respects to an old friend and neighbor.

Mrs. Bourden and family wish to thank the many friends who so kindly assisted them in their time of sorrow.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

For new, correct and fine Stationery go to The COURIER Stationery store.

WILL MOVE TO FARGO

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre to Leave this Month.—"Mc" has a Fine Business Opening.

Attorney Wm. A. McIntyre has announced that he has accepted an offer to engage in business at Fargo, North Dakota, and the family expect to move to that city the latter part of this month.

Mr. McIntyre is to be associated with the law firm of Pierce & Tenneson, one of the best and foremost law firms in the state. Mr. Pierce is state senator from his district and is one of the prominent men of North Dakota. Mr. McIntyre's connection with this prominent firm will get him into the business and social world of that section right from the start.

"Mc," as he is familiarly known in this city, is a young man of great promise and will be a credit to the firm he will affiliate with. By diligent attention to business and his practical ways he has made a great many friends both in and out of his profession. He is eminently qualified for the position he will occupy in his new location and the COURIER predicts a great future for him.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre have been residents of this city for a number of years and have hosts of friends who will be sorry to learn of their intention to leave the city. Their place will be hard to fill and their departure will be a source of great regret by a large number of people. May they enjoy happiness and prosperity in their new home.

The Courier Stationery Store has a line of new box papers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE

Red Lake Falls to be the Scene of a Union Sabbath School Institute to be held Aug. 30-31.

On August 30 and 31 there will be a union Sabbath school institute held at the Presbyterian church in this city. The affair will be in charge of Mrs. Jean E. Hobart, of Minneapolis, primary secretary of the State Sabbath School Assn., and Mr. John Orchard, of Fargo, North Dakota, the general secretary of the North Dakota State Assn., both experts in religious education.

This Institute will be the first ever held in the county and presents a rare opportunity to parents and Sunday school workers in the county and nearby places. Those attending from out of town will be entertained by the people of the city. The program will appear in the papers next week.

CAN DO BETTER NEXT TIME.

Thief River Falls People Believe a few Transients were Overlooked.

It is reported that Thief River Falls people are dissatisfied with the late census returns. It has been remarked that a few people arrive in that village most every day on the Soo, departing on the G. N. As the enumerator had so many trancients to watch, it is said he failed to get all these people. It is now realized that more assistants should have been provided, and it is proposed that precautions be taken not to have this grave error occur five years hence.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

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A FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

Iowa Editor is Highly Pleased with Red Lake Falls and Surrounding Conntry.

Editor Faltinson of Armstrong, Iowa, who recently visited this city, was favorably impressed with the country as the following extracts from a recent issue of his paper testifies: On July 18th the writer left Armstrong for a trip to Red Lake Falls, Minn, and before returning went to Winnipeg, Canada. The crops looked fine all the way from Armstrong to Winnipeg. We were in northern Minnesota when the report was published in the daily papers that the black rust was destroying the wheat. It was a pure fabrication sent out by the manipulators of the market.

The first one hundred miles north of Minneapolis is not very good farming country but the rest of the state north is one vast wheat field with pieces of oats and flax here and there. The flax crop is exceptionally good and a yield of twenty bushels to the acre is expected.

At Red Lake Falls we found the Armstrong people happy, contented and apparently prosperous. Red Lake Falls is the county seat of Red Lake county and has a population of a little less than two thousand. It is, indeed, a pretty town and the scenery in and around town is equal to that in any part of the state. Clear Water river empties into the Red Lake river near the town. The scenery along these enchanting rivers may not be a match for Alpine Europe, but it is certainly beautiful, Besides furnishing so much pretty scenery these rivers furnish water power for all the industries in that country. Red Lake Falls has two flour mills the best in the state. We drove in every direction from the town and found a rich and beautiful agricultural country, The country seemed to be settled with a happy and prosperous people. The great fertility of the soil is unquestioned and the enormous crop of wheat and flax, nearly ready for the reaper proves it.

The people of the town feel proud of their band, and they have good and sufficient reason. Prof. Onstad is a man of wonderful musical ability and under his able and thorough instructions this band is now acknowledged to be the best in the state of Minnesota. They play music that only first class professional bands are capable of playing. They are known not only at home and in their own state, but even across the British line and were employed to play at the Winnipeg Exposition. The exposition surpasses any of our state fairs, they employ many bands, but only good ones. The Red Lake Falls band was declared by Canadian critics to be the best band at the exposition and they had to compete with a large regimental band. When their time expired at the exposition the leading cafe and hotel in Winnipeg employed them to give concerts. This shows the music was appreciated No other band was thus honored, in fact the whole band was treated as guests of the city and officers of the exposition. Any city in the country would be proud of the Red Lake Falls band.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

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CAME NEAR LOSING LIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Emil LaCoursiere Had a Thrilling Experience While Crossing River.

Last Saturday while crossing the Red Lake River in Louisville township Mrs. Emil LaCoursiere met with an accident that came near proving fatal.

Mr. and Mrs. LaCoursiere were on their way to the city to do their trading and were crossing the river on the ferry when the accident befell them. Mrs. LaCoursiere and the child were setting in the buggy while Mr. LaCoursiere was handling the ferry. When about half way across a small rope broke and frightened the horses. They backed off the boat throwing Mrs. LaCoursiere and child into the river. The child was grabbed by its mother when the buggy went into the water and they were carried down stream fully five hundred feet before Mr. LaCoursiere could rescue them. The river is high these days and the water is extremely treacherous. It was a narrow escape from what might easily have proven a serious a serious accident.

TO RUN BY GAS,

Jos. Helm has a Scheme to Handle Binders in Wet Weather.

Jos. Helm, one of our implement men, has forwarded plans to four different manufacturers of gasolene engines whereby one of these handy affairs can be attached to a binder and be run in soft ground.

It is Mr. Helm's idea to have the engine run the machinery that cuts, elevates and dumps the grain, horses being used to pull the machine through the field. If the present wet weather continues there will be a lot of grain that it will be impossible to cut on account of the fields being too soft. A team of horses could pull a binder through the average field if they were relieved of the extra power needed to run the machine. Mr. Helm is waiting to hear from his suggestions and he may have something practical to offer the farmers in the near future.

MAKES WAR ON TIMBER BARONS.

Attorney General Seeks to Recover $40,000.

Attorney General Young has begun a campaign against alleged timber trespassers. C. J. Jelley, special counsel of the department, who has been investigating claims against several companies, has reported that about $40,000 is due the state from timber trespass. Should the companies fail to pay the amount, Mr. Young says that he will bring suit,

Mr. Jelley has been busy with his investigation for several weeks. He finds that in some instances the companies cut timber after their permits had expired and without having them renewed, In other instances he reports that the companies went beyond the authority given them in their permits.

For instance, it has been customary for the state to make contracts with timber companies to cut green timber. Mr. Jelley says that in many instances the companies cut "dead and down timber" under these permits and paid less than the contract price. Mr. Jelley holds that since there was nothing in the permits about "dead and down timber," this should be paid for at the regular contract price, whether it is worth that much or not.

Mr. Jelley has investigated twenty-five alleged cases of timber trespass, and reports that the state has a claim in most of them. In a few cases the technicalities of the law will bar the state from recovering.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansficid, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A, L. Reichert.

ATTENDANCE WAS GOOD

Summer School was Attended by Over 100 Teachers—Were Ideal Students.

Supt. McAnulty is justly proud of the record made by the teachers who attended the summer training school. Thirty-five certificates were issued for perfect attendance. The few cases of absence and tardiness were excusable and unavoidable. Following is the list of those who were given certificates for perfect attendance:

Laura Lizee
Sophia M. LaCoursiere
Aljina E Guilemette
Marie M, Crompe
Clara A. Berg
Emma Weehteoman
Agnes Engebritson
Dora E. Merchand
Bertha LaFreniere
Theodore Roy
Carl Schusser
Nettie Patnode
Ida Ziegler
Ida Poessel
Millie Hetland
Adolph Eklund
Inez L. Motz

Mary M. Benoit
M. Clare Allison
Rose D. Cyr
Anvesy M. Crompe
Albertine Lambert
Caroline Netteland
Clara Merchand
Emily LaFreniere
Philip Jacobson
Clara E, Richard
Carrie Patnode
Dora Rasmussen
Elsie Quesnell
Rose M. Helen
John O. Swanson
Inez Olson
Gustie Satre

Marie A. Morin

The following teachers were unavoidably tardy or absent during the term:

Carcline Hottseth
Vina Carver
Elsie Manley
Marika Alstad
Hazel Kellog
Katie McAnulty
Lillian Nauman
Stella Hennemuth
Arthur Robillard
Lillian Porther
Anna LaFontaine
Wm. J. Harlow
John W. Pahlen
Walter Johnson
Frank M. Shanahan
Grace Green
Winifred Henry
Mary B. Anderson
Charles Moller
Ella Lindahl
Maggie Rose
Foah Anderson
Ruth A. Rankin
Annie Jolly
Orvilla Hennemuth
Ida Newton
Joseph J. Weeks
Julia Tubin
Louise Lovied
Agnes McKerney

Eva Chatel
Marie M. Laylois
Ella Krueger
Rose Sutter
Gisela T. Schlesinger
Mayme M. Linnihan
Emma M. Allard
Iza Tibbetts
Cathr'n. Berthiaume
Lena Tschirhart
Josephine Constant
Fred Richards
Valda B. Cheely
Otto E. Olson
Clara Cyr
Anna Henderson
Lerraine Longion;
Laura Perusse
Laura M. Cyr
Eva D. Corno
Eugenia Perrault
Neal Dahl
Ethel Erickson
Delia Ford
Pauline A. Boa
Adeline Predhomme
Anna Fallman
Gundo Johnson
Ida Weeks
John Erickson

Micheal Cannaughty

Railroad Tracks Creep.

The rails on a track that appears to be well laid often begin to move lengthwise, so slowly that their motion is imperceptible, until its results have accumulated, but with such great force that nothing will stop it. The onward movement of the rail tears up spikes and shears off steel bolts. The motion is always in the direction of traffic and is due to the moving trains. To prevent this is still a question unanswered, but golden grain belt beer will prevent ill health. Get a case for home use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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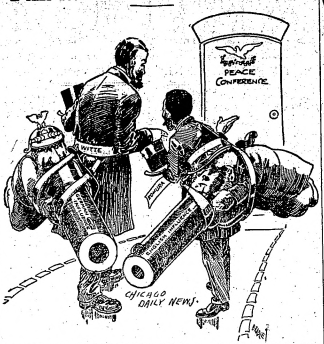

Peace Would Feel a Little Less Need of Keeping the Coroner Within Call.

MILWAUKEE JURY INDICTS PFISTER

PROMINENT AND WEALTHY CITIZEN CHARGED WITH THEFT OF BIG SUM.

Indictment Causes a Sensation—True Bills Against Four Others Returned—Milwaukeean Makes a Counter Attack.

Milwaukee, Aug. 5.—Charles F. Pfister, one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of Milwaukee, was indicted by the grand jury of Milwaukee county Friday, charged with stealing $14,000 belonging to the Wisconsin Rendering company of this city. At the same time indictments were returned against four others, the charge of bribery being alleged in three of the indictments and one of perjury. The list of persons for whom capiases were issued and the charges are as follows: Charles E. Pfister, capitalist, one indictment; larceny. John F. Dittmar, formerly supervisor, one indictment; bribery. George F. Reichert, supervisor, one indictment, embracing 14 counts; bribery. Barney A. Eaton, state senator, one indictment; bribery. Frank F. Schultz, formerly newspaper reporter, one indictment; perjury.

The indictment against Mr. Pfister alleges that on March 30, 1901, the accused was bailee of a large sum of money said to be $14,000, said amount being placed in his hands and deposited with him for the Wisconsin Rendering company, for the purpose of obtaining for the Wisconsin Rendering company a large and valuable contract from the city of Milwaukee for the collecting, transporting and disposing of garbage, and if not so used and expended to be returned to the Wisconsin Rendering company, and not having bene used for the purpose aforesaid, and whilst he was bailee of said sum, did unlawfully, feloniously and fraudulently steal, take and carry away and fraudulently convert the same to his own use.

Indictment Causes Sensation.

The indictment caused a profound sensation. Mr. Pfisetr is engaged in many of the biggest enterprises of Milwaukee. He is a director of one of the leading banks, owns a large interest in a big tannery, is proprietor of a large hotel and owns one of the leading newspapers of the city. He has perhaps done as much or more than any other citizen of Milwaukee in building up the city.

Pfister Makes Counter Attack.

Milwaukee, Aug. 7.—Charles F. Pfister, who was indicted by the grand jury Friday, charged with larceny as bailee of $14,000, has issued a defiance to his accusers, which was practically an invitation to come forward at once and prove their case. His action took the shape of a civil suit commenced against the Wisconsin Rendering company, Fred S. Gross, Joseph Schaaf, R. Schoyer, Charles Fredrich and Henry J. Killilea. These defendants were members of the rendering company, or guarantors of the company's notes, and Mr. Pfister demands the return of $6,542 said to be due him.

The suit was followed almost immediately by a voluntary statement from Fred C. Gross, president of the rendering company, emphatically denying that Mr. Pfister owes the company any money, and also denying ever having made any charges against Mr. Pfister before the grand jury of having any knowledge of information on which such an indictment could be based.

Wood Alcohol Kills Two.

Milwaukee, Aug. 2.—Two inmates of the house of correction are dead and four others are dangerously ill in that institution from drinking wood alcohol, said to have been obtained at South side resorts some days ago, before the victims were sentenced to the workhouse. The dead: Daniel Coonan, dock laborer, aged 45 years; Charles D. Knauer, machinist, aged 50 years.

Many Escape from Jail.

Sioux Falls, Ia., Aug. 5.—There was a wholesale jail break from the county jail Friday morning, eight prisoners escaping. They were charged with burglary and highway robbery.

GARRISON SURRENDERS.

Island of Sakhalin Now Entirely in Hands of Japanese—Prisoners to Be Liberated.

Tokio, Aug. 5.—The island of Sakhalin is now entirely in Japan's hands. Practically the entire Russian force on the island, 70 officers and 3,200 men, surrendered with all guns, ammunition, stores, papers and military supplies, on July 31. A Japanese civil government over the island will be established at once, the officials being on their way.

Washington, Aug. 5.—Japan will free the thousands of Russian political prisoners who have been exiled to Sakhalin island. Sakhalin has been Russia's penal colony for many years. On the island there are between 20,000 and 30,000 convicts. Thousands of these are there as exiles from Russia because of political offenses. Their only crime has been their opposition to the autocracy and the bureaucracy.

These exiles will be set at liberty by Japan. All of them who desire to emigrate to foreign lands will be permitted to do so. The convicts who enlisted as volunteers in the Russian militia will, of course, be treated as prisoners of war. These provisions will apply to all prisoners, without regard to their nationality, race or origin. Many of the prisoners are Jews, and their compatriots in the United States recently petitioned the Japanese government to grant freedom to "all victims of political oppression" now on the island. Any of the prisoners who desire to make their homes on the island will be permitted to do so on declaring their allegiance to Japan.

NEW CABINET FORMED.

Swedish Coalition Ministry Established—Premier Is Pillar of Conservative Party.

Stockholm, Sweden, Aug. 3.—A coalition ministry was formed Wednesday as follows: Minister of State, Christian Lundeberg; minister of foreign affairs, Count A. F. Wachtmeister; minister of justice, Judge C. A. Berg; minister of war, Col. L. H. Tingsten; minister of marine, S. A. A. Lindman; minister of the interior, J. Widen; minister of finance, Herr Biersert; minister of education and eccelesiastical affairs, Herr Hammarskjold; minister of agriculture, A. D. Petersen; ministers without portfolio, Herren Pettersen and Staaff.

Herr Lundeberg, the new premier, is vice speaker of the first chamber of the riksdag and chairman of the special committee appointed by the riksdag to deal with the crisis resulting from the dissolution of the union.

Many Seeking Homesteads.

Denver, Col., Aug. 2.—Advices from Grand Junction, Col., and Vernal, Price and Provo, Utah, indicate that the work of registering applicants for homesteads in the Uintah reservation is proceeding in an orderly manner. The registration opened Tuesday and will continue for 12 days. Thousands of people are in line at the registration places, although early registration affords no advantage to the applicants, as the land will be distributed by a drawing, which begins on August 17.

"Soo" Celebration Ends.

Sault Ste. Marie, Aug. 4.—The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the opening of the Sault Ste. Marie ship canal and locks ended Thursday afternoon with addresses by a large number of speakers, prominent among whom was Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks. Well known officials of the Canadian government and Senator Burrows and Gov. Warner, of Michigan, and Congressman Burton, of Ohio, were speakers also.

Three Meet Death in a Well.

Big Stone City, S. D., Aug. 4.—Martin Strock and his two sons, aged 18 and 22 years, living ten miles south of this city, were overcome by foul air while engaged in cleaning out an old well and all are dead.

Gen. Carnahan Dead.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 4.—Gen. James R. Carnahan, major general of the uniform rank Knights of Pythias, died Thursday at his home in Woodruff place, after an illness of two weeks.

Salvation for Women in Nu-tri-ola

THE world is full of sick women who might be well. Poor, pale, suffering Martyrs! Blood so poor that every vital organ, nerve center, even the brain cells, are starved and lose their force. Their sufferings from Dyspepsia, Headache, Kidney Trouble, Dragging or Bearing Down Pains, Leucorrhœa, Nervous Prostration, etc., etc., the victim and God alone may know. Listen to our

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GOVERNMENT IS FIGHTING FEVER

NATION TAKES FULL CONTROL OF YELLOW SCOURGE SITUATION IN THE SOUTH.

Present Progress of the Disease—Prominent Church Prelate Stricken with Disease—Memphis Orders Doors Closed.

New Orleans, Aug. 7.—The federal government has taken control of the yellow fever situation. Gov. Blanchard Friday afternoon sent a request to that effect to President Roosevelt, and the latter immediately directed Surgeon Gneral Wyman to take every step in his power to meet the situation.

The citizens of New Orleans have promised their hearty and unrestricted cooperation in the work to be undertaken by the federal government, and will meet certain financial requirements imposed by the marine hospital service as a preliminary to assuming the responsibility.

Gov. Blanchard's appeal to the president was the result of the action of a mass meeting of citizens held here in the afternoon at which the opinion was expressed that federal control would result in an immediate restoration of confidence throughout the south, and would do away with all danger of conflict between the states over quarantine regulations.

No passengers from New Orleans or other points where fever exists or develops later will be permitted to leave trains at points in the quarantined district. Health certificates issued by officials in the fever zone will not be accepted until ten days after persons left infected districts.

Progress of Disease.

The fever report up to six p. m. Sunday was as follows: New cases, 28; total to date, 105; new sub-foci, 2; total sub-foci to date, 93.

The report is a great improvement over those during the middle of the week, and the fact that there were only two new sub-foci, one uptown and one downtown, is a source of special encouragement. An effort is being made to determine the number of cases of fever under treatment, and allowing ten days, which is a liberal estimate, for a patient to either recover or die. It is figured that there are now 233 cases under treatment.

Archbishop Chapelle Striken.

Archbishop Placide Louis Chapelle of the diocese of New Orleans has been stricken with the fever. The entire city was grievously shocked when the news of this misfortune was announced by the board of health. Dr. Larue is unable to trace the infection, as the archbishop has not been out of his residence but once in a week or more, when he took a short carriage ride accompanied by his niece. He has not been in the infected district, though there are cases of fever not far from his residence. Dr. Larue believes that a stray mosquito from an infected house is the cause of the illness.

Confidence Renewed.

President Roosevelt's quick response to the appeal of New Orleans, directing Surgeon General Wyman to take hold of the yellow fever situation, was reflected in a feeling of renewed confidence throughout the city. It is believed that federal control will quickly stamp out the pest. Business and financial circles immediately showed a buoyant effect.

Memphis Closes Its Doors.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 7.—This city has ordered its doors closed to the outside world, beginning this noon, and no person can enter unless holding a permit signed by Dr. Heber Jones, president of the board of health, or Secretary Marcus Haase. These permits, it is announced, will be issued only in urgent cases and when it is positively known that the applicant has not been in a fever infected district. No recognition will be given health certificates from any source. This drastic action was taken by the city council Saturday night, after receiving a numerously signed petition from representative business and professional men. The health authorities say the city was never in better sanitary condition. A large majority of the citizens, however, favor what is known as a shotgun quarantine, and, in deference to their wishes, a cordon of guards was placed around the city.

Southern Illinois Shuts Doors.

Cairo, Ill., Aug. 3.—That portion of Illinois lying south of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, which extends from St. Louis to Vincennes, Ind., was declared Wednesday to be quarantined against all fever infected points.

Bank Robber Breaks Jail.

La Cross, Wis., Aug. 2.—Earl Trainor, member of the famous Eddie Fay gang of alleged post office robbers and safe blowers, who was arrested here at the head of a gang of three recently on the charge of burglary of a dozen post offices in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa, broke jail, leaving his companions in the lurch. Trainor was wanted also at Scottsburg, Ind., and other places, and the post office inspectors who caused his arrest considered it one of the most important in the northwest since Eddie Fay himself was arrested. Fay also broke jail at Janesville, and is still at large.

Post Office Robbed.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—The safe of the post office at Boles, 47 miles west of here, was blown open by robbers, who secured $200 in cash and $140 worth of stamps. The interior of the office was badly shattered.

MOODY TO PROBE STRIKE.

Government Attorney Asks Investigation—Sends Orders for Information.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Attorney General Moody Saturday telegraphed the United States district attorneys at Madison, Wis.; Milwaukee, Wis.; St. Paul, Minn.; Fargo, N. D.; Helena, Mont.; Boise, Idaho; Spokane, Wash.; Seattle, Wash.; and Portland, Ore., to investigate the facts as to the interruption of telegraph service on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads in view of the government's duty to keep unobstructed the avenues of interstate commerce. The Western Union Telegraph company in connection with the inquiry Saturday announced that that company "and its employes are in no way involved in the strike of the railroad telegraphers.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 7.—President Perham, of the telegraphers' union, said he welcomed the fullest investigation of the strike, when told of the action of Attorney General Moody. Officials of both railways declared the strike is practically a closed incident. They claim that three-fourths of the stations are supplied with agents. Train service showed improvement. James J. Hill is expected here August 10 and the telegraphers will ask him to intervene. A defection of strikers in Idaho is reported.

SAD BOATING ACCIDENT.

Four Persons Drowned by Capsizing of a Boat Near Verna, Minnesota.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 2.—Four lives were lost by the capsizing of a small skiff on Swan river, five miles north of Verna, Itasca county, near Ingstrom's Landing.

The names of the unfortunates are: Edith Tichenor, Goldie Tichenor, Everett Tichenor and Mrs. J. M. Pogue, settlers of that portion of the country.

Immediately after the accident a party was organized at Verna and went to assist in the search for the bodies, but up to five o'clock Tuesday afternoon no trace whatever was to be had. The search continued through the night. Mrs. O. E. Pogue was a member of the crowd, but saved her life by clinging to the boat until near enough to the shore to reach bottom. The other members of the party, two sisters and one brother, were unable to swim.

AFRICAN NATIVES DEFIANT.

Inhabitants of German Provinces Rebel—Outbreak Causing Great Concern.

Berlin, Aug. 7.—The governor of German East Africa telegraphed Saturday to the colonial bureau of the foreign office that the natives in the Maturbi mountains north of Kilwa have risen, also that there has been an outbreak on the coast at Samanga during which several warehouses were burned. The causes of the discontent appear to be unexplained. While rebellions are in progress in other German African colonies, East Africa hitherto has been quiet. The outbreak, therefore, causes some concern. The government is thoroughly tired of these colonial wars in which considerable sums of money have been sunk without bringing either profit or glory.

BASEBALL.

Tables Which Show the Standing of Clubs of Two of the Leading Organizations.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost and the percentage of clubs of leading baseball organizations. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	69	28	.711
Pittsburg	61	35	.635
Philadelphia	57	38	.600
Chicago	56	42	.571
Cincinnati	49	48	.505
St. Louis	36	63	.364
Boston	31	68	.313
Brooklyn	28	65	.301

American league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
Philadelphia	54	36	.600
Chicago	51	37	.580
Cleveland	53	40	.570
New York	45	41	.523
Boston	44	43	.506
Detroit	44	48	.478
Washington	35	55	.389
St. Louis	32	58	.355

Dr. Koch Acquitted.

Mankato, Minn., Aug. 2.—The jury in the third trial of Dr. George R. Koch, charged with the murder of Dr. L. A. Gebhardt, his brother dentist, at New Ulm, Minn., on the night of November 1, 1904, Tuesday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty, after three hours of deliberation. The case has been a sensational one, and has held the close attention of the people of the northwest.

Desperate Negro Killed.

Lewisville, Ark., Aug. 4.—After killing two persons, seriously and probably fatally shooting two others, one a woman, and less seriously shooting two more, Ike Kinney, a desperate negro, was killed in a river bottom at Doeila, six miles south of Lewisville, at noon Thursday after a hot fight with a posse of citizens that had surrounded him.

Wisconsin Centenarian Dead.

Glidden, Wis., Aug. 2.—A. M. Katon, who was born in Ireland 115 years ago, and believed to have been the oldest man in the northwest, died Tuesday. Mr. Katon came here many years ago. He was remarkably well preserved for his age, and was in many ways not as decrepit as men many years his junior.

Illinois Bank Robbed.

Danville, Ill., Aug. 3.—The bank at Royal, Champaign county, was broken open and robbed of $4,000 early Wednesday. Nitroglycerin was used and the explosion, which blew the safe door through the roof, was heard for miles. The robbers escaped.

HUGE DOCKS SWEPT BY FLAMES.

HALF A MILLION LOST IN HOBOKN CONFLAGRATION OF MYSTERIOUS ORIGIN.

Many Lives in Peril. Two Hundred Persons Make Desperate Dash for Safety. Railroad Systems are Tied Up.

New York, Aug. 8.—A great fire destroyed the entire water front property of the Delaware, Lackawana & Western railroad at Hoboken last night. The fire started at 9 o'clock. At midnight the united fire fighting forces of Weehawken, Hoboken and Jersey City had succeeded in getting it under control. The loss is estimated at half a million. So far as is known there is no loss of life.

It was feared that the flames would extend to the Hamburg American docks to the north, and tugs from all the steamship and towing lines in the harbor poured torrents of water into the flames to prevent their spread. Further to the north are the piers of the North German Lloyd, recently constructed, and every preparation was made to move the great liners should the flames spread so far.

The list of destroyed property includes the D. L. & W. railroad depot and its great train shed; the ferry house with its sheds; the building of the public service corporation, in which scores of street cars were stored; the two ferry boats, Hopatcong and Binghamton, and all the private property facing the ferry shed at the ferry house.

The train shed was one of the largest along the water front. It was 600 feet long and 200 feet wide and contained nine tracks.

The fire started from the ferryboat Hopatcong, which was lying in the Emergency slip to the north of the regular ferry slids. She had been put for the night. No one was abroad her but the watchman.

No one could tell how the fire was started. It seemed scarcely sixty seconds before the entire boat was enveloped in flames. The ferry house went like a match box, and in another five minutes the rear depot and the train shed were in flames.

There were 200 people in the ferry house awaiting a boat to New York. A man burst into the waiting room ordering "all out at once."

The crowd did not realize the danger but saw it a second later when a great flare lit up the windows. They crushed through the doors and driveway to the strret and all escaped before the building was enveloped.

Preparing for Battle.

London, Aug. 8.—According to the Tokio correspondent of the Telegraph, the position of the Russians in Manchuria, despite General Linevitch's grandiose dispatches, is not enviable. This will soon be revealed in a practical form.

The Japanese enveloping movement will be three or four times greater than it was at Mukden. General Linevitch's rear guard is threatened, as is also his flank in the direction of Vladivostok, through the coast territory and from the mouth of the Amur river.

Price of Peace.

New Castle, N. H., Aug. 8.—Japan has decided on the delivery of an ultimatum to Russia at the opening of the peace negotiations. Under instructions from Tokio, Barom Komura and Minister Takhira will present a note to the Russian representatives containing two series of demands. The first will be those Japan fixes now as the price of terminating the war; the war; the second, those she will exact should Russia decide to continnue the struggle.

Government Horses.

Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 8.—The United States government is about to establish a vast breeding farm and horses in southern Livingston county. The Indian Creek farm has been leased for the purpose, and the work of installing the necessary buildings will commence at once. It is proposed to make this farm the most extensive of the kind in the country and it is hoped to furnish a very considerable portion of the horses required by the government.

Drowned.

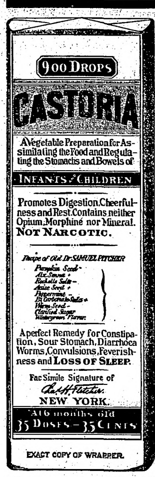
Portland, Ore., Aug. 8.—Owing to a want of presence of mind in all but one of twenty occupants of a launch which had collided with a rowboat, two of the three occupants of the rowboat drowned within a dozen feet of the launch. The drowned were Fred Steffeuson, aged 20, and his sister, Madeline, aged 16.

Two Children Burned.

Montevideo, Minn., Aug. 8.—E. J. Lindquist's blacksmith shop burned yesterday, and two children perished in the flames. Mrs. Rever had her leg broken in jumping through a window. The financial loss is $3,000.

Dog Shoots Master.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 5.—William Hoffman, a farmer residing near Lancaster village, was wounded in the leg by a bullet from a gun discharged by his dog. Hoffman carried a loaded gun into the field while cutting hay, and dropped the gun to the ground near a fence before taking up his scythe. His dog, which followed him from the house, found the gun and in scratching at it pulled the trigger, discharging the weapon. The ball entered the calf of Hoffman's leg, tearing an ugly hole.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A COMPETENT statistician would not have a long or tiresome job in figuring up the departments at Washington that are free from graft.

AN exchange informs us that Senator Lord is Republican on both sides of the family. Good idea. Otherwise he would be lop-sided.

SENATOR DEPEW says he stands on his honor, and the St. Cloud Times concludes he must surely have small feet to stand on such small space.

AT a recent banquet a prominent speaker said we owe an immense debt to the newspapers. This must be true, for the last bill we pay is the editor's.

THE man who votes the straight party ticket regardless of the qualifications or honesty of the candidates is more likely to be considered a chump than a patriot.

SENATOR-ELECT LAFOLLETTE still hangs on to his job as governor. Bob is somewhat in doubt whether all the reforms he started out to accomplish are finished.

IT is said that Secretary of State Hansen will not be a candidate for governor. The rumor that he has transferred his influence to Treasurer Block is not corroborated, however.

IT is a little late in the day for reciprocity conventions. As John Lind once said "the United States has sinned away its day of grace. Canada doesn't want reciprocity and she doesn't need it.

STATE SUPERINTENDENT OLSEN again complains of a lack of teachers, and blames it all on Cupid. Well, as a general proposition school ma'ams make good wives and mothers, so there's compensation for every loss.

DR. WILLIAM J. MAYO, recently elected president of the American Medical association, who performed three operations for appendicitis on Governor Johnson, says he knows the governor is a good man because he has seen the inside and outside of him.

NINETEEN years ago the first meeting in behalf of drainage took place at Crookston, says the Duluth News-Tribune. For the few who have kept the agitation alive ever since, there are thousands now to fight for redemption of the swamp, and Crookston saw the signs this week.

THE Springfield, (Mass.) Republican's Williamstown correspondent reports a feud of long standing between the Smith and Jones families of that town. In a spirit of earnest hope for the peace of the world we may express a wish that this feud is not to spread.

THE president made a bad mistake when he took the railroad plunderer and violator of the law, Paul Morton, into his cabinet, and he aggravated his mistake when he screened Morton from prosecution and eulogized him upon his retirement from the cabinet, observes the Waseca Herald.

MINNESOTA millionaires are postponing the day of criticism. The Owatonna Chronicle remarks that "Tawm Shevlin "seen" his chance and grabbed it. Last week he gave $60,000 for a woman's building at the university. In consequence we aren't supposed to say anything mean about Tawm for some time to come. We all know now how President Hadley of Yale feels in the shadow of that million dollar contribution from John D. Rockefeller"

Brain Leaks.

It is very easy to make excuses for those we love.

The older a man is the farther he could jump when a boy.

It does not take much courage to be a hero in the limelight.

Today's happiness depends upon the scarcity of yesterday's regrets.

Did you ever have as good a time on your vacation as you anticipated?

It is better to be known as a good man then to be known as a good fellow.

Some men think they are popular merely because people impose on them.

Perhaps they call them "captains of finance" because some of them are so rank.

In the race for wealth the men who are distanced often reap the greatest benefits.

Some churches that talk about revivals would better talk about resurrections.

The pocketbook nerve of some men is much more sensitive than their domestic nerve.

We have never heard of a business man going to a pool hall in search of an office boy.

This would be a dreary world indeed if there were no rainbows to chase occassionally.

Salvation is to be had for the asking, but it costs work and money and sacrifice to retain it.

People who have children of their own are always slow to advice others how to raise their children.

Some people manufacture crosses for the satisfaction of thinking that they are earning crowns by carrying them.

The sweetest old woman we ever knew had a habit of saying when she started to repair one of the children's garments. "Patch by patch is neighborly, but patch upon patch is beggardly,"

A mother is always ready to trust her daughter's happiness to a young man who is courteous and polite to his sisters.

The man who contends that the world is growing worse is merely looking at it thrugh spectacles that are mentally fogged.

It transpires that some eminent gentlemen have been so busy guarding the national honor that they grew very careless about their own.

We are so old-fashioned that we would rather see a woman pushing a baby cab than see a woman riding in an auto with a poodle dog in her lap.

If ever we have to board again we are going to look for a place in a home where the housewife feels complimented if you eat until your collar hurts.

Killed 5,314 Wolves.

The wolf bounty law has cost the state of Minnesota nearly $29,000 during the year ending June 30, 1905. The county auditors of the various counties have sent in vouchers for 5,314 wolves for which bounties have been paid. This represents a total bounty of $28,799.00. The state pays the bounty of $7.50 for each full grown wolf and $1 for each wolf cub. The bounties are paid by the county auditors, who in turn collect from the state. In some counties wolf hunting is highly profitable. In Beltrami county a bounty of $16 is paid for each female wolf killed. Of this amount the county pays $7.50 and the state a like amount. Itasca county drew the largest amount during the past year $1,729. Other Tail county received $1,673 and Kittson county $1,664.

The Drama of the Century.

Klaw & Erlanger's mammoth mechanical production of Gen. Lew Wallace's mighty play, "Ben Hur," with its lustrous Star of Bethlehem, its camels, Arabiam steeds, Oriental trappery and mimic splendor of the "gorgeous East," is beyond dispute the most elaborate spectacle ever staged in the history of the world. Its series of seventeen scenes present to the eyes a feast of multifarious beauty and variety, all set to a symphonic accompaniment of graceful music. The exciting episodes such as the galley scene, with its horde of chained slaves, the sea fight, the rescue in mid-sea and the thrilling race with two chariots and eight horses, combined with the picturesque scenes illustrating the Wise Men in the desert, the moon-lit lake in the Orchard of Palms, where Ben-Hur and Iris enjoy seclusion and make love in Iris' barge, the palm waving worshipers on Mount Olivet and the Grove of Daphne with its nymphs Devadasi, dancing in their skins of beasts to the music of the kissing cymbals, simply captivate the great audience that are nightly in attendance wherever it is being enacted.

Whatever may be thought of the purely dramatic element supplied by William Young in his adaptation of General Wallace's unique romance, it must be admitted that the result is an effective appeal to four classes of play-goers—the spectacle loving, the sensation loving, the book lovers who like to see their favorite novels enacted on the stage and the religious people of the community who are always attracted when a play containing healthy religious influence is presented.

"Ben Hur" is now in its seventh season with no abatement in interest. Its booking at the Metropolitan Opera House, St. Paul, for the week of Aug. 28th, and the Metropolitan Theatre, Minneapolis, for the week of Sept. 4th, will attract hundreds from this vicinity. It will be well for those who intend to witness it to write in advance and reserve seats.

HORSE ON SNOWSHOES NOW

Swede Mail Carrier in Wyoming Has Steed Equipped for Heavy Travel.

Saratoga, Wyo.—Uncle Sam has to overcome many difficulties in winter time to supply mining camps in the mountains with mail. The town of Dillon, which is supplied tri-weekly from this place, is at an altitude of 9,000 feet. Up to the 1st of February the mail contractor managed to keep the trail open for sledges, but there came such a snowfall at that time that sleds had to be abandoned and the mail carried on snowshoes.

The contractor has secured the services of a Swede who has a horse which he has taught to travel on snowshoes, and from this time on the horse will draw a specially constructed handsled, capable of carrying from 100 to 200 pounds. This will enable the people of Dillon to get small packages of express and other light matter along with their mail. The difficult portion of the road is about four miles in length on the top of the divide, where the snow is very deep.

FIND CASH BURIED BY REDS

Pot Containing $2,000, Supposed to Have Been Left by Indians, Unearthed in Texas.

Mount Pleasant, Tex.—T. A. Ledbetter has dug up a pot containing nearly $2,000 in gold coin 20 miles north of here. The coin is all United States money except one or two pieces, which are either Spanish or Mexican coins.

Years ago an old Indian stated that some kind of a treasure had been buried near where Ledbetter made his find, and parties made a search for it at that time, but were unable to find anything and gave up the search. Several trees near the place had Indian marks on them. The money is in a good state of preservation.

Forty Skeletons in Cave.

News has been received from the Vancouver island coast of the discovery by prospectors of a cave on the seashore between Quatsino sound and San Joseph bay, at the north of Vancouver island, in which 40 skeletons were found. The prospectors found most of the skeletons intact. Some of the skulls were broken. It is possible that the cave was the burial place of an Indian tribe.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

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Miss Anna Prescott, in a letter from 216 South Seventh street, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"I was completely used up last fall, my appetite had failed and I felt weak and tired all the time. I took Peruna for five weeks, and am glad to say that I am completely restored to health."—Anna Prescott.

Mrs. Leone Dolehan, in a letter from the Commercial Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"For two months my physician experimented with me trying to cure a hard cold which settled in my stomach, causing inflammation and catarrh. I have now been well for six months, and I give all the credit to Peruna." — Mrs. Leone Dolehan.

Peruna will be found to effect an immediate and lasting cure in all cases of systemic catarrh. It acts quickly and beneficially on the diseased mucous membranes, and with healthy mucous membranes the catarrh can no longer exist.

Miss Louise Matt, 1259 Van Buren St., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"Peruna is a most wonderful medicine for catarrhal and stomach troubles.

"I suffered so long with indigestion and dyspepsia, and tried many things to cure me, without relief. I finally bought a bottle of Peruna and in just six weeks I was entirely rid of my stomach trouble."—Louise Matt.

A Letter From Mrs. Senater Warren.

The following letter is from the wife of late Governor and now U. S. Senator, F. E. Warren of Wyoming:

"I am constantly troubled with colds, cough, etc., but thanks to your good medicine, Peruna, I always find a prompt cure."—Mrs. F. E. Warren.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to pcs at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
C. C. ANDREWS,
Cnief Fire Warden.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H, Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "For several months I was given up to die, I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time, I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at all druggists; price 50c.

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A School for Girls with which is connected a boarding school for Little Boys. For catalogue apply to the DIRECTRESS.

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is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I have ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at all drug stores, guaranteed.

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Falling hair means weak hair. Then strengthen your hair; feed it with the only hair food, Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, makes the hair

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B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over four years I was troubled with a kidney and bladder affection. I lost flesh and was unable to work. Three physicians failed to help me and I was given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured."

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How would you like to secure a commission as an officer under Uncle Sam? If you are between the ages of 17 and 35 years, possess the necessarry common school education, are moral, persistent, and can pass the required physical examination, send me four one cent stamps to pay postage, and I will mail you a personal letter, literature, etc., that will tell you of the qualifications required for positions leading to promotion of high rank as an officer in our army or navy.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Joseph Paradis was at Brooks Tuesday.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was in the city Monday.

Ole T. Romsos, of Wylie was in the city Monday.

W. T. Spillane was at Crookston over Tuesday evening.

Wm. O'Brien spent Sunday at Crookston with his brothers.

Rev. Father Alto was at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

The Southside club met with Mrs. J. C. Wilkiuson Saturday afternoon.

S. J. Swanson, of Wylie, was a business caller at this place Monday.

Miss Mary Erb went to Crookston Saturday for a visit with old friends.

Mrs. Tibbetts drove to Wylie Monday returning home in the evening.

O. Dubuque went to Thief River Falls yesterday to see the county fair.

Mrs. Juel Lasha, living southeast of the city, is reported as being quite sick.

Sheriff Linnihan joined the crowd that went to Thief River Falls yesterday.

Jim and Paul give a sound talk on fashionable furnishings in their adv. this week.

Judge Knight is at Thief River Falls this week visiting his son and old friends.

A number of our citizens have been at Crookston this week attending the street fair.

There was a dance at the K. P. hall last evening. The young folks report a good time.

Supt. McAnulty was in Lambert yesterday looking after school matters in that section.

Mrs. L. C. Simons expects to leave to-morrow for Granite Falls for a visit with her parents.

J. K. Hannay drove down from St. Hilaire Monday afternoon, returning home in the evening.

The Great Northern has a pile driver at work to-day on the bridge over Botteneaue's Ave,

Miss Lulu Fletcher left yesterday for Thief River Falls to be absent the balance of the week.

Theo. LaBissoniere returned this morning from Mentor where he spent a week at the lake.

The court house is a very quite place to-day, most of the officials being at the Thief River fair.

Chas. J. Chapman, of Duluth, was in the city over Sunday visiting Mrs. Chapman and parents.

We have a number of second hand binder canvasses that we are selling cheap.—F. E. Hunt.

The Great Northern depot has been neatly painted this week by a crew of railroad workmen.

Mrs. M. Bray and children went to Crookston Tuesday evening and will remain for several days.

John Lagassy returned to Forest River, North Dakota, Tuesday, after spending a week in the city.

W. A. Schrieter was at Thief River Falls the latter part of last week looking after business affairs.

The band concert last evening brought out a large crowd who enjoyed the occasion very much.

Otto Steinert left Saturday for Cannon Falls, Minn., where he has accepted a good position in a mill.

The young ladies who have been camping at Maple Lake for two weeks, returned home Saturday.

Jos. Laurent, of Terrebonne, went to Crookston, Tuesday evening to take in the street carnival.

A. Wright, of Thief River Falls, was in the city Monday night. He was on his way to the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Ed. Bray went to Crookston Monday evening and has been visiting relatives and friends this week.

Mrs. W. A. Schrieter went to Thief River Falls yesterday to visit friends and take in the county fair.

Miss Ethel Bourdon was among those who went to Crookston Monday evening to take in the street fair.

Mrs. Oride Emard and daughter, Miss Beatrice, went to Thief River Falls yesterday to attend the county fair.

Chief of Police Geo. Brunelle went to Blackduck last evening where he will visit his son, Cash, for a few days.

Miss Nellie Curren, of Thief River Falls, was in the city over Sunday, the guest of her friend, Miss Lillian Buse.

Bargains in
Stoves and Ranges

TO clean up our stock and make room for new fall Goods we offer the following big bargains:

1 GARLAND Steel Range 6 hole with reservoir and higt closet worth $60, now.......... $50

1 ACORN Steel Range, 4 hole, with reservoir and higt shelf, worth $45.00, now.............. $40

1 No. 9 CAST COOK Stove worth $16,—...... now.............. $12

1 No. 9 STEEL COOK Stove with reservoir, worth $30, now.......... .... $25

1 No. 9 CAST COOK stove with reservoir, worth $25, now... $20

We also have one refrigerator left worth $20, take it at.......... $15

We are making special prices on Screen Doors, Hammocks and Baby Carriages.

FRANK E. HUNT
Established 1878 Gen'l Hardware

If you want a baby carriage or go-cart you can get one for less than cost at Hunt's hardware store.

Atty. Boughton returned from Fergus Falls Friday where he had been called on professional business.

Sam'l. Hunt and Harry Healy were at Grand Forks last Friday taking in the street fair and carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Duffy went to Maple Lake Monday evening for a few days recreation at the popular resort.

Arthur Ittner came down from St. Hilaire Monday and remained over night visiting relatives and old friends.

Misses Dora and Clara Marchand went to Mentor Friday for a visit with friends. They returned home Tuesday.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Miss Marie Page returned to her Crookston home last Friday after visiting friends in this city for several days.

A. L. Reichert was at Fargo yesterday attending the annual meeting of the Northwestern Druggists association.

Joseph Herron and sister, Miss Rose, left Saturday for Grand Forks where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. P. O. Floan and daughter returned home Friday from Fergus Falls where they visited friends for several days.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hagal, living three miles south of the city, Tuesday, Aug, 8.

Miss Ina McAllister, of Minneapolis, arrived in the city Saturday and is a guest of her uncle, Probate Judge Tarrant.

Miss Ella Krueger and Mrs. Herman Krueger went to Fisher Friday to visit Mrs, Krueger's parents for a few days.

Mrs. K. Faltinson left last evening for her home at Armstrong, Iowa, after a three week's visit at the Chase home.

Miss Lillian Belair returned Monday from Two Harbors and Duluth where she visited friends for a couple of weeks.

Marcus Johnson arrived in the city yesterday and will remain the balance of the week looking after business interests.

Jas. Brady was at St. Hilaire yesterday. He has the contract for repairing a bridge at that place and is at work on the job.

Mrs. S. M. Sivertson went to Grand Forks Tuesday evening going that far with her mother and daughter who went to Atwater.

Misses Kathaline Spillane and May Cadieux are at Crookston this week enjoying themselves at the street fair and carnival.

The band left this morning for Thief River Falls and will play today at the county fair. The boys will return this evening.

Atty. McIntyre went to Fargo Tuesday evening to secure a house in which to live when he and Mrs. McIntyre move to that city.

Wm. Findeisen tells about binding twine and machinery in a new adv. this week. Look it up, it may be the means of saving you money.

Mrs. Henry Kaufer went to Thief River Falls Tuesday and will visit her daughter, Mrs. Murphy, and take in the county fair this week.

The Royal Neighbors gave a dance at the Woodman hall last Thursday evening. A large crowd was in attendance and all had a good time.

The morning train on the N. P. did not arrive at this place until 2:30 p. m. Monday. The telegraphers strike is responsible for the delay.

It is said there are a lot of fields of barley in this county that is ready to cut but it is impossible to get on the land on account of the moisture.

Don't forget the Progressive Entertainers at the opera house, Wednesday, Aug. 16th. A good mixture of sense, music and merriment.

Miss Albina Lemieux returned home Tuesday from a six week's visit with friends and relatives at Grand Forks and other North Dakota points.

While Ernest Gerlach and Sully Hall were returning from Brooks last Sunday they saw a deer in Poplar River township. As a friend said "they had two dears in the buggy and saw a deer in the country."

THE BUSY STORE
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Our last week's Get Away Sale cleaned us of light weight Dress Goods. Now comes a SWEEPING REDUCTION on all Summer and Gauze UNDERWEAR. You get what you want for the whole family,

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The Northern Pacific Ry. will sell tickets to the State Fair Sept. 2 to 9, returning Sept. 11, at one fare for the round trip, plus 50c. Children half fare.

Mrs. Rose Simpson and Miss Bessie Wilkinson, of Iowa Falls, Iowa, arrived in the city Saturday and are guests of their brother, Dr. J. C. Wilkinson.

A baby girl was born at the W. Raimier home on the North Side last Friday. The little one lived but a short time, passing to the great beyond Sunday.

Chas. Tschida, the Fertile cigar maker, was in the city a short time Friday. He was on his way to points on the Great Northern line north of here.

The Sunday school of the Presbyterian church held a picnic at the Healy mill yesterday. A large crowd was in attendance and all report a good time.

J. L. Boire, who formerly acted as stenographer at the Ed. L. Healy land office but has been at Crookston for several weeks, is in the city visiting old friends.

C. W. Hitchcock, one of Crookston's prominent citizens, went through the city yesterday in company with Senator Clapp on a trip up the Great Northern.

Wm. Kreuger has been laid up with rheumatism the past two weeks. He has about recovered from his illness which kept him confined to the house for a few days.

Mose Bray, Joe LaChance and Aug. Morin left the first of the week for International Falls. They will look over that part of the country thoroughly before they return.

H. J. Inkvik, of Forest City. Iowa, was in the city over Sunday. Mr. Indvik thinks well of this section and predicts a good land movement this way the next few months.

A large number of school teachers who had been attending the summer school and teachers examinations left for their homes at Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire Saturday.

W. E. McKenzie and Sam Rosenthal of Crookston, were in the city Sunday with an automobile. They were on their way to Maple Lake and were accompanied by their families.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson expect to leave the last of this week for the Pacific coast for an extended visit. The Portland exposition will be included in their sight seeing.

N. T. Christianson and T. O. Lund, of Northwood, Iowa, were in the city yesterday. They are prosperous business men and came up to look at their land holdings near Wylie.

County Auditor Ford has forwarded the list of forfeited lands of Red Lake county to the state auditor. There were nearly 5,000 descriptions, practically all being town property.

Fred. Leppert and Oliver T. Romsos, of Wylie, were in the city Monday. They left here on the Great Northern train for St. Paul to consult the officials of that road in regard to matters of importance to Wylie. We understand Mr. Leppert has sold his hardware business at Wylie and expects to engage in business in some of the new towns in North Dakota.

U. S. Senator Clapp passed through the city Wednesday morning on the Great Northern on his way to Greenbush. He is to speak at the fair grounds in Thief River Falls this afternoon.

The Progressive Entertainers, who are billed to play at the Metropolitan opera house, Wednesday, Aug. 16th., come highly recommended and their performance is said to be first class.

The First State Bank had their burglar alarm system thoroughly overhauled by an expert yesterday. A burglar would have a lively time trying to get at the strong box of this institution.

Mrs. J. G. Wilkinson and family, accompanied by Miss Bessie Wilkinson and Mrs. Rose Simson, went to Poplar River the first of the week to visit B. O. Wilkinson and family for a few days.

Miss Kate McAnulty, returned home from Crookston Monday. She was at that city for the purpose of nursing her friend, Miss Mayme Linnihan, who has been at the hospital for several days.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned home this morning from her extended trip through the west. She visited Canada, the coast country, the Portland exposition and the Yellowstone Park and had a most delightful time.

Rev. Father Fayolle left Monday evening for Duluth where he will enjoy the lake breezes for a week. Father Fayolle is a hard and consistent worker and is entitled to a vacation from his ardious duties.

Mrs. Sam'l Barney and children and Miss Addie Orr, of Marshall, Minn., arrived in the city this morning and will visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Orr, east of the city for a few days.

Alex. Dows, an old resident of this city, arrived Tuesday and is a guest at the Geo. Brunelle home. Mr. Dows has many acquaintances among the older residents of this place who will be pleased to see him and talk over past experiences. He now makes his home in Colorado.

Chas. N. Bourdon returned Monday from North Dakota where he had been the past two weeks. He was engaged in helping the Soo line settle all the odds and ends of their right-of-way on the new branch to Kenmore.

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to any one who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

It looks as though Red Lake Falls would have another good foot ball team this year. The members of this year's high school team are already in training and will no doubt give a good account of themselves when the playing season arrives.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Crookston Monday evening where he went to see his daughter, Miss Mayme, who has been at the hospital in that city for several days. Miss Mayme is greatly improved and is expected to return to her home in this city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Mizen, of Tiffin, Ohio, arrived in the city Monday and are making their son, Station Agent Mizen of the Northern Pacific, a visit. This is the first time the couple have been in the west and they are enjoying their stay immensely.

Chas. Cress is exhibiting some potatoes at the Ed. L. Healy land office that are certainly beauties. They were dug Aug. 8 and are very large and very firm. The potatoe crop this season is said to be a good one, the only cause for worry at the present time being too much rain which will cause them to rot.

A great number of the farmers are complaining about the heavy rains that have visited this section the past two weeks. They report the fields as being covered with water and it is said a binder cannot be run over a great part of the land. The weather the next two or three weeks will decide the question of plentiful crops in this section.

Stilwater Binder Twine

I have just received a carload which I will sell at the following low prices for cash:

Standard - - - - 10c
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One-half cent more on twine untill fall. This twine is guaranteed by the state to be first class as to length, strength and working quality. Get in your orders before it is all gone as it will not last long. We sell Deering, Champion and Milwaukee binders and the repairs for same.

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I had been troubled with Rheumatism for two years, had been under the treatment of physicians, and tried everything recommended to me, but all to no avail. My knee and elbow joints were so stiff that I could not use them. I was unable to do my household work, and was truly in a pitiable condition. S. S. S. cured me after using it for awhile, and I unhesitatingly give it the credit it so much deserves.
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GOPHER GOSSIP.

St. Paul—Judge Kelly holds that the city gambling ordinance is illegal.

White Bear—White Bear and Plutc win the yacht races at White Bear.

St. Paul—The state closes a fiscal year with a deficit in the revenue fund of $544,624.95.

Duluth—Congressman Bede says the floods in northern Minnesota might have been averted.

Hastings—Magnus Shuholm was assaulted and robbed of $20 by a footpad in front of his home.

St. Paul—Fifteen thousand people a month, practically all sightseers, visit the new state capitol.

Kragness—Wm. Mutterer, a farm laborer, while swimming in the Buffalo river, was drowned.

Duluth—Opposition is arising to the sale of $2,000,000 Virginia bonds held by the state school fund.

St. Paul—"The Treaty of the Traverse des Sioux," by Frances D. Millet, is hung in the new capitol.

St. Paul—The census figures show an increase of almost 50 per cent in the Indian population in the state.

Eveleth—John Aho, a Finn, 26 years old, was smothered by ore at the Petit mine stock pile, five miles east of here.

Brainerd—The state sues a lumber company to recover for the loss of fish killed and frightened away by a log jam.

Washington—C. A. Engelstead was appointed postmaster at Gatzka, Marshall county, vice C. E. Johnson, resigned.

Duluth—Four lives were lost by the capsizing of a small skiff on Swan river, five miles north of Verna, Itasca county.

Minneapolis—A movement is started to secure an endowment fund for a chair of forestry at the Minnesota university.

St. Paul—The remains of a woman, supposed to be those of Mrs. Grace Adamson, of Minneapolis, were found in the river.

Minneapolis — Albert Erickson, 16 years old, was instantly killed while adjusting a belt in the C. A. Smith sawmill.

St. Paul—Dr. O. Wellington Archibald, a prominent oculist and aurist, was found dead in the bathtub at his apartments.

St. Paul—The parents of three boys who borrowed and wrecked an automobile have to pay $480 for repairs to the machine.

St. Paul—The annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance union for the twenty-third district was held at the House of Hope.

Two Harbors—Ole Nastin, aged 24, employed as a tiemaker on the Indian reservation in Cook county, was drowned while in bathing.

Ada—Directors of the Norman county telephone company are contemplating the purchase of the Ada, Halstad, Shelly and Twin Valley lines.

Minneapolis—Wheat deliveries at the Chamber of Commerce July 31 were 1,030,000 bushels, which quantity was taken over by millers principally.

St. Paul—Governor Johnson has issued the annual Labor Day proclamation, designating the first Monday in September for fitting observance.

Winona—Articles of incorporation of the Security Bank of Lewiston, this county, have been filed with the register of deeds. It has a capital stock of $10,000.

Mankato—Alfred A. Buck of Mankato was preparing to go into the restaurant business in Havana when he was arrested. He says he will come back and "take his medicine."

Minneapolis—Fifty Jewish families have formed an organization for the purpose of establishing an agricultural colony in some part of Minnesota, or in the Canadian wheat belt.

Minneapolis—During the month of July the police department made 776 arrests upon various charges. The month was the most profitable of any since the present administration of police assumed charge of the department.

St. Paul—Frank Day, the governor's private secretary, intends to take his campaign against the abattoirs at the Minnesota Transfer to the state board of health if the St. Paul city board refuses to take some action.

Minneapolis—In the week ending July 27 the state dairy and food department collected twenty-seven samples of milk and cream from dairies and dealers in and about the city, and found eight of them illegal.

Duluth—J. E. Bergston of Ellis, Wis., shot himself to death just after parting with Ellen Samuelson, who had refused to marry him. Bergston was 30 years old and identified with the lumber industry.

St. Paul—Insurance Commissioner T. D. O'Brien filed an opinion that a mutual live stock insurance company cannot legally do business in Minnesota without first complying with the insurance laws requiring a deposit of $100,000.

Hastings—Joseph Chovin, 16 years old, of Barron, Wis., had a portion of his right foot crushed beneath the wheels of a train.

Duluth—The grain firm of A. D. Thompson & Co. has leased from the Great Northern road its three large elevators in Superior.

Duluth—Employment agents are preparing to invade Buffalo, Pittsburg, and other eastern points to secure laboring men for this section on a basis of $2 a day and $4 a week for board. One agent says he could place 5,000 men within a radius of 150 miles of Duluth.

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT.
Judge of Probate.

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EQUILIZATION BOARD.

Proceedings of the County Board of Equalization.

Red Lake Falls, Einn., July 17, 1905.

James Sutor, Wm. C. L. Demann, O. J. Johnson and Louis Falardeau constituting a majority of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met at the Court House at one o'clock p. m. and in conjunction with the County Auditor took and subscribed the statutory oath and entered upon their duties and the Board of Equalization in and for the County of Red Lake, Minnesota.

James Sutor was duly elected chairman.

On motion duly carried the following resolution was detared adopted;

Resolved, that as a basis for equalization, the valuation for personal property in Red Lake County for the year 1905 be fixed as follows;

Horses one yaar old	$ 8 00
" two years old	15 00
" three years old and over	25 00
Cattle one year old	2 00
" two years old	5 00
Cows	8 00
Work oxen	15 00
Sheep	1 00
Hogs, per cwt	2 00

Equalization of the assessed valuation of personal property was then taken up and the following changes were made;

HORSES ONE YEAR OLD.
Town of North, reduced 20 per cent.
Town of Numedal, reduced 10 per cent.
Town of Poplar River, raised 15 per cent.
Town of Smiley raised 10 per cent.
Assessment Dist. No. 3, raised 10 per cent.

HORSES TWO YEARS OLD.
Town of Louisville, raised 5 per cent.
Town of North, raised 50 per cent.
Town of Numedal, raised 20 per cent.
Town of Poplar River, raised 33⅓ per cent.
Village of Plummer, raised 50 per cent.

HORSES THREE YEARS OLD AND OVER.
Town of Bray raised 5 per cent.
Town of Louisville, raised 10 per cent.
Town of Numedal, raised 5 per cent.
Town of Poplar River, raised 5 per cent.
Town of Wpandotte, raised 5 per cent.
Town of North, reduced 5 per cent.

CATTLE ONE YEAR OLD.
Town of Poplar River, reduced 100 per cent.

CATTLE TWO YEARS OLD.
Town of Poplar River, reduced 25 per cent,
Town of Rocksbury, raised 20 per cent.
Village of Plummer, raised 66⅔ per cent.

COWS.
Town of Louisville, raised 5 per cent.
Town of Poplar River, reduced 20 per cent.
Town of Rocksbury, raised 10 per cent.

WORK OXEN.
Town of Bray, raised 25 per cent.
Town of Equality, raised 25 per cent.
Town of Louisville, raised 15 per cent.
Town of North, raised 15 per cent.
Nown of Numedal, raised 20 per cent.
Town of Polk Centre, raised 25 per cent.
Town of Poplar River, raised 66⅔ per cent.
Town of Smiley, raised 5 per cent.

SHEEP.
Town of Louisville, reduced 40 per cent,

On motion duly carried a recess was taken till July 18, 1905.

July 18, 1905, the Board reconvened with all members present. Commissioner Shaw took and subscribed the statutory oath and entered upon his dutis as a member of the Board.

The equalization of the values of personal property was resumed.

HOGS.
Town of Louisville raised 75 per cent.
" " North, raised 10 per cent.
" " Poplar River raised 10 per cent.
" " Red Lake Falls raised 25 per cent.
" " Rocksbury reduced 50 per cent.
" " Smiley raised 15 per cent,
Village of St. Hilaire reduced 50 per cent,

WAGONS, CARRIAGES, SLEIGHS AND OTHER VEHICLES
Town of Black River, raised 110 per cent.
" " Bray, raised 30 per cent.
" " Emardville, reduced 20 per cent.
" " Garnes reduced 10 per cent.
" " of Equality, raised 20 per cent.
" " Gervais raised 10 per cent.
" " Lake Pleasant, raised 10 per cent:
" " Lambert, raised 40 per cent,
" " Louisville raised 40 per cent.
" " Norden, raised 15 per cent.
" " North raised 5 per cent.
" " Polk Centre, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Red Lake Falls, raised 80 per cent.
" " Numedal, reduced 25 per cent.
" " Poplar River, reduced 5 per cent.
" " Silverton, reduced 33⅓ per cent.
" " River Falls, raised 120 per cent.
" " Sanders, raised 10 per cent.
" " Terrebonne, raised 15 per cent.
" " Smiley, raised raised 10 per cent.
" " Wyandotte, raised 25 per cent.
Assessment Dist. No. 5, raised 5 per cent.
Village of Plummer, reduced 33⅓ per cent.
Village of St. Hilaire, raised 40 per cent.
City of Red Lake Falls, raised 50 per cent.
City of Thief River Falls, reduced 20 per cent.

SEWING & KNITTING MACHINES.
Town of Black River, raised 40 per cent.
" " Bray, raised 20 per cent.
" " Equality, raised 90 per cent.
" " Garnes, raised 15 per cent.
" " Gervais, raised 200 per cent.
" " Lake Pleasant, raised 60 per cent.
" " Lambert, raised 120 per cent.
" " Norden, raised 66⅔ per cent.
" " North, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Polk Centre, raised 40 per cent.
" " Poplar River, raised 40 per cent,
" " Red Lake Falls, raised 66⅔ per cent.
" " Rocksbury, raised 20 per cent.
" " Sanders raised 175 per cent.
" " Smiley, raised 40 per cent.
" " Terrebonne, raised 160 per cent.
" " Wyandotte, raised 150 per cent.
" of Louisville, reduced 10 per cent.
Assessment Dist. No. 3, reduced 20 per cent.
Village of St. Hilaire, reduced 10 per cent.
Vilage of Plummer, raised 50 per cent.
City of Red Lake Falls, raised 33⅓ per cent.
City of Thief River Falls, raised 33⅓ per cent

MELODEONS & ORGANS.
Town of Black River, raised 50 per cent.
" " Emardville, raised 140 per cent.
" " Equality, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Garnes, raised 50 per cent.
" " Gervais, raised 50 per cent.
" " Lambert, raised 90 per cent.
" " Louisville raised 175 per cent.
" " Norden, raised 20 per cent.
" " North, raised 60 per cent.
" " Polk Centre, raised 125 per cent.
" " Red Lake Falls, raised 120 per cent.
" " River Falls, raised 20 per cent,
" " Rocksbury, raised 10 per cent,
" " Sanders, raised 20 per cent.
" " Silverton, raised 20 per cent.
" " Wyandotte, raised 140 per cent.
Assessment District No. 5, raised 60 per cent.
City of Red Lake Falls, raised 140 per cent.
City of Thief River Falls, raised 40 per cent.
Town of Bray, reduced 5 per cent.
" " Smiley reduced 50 per cent.
" " Terrebonne, reduced 10 per cent.
Assessment Dist. No. 3, reduced 45 per cent.
Village of Plummer, reduced 33⅓ per cent.

PIANOS.
Town of Bray, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Emardville, raised 100 per cent.
" " Gervais, raised 50 oen cent.
" " North, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Red Lake Falls, raised 275 per cent.
" " Smiley, raised 150 per cent.
" " Terrebonne, raised 20 per cent.
City of Red Lake Falls, raised 40 per cent.
City of Thief River Falls, raise 66⅔ per cent.
Village of Plummer, reduced 33⅓ per cent.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & WEARING APPAREL.
Town of Black River, raised 40 per cent.
" " Bray, raised 100 per cent.
" " Emardville, raised 100 per cent.
" " Garnes, raised 100 per cent.
" " Lambert, roised 80 per cent.
" " Louisville, raised 40 per cent.
" " Norden, raised 20 per cent.
" " Polk Centre, raised 100 per cent.
" " Poplar River, raised 50 per cent.
" " River Falls, raised 100 per cent.
" " Rocksbury, raised 10 per cent.
" " Terrebonne, raised 66⅔ per cent.
" " Wyandotte, raised 100 per cent.
" " St. Hilaire, raised 30 per cent.
City of Red Lake Falls, raised 20 per cent.
" " Thief River Falls raised 20 per cent.
Town of Lake Pleasant, reduced 33⅓ per cent.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken till July 19, 1905.

July 19, 1905, the board convened with all members present.

Newspaper plants and printing establishments in the City of Thief River Falls were raised 75 per cent.

The assessment of L. A. Dautremont on newspaper plant in the City of Red Lake Falls was raised 25 per cent.

The newspaper plant of John E. King in the City of Red Lake Falls was raised 33⅓ per cent.

AGRICULTURAL TOOLS, IMPLEMENTS & MACHINERY.
Town of Polk Centre, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Red Lake Falls, raised 40 per cent.
" " River Falls, raised 33⅓ per cent.
" " Rocksbury, raised 33⅓ per cent,
" " Sanders, reduced 25 per cent.

Stocks on lumber in the City of Red Lake Falls raised 75 per cent.

Manufacturer's material and manufactured articles in the City of Thief River Falls were raised 5 per cent.

Stocks and furniture of saloons and eating houses in the Cities of Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls and the Village of St. Hilaire were raised 25 per cent.

Telephone exchanges in the City of Red Lake Falls were raised 12½ per cent.

Village lots in the Townsite of Brooks in the Town of Poplar River were reduced 33⅓ per cent.

Having examined, compared and equalized the returns of assessment of real and personal property of the County for the year 1905, on motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die.

JAMES SUTOR,
Chairman, County Board of Equalization.
Attest; JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

Commissioners Meeting.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., July 20, 1905

Pursuant to adjournment, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county met at the Court House at nine o'clock a. m.

Present, Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson, Shaw and Falardeau.

The bonds of the following depositories for county funds as accepted by the Board of Auditors were on motion approved: Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, $30,000; Bank of Red Lake Falls, $10,000, First State Bank of St. Hilaire, $20,000, Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire; $15,000, First State Bank of Brooks, $10,000, Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls, $20,000, First National Bank, Thief River Falls, $25,000, First State Bank, Thief River Falls, $20,000.

Commissioner Sutor offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Resolved that the sum of $100 be and is hereby appropriated from the County Road and Bridge Fund to aid the Town of Louisville in repairing the bridge across Roux Creek in said Town, the same to be paid to the Treasurer of said Town of Louisville when the said repairs are completed out of any money in the County Treasury available for such purposes.

The foregoing resolution was duly seconded and adopted by unanimous vote.

The list of personal property taxes for the year 1905 as returned uncollected by the Sheriff, was revised by the Board and citations ordered to be issued as follows:

Name of Person Assessed.	Town or District	Total Tax, Penalty and Costs	Remarks.
A. J. Bjorneby,	City of Red Lake Falls	$ 8 90	
Clearwater Lodge, I. O. O. F.	do	8 97	Answer filed
I. D. Converse	do	2 24	
H. W. Stetcher	do	364 69	Answer filed
May Joseph	do	13 09	
C. F. Johnson	do	10 08	
Mike McNamar	do	40 01	
J. J. Rue	do	6 44	
Theo. Schmitz	do	4 47	
A. Vaage	do	5 82	
John Bauer	do	11 31	
Xavier F. Lambert	Lambert	20 24	
Larose Obin	Poplar River	3 91	
Louis Piette	do	1 39	
Paul I. D. Ostby	Emardville	7 29	
Mrs. Christine Peterson	Wyandotte	2 23	
Per Peterson	Twp. 153, Range 42	1 74	
H. A. Wig	Norden	7 88	
P. A. Fautz	Black River	7 24	
W. J. Hastiie	Town of Red Lake Falls	11 48	
C. D. Wilford	Louisville	8 18	
J. W. Forseen	St. Hilaire	13 53	
G. H. Sandum	do	49 98	Answer filed
Tom Green	do	26 06	
Acme Harvester Co.	City of Thief River Falls	12 58	
John C. Flaherty	do	38 98	
Jackson & Alwson	do	83 46	
Martin Pederson	do	13 77	
Mrs. Joe Ryson	do	9 02	
John Risan	do	7 25	
Marguerite Ward	do	15 44	

The following is a correct list of the personal property taxes in said County for said year which said Board are satisfied cannot be collected and so cancelled by said board to-wit:

Name of Person Assessed.	Town or District	Total Tax, Penalty & Costs.
C. Guerin	City of Red Lake Falls	$ 7 24
E. S. Proper	do	15 43
John O. Sordal	Garnes	2 32
Alphonse Boucher	Lambert	1 75
Louise L. Hince	do	4 83
Eugene Jubenvile	do	7 59
Albert Wood.	do	1 95
Joseph Leroux	Poplar River	5 95
Paul Benjaminson	do	3 85
Nils Helland	Emardville	3 71
Gilbert O. Pederson	do	3 40
Ole M. Flekke	do	2 00
A. G. Mostrom	do	7 54
Dorilla Lambert	Terrebonne	3 55
Joseph St. Mars	do	2 32
L. Larson	Rocksbury	2 93
Anton Erickson	North	21 85
Peter Blomquist	Norden	3 22
August Anderson	Sanders	2 66
A. E. Hayes	Black River	4 13
L. H. Freese	Town of Red Lake Falls	5 89
J. A. Baumgardner	do	3 09
Abraham Waag	do	2 60
C. D. Wilford	do	3 19
August Klobe	Lake Pleasant	10 46
Casper Pope	do	12 08
M. Peloquin	Louisville	3 83
A. D. Talsford	do	5 46
Torkel Carlson	Polk Centre	3 52
Alfred Malloy	Numedal	3 16
D. K. Bryant	City of Thief River Falls	31 02
Soren Christenson	do	2 61
Mrs. Sam Gosselin	do	2 61
D. E. Kendrick	do	3 95
Leo Kuklinsky	do	3 09
Mrs. Emma Larsen	do	12 42
Kunot Popika	do	6 27
Ed Hanson	do	9 34
E. Rising	do	7 41
W. C. Smiley	do	8 81
H. Thompson	do	2 34
C. Welsh	do	2 61

On motion duly carried the following bills were audited and allowed;

H. T. McAnulty, traveling expenses and institute work, Co. Supt. of schools	$ 50 00
Town of Polk Centre, expenses incurred in control of contagious diseases	3 75
Chas. W. Latta, costs in case of State of Minnesota vs Thos, Guestenson and Louis Sleff	63 73
Thomas S. Doyle, board of non resident pauper	42 26
D. Linnihan, sheriff fees for posting notices of first election in towns of Kratka and Highlanding and Park	30 00
D. Linnihan, sheriff, fees for attempting to collect personal property taxes	90 80
James Sutor, services on Co. Board of Equalization, 3 days, 20 miles	11 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, services Co. Board of Equalization, 3 days, 15 miles	10 40
O. J. Johnson, services on Co. Board of Equalization, 3 days, 30 miles	12 00
Daniel Shaw, services on Co. Board of Equalization, 2 days, 40 miles	10 00
Louis Falardeau, services on Co. Board of Equalization, 3 days, 48 miles	13 80
James Sutor, attending meeting of County Commissioners, 1 day, 20 miles	5 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, attending meeting of County Commissioners, 1 day, 14 miles	4 4
O. J. Johnson, attending meeting County Commissioners, 1 day, 30 miles	6 00
Daniel Shaw, attending meeting of County Commissioners, 1 day, 40 miles	7 00
Louis Falardeau, attending meeting of County Commissioners, 1 day, 48 miles	7 80
O. J. Johnson, looking after the matter of the residence, Miss Vika, non residence pauper	6 00

On motion duly carried the board adjourned sine die.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.

THE ISLAND OF TANGIER.

Strange Yet Beatific Conditions Prevailing Upon This Little Body of Land.

In Chesapeake bay, 125 miles south of Baltimore, with which city communication by boat three times a week may be depended upon during the summer season, is the strange Island of Tangier, so completely isolated from the usual lines of travel that it hardly seems possible that it can be a part of the state of Virginia. * * * Imagine if you can, writes Charles E. Fairman, in Four-Track News, an island about five miles long and three-fourths of a mile in width, with a population of nearly 1,500, where each house is connected with Chesapeake bay by a tiny canal; an island where the population has built homes along one narrow street but nine feet in width, without sidewalks, road-bed or gutter; an island where the women go about with bare feet and calico gowns during the week, and where the men leave for their work at an early hour on Monday morning and remain away until Saturday afternoon; an island where intoxicating liquors are not sold, where billiard-rooms and pool-rooms are unknown; an island where one physician and the minister constitute the professional class; an island where profanity is punished by fine; an island without a jail or lock-up, and where religion is the rule, and to be outside of the church is to be outside of the pale of the best society; an island where public cemeteries are unknown, and where the dead of each home are buried in the front yard; if you can imagine all this you may have some faint idea of the peculiar surroundings of the inhabitants of Tangier.

HUNTER'S ODD EXPERIENCE

Fox and Hawk Attempt to Purloin Quail His Gun Had Brought Down.

Dr. William Rowland, of Pasadena, who was up at Middle Ranch quail shooting a few days prior to the close of the season, had a most unique experience, relates an Avalon correspondent of the Los Angeles Times.

He ran upon a covey of quail, and, flushing them, dropped one with his left barrel, and then, at considerable of an angle, dropped another with the right barrel. Turning to his first bird, he was just in time to see a fox snatch it up and start to run away with it. Quickly pumping another cartridge into his gun, he let the fox have it, knocking him stiff. After reconnoitering a minute, and finding his first bird, he was returning to pick up the second, when something shot down like an arrow from the skies in front of him, the object proving to be an osprey.

The quail had been wounded, and its flutetring attracted the attention of the big hawk, which, while sailing through the ether had an eye out for a quail dinner, and, darting upon the wounded bird, was about to cheat the hunter out of his quarry. Dr. Rowland, while amazed at the turn of events, did not propose to stand for such a play, and, training his ready gun on the bold robber, with a pull of the trigger put him out of commission, and saved both his birds.

PHOTOGRAPHING AN OWL.

Easy of Accomplishment If a Dog Be Brought to View of the Bird.

The great horned owl may also be fascinated by a dog, writes Silas A. Lottridge, in "The Great Horned Owl," in St. Nicholas. And the photographing of the great horned owl under these conditions is not difficult; wait until the owl seizes the fowl and stops to rest on the return to the woods; then let a dog be led to within 20 or 30 feet of the owl, and the bird will be all attention for the dog and take no apparent notice of the person leading it. The behavior of the owl at such times is very amusing. It stands motionless, gazing intently at the dog; but after a few minutes, if the dog remains quiet, the bird seems to become nervous, and steps first to one side and then to the other, hissing, snapping its beak, and ruffling its feathers. After this the owl will usually try to make off with its prey; but if another halt is made, the bird's actions show even more nervousness. While the owl's attention is thus attracted is the time to approach within "photo-distance" to get the "snap-shots."

The Papal Flag.

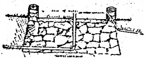
The papal flag is comparatively unfamiliar outside of the Eternal city. The war flag of the defunct temporal power of the pope was white, and in its center stood figures of St. Peter and St. Paul with the cross-keys and tiara above them. The flag of the merchant ships owned by the subjects of the states of the church is a curious combination, half yellow and half white, with the design of the cross-keys on the white. In the banner used by the crusader king of Jerusalem, Godfrey, the only tinctures introduced were the two metals, gold and silver, five golden crosses being placed upon a silver field. This was done with the intention of making the device unique, as in all other cases it is deemed false heraldry to place metal on metal.—Chicago Journal.

A SENSIBLE LAWN FOUNTAIN

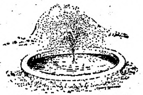
Suggestion for the Beautifying of the Grounds About the Farmhouse.

The general idea of a lawn fountain seems to be a vase-like affair standing up from the ground and looking generally inartistic. It is because of an unwillingness to have such an affair before one's house that many are deterred from having a fountain upon the lawn. It is possible, however, says the Country Gentleman, to have a simple, yet artistic, fountain that will not only prove attractive, but will be inexpensive.

Fig. 1 shows the method of construction. A circular space of the size desired is dug in the ground, to a point below the frost line. This is to be filled nearly to the surface of the ground with loose stones, wider at the bottom than at the top, that the frost may have no chance to "lift" on the outside. The supply pipe must be put in position as the stones are filled in, the diagram showing the position. Over the top of the loose stones place a layer of cement. Around the edge of the circular space lay up a little wall of stones, placing cement between them, and covering the outside, top and inside of this little wall completely with the cement.


HOW THE FOUNTAIN IS BUILT.

As this wall is made, a waste-pipe should be inserted, as suggested, the top of this being the limit to which the water can rise in the fountain. The top of the low wall should be nicely rounded and smoothed. The upper end of the supply-pipe should have a spray nozzle, so that a shower of spray may be sent up, to fall gracefully over into the water of the tank. The height to which the water will rise depends, of course, upon the force with which the water is pressed through the supply-pipe from its source. It also depends upon the nozzle. A very fine spray will not rise to the height of a coarser spray, or a solid stream of water. Much of the work of making such a fountain can be done by the owner of the place, in which case the only expense would be for a little cement and the iron pipe.


THE FOUNTAIN COMPLETED.

FERTILIZE THE GARDEN.

The Absolute Necessity of Enriching the Soil If Good Crops Are to Be Secured.

After you have given the time and the energy in spading and digging and hoeing and raking your garden spot into shape, have spent money for good seeds that you have carefully planted, you certainly expect to have a crop of nice, luscious vegetables, providing you have given the garden the proper cultivation. You will not have, though, if you do not feed the soil that is to feed the plants that are to grow into feed for you. Don't expect an impoverished soil to grow vegetables, says the Farmers' Review. That is one of the impossibilities. If you do not know it now you will find it out to your regret and cost if you try it. Give the garden the heaviest dressing of fertilizers of any spot on the farm. Use all the old, well-rotted manure that you have available and then add a liberal quantity of such of the commercial fertilizers as your soil most needs, and nearly all soils need all of the elements of fertility to grow vegetables to perfection. Buy of a reliable manufacturer some of his best complete vegetable manure and apply it at the rate of from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds per acre. It will cost something to do this, but the return that will be made to you in the crop will amply repay you for the expense.

RYE MAKES GOOD PASTURE

How One Farmer Manages to Get Good Feed for His Live Stock.

I draw the manure on the sod ground, plow and harrow well, then plant to corn and cultivate well, writes a New York farmer in the Farm and Home. The next spring I plow the corn, top-dress with stable manure and sow oats. As soon as the oats are off, plow and top-dress again, then sow to rye. In six weeks I have big feed and pasture the rye until it ferezes.

The last of May I cut the rye as soon as it heads, and the stock like it and do well on it. In the spring I seed on the rye with equal parts of clover and timothy. I pasture this in the fall, and the rye will be headed out the second time.

I cut the grass for hay three years, and plow again and follow the same rotation. I manage a piece of land this way every year, have nice fall feed and never fail to have big crops. Last fall I got first and second premiums on my corn at our fair. My rye was very stout and five feet tall, the grass so stout that I could not cut it with a machine until I cleared a place for it to run.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Margerite Caron and son, Chas., and daughter, Miss Aura, of Calumet, Michigan, arrived in the city Saturday for a visit with their son and brother, Oliver Caron, on the North Side. Mrs. Caron and the party came by the great lake route and had a most delightful trip.

At a meeting of the fire department Saturday evening a $225 running cart was purchased of Thos. Johnstone, the well known fire appartus man of Crookston. The boys also passed a resolution asking the city council to purchase a chemical engine.

A fellow jumping on a Great Northern train Tuesday morning nearly lost his footing and came near falling under the wheels. The crowd on the platform were somewhat excited before the man was finally hauled on the platform of the moving car.

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, Minn., will take you through a complete business and shorthand course and allow you to pay your tuition at the rate of $10 per month after we secure you a situation. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue. 3t

County Surveyor Wood was in the city Monday night. He was on his way to his home at Thief River Falls after having been at work about a week at Fertile. A farmer near Fertile is going to put in a system of drain tile and will drain 500 acres. Mr. Wood laid out the work for him.

There was a young base ball tournament at the ball grounds Sunday afternoon. The first game was between the "Ridge" and a nine from this city. The "Ridge" won by a score of 28 to 16. The second game was between the kids of St. Hilaire and this place. Our youngsters won by a score of 9 to 6. The kids played better ball than the older fellows.

Red Lake county should have an exibit at the state fair this year. A wonderful showing could be made of the resources of this county and it would be the means of attracting attention to this section of the state. No better grain or grasses can be found than have been raised in this neighborhood this season and a most creditable exhibit could be made. Our land men and other public-spirited citizens should take this matter in hand and see that Red Lake county is represented at the fair.

A certain newspaper man in Iowa relates an experience that might shed some light on the mail order business. He was at the town depot and saw a farmer friend receive a set of harness from Chicago. He attempted to prove to the latter that he was making a mistake as many local dealers would furnish him the same or better goods just as cheap, and keep the profits at home. "But," said the farmer, "this is the first time I have heard that there is a harness shop in this town. I have taken your paper for five years and have never seen a line of advertising in it about such an institution in all that time. But you can bet the Chicago house has kept me posted."—Alexandria Citizen.

Many years ago thirty of the girls who sealed and labeled the cans in the canning factory at Alton, Iowa, got so warmed up drinking fermented juice, that they took off all their superflous clothes, sealed them in and labeled them. They got mixed with several thousand cans of preserves and for months thereafter it was nothing uncommon when you had company to open a raspberry preserve label and turn out a pink hair ribbon and a pair of stockings and many an old apron or a corset cover. Only a short time ago the landlady of a hotel was absent mindedly looking out of a window while dumping a can of supposed peaches when out rolled two hip pads. She didn't notice it and a near sighted boarder ate one for a waffle. The can was bought of a merchant who didn't advertise and it had been on his shelves for over twenty years.

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STATE HAS ABOUT TWO MILLION.

Census Returns Show Big Increase Over 1900.

A conservative estimate made by the state census bureau officials shows that Minnesota has a population of nearly two millions. There are a few returns from scattering districts to be received before the exact figures can be announced. It is expected that the tabulation will be completed and verified in a few days.

Early returns indicated that the increase during the past five years would not be more than 8 to 10 per cent, but the counties in the northern part of the state show heavy gains, so that the total showing is better than was at first expected. With a few incomplete returns Itasca county shows a population of 11,428, as compared with only 4,573 five years ago. The districts that are yet to be heard from will swell the figure 200.

It is estimated that Itasca county will show an increase of more than 150 per cent in the past five years. The village of International Falls has a population of 587. Five years ago returns were received from only sixty townships and villages in Itasca county, while this year nearly 150 townships and villages have been heard from.

The increase in population in Northern Minnesota is due to the homesteader and settler, large numbers of whom have moved there during the past five years. The state census bureau will show returns from more than 100 cities, villages and towns this year, as against 108 five years ago, and 77 ten years ago. Clearwater and Beltrami counties will show a population of nearly 19,000, an increase of 75 per cent. These counties until recently were one.

The increase for twenty-seven counties in the northern part of the state during the past five years follow: Itasca, 7,000, estimate; Beltrami and Clearwater, 8,000, estimate; Carlton, 5,170; Cass, 1,715; Cook, 290; Crow Wing, 2,403; Benson; 1,344; Kenabec, 1560; Kittson, 1.789; Lake, 1,619; Mille Lacs, 1,810; Otter Tail, 2,853; Pine, 3,323; Red Lake, 3,760; Roseau, 4,179: St. Louis, 34,587; Stearns, 2,655: Todd, 2,423; Wadena, 1,396; Hubbard, 1,430; Marshall, 1,600, estimate; Polk, 1,500, estimate; Norman, 500, estimate; Wilkin, 180; Clay, 1,515; Becker, 1,651; Morrison, 1,600, estimate.

These counties increased in population more than 175,000 in the last ten years.

Counties in Southern Minnesota showed decreases as follows: Blue Earth, 1,035; Dodge, 595; Faribault, 2,607; Fillmore, 1,012; Houston, 308; La Sueur, 59; McLeod, 280; Mower, 745; Murray, 196; Olmstad, 710: Scott, 180; Sibley, 508; Wabasha, 214; Waseca, 127; Wantoman, 2.

Horse Plague.

A disease known as "swamp fever," in Kitson, Red Lake, Polk, Stearns, Benton and Meeker counties, is killing off horses at a rate that has caused the state live stock sanitary board to devote close attention to the subject.

The epidemic originated in Manitoba, and spread to the Red River valley, since which time cases have occurred in most of the northern counties. The manifestations of this horse sickness are peculiar and the disease is invariably fatal after an attack of from four to eight weeks. The affected animal becomes highly feverish and developes a voracious appetite, maintaining this voracity throughout the period of sickness and at the same time constantly losing flesh until it becomes too weak to stand. The state authorities are making experiments to discover the origin and nature of the disease, which the farmers believe to be due to a poisonous weed. Dr. H. M. Bracken, of the state board of health, said the trouble was one that had been gone into very thoroughly by that board. His investigations show that the trouble was probably due to some form of bacteria. The bacteriological department of the state university sent two expeditions through the Red River valley and even into Manitoba, and they spent a considerable time in efforts to isolate the unknown microbe.

"I am aware that the disease is still killing a good many valuable horses and, so far as I have been able to discover, there is no remedy for it.

A later report says that Dr. Langevin when seen at Crookston in regard to the reported cases of swamp fever in the Red River Valley and the wide spread condition of the plague stated that so far as he was aware, "there had not been reported one single case of swamp fever so far this summer. The weather is of the right sort however to bring on the horse trouble which it is believed is caused by a germ in marsh water and grass during wet seasons of the year. The reports which originated in the Minneapolis papers however are grossly exaggerated."

ST. HILAIRE.

Wedding bells are about to ring.

Miss Alice Hall is visiting friends at Crookston,

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. George Biskey, Sunday, Aug. 6, a baby girl.

Supt. Lord of the Crookston Lumber Co. went to Minneapolis Monday.

Miss Huldah Gigstad returned from the Moorhead training school Monday.

Prof. Onstad made his weekly visit here Wednesday in the interest of the band.

Miss Ella Lindahl returned from the training school at Red Lake Falls Wednesday.

Miss Anna Fellman returned from the Red Lake Falls training school Wednesday.

Norman Aimer returned from Crookston Saturday where he has been attending school.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and children, of Thief River Falls, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Hughes.

Miss Mary Anderson returned home Saturday from Red Lake Falls where she attended the training school.

Miss Blanche Christenson, who has been visiting Miss Eva Johnson, returned to her home at Maukato Tuesday.

Miss Etta Zaiser missed her train at Red Lake Falls Thursday so failed to meet her music class as usual. She came up Monday.

Theo. Roy returned from Red Lake Falls Saturday and Louis Roy from Crookston. They have been attending school at these places.

Mrs. E. R. Evans, of Bemidji, is visiting her husband for a few days. Mr. Evans is the new manager of the saw mill at this place.

Herman Anderson, of Devils Lake, arrived Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives, and to shake hands with his old friends.

Miss Helen Hannay, Mrs. Grace and daughter, of Davenport, Iowa, and Miss Alice Cotton, of Minneapolis, drove to Red Lake Falls Monday.

Miss Mable Aimer is entertaining her cousin, Miss Beatrice Gunness, of Barnesville, and Miss Hattie Turnville of Thief River Falls this week.

Mrs. Dr. Bloomburgh entertained a number of lady friends Thursday afternoon in honor of her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Larson, of Watertown, South Dakota., who is here on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pettibone visited Mrs. H. D. Pettibone and family several days this week. Mr. Pettibone drove to Thief River Falls Sunday and took the evening train for Minneapolis, but Mrs. Pettibone will remain here for some time.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Don't get excited this month. It takes the life right out of a man to fret and storm around at nothing. Keep up the steam, but don't forget to keep the regulator in good working order.

A new method of cutting and curing timothy hay is to use a self-binding machine, shock the bundles as you would grain, and after they are thoroughly dried put them in a stack or mow for future use. Hay thus prepared is easily handled.

Now, please don't invest any money far from home, where you can not keep tag on it. The concern that offers you more than five per cent on your investment, especially if it is in a distant city, will bear watching. Four per cent is about all that money will earn these days. Why risk the principal for a big interest?

If all the 14,995,000 tillable acres of Japan were merged into one field a man in an automobile, traveling at the rate of fifty miles an hour, could circle arable Japan in eleven hours. The state of Colorado has an area of about sixty-six million acres, or 103,925 square miles. Of this 35,000 square miles, or 22,400,000 acres are capable of producing crops under irrigation. The area already under cultivation is about 10 per cent of what is possible—about two and a half million acres,

Every year scores of men fail in the poultry business. They start out with a grand flourish and put a lot of money into houses and other furnishings; but after all they do not make a go of it. Why? In many cases the difficulty is that the most these men think of is the money they get out of it. They do not care particularly about the hens, and it is a fixed fact that to win in any kind of a business, a man must love his calling. If he does, he will put more than money into the work, he will put himself into it, and that brings success.

What the farmers want is not the abolition of the crop reports by the agricultural department as some people seem to think, but some assurance that the reports will be accurate when issued. Secretary Wilson has been bombarded with requests from all quarters, even while he was investigating the irregularities in the cotton report, not to discontinue either that or any of the other reports. The government is in better position to collect accurate reports of the tobacco and cotton crops than any private grower and if the farmers are assured that the reports are handled by honest officials they will be glad enough to have them.

What great changes have come about in the way of doing work in the past forty years. The manner of cutting grain has changed more than any thing else and with the change the expense has been decreased until today harvesting is done at about one-third the expense necessary thirty and forty years ago. At the time hand rake reapers were in use the help necessary through the harvest season was a driver, a man to rake off, flour men to bind and one to shock. Therefore it will be seen that seven men men were needed to do what a driver and a shocker will do now. The work that to-day costs $4 per day in the early times would have cost from $12 to $20 per day. Of course it must be taken into consideration that the machinery costs more than it did forty years ago.

Here is a new swindle that is being worked among the farmers and those wanting to dispose of real estate. A farmer receives a letter asking him to list his farm for sale. According to the blanks furnished, the farmer asks the firm to try to sell his place, by advertising it for months, and agrees to pay the firm fifty cents an acre when they have fulfilled their part of the agreement. On close examination, it is found that the firm agrees to do nothing but advertise the farm, and nothing is said as to how, what extent or where it will be advertised. Whenever the advertising is done the commission is due, whether a purchaser has been found or not. Farmers who have signed this kind of contract have been advised by their attorneys to settle the best they can and err no more.

Director Charles D. Walcott of the United States Geological Survey states that the government owns about 600,000,000 acres of vacant land. Of this land the greater part is arid. About 6,500,000 acres is irrigated. There is water available for many more. Most of this land already irrigated is in Colorado and California, Much of the land will cost $25 or $30 when provided with water. It is estimated that if $300,000,000 was expended during the next forty years in a large and consistent scheme of irrigation, the lands improved would be worth by the end of that period, not less than $2,000,000,000. Uncle Sam can still provide us all a farm, but it will be a more expensive one than those of the free-homesteads of 100 years ago. But the new farms are insured against drought—and that is a pretty good thing.

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Where Should the Reservoir Be on a Range?

Some stove men say on the right hand side, but we don't think so, don't believe it's the place at all, and let's tell our reasons why. When on the right hand side, that body of cold water is bound to have effect on the heating of your oven for all the heat must pass by it. Then if you want to heat water only, you have to heat your oven, too. When it's on the left side you heat water much quicker, easier, in fact can have it boiling if you want to. And to heat water only you don't require near the fuel and don't heat up the room.

The Majestic Reservoir is on the left side

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Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
In Probate Court.
Special Term July 24th 1905

In the matter of the estate of Antieme Juneau, deceaseed:

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Antieme Juneau deceased, late of said county, has been delivered to this court;

And whereas, George Dupont has filed therewith his petition representing, among other things, that said Antieme Juneau died in said county on the 23rd day of July, 1905, testate and that said petitioner is the executor named in said last will and testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to George Dupont.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and the said petition, be heard before this court, at the probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said county, on Monday, the 21st day of August, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate or said instrument;

And is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 24th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
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WILL UNDERGO OPERATION.

Albany Deforge to be Operated on at Fosston.

Theo. Deforge left Tuesday evening for Fosston to be present at an operation to be preformed on his brother, Albany Deforge, at the hospital in that town.

Albany Deforge, a young man of nineteen years, has been laid up for a year and a half with some trouble affecting one of his knees. The injury that has caused him so much trouble is a peculiar one, and it is not known what started the trouble. He has been at the hospital in Fosston for the past six months.

In the operation to be performed the knee cap will be taken off and an examination of the bones made. If the bones are found to be diseased the leg will be amputated as it is thought there is no remedy if such should be the case. It is to be hoped the young man will receive immediate relief from his suffering.

A Court House Story.

Treasurer Hansen is telling the following story at the court house these days:

He says during the late unpleasantness between Norway and Sweden that King Oscar telegraphed Gov. Johnson to send him one thousand Swedes as he expected war with Norway. The Governor answered that is was impossible to send the Swedes when he received the following message: "If impossible to send 1,000 Swedes kindly send 50 Irishmen."

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

HAS QUIT BUSINESS.

J. B. Cigar Company Is a Thing of the Past—LaPlante to Go West.

The J. B. Cigar Co. has closed its doors, the proprietor, A. J. LaPlante, deciding to quit the business the first of the week. He thought the prospects for future business were not promising so concluded to close out the stock and will move to Tacoma, Wash., as soon as he gets his business affairs settled up.

The closing of this concern throws two or three men out of employment and it is to be regretted that the firm was not better patronized. Mr. LaPlante has an offer of a good position in the western country and also can engage in business there if he so desires.

To Get Rid of Wild Oats.

A certain farmer gives his plan of getting rid of wild oats, says an exchange:

"I had a thirty acre field that would grow nothing else. I plowed it in the fall about two inches deep and horrowed it. In the spring there came up a grand crop of wild oats. I left it until June 15, when I plowed it about five inches deep and sowed a crop of barley on it. When the barley came up I could see a head of wild oats here and there. I went through the thirty acres carefully but did not get more than two dozen heads and a grand crop of barley. I plowed it again in the fall and sowed it to wheat in the spring. There was not a stem of wild oats but I got thirty bushels of wheat to the acre."

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

FIRE AT PLUMMER.

Fire Destroys Two Business Houses at the New Town on the Soo.

Plummer was visited by its first fire Monday morning. The origin of the blaze is unknown and had considerable headway before discovered. The fire started in the Rothstein butcher shop and the family living up stairs had difficulty in escaping with their lives. The butcher shop and harness shop of A. Reihe were entirely consumed. The citizens turned out and fought the flames and made heroic efforts to save the buildings but the fire had too good a start and it was impossible to save them.

We understand the loss will be total there being no insurance on the buildings or stocks.

To Calm Waves by Bombardment.

Shells filled with oil, intended to calm a stormy sea when fired into it, have been invented in France. The effect of a film of oil in reducing the size of waves is well known, but in the case as a moving vessel it is difficult to reach those in front, among which the ship's progress will soon bring it. Wooden shells are now used, which break when they strike the water, allowing the oil to distribute evenly over the surface and guard the ship's progress. Golden grain belt beer will calm your nerves and guard you against ill health. You can't afford to be without it. Order a case of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

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IN THE COUNTY JAIL.

Young Man Arrested at Thief River on a Serious Charge.

Frank Lemere, known as "Kid" Lemers, is in the county jail at this place charged with a serious offense. The "Kid" is an all around man as his business card indicates. He announces that he is a diver, loop the loop artist, dancing, contortionist; also a fighter and wrestler at 118 lbs. He also seems to have few accomplishments not mentioned on his card.

Last Friday night he found a thirteen-year-old girl at Thief River Falls and induced her to go to a hotel with him where he kept her all night. Her parents becoming alarmed sent officers out in search of her and the couple were located the next day. The young man was immediately put under arrest and had his hearing Monday and Tuesday. He was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in October and arrived at the county jail last evening and will be a boarder of Sheriff Linnihan's until that time.

THIS COUNTRY BEST.

Minnesota Offers Better Business Opportunities than Canada.

The Bemidji Pioneer says: Jack and Peter Losa have just returned to Blackduck after an extensive land seeking trip through Canada. In addition to looking for lands, they have sought out opportunities for a business opening. [In both respects however they have returned disappointed. Both these gentlemen state that they found no business openings which could compare with those in Beltrami county, while the lands which they were shown were poor indeed in comparison with Minnesota lands.

In the efforts to induce settlers to buy lands many of the Canadian agents are thoroughly unscrupulous. While there is much fine land in Canada, the work of some of these Canadian land sharks, who board every train and interview every possible land seeker, pressing him with offers of land and inducing him to stop off and look at lands far from the railway, admitting the lands along the line of the railroad are poor but claiming that the lands further back are exceptionally rich. Both Mr. Pacha and Loso declare that every train is bringing back more land seekers than are now being taken into Canada, and in their opinion the Canada land boom is collapsing.

Said a prominent Bemidji real estate man this afternoon "with the petering out of the boom of Canadian lands I confidently expect to see a great influx of settlers to Northern Minnesota. We have been passed by for a time but our turn is coming again, and I think very soon. Once the settlers get started in Northern Minnesota, no land boom can ever dislodge them and the permanent prosperity of the country will be assured."

A Little Cream Talk.

It pays to raise cream for the following reasons: There is always a spot-cash market for it. The market on cream and butter can never be cornered, because it doesn't keep over any length of time, and the fresh article is always preferable to the old or adulterated article. That's where the farmer comes in. He has the cow that produces the fresh butter and no one else can have it, because it takes a farmer to keep cows. Hark, farmers! An average cow brings in $45 a year in clean cash, and besides enough more to pay for her living. Ten cows will make $450 a year. A farmer that has a good herd of cows, is always good at bank or stores. But experience has shown us that a farmer with a good herd of cows needs no help from bank or stores; he has the cash and does business where it best suits him. Keep your heifers, they make cows, and the time is here when they will bring you a good price whether you keep them or sell them. What other article will do as much for you?

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SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

Program of the Sunday School Institute to Be Held Aug. 30-31.

Below will be found the program of the Sunday school institute to be held in this city at the Presbyterian church, Aug. 30-31.

The meeting will be conducted by John Orchard, Fargo, N. D., State Secy., and Mrs. Jean E. Hobart, Minneapolis, Primary Secy., assisted by local workers. The program:

FORENOON—WEDNESDAY.

9:30 Prayer and Praise Service	L. C. Simons
10:00—Basic Principles of Sabbath School Work	Mr. Orchard
10:30—The Cradle Roll	Mrs. Orchard
11.00—Decision Day	D. K. Laurie
11:30—Grading the School	Mr. Orchard

AFTERNOON.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer	
3:09—The Primary Work	Mrs. Hobart
3:30—Talk to Children	Mr. Orchard
4:00—A Primary Lesson	Mrs. Hobart
4:30—Relation of School to Church	Rev. Flesher

EVENING.

7:30—Song Service	Albert Nauman
8:00—God's Boys and Girls	Mrs. Hobart
8:30—The Value of a Child	Mr. Orchard

Offering for local expenses.

FORENOON—THURSDAY.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer	Rev. Barker
10:00—Art of questening	Mrs. Hobart
10:30—Next Sunday's Lesson	Mr. Orchard
11:00—Blackboard Work	Mrs. Hobart
11:30—Teachers Training	Mr. Orohard

AFTERNOON.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer	Rev. Flesher
3:00—Sunday School Management	Mr. Orchard
3:30—Primary Work in Country Schools	Mrs. Hobart
4:00—Organization for Evangelization	Mr. Orchard
4:10—Sunday School Missionary Work	D. K. Laurie

Meetings are open to all. Out of town delegates will be entertained. Send names to Rev. H. W. Knox, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

SOO TO CUT IN.

Rumored Extension to Moorhead, Fargo and Northerly.

The Soo railroad will soon be extended through Moorhead and Fargo, if current reports can be relied upon.

The line will branch off the Winnipeg line in Dent, Minn. in Ottertail county, running through the northeast corner of Ottertail county and the southeast part of Clay county, between the main line of the Northern Pacific and hitting the apex of the triangle formed by the crossing of the two roads, at Moorhead, thence northwest from Fargo, striking the Soo line at or in the vicinity of Carrington, N. D.

The extension of the Soo in this way would mean the cutting into more territory which the Great Northern and Northern Pacific have up to this time regarded as their own to be divided up between them as they might see fit. With the Soo in the field freight rates ought to be adjusted with more regard to the shipper. Reports are not definite as to the time when the extension will be made.

INDIANS ARE NOT DYING OUT.

Increase Nearly 50 Per Cent in Past Five Years.

Final figures on the Indian population of the state have been announced by the state census bureau. The figures show that the red men have increased nearly 50 per cent in Minnesota during the last five years. The total Indian population in 1900 was 6,492, as against 10,225 in 1905.

A controversy has arisen in Norman county which will lead to the partial recounting of the White Earth reservation Indians who hold allotments in that county. The citizens of Norman county declare that the Indians should be regarded as citizens, as they hold allotments, and that their numbers should be credited to Norman county.

In order to settle the dispute, D. C. Lightbourne, formerly assistant insurance commissioner, has been selected to make the recount.

A comparison of the population on the different reservations follows:

	1905	1900	Inc
White Earth	4968	3436	1482
Leech Lake	1920	1001	919
Fond du Lac	885	367	519
Bois Fort	762	530	232
Grand Portage	362	108	254
Red Lake	1327	1450	*189
Totals	10225	9942	....

*Decrease.

A great many of us waste so much time wishing we could do some great good for the world that we miss numerous opportunities to do little things that would in the aggregate amount to a great deal.

WARNING FOR MERCHANTS.

Clever Forgers Are at Work and Merchants Taken In.

The merchants of this section of the state should be on their guard against clever forgers who are operating in various parts of the state. Their method is to buy clothing and other merchandise, presenting checks in payment therefor, and taking the difference in cash. The checks are forgeries and a number of merchants in the southern part of the state have been victimized.

The Minnesota Bankers association has sent out postal cards of warning against these forgers. The cards state that at Worthington a man going by the name of Fred Hanson passed a forged check for $34, drawn on the Adrian Exchange bank, in payment for a suit of clothes, taking the difference in cash. He later passed a another check on a different merchant for $18 for payment for a pair of shoes, taking the difference in cash. The last check was signed by J. C. Cook drawn to the order of Fred Hanson.

Hanson is described as a man about thirty years old, light complexion, heavy sandy moustache, light brown hair, about five feet, eight inches tall, weight about 140 pounds. He passed as a land owner and appeared very cool and collected when making his purchases and passing the forged checks.

SOO BRIDGE TOO LOW.

Temporary Bridge Across Red River at Oslo Obstructs Navigation.

A complaint has been made to the government that the Soo railroad company has constructed a bridge across the Red river at Oslo, which obstructs navigation.

The structure is a temporary one, owing to the inability of the company to get steel for the construction of a drawbridge, which is required by the goverment. Steel has been laid on the temporary wooden bridge, and steamboats cannot pass beyond that point.

The East Grand Forks Transportation company owing a line of steamers on the Red river, have for years hauled a vast amount of grain from the country beyond Oslo, and this company has filed a protest with the goverment against the maintenance of any bridge across the Red river that will interfere with navigation.

The Soo line is now constructed to within two miles of Ardoch, about ten miles west of the Red river, and work is being rushed as rapidly as possible in order that the road may be given opportunity to handle a large portion of the crop from that section of the state.

The East Grand Forks Transportation company is just as anxious to bring out a big part of the crop along the river north of Oslo, and a demand for the removal of any obstructions to navigation may give the Soo company considerable trouble.

BROEK IS SPOTLESS TOWN.

The Neatest in the World—Located in the Netherlands.

The town of Broek, in the Netherlands, attains the distinction of being one of the neatest towns in the world, and no municipal expense is spared to uphold that honor. The 2,700 inhabitants are so strongly bound by municipal rule that to throw a piece of paper or waste of any kind in the public streets entails a twentyfive-cent fine, and it is only recently that horses have been allowed in the streets. Once a year every house is visited by the town cleaners, who scrub it from top to bottom, inside and out, without any expense to the tenants.

The business streets are swept at frequent intervals and not a weed or bit of rubbish is allowed on the residence streets, many of which are bordered with beds of flowers during the summer months.

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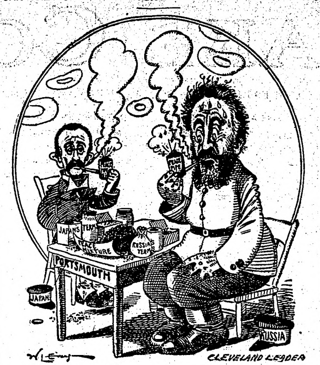

DOZEN MEET DEATH IN A COLLISION

PASSENGER TRAIN CRASHES INTO A FREIGHT NEAR KISHMAN, OHIO.

VICTIMS ARE MOSTLY FOREIGN LABORERS

Many of Those Killed Were Riding in Smoker Which Was Crushed as If Made of Paper—At Least Twenty-Five Others Injured.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 15.—A fast eastbound passenger train on the Nickel Plate road collided with a westbound freight train early Sunday at Kishman, O., near Vermillion, resulting in the death of 12 persons, while at least 25 others were injured. The wreck, according to the officials of the company, was caused by a misunderstanding of orders, or neglect to obey them on the part of the crew of the freight train.

Victims Mostly Laborers.

Aside from the engineer, the men killed on the passenger train were all riding in the smoking car at the head of the train, and were mostly foreign laborers in the employ of the Standard Oil company on their way from Fort Seneca, O., to Brookfield, O., in charge of a foreman. Engineer C. C. Poole of the passenger train was killed at his post, while trying to reach for the air brake after seeing the headlight of the freight train. His fireman, Haefner, saved himself by jumping.

Car Crushed Like Paper.

When the trains came together, almost everybody in the smoker was dozing. The sudden jar hurled them out of their seats into the aisle and threw several persons to the roof and sides of the car, which seemed all at once to crush in like a paper bag, pinning down each passenger in the position in which he had been caught. The passengers in the second car escaped more easily, as there the violence of the impact was not so severe, although few got off without cuts, bruises, sprains or broken bones. The two rear cars were sleepers, and they withstood the shock without suffering serious harm. No passengers in the sleepers were injured.

Train Ordered to Siding.

President Canift, of the Nickel Plate, stated that from the information in the hands of the officials, the freight train crew had orders to go on the siding at Kishman and there await the passage of the passenger train. Why this was not done in time to permit the passenger train to go by, or a flagman sent out, has not yet been learned. A rigid investigation is, however, being made by the railway officials. It is said that the watch of the engineer of the freight train was slow, and that the engineer believed he had eight minutes to get his train on the siding before the passenger train was due. The freight train had slacked speed, and was about to back in on the siding from the main track when the passenger train came tearing along at a rate of 45 miles an hour and dashed into it.

Injured Doing Well.

Monday morning all of the injured victims of the Nickel Plate wreck were reported by the hospital authorities at Lorain as being out of danger with the possible exception of two. E. E. O'Hara, of Findlay, O., whose left leg was amputated, is recovering rapidly from the shock. Engineer Kirby, of the freight train, who is generally blamed for the wreck, is at his home in Bellevue and refuses to see anyone. His mind is said to be deranged as a result of the accident.

Mayor Tracks Holdup Man.

Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 15.—Mayor McCaskrin, who is also acting as city marshal, had a long chase after a holdup. A man named Lee Crosswhite is said to have struck a woman in the face and snatched her pocketbook containing ten dollars. The mayor happened on the scene shortly after the occurrence and took after Crosswhite, who, however, eluded his pursuer.

CHICAGO STRIKE INDORSED

SHEA SWAYS TEAMSTERS TO APPROVE RECENT STRUGGLE.

Many Delegates Criticise Action of President — Bitter Contest Expected.

Philadelphia, Aug. 15.—In a manner which was severely criticised by many delegates President Shea, of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Monday secured the convention's indorsement of the Chicago strike. President Shea refused to have the roll called on the motion, insisting that a viva voce vote was sufficient. Although there were many nays, President Shea declared the motion carried.

The motion to approve Shea's actions and the course pursued during the Chicago strike by the executive board was made by A. J. Dean, of Chicago. George Innis, of Detroit, made an address demanding the roll call. Shea ignored the demand and forced an immediate vote, resulting in the indorsement of himself and the executive board.

A resolution was unanimously adopted vesting authority in the general president with the sanction of the executive board to appoint in any city or town where conditions will warrant some representative of a local union who shall receive a weekly recompense of not more than ten dollars from the international organization for the purpose of securing new members. The resolution was drawn up by President Shea.

The most important work left for the convention is the report of the committee on officers' reports, which is expected to indorse Shea. The report of the constitution committee is expected to bring a bitter contest. The Turley forces will try to limit Shea's powers.

President's Kin in a Runaway.

Sayville, L. I., Aug. 15.—Gladys and Eugenie Roosevelt, cousins of President Roosevelt, were injured in a runaway here Monday, Gladys probably fatally. The girls are daughters of John E. Roosevelt, an uncle of the president, Gladys being 16 years old and Eugenie 18. Both are accustomed to handle spirited horses, but during their daily drive Monday their horse, drawing a high cart, ran away and dashed the vehicle against a tree. Gladys, who drove the horse, was thrown against the tree headfirst and was picked up unconscious. Physicians who worked over her for an hour were unable to revive her and believed her skull was fractured.

Buried with Military Honors.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The late Rear Admiral A. E. K. Benham, United States navy, retired, who died at Lake Mahopac, N. Y., last Friday, was buried here Monday with full military honors. The funeral services were held at St. Thomas' church, the body being interred at Arlington. The escort was composed of a detachment from the army and marine corps.

Typos in Session.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 15.—The International Typographical union opened its annual convention here Monday. The premier of Ontario, the mayor of Toronto and other officials made addresses of welcome. President Lynch of the union responded. A universal eight-hour day will be discussed in the convention.

Death of Pioneer Lumberman.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 15.—C. L. Jenks, a pioneer Wisconsin lumberman, is dead at his home here, aged 65. He has been one of the most extensive lumber operators on the Mississippi and its tributaries in Wisconsin and Minnesota since 1850 when he first began business here. He leaves a large fortune.

Japs Raise Sunken Ships.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 15.—News has been received from Port Arthur that over 70 vessels, including the battleships Peresviet, Poltava, Retvizan, Pobieda and Pallada and the cruiser Bayan have been raised, and the work of salving the merchant steamers sunk at the harbor mouth for blocking purposes has been let to Japanese firms.

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N.G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F.S.

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PEACE ENVOYS MAKE PROGRESS

RUSSIA ACCEDES TO JAPAN'S DEMANDS AND WILL LEAVE KOREA.

"Open Door" Policy Wins in Manchuria, but the Chinese-Eastern Railroad is Given to China—Crisis Expected Today.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 15.—Although very rapid progress was made with the peace negotiations yesterday three of the twelve articles, which constitute the Japanese condition of peace, having been agreed to by Mr. Witte, and Baron Rosen on behalf of Russia, neither of the two articles, to which Mr. Witte in his reply returned an absolute negative, was reached.

The crisis, therefore, is still to come, It may be reached today as the cessation of Sakhalin comes first in the list.

The three "articles" as they are officially designated in the brief communications authorized to be given to the press, which were disposed of yesterday are in substance as follows:

First—Russia's recognition of Japan's "prepondering influence" and special position in Korea, which Russia henceforth agrees is outside of her sphere of influence, Japan finding herself to recognize the suzeranity of the reigning family, but with the right to give advice and assistance to improve the civil administration of the empire.

Second—Mutual obligation to evacuate Manchuria, each to surrender all special privileges in that province, mutual obligation to respect the "territorial integrity" of China and to maintain the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations in that province (open door.)

Third—The cession to China of the Chinese Eastern Railroad from Harbin southward.

There never was any question about the acceptance on the part of Mr. Witte of these "articles" the first two covering in more emphatic from the contentions of Japan in the diplomatic struggle which proceeded hostilities. The third is a natural consequence of the result of war.

The cession of the railroad, the building of which cost Russia an immense sum, estimated by some at between $100,000,000 and $200,000,000, is to China.

HILL STUDIES STRIKE.

The Striking Telegraph Operators Now Look For a Definite Answer.

St. Paul, Aug 15—James J. Hill returned home yesterday morning from New York, and Louis W. Hill, his son, returned about the same hour from the Pacific coast. The striking telegraph operators now look for a definite answer as to whether the strike will be arbitrated or whether it will be a fight to the finish.

J. J. Hill was closeted all morning in his private office with officials of his road, and the details of the strike situation were gone over. It was announced that Mr. Hill would have nothing to say until his personal investigation is completed.

The strikers believe that if he has any statement it will be an expression of willingness to hear their demands and submit to arbitration. They believe that if he wants to fight it out he will refuse to say anything and continue on the same theory as his subordinates; that the strike is over and that there is nothing to be said.

A New Volcano.

Reno, Nev., Aug. 15.—A volcano throwing off molten lava and in active operation has been discovered in Nevada by Messrs. McClure, Wheeler and Sommers, cattlemen of Lovelock.

The volcano is located in Rye Patch, Humboldt county. Although that section has been traversed for years, the crater has just been found for the first time. The men were in search of cattle when they came on the stream of lava, and tracing it to its source, found the volcano. The rocks for some distance around were so hot that they could not touch them with their bare hands.

Lost Man Found.

Hinckley, Minn., Aug. 15.—With his rifle resting against a nearby tree, the body of Oscar Haney, who disappeared ten days ago, was found by relatives. The discovery was made near a big swamp one mile from his home.

It is believed he came to his death by lightning, as a sapling near the body was burned, and other evidences of a stroke of lightning were found.

The coroner decided an inquest was not necessary.

Caught in Machinery.

Yankton, S. D., Aug. 12.—Miss Christine Summers, while visiting the cement works, of which her father has been foreman for many years, got too close to a shaft in the engine room and in a second her waist had wrapped around whirling bit of steel, and she was drawn into the machinery. The engineer, most fortunately, saw the danger at once and shut down promptly. This alone saved Miss Summers from a terrible fate. As it was, her arm and chest were badly larcerated, while the waist was torn off.

FEARED FOR THE PRESIDENT

ALLEGED PLAN TO BLOW UP HIS SPECIAL TRAIN FOILED.

Erie Railroad Officials Change Route on Roosevelt's Return Trip to Washington.

New York, Aug. 15.—That Erie railroad officials were alarmed for the safety of President Roosevelt on his way from Chautauqua to Jersey City on Saturday is shown by the fact made known Sunday that the president's car did not come in over the main line. Instead, the Chautauqua special was broken in two at Suffern, N. Y., and the presidential party was brought in by a roundabout way over two small branch roads.

President Roosevelt is said to have objected to the unusual precautions taken, but acquiesced when positive orders from President Underwood, of the Erie, were shown him. These orders were issued as a result of a letter received by the Paterson police, which said there was a plot to blow up the president's train near Ridgewood, N. J.

The Chautauqua special was stopped at Suffern early Saturday morning. There was a consultation over the telephone, followed by a consultation of railroad men at which it was decided to send the president to Sparkill, a small town on the Hudson, three miles below Nyack, by a little single track road, known as the Piermont branch, and thence into Jersey City on the Northern railroad, a branch having its terminus in Nyack.

President Roosevelt was awakened and told of the change in the schedule, as the officials did not like to take the responsibility without his consent. The president after some discussion said that he was "in the hands of the Erie," and while he had no fear of his train being wrecked on the main line, he would do what the railroad men thought best.

Slow time was made over the Piermont branch and the Northern railroad and extra men guarded every part of both roads.

SPECIAL SESSION UNLIKELY.

President May Abandon Plan for Extra Meeting of Congress in November.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Notwithstanding the more or less definite announcement which has emanated from various sources during the last few months, congress may not be called into extraordinary session next November for the purpose of enacting railroad rate legislation, as had been planned. Indeed, the indications are now that no extraordinary session will be held this year.

This statement is made on the authority of President Roosevelt himself. He has not decided the question definitely yet, and probably will not reach a determination of it until he shall have returned to Washington the latter part of September. The chances of an extraordinary session appear, however, to be fading.

Strong pressure is being brought to bear upon the president to induce him not to call an extra session. So much interest has been manifest in the subject throughout the country that the president has received a large number of letters regarding it. Many senators and representatives have urged against an extra session. They point out that practically nothing will be gained by an extra session that will begin not more than three weeks before the opening of the regular long session, and that it will cause some inconvenience to many members of congress in both branches. Taking these things into consideration, the president has reserved a definite decision of the matter, the chances, as noted, being that the session will not be called.

Landslide Buries Many.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 15.—Sunday afternoon a tremendous landslide came down about half a mile west of Spencer's Bridge, near Ashcroft, British Columbia, sweeping the waters of the Thompson river over the entire Indian village, leaving nothing but wreck in its path. The landslide caused a wave from ten to 15 feet high up the river, carrying ferry and all small boats before it The number of dead and injured are placed at nearly 50. There were 60 Indians in the village when the landslide occurred and not more than a dozen escaped injury or death.

Temperance Advocates Use Dynamite.

Millersburg, O., Aug. 15.—The saloon run by Louis Maschke and Jonas Deetz was wrecked early Monday by dynamite. The explosion shook up the country for a mile and hundreds of people in this city rushed out of doors in their night clothing to see what was the matter. The saloon was located over the bridge just outside of town and the explosion wrecked the interior, tore off the roof and shattered the front. There has been considerable excitement here over the temperance question and a local option election has been called on September 2.

Wealthy Farmer Hangs Himself.

Ottumwa, Ia., Aug. 15.—J. B. Ritchie, 75 years old, a wealthy retired farmer of Davis county, committed suicide at his home near Boomfield Sunday by hanging. Despondency because of ill-health is supposed to have been the cause.

River Claims Two More Victims.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 15.—William H. Klawitter, aged 50, and Albert Bergaus, aged 50, have been drowned in the Mississippi river while bathing. Six drownings have occurred here in the past few days.

DREAD DISEASE IS SLOWLY SPREADING

YELLOW FEVER GAINS GROUND IN NEW ORLEANS DESPITE WORK OF AUTHORITIES.

FEW NEW CASES FROM POINTS OUTSIDE CITY

Health Officials Blame People for Their Failure to Cooperate and Causing Spread of the Scourge—Arrange to Ship Fruit.

Following is the latest yellow fever report:

New cases in New Orleans since six p. m. Sunday, 37.*
Total cases to date, 981.
Deaths Monday, 7.
Total deaths, 161.

*Includes 19 new cases reported late Sunday night and not included in total.

New Orleans, Aug. 15.—The second month of the fight against yellow fever in New Orleans began Monday with reports of new cases at noon indicating that the figures for the day would easily approximate those Sunday. There were 12 deaths Sunday, a slight excess over the figures for the preceding few days, but this increase is to be expected owing to the large number of cases reported for the past five days. The disease is slowly spreading in New Orleans despite the magnificent work of the federal authorities, but the increase in new cases outside of the Crescent City is almost imperceptible.

Dr. White Blames Residents.

Dr. White attributes the spread of the disease to the people's failure to notify the health officials of the appearance of the fever. If all cases were reported to him as soon as discovered he could send out his aids and put up screens and take other measures to isolate all patients immediately. One instance is that of a daughter of a well-known lawyer. She is said to have had a typical case and to have been treated only by a near-by druggist. When discovered by a doctor her condition was hopeless. Sunday she died. The consequence is that steps are to be taken to compel druggists to make prompt report of all cases of illness that come under their observation.

Citizens Fail to Cooperate.

Fumigation and screening are delayed too often, says the doctor, because the citizens do not give the full cooperation that the health officials need if the epidemic is to be fought successfully. Dozens of cases are on record which show conclusively that the people had moved away from a house where infection had existed. This Dr. White proposes to stop, and, while no drastic measures are being taken, he is enforcing his authority. The effectiveness of the district headquarters which are making close investigations of the 17 districts is responsible for a large number of the new cases.

Object to Arsenic Test.

Dr. Reginald Barkley Leach, who has offered himself as a living experiment station for the test of the "arsenization process" which he claims is a cure for the fever, has been notified that the Orleans Parish Medical society would not stand sponsor for his experiments, the reason being that only a theory existed, and the test might prove simple self-murder.

Arrange to Ship Bananas.

An arrangement between the fruit importers and the marine hospital and public health service has been arrived at permitting the shipment of bananas from Chalmette, seven miles below this city. A positive order prohibiting the shipment of this fruit from the city was issued a few days since. The present agreement provides that bananas may be brought to Chalmette and transshipped from that point, the cars carrying them to be carefully screened and the work to be done under the supervision of an official of the public health service.

Negro Succumbs to Disease.

Included in the deaths of the preceding 24 hours was that of a negro. Very few cases have appeared, however, among the negro population. There is a case reported from Spanish Fort, a former summer resort on Lake Pontchartrain, where there now is a large colony of fishermen. It is the first case that has appeared there. No new case has been reported at Milneburg, near Spanish Fort, for two weeks. Past Assistant Surgeon Berry was reported Monday to be doing well. He has passed the first stage of the disease, and if he weathers the secondary stage, which is almost due, he is expected to be up and about before the week is out.

The citizens' committee continued their work of raising subscriptions. With the state and city contributions nearly $254,000 has been raised. It is purposed to make the fund $300,000 if possible, to cover all eventualities.

The federal authorities have begun the room to room inspection of the whole city. That has already been done in the originally infected area, but it is now being done in every ward, and it is expected to turn up every concealed case of fever that exists.

Child Makes Record Swim.

Boston, Aug. 15.—Rose Pitonof, aged ten years, of this city, Sunday swam a mile in Dorchester bay in 33 minutes. The child's performance, which was witnessed and recorded by competent judges, is believed to be the best record ever made by a girl amateur swimmer in open water.

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AN American bank has failed in Manilla. This shows that it is not a matter of climate.

MORE than 5,000 persons annually disappear in the United States and are never heard from again.

IT has been estimated that should any one desire to purchase the railways of the world his outlay would amount to something like $36,680,000.

WIZARD BURBANK should hurry along with a few of his perfect men, for some of the dear girls are getting dreadfully tired of marrying the other kind.

Since China has commenced a boycott on Standard Oil, there is assurance that congress will do something to alleviate the suffering thus caused one of our infant industries

THE chewing gum trust—no small concern either, for it has $3,000,000 of preferred and $6,000,000, of common stock—has paid its dividends and turned $326,000 into its surplus.

"The Russian people can rely on me says the czar. They had relied on him in the past and of late years have commenced to lose confidence. The czar can no longer rely on his people.

A highly esteemed contemporary is advertising a coming article on "How to make money." A great many gentlemen have plunged themselves into rather serious difficulties by doing that same.

THREE hundred Chinese were admitted into the United States last month. There is no evidence that they have been missed from the four hundred and more millions of the inhabitants of the Chinese Empire.

Commoner; The bankers who loot their own bank and the railroad patrons who extort from their own patrons are creating more sentiment in favor of government savings banks and the public ownership of railroads than all the advocates of these things combined.

WHAT are known as the Scripps-McRae newspapers, claimed to be the most successful combination in this country, are discontinuing their Sunday editions. One of the latest to do so is the St. Louis Star, which recently united with the Chronicle.

IT is rumored that John Eastman, editor of the Thief River Falls News, will announce himself soon as a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative from this district. John has many friends in this section and will no doubt make a strong fight for the place.

AN exchange tells of a man who died. The very first day in heaven, as he wanted to go sight-seeing, an angle guide was given him. Before long he noticed a number of persons each drawing a ball and chain. "How is this?" he said. "Isn't this heaven?" The angle smiled and replied: "Why these are not bad men, but they came from Red Lake Falls and we have to chain them or they would go back."

THOMAS A. EDISON, the inventor, is confident that he will soon solve the problem of electric power for wagons and carriages and the use of such power at fifty-eight per cent of the cost of horses. Edison has accomplished marvels in the realm of electricity, and he may solve the problem of a cheaper than horse power for the road and boulevard. He cannot, however, discover a substitute for the horse on the race track.

DON'T PUT IT IN THE PAPER.

THE Dodge Center Star is worried by people who want the editor to "cut it out." Some one recently offered to double his subscription if only the editor would leave out the base ball news. Another party complained that it was waste of time to report sermons even in brief. Still another, who had no sympathy for the ladies, threatened to stop the paper if "Society News" were not curtailed. "A sanctimonious looking cadaver came up to the editor's desk," says the Star "and wanted to know if we did not know that we were injuring the morality of the town when we published elopements, criminal assault, etc." Another did not care for "corn cob" locals. He didn't care whether Tom Smith lost a pig yesterday or whether Mary Jones called on neighbor Severson." What he wanted was to have more about the pope. And so it went on. About the only way you can satisfy the people is to do as the St. Paul Globe did the other day and decently quit.

SENATORIAL DISTRICT GAINS.

The population of this senatorial district has gained about 43 per cent in the past five years. We now have 54,708 as compared with 38,270 in 1900.

The figures for 1905 and 1900, by counties are as follows:

	1905	1900
Norman	18,200	15,055
Red Lake	15,955	12,195
Beltrami	14,314	11,030
Clearwater	6.239	*
Totals	54,708	32,240

At present this district has one senator and two representatives. When a reapportionment is made this senatorial district will undoubtedly be divided into two districts, giving each a senator and one a representative. The only way the district could be divided would be to place Norman and Clearwater together. Combined their population is 24,349. Red Lake and Beltrami have together 30,269. Or if the legislature saw fit to keep the present district together we would be entitled to one senator and about five representatives.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "For several months I was given up to die, I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time. I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at all druggists; price 50c.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years" writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without immediate relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less thad two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularaties are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

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All carnivorous animals lap up water with the tongue. Herbivorous animals, as the horse and ox, suck it up.

Cut down or gridle any tree during this month and there are nine chances in ten that the tree will die, root and branch.

If the words "Use me right" were branded on the side of each horse they own, we beleive some people would have better looking teams.

Introduction of American vines in French vineyards has increased the yield from sixteen to twenty-two barrels an acre to from thirty-eight to forty-eight barrels.

The trouble is that the hired man does not intend to remain a hired man. He is figuring to boss somebody himself as soon as he can. And the hired girl does not intend to remain a hired girl, only till the chance comes when she will want one herself.

If you have a piece of ground full of weeds let the pigs help you clean it up. Scatter shelled corn over the ground, and they will soon begin to root for the scattered kernels and will get a taste of the roots and will hunt and work until the ground is perfectly clean.

How far have you drifted from those good resolutions you made the first of the season? Is the orchard as clean as you told yourself you would have it this year, and is the garden free of weeds that might make seed to grow another year. We're apt to get further off on this proposition than we imagine we are.

Little attention has been given to Cuban affairs outside of the government and commercial interests. Few are aware that great changes have taken place on the island in the agricultural line and that other products than sugar and tobacco are receiving the attention of the people living outside of the cities. It is not known that the government of the island has turned its attention to developing the resources of the soil and is having experts prospect the different provinces, test the land and report upon its value as a producer. Samples of soil have been sent to the United States for anlysis as to adaptability for raising fruits, vegetables, sea island cotton and other things. Experiments are being carried on by graduates from the Agricultural Department at Washington.

The writer of a communication in the Atlanta Constitution says there is more good soil in Cuba than in the valley of the Nile, and that not one sixth of the productive area is used. A portion of the island is mountainous, but the soil is good to the tops of the hills.

The close proximity of Cuba to the United States will in time make it our great winter fruit and vegetable garden. Whatever concerns it concerns us and its development agriculturally will be advantageous to us.

The Drama of the Century.

Klaw & Erlanger's mammoth mechanical production of Gen. Lew Wallace's mighty play, "Ben Hur," with its lustrous Star of Bethlemen, its camels, Arabiam steeds, Oriental trappery and mimic splendor of the "gorgeous East," is beyond dispute the most elaborate spectacle ever staged in the history of the world. Its series of seventeen scenes present to the eyes a feast of multifarious beauty and variety, all set to a symphonic accompaniment of graceful music. The exciting episodes such as the galley scene, with its horde of chained slaves, the sea fight; the rescue in mid-sea and the thrilling race with two chariots and eight horses, combined with the picturesque scenes illustrating the Wise Men in the desert, the moon-lit lake in the Orchard of Palms, where Ben-Hur and Iris enjoy seclusion and make love in Iris' barge, the palm waving worshipers on Mount Olivet and the Grove of Daphne with its nymphs Devadasi, dancing in their skins of beasts to the music of the kissing cymbals, simply captivate the great audience that are nightly in attendance wherever it is being enacted.

Whatever may be thought of the purely dramatic element supplied by William Young in his adaptation of General Wallace's unique romance, it must be admitted that the result is an effective appeal to four classes of play-goers—the spectacle loving, the sensation loving, the book lovers who like to see their favorite novels enacted on the stage and the religious people of the community who are always attracted, when a play containing healthy religious influence is presented.

"Ben Hur" is now in its seventh season with no abatement in interest. Its booking at the Metropolitan Opera House, St. Paul, for the week of Aug. 28th, and the Metropolitan Theatre, Minneapolis, for the week of Sept. 4th, will attract hundreds from this vicinity. It will be well for those who intend to witness it to write in advance and reserve seats.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A, L. Reichert.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
C. C. ANDREWS,
Cuief Fire Warden.

Fall Meetings, Merchant's Excursions To Duluth.

On account of the Fall Meetings of the Merchant's Association to be held at Duluth, August 17th to 24th. August 31st to September 7th and October 26th to November 2nd, the Great Northern Railway is making reduced rates. This will enable you to see the City at the head of the Grert Lakes, view the immense grain elevators the aerial bridge, the coal docks and other places of interest at the head of the famous inland sea. For rates and detailed information, call on your lacal agent.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Wm. Zaiser was a business caller at Crookston last Friday.

W. G. Brown, of Plummer, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

Marcus Johnson was in the city the first of the week.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Rev. Father Alto was at St. Hilaire yesterday between trains.

Mrs. A. Moran and son, of Crookston, are guests at the J. M. Bray home.

Arthur Ittner came down from St. Hilaire Monday and remained over night.

Some of the young people of the town enjoyed a picnic at the island Sunday.

Jas. Sevenson, of Thief River Falls, was a county seat visitor Monday.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

S. J. Swanson, of Wylie, was a business caller at this place Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. H. Duntley, of St. Hilaire, visited friends in this city over Monday night.

Geo. Turville, one of Thief River Falls' livery men, was in the city Tuesday night.

Joe Herron returned from Grand Forks Friday after a week's visit with relatives.

Mrs. W. A Sorsoliel, of St. Hilaire, visited friends in this city several days last week.

Theo. Garceau was at Crookston over Monday night where he was called on business.

Miss Elsie Kratka, of Thief River Falls, is in the city the guest of young lady friends.

Joseph Miller took in the Crookston street fair and carnival the latter part of last week.

C. N. Bourdon went to Crookston Monday evening. He visited Fosston before his return.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Crookston Friday where he went to bring his daughter, Miss Mayme, home.

The machinery at the old saw mill was shipped to Minneapolis last week being sold for scrap iron.

Frank E. Hunt has had his warehouse at the rear of his hardwrre store neatly painted this week.

Dr. N. M. Watson left last Friday for a visit with friends in Michigan. He is expected home this week.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser returned home Tuesday after several days visit with her parents at Crookston.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls the first of the week at work on a criminal case.

Wanted—Fresh White Pine, Jack Pine and Balsam cones. Address J. J. Pinney, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

The Big Store has a large list of bargains in the new adv. this week. Look it over carefully.

We have a number of second hand binder canvasses that we are selling cheap.—F. E. Hunt.

If you want a baby carriage or go-cart you can get one for less than cost at Hunt's hardware store.

O'Brien Bros. give a few facts in regard to the merits of the Majestic range in their new adv this week.

Miss Anna Campbell was at Crookston last Friday taking in the street fair and visiting old friends.

Mrs. W. A. Schrieter returned home Monday from Thief River Falls where she visited friends for a week.

Miss Mary Erb returned to this city Saturday after a week's visit with friends and relatives at Crookston.

John Deutschman was among those who attended the Crookston street fair the latter part of last week.

The Great Northern has had a work train here this week hauling out dirt from the cut south of the depot.

Mrs. Andrew Walters, of Fergus Falls, is in the city visiting Grandma Walters and the Kaus and Skala homes.

Perl W. Mabey, of Thief River Falls, was here over Tuesday night, the guest of his friend, Atty. McIntyre.

Mrs. Chase left last Friday evening for Iowa where she will visit her parents and old friends for a few weeks.

With school only two or three weeks away the average boy is wondering how the summer passed so quickly.

W. F. Witte, of Waseca, is in the city with a party of land seekers who will look over this section of the country.

O. T. Romsos, of Wylie, was in the city Monday. He boarded the evening Great Northern train for points below.

Thos. L. Johnstone, of Crookston, was in the city Monday closing a deal with the fire boys for a new running cart.

Geo. Mann, representing the Minnesota Type Foundry at St. Paul, was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tracy will move into the house now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre when the latter vacate.

They start you out right in your work with style and comfort—the Douglas shoe. $3.00 and $3.50 only at Garceau & Zaiser.

Rev. H. W. Knox will preach at the Demann school house in Lake Pleasant township Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock as usual.

Miss Mayme Linnihan returned home Saturday from Crookston where she had been in the hospital for several days. Her many friends are glad to know she has entirely recovered from her sickness.

Chas. Moller went to Bagley last Friday where he will visit his parents for a few weeks before returning to his school duties.

Misses Peterson and Lee were at Crookston over Sunday and passed through the city yesterday on their way to Thief River Falls.

Miss May Hammel, of Grafton, North Dakota, arrived in the city last Friday and is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lillian Buse.

Deputy Boiler Inspector Albers left Tuesday evening for towns south of Crookston. His work is keeping him on the move these days.

Mrs. Con Short and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker, of Equality, are in the city for several days on a shopping tour and a visit with friends.

A number of farmers have invested in cradles and will cut their grain by that primitive method should the present wet weather continue.

The Great Northern trains have been very crowded the past week. Where all the people go on this branch is a mystery to most people.

Harry Ives, the St. Hilaire editor, passed through the city Friday evening on his way to Crookston to take in the street fair and carnival.

Mrs. J. E. Argue and sister, Miss Rebecca Hunt, returned home Saturday from an extended visit with friends at Excelsior and the cities.

Sheriff Linnihan and John Deforge returned Monday from Fergus Falls where they had been with a new patient for the insane asylum.

Miss Ina McAllister returned to her Minneapolis home last Friday after a visit here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Tarrant.

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Marcus Johnson was in the city the first of the week.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Rev. Father Alto was at St. Hilaire yesterday between trains.

Mrs. A. Moran and son, of Crookston, are guests at the J. M. Bray home.

Arthur Ittner came down from St. Hilaire Monday and remained over night.

Some of the young people of the town enjoyed a picnic at the island Sunday.

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Geo. Turville, one of Thief River Falls' livery men, was in the city Tuesday night.

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Miss Elsie Kratka, of Thief River Falls, is in the city the guest of young lady friends.

Joseph Miller took in the Crookston street fair and carnival the latter part of last week.

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The machinery at the old saw mill was shipped to Minneapolis last week being sold for scrap iron.

Frank E. Hunt has had his warehouse at the rear of his hardwrre store neatly painted this week.

Dr. N. M. Watson left last Friday for a visit with friends in Michigan. He is expected home this week.

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County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls the first of the week at work on a criminal case.

Wanted—Fresh White Pine, Jack Pine and Balsam cones. Address J. J. Pinney, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

The Big Store has a large list of bargains in the new adv. this week. Look it over carefully.

We have a number of second hand binder canvasses that we are selling cheap.—F. E. Hunt.

If you want a baby carriage or go-cart you can get one for less than cost at Hunt's hardware store.

O'Brien Bros. give a few facts in regard to the merits of the Majestic range in their new adv this week.

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Miss Mary Erb returned to this city Saturday after a week's visit with friends and relatives at Crookston.

John Deutschman was among those who attended the Crookston street fair the latter part of last week.

The Great Northern has had a work train here this week hauling out dirt from the cut south of the depot.

Mrs. Andrew Walters, of Fergus Falls, is in the city visiting Grandma Walters and the Kaus and Skala homes.

Perl W. Mabey, of Thief River Falls, was here over Tuesday night, the guest of his friend, Atty. McIntyre.

Mrs. Chase left last Friday evening for Iowa where she will visit her parents and old friends for a few weeks.

With school only two or three weeks away the average boy is wondering how the summer passed so quickly.

W. F. Witte, of Waseca, is in the city with a party of land seekers who will look over this section of the country.

O. T. Romsos, of Wylie, was in the city Monday. He boarded the evening Great Northern train for points below.

Thos. L. Johnstone, of Crookston, was in the city Monday closing a deal with the fire boys for a new running cart.

Geo. Mann, representing the Minnesota Type Foundry at St. Paul, was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tracy will move into the house now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre when the latter vacate.

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Deputy Boiler Inspector Albers left Tuesday evening for towns south of Crookston. His work is keeping him on the move these days.

Mrs. Con Short and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker, of Equality, are in the city for several days on a shopping tour and a visit with friends.

A number of farmers have invested in cradles and will cut their grain by that primitive method should the present wet weather continue.

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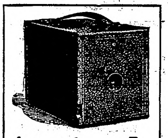

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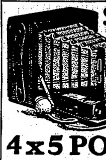

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

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St. Paul.—Black spotted trout similar to those seen in the Yellowstone Park are about to be introduced in Minnesota. Executive Agent Fullerton received 150,000 eggs from the game and fish commissioner of Colorado. The eggs will be hatched at the St. Paul hatchery and the fry will be distributed about the trout streams in which it is thought that the black spotted fry will do the best.

"We have never had any black spotted trout in Minnesota, but I believe that they will thrive here," said Executive Agent Fullerton. "They flourish in Yellowstone Park, and I see no reason why they should not flourish in Minnesota. They are of the cutthroath variety, having two red blotches under the gills, causing the appearance of a cut throat.

The game and fish commission has distributed about 6,000,000 trout fry this summer. Of this number 5,000,000 were hatched at Indian Mounds and 1,000,000 at Glenwood.

Fish Exhibit.

Hamline.—Work on the installation of the fish and game exhibit in the fish and game building at the stair fair grounds has progressed so far that some idea of the beauty of the grotto is manifest. The state fair board secured the aquaria used in the Minnesota fish exhibit at the St. Louis exposition last year and they are being put in the state fair fish building in permanent form so that they may be used from year to year hereafter. A grotto of boulders will appear to line the entire interior of the building, the effect being carried out overhead with suitable decorated canvass giving the effect of a well constructed stage setting. The only light admitted will be from behind the tanks so that the specimens of fish will be seen easily and very closely.

Soda Fountain Bursts.

Minneapolis. — The bursting of a tank highly charged with carbonic acid gas attached to the soda fountain in the drug store of A. B. Crowell, 1012 Hennepin avenue, caused the death of W. L. Hughes, a young clerk.

The young man, who was only eighteen years of age, was in the basement attaching a cylinder of carbonic acid gas to the gas and water tank of the fountain. It is not known how the explosion occurred, or what caused it, but the young clerk must have been bending over the apparatus. At any rate the lower part of his body was terribly torn, and both his thigh bones were broken, and the combined injuries resulted in his death just as the police ambulance got him to the city hospital.

Killed.

Duluth —William Haburt of West Duluth, aged seventeen years, who with a companion named William Little, a lad of the same age, went berrying near the city, is dead as a result of accidental shooting. The boys had expected to stop in a shack but they could not find the building. Becoming alarmed at noises in the woods, they climbed trees when darkness set in. Each had a revolver, and at intervals they fired the weapons to drive away real or imaginary dangers. One of the shoots from Little's revolver entered Haburt's heart and he fell from the tree, dead.

Big Increase.

Minneapolis.—Itasca is the banner county of Minnesota, in ratio of increase since 1900. The federal census gave the county 4,573 people. The official count for 1905 gives it 11,439, an increase of 6,856, or 150 per cent. Rosseau's official population is 11,191, an increase of nearly 60 per cent, and Carltons county's increase is 52.5 per cent. Kanabec county increased 47 per cent, Aitkin 41.5 per cent, Lake county 34.8 and Red Lake 30.8. All other counties show a less rate of increase than Hennepin, which grew 28.2 per cent in five years.

News Notes.

Bemidji—An emery wheel in a machine shop burst, and fragments went flying through walls and ceiling, but fortunately without injuring any of the workmen, of whom a number were standing near.

Excelsior—Four Minneapolis people came within a ace of drowning in one of the most sudden and severe storms that have swept over Lake Minnetonka in many years.

St. Paul—Lawrence Ploe, 52 years old, was fatally injured while working on his own house, which he had recently moved to a new location. The brick walls were propped up. As he was working one of the props gave way and he was buried underneath the bricks.

Duluth—Lake Freighter Tom Adams of the Adams Transportation company arrived here with thirteen passengers, guests of the company, and two of them sick with diphtheria. The ship was placed in quarantine.

Minneapolis.— Harry Seamann, 28 years old, a patient at St. Barnabas hospital, committed suicide by hanging himself to the bedpost.

Winona—John Fiedler, an old resident of Fountain City who had been employed in the stone quarry, fell from a ledge to his death.

Crookston—Work on the construction of a $15,000 building at the farm experimental station for a school of agriculture and domestic science will be begun soon.

Washington—The monthly report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Degraw shows that on Aug. 1 rural routes to the number of 1,218 were in operation in Minnesota and more than 190 petitions for the service awaited action.

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term July 11, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Clarence Gibson Walker, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Agnes Anna Walker.

It is ordered that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 11th day of October, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, this 11th day of July A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.

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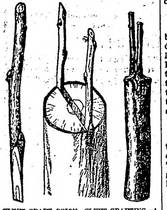
NOW FOR GRAFTING.

March at the North, or When the Leaves Begin to Push Out.

Grafting is now in order on all favorable days. Varieties of grafting are many, but cleft grafting represents the method commonly in use for the grafting of orchard trees where the old top is to be removed during the course of a few years and a new one is to be grown in its place. The ideal time for this top grafting is when the leaves are just pushing out, for then the wounds of grafting heal rapidly. But in practice if a large amount of work is to be done it may be necessary to begin from one to two months earlier and to continue several weeks beyond the ideal point of time. The whole operation of cleft grafting appears clearly in the illustration after Bailey.



CLEFT GRAFT SCION—CLEFT GRAFTING—A WAXED STUB.

SPRING IN THE GARDEN

Set shrubs and vines as soon as the ground settles.

Be ready to jump right in and make the best use of every fine day.

Those choice seed potatoes may sprout too soon if not kept cool.

When warm enough to uncover the rosebushes, a little fine manure or fertilizer forked in around the roots will tickle them greatly.

For perfect roses prune in March. Cut back about one-third of last year's growth on hybrid perpetuals.

If you did not blanket the rhubarb with manure last fall, give it a nice top dressing of fine compost now and place half barrels over a few of the plants to hurry them along.

For the new potato Noroton Beauty it is claimed that it is "the earliest potato ever grown, being sixteen days earlier than the Old Early Rose, of which it is a lineal descendant, and the best all round potato in existence."

Use Prizetaker or any of the large globe kinds for the new onion culture. Sow in flats, hotbed or greenhouse and transplant to the open as soon as the ground is in good working condition.

Bear in mind that the new soil inoculation by artificial cultures is just as applicable to garden beans, peas and sweet potatoes as to field crops. Some wonderfully good things are already told about its work by those who have practiced it.

Onion seed cannot be sown too early. It will germinate and grow even in the wet and cold if the ground has been properly fitted. There's the rub. The soil cannot be made fine till it has dried out. Just here comes in the "new" onion culture, seeds sown under glass and plants set out when the soil is well prepared.

No better seed tester is needed than this: Place the seed between a fold of cotton flannel cloth and lay it on a plate. Moisten but do not saturate the cloth with water. Cover with another plate and keep at a temperature of about 70 degrees F. By the end of three days good seed should have germinated 90 per cent or more.

RAISING DRAFTERS.

Advised by an Iowa Man as a Good Investment on High Priced Land.

"Where are the drafters to come from that are now so eagerly sought by buyers at all the horse markets?" asked Mr. H. G. McMillan before the Iowa state farmers' institute. At the same time answering his own question, Mr. McMillan said that the supply of heavy mares is very limited. Farmers who owned good mares a few years ago sent them to market because they believed that the days of profitable horse breeding had passed. As a result of this unwise policy, before an adequate supply of drafters can again be grown for market draft mares will have to be produced first from which to raise the supply in the future. This will take years to accomplish, so that it may be reasonably expected that the price of draft horses will continue firm for years.

Good Returns In Colts and Farm Work.

While pure bred stallions have been selling in many cases at seemingly high figures, pure bred draft mares can yet be obtained at a very reasonable figure. The Iowa or Illinois farmer who owns one hundred or one hundred and fifty dollar land cannot make a better investment than to buy a pair or two of pedigreed draft mares. At the price at which such mares are now selling, if given proper care, they will bring in a larger return on the investment than any stock that can be placed on this high priced land.

In addition to producing colts that the draft horse breeders and dealers will gladly buy at $100 or $300 when a year old, they will do the work required on the farm just as well as or better than mares that produce colts that are only worth $100 when fully matured.

The Era of Noise.

What an age of noise this is! Do you know any single human being who is capable of being silent for an hour at a stretch? I know two, and I value them according to their rarity. Not only does everybody talk, but almost everybody talks loud. I went into a shop the other day, and the clatter of conversation sounded as though the place were full of people. Yet all the noise was produced by three individuals. Why should they shout?—London Truth.

The Classes In England.

In England the upper class gambles, but does not drink; the middle class drinks, but does not gamble, and the lower class both drinks and gambles. It is a characteristic circumstance that the upper class makes laws to prevent the lower class from gambling and that the lower class is in favor of legislation to prevent the upper class from drinking.

Great Inducements.

Gyer—Fitzem, the clothier, is advertising a silk umbrella with each twenty dollar overcoat he sells. Mrs. Gyer—That's nothing. Bloom, the florist, is giving away the earth with each plant he sells.—Chicago News.

Papa's Own Idea.

She—Darling, we must elope. He—But surely your father has no objections to— She—None whatever. He suggested it, in fact. He says it will be cheaper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

THE GARDEN KEYBOARD

Get busy right now.

Study the seed catalogues.

Don't neglect the advertisements.

Sow peas as soon as the ground can be worked.

Now will you be good and test your seeds?

Cherries and plums should be among the trees grafted earliest.

An "earliest green eating onion" is one of the new things of 1905.

"Trimming time"—the milder days of late winter and early spring.

"Prune when the knife is sharp," but never when the wood is frozen.

Lettuce and radish seed can go into the ground as soon as the surface can be scratched.

Plowing the garden when the ground is wet makes bad work. Better a good job a few days delayed.

Get the first sowing of sweet peas into the earth as soon as the frost is out. Cover four or five inches deep. Cool weather after planting will not hurt them.

March weather is uncertain, but in many regions seed of the hardier vegetables, such as cabbage, cauliflower, onions, peas, parsnips, lettuce, etc., may be sown when normally good weather condition prevails and the ground is dry.

Has it ever occurred to you that early table turnips may be a very profitable crop? They can be planted very early—often before the weather is settled. Give small dressings of nitrate of soda at intervals and reap a handsome return.

Here is a good grafting wax: Resin, four parts by weight; beeswax, two parts; tallow, one part. Break the materials fine, melt thoroughly together and pour into a pail of cold water. When hard enough, pull and work till it "gets a grain" and is of the color of taffy. The hands must be greased.

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Now see here. You have worked hard and need rest and recreation. Crops have been good and you can well afford to take a little time and money for the purpose of having a good time and get posted on what the rest of the world is doing. It is very likely you will discover some new method of work which will repay the entire expedenture of time and money. Anyway be happy while life lasts. Go and see tne big fair. Just Notice these:

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Let the boastful man have his own way. He won't listen to you anyway.

The only way to tell a love story, after all, is in kindness and good cooking.

It is too late to congratulate some people after they have been married as long as a week.

A great many people have consciences that would require an alarm clock to wake up.

Artificial roses never appear to so poor an advantage as when they bloom on a girl's cheeks.

Come to think of it, if you hate any one don't you hate his laugh more than anything else about him?

A pessimist is one who sees the time ahead when he will break with a friend and therefore tells the friend nothing. An optimist sees only eternal friendship and tells the friend all.—Atchison Globe.

The Creamery For Ice Cream.

The creamery industry in Maryland is in some respects quite different from that found in the west, inasmuch as most of those in this state do not confine themselves to the making of butter, but make butter only as a means of utilizing surplus and sell most of their products as cream or ice cream. The selling of the products of creameries for cream and ice cream rather than the making of it into butter has enabled the farmer to realize better prices than would be obtained otherwise. Some creameries of the state that have made all of their products into butter have been run quite successfully, while many have been a disappointment to the farmers and could not hold their patronage because of the low prices paid for milk.—C. T. Doane.

Feeding Plantation Mules.

The ration now fed to mules at one of the large Louisiana sugar factories consists of eight pounds of corn and cob meal, two pounds of cottonseed meal, eleven pounds of molasses and fifteen pounds of pea vine hay, the cost being 14.5 cents per head. It is stated that this ration has diminished the cost of feeding the mules one-half and at the same time improved their health.

The Suburban Home.

The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours, there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

Ayer's Pills Keep them in the house. Take one when you feel bilious or dizzy. They act directly on the liver. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson,

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to anyone who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

Farmers report the fields as being in bad shape and the present wet weather is only making a bad matter worse. It will take some hustling on the part of the weather man if the grain is cut this year. Most fields are standing in water and the grain is about ready to cut.

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, Minn., will take you through a complete business and shorthand course and allow you to pay your tuition at the rate of $10 per month after we secure you a situation. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue. 3t

The K. P. lodge gave a farewell party to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre last evening at the lodge rooms. Cards were indulged in and refreshments served. It proved a delightful evening's entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre have hosts of friends in the city who regret their departure for Fargo.

Arthur Stivers, formerly a member of the COURIER force, but now employed at the Times office in Crookston, met with an accident last Saturday afternoon. One of the iron frames weighing about one hundred pounds fell upon his breast, breaking several ribs. He was immediately removed to the hospital and received medical treatment.

The law firm of Germo & Farley now has one of the largest law libraries in Northern Minnesota, having recently purchased the library of Attorney McIntyre, who will move to Fargo in the near future. Messrs. Germo and Farley now have between four and five hundred volumes, the list including all the important text books, digests and reports. The gentlemen may well feel proud of their library.

Adam Zeh, Wm. Erb and W. E. Wood, appraisers of ditch number 22, were at the Auditor's office yesterday making out their report and appraising the damages and benefits of the big ditch. It was announced about the court house that their report would be favorable for the construction of the ditch. This ditch is near Plummer and there has been considerable talk both pro and con in regards to the feasibility of the undertaking.

H. E. Zimmerman, boiler inspector for this district, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Zimmerman is an electrician and has charge of the plant at Ada. He is considered an authority on matters of that kind and has a wide reputation. He is heavily interested in lands, having large holdings in Canada of which he speaks most enthusiasticly. The COURIER enjoyed his visit immensely and trusts he may drift this way again soon.

"Billy" Ittner received word the first of the week from Harry L. Williams, the coach of the University foot ball team, that all members of the squad were requested to report at Coney Island Sept. 1st. for practice. Coney Island is one of the sopular resorts on Lake Wanconia and has been the meeting place for the foot ball team for a number of years. Billy will report on time and it is said J. Drew Marshall will accompany him and endeavor to get on the second team.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Puschinsky arrived in the city Tuesday morning and will make their home hereafter with their son, Benj. The old people have retired from active business life and came to this place to enjoy their declining years in peace and happiness. They were accompanied here by a son—Ed. Puschinsky—of Hamilton, Ontario, who remained but a short time. He is foreman of a large manufacturing plant in Hamilton and could not be away from his work for any length of time.

CONTINUE

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ST. HILAIRE.

Mrs. A. R. Jones is visiting friends at Crookston.

Charlie Eklund, of Black River, went to the fair Thursday.

Miss Selina Hoff and Anna Hall visited the fair one day last week.

Mrs. R. H. Duntley went to Red Lake Falls Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. John Peterson is confined to her home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Webster, of McIntosh, visited with her friend, Mrs. F. C. Grace, Wednesday.

Mrs. B. A. Barker had the misfortune to scald her entire left hand Wednesday.

Mrs. O. F. Post, who was visiting friends in Crookston, returned home Monday.

H. O. Jackson and family drove to Thief River Falls Thursday and took in the fair.

W. A. Gould, of the Crookston Lumber Co., looked over the mill here Thursday.

A number of our young people attended a dance at Red Lake Falls Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson were among those who went to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Sorsoliel went to Red Lake Falls Thursday for a short stay with friends.

John Rolland attended the fair Thursday and Hans Rolland joined him the following day.

Mrs. D. B. Ferguson and two children of Malbury are visiting the family of R. H. Aimer.

Miss Mabel Aimer, Inez and Mabel Peterson attended the fair at Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Annie Anderson, who had been visiting har aunt, Mrs. H. O. Jackson, returned to her home at Devils Lake Tuesday.

Mrs. F. C. Grace and daughter, of Davenport, Iowa, who visited G. B. Grace for two weeks, left for their home Monday evening.

Miss Olga Hoff and Miss Lily Gebott entertained a few of their friends at an all night party at the home of Miss Gebott last Saturday evening.

H. D. Pettibone returned home Sunday morning after an absence of five weeks traveling in the east in the interests of the Crookston Lumber Co. He expects to move his family to Chicago in the near future.

A very pretty wedding took place last Tuesday 4 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. John Peterson, when Mr. James Kinney was united in marriage to Miss Mary Peterson, one of St. Hilaire's charming young ladies. Rev. Alex Sand performed the ceremony and Martin E. Hoff and Miss Ellen Johnson attended the young couple. After the ceremony a bounteous supper was enjoyed by a large number of friends and relatives. The happy couple begin their new life under most promising circumstances, and their many friends unite in extending congratulations.

Brain Leaks

A poor cook spoils the home.

When we have done our best we have done all.

A square meal is better when rounded off with good humor.

The eloquence of the prayer is no sign of its rising qualities.

If good clothes made a man all tailors would be millionaires.

Money may provide the mansion, but it takes love to make a home.

A whisper of slander is heard further than a megaphoned compliment.

There is a vast difference between owning money and being owned by money.

Flattery is a food that fools thrive on, but even the most sensible like a nibble at it occassionally.

When we have learned just who are our neighbors we have gone a long ways towards getting right.

We never realize what hard work is until we see a boy with a fishing pole headed for a creek.

It is a wise husband who knows enough to keep still when the jelly will not jell.

When people see a man quick to invest in labor saving devices they are quick to say that he is progressive. But wouldn't it be well to investigate and see if he puts as many labor saving devices in his wife's kitchen as he puts in his office or on his farm?

G. B. Burhans testifies after four years.

G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

Notice of Filing and Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the Board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls on the eighth day of September, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p. m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 16th day of August, 1905.

(Auditor's Seal.) JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands are liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Town of Gervais in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 12 in Township 151, Range 43, (Town of Gervais,) in said County, thence going north on the Section line to the northwest corner of the south-west quarter of Section 12 in said town and range, thence going west on the quarter line to about the center of Section eleven (11,) thence running southwest to the southwest corner of Section eleven (11,) thence running south through the eastern part of Section 15 to at or near the southeast corner of Section fifteen (15,) thence running south at or near the section line between Sections 22 and 23 of said town and range and terminating at the southeast corner of Section 22 in said town and range, having as its outlet a creek or coulee. Or if the engineer finds a better outlet at the next creek or coulee one half mile further west, then change the outlet into that creek.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such drainage ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 7th, 1905.

Aug. Konikson,
John Westerlund,
Andrew Ydstie,
Christ Christensen,
Sjur Mikkelson,
Sophia Christoforson.
Petitioners

Notice of Filing and Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the Board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor of said county, in the city of Red Lake Falls, on the eight day of September, A. D. 1995, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 17th day of August, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Towns of River Falls, Emardville, Gervais and Wyandotte, in said county of Red Lake, and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at or near the southwest corner of section 6 in Township 151, Range 42, then going north on the Range line between Ranges 42 and 43 to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, then running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34, 33 and 32, in said Township 152, Range 43, to a point near the center of said Section 32 where the Red Lake River crosses the said quarter section line and terminating at said point, and having as its outlet the said Red Lake River.

Also one branch ditch, commencing at the noatheast corner of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, running thence south on the Range line to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said section 36 and terminating at the main ditch as its outlet.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 4th, 1905. a17-3t

A. T. Gorden, Nils Holten,
C. C. Bergan, F. A. Satterberg,
C. A. Swanson, Adolph Satterberg,
Andrew Johnson, Anna Fangstrom,
John G. Anderson, A. Gordon,
Peter Hogquist, Julius Fleth,
Petitioners.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In the matter of the petition of the Trustees of the Village of Plummer for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, designated and numbered as County Ditch No. 22.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the County Auditor of such county as County Ditch No. 22, beginning at a point about 50 rods west of the northeast corner of Section 13 in Township 151, North, of Range 42 West of the fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake county, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between Sections 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15, and 9 and 16 in said Township to a point about thirty rods west of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of said section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet Clearwater River; as appears by the report of the Engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the Municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the Viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit:

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., Peter F. Pouliot, S. A. Swanson, M. O. Sortedahl, John A. Duffy, D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., D. C. Gillispie, Charles G. Edwards, Sarah Bourdon, R. H. Bourdon Chas. N. Bourdon, C. G. Edwards, Andrine Back, L. O. Thorpe, Andrew O. Halland, Nels Bergquist, G. Idzorik, Madden & Schnandt, B. Clement, Ed. L. Healy, R. O. Gordon, Peder S. Medchell, Martin Medchell, W. S. Short, State of Minnesota, Odilon Gauthier, Helmer F. Larson, Ovila Gauthier, Township of Emardville, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Co. and the Village of Plummer; and that the engineer appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County Auditor; and that the Viewers appointed by said Board of County Commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said County Auditor.

And that, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the eight day of September, 1905, at the County Auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said County, at nine o'clock a. m., of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said Board of County Commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated the 17th day of August, A. D. 1905.

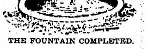
a17-31 JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) Auditor Red Lake County, Minn.

A SENSIBLE LAWN FOUNTAIN

Suggestion for the Beautifying of the Grounds About the Farmhouse.

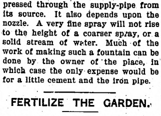
The general idea of a lawn fountain seems to be a vase-like affair standing up from the ground and looking generally inartistic. It is because of an unwillingness to have such an affair before one's house that many are deterred from having a fountain upon the lawn. It is possible, however, says the Country Gentleman, to have a simple, yet artistic, fountain that will not only prove attractive, but will be inexpensive.

Fig. 1 shows the method of construction. A circular space of the size desired is dug in the ground, to a point below the frost line. This is to be filled nearly to the surface of the ground with loose stones, wider at the bottom than at the top, that the frost may have no chance to "lift" on the outside. The supply pipe must be put in position as the stones are filled in, the diagram showing the position. Over the top of the loose stones place a layer of cement. Around the edge of the circular space lay up a little wall of stones, placing cement between them, and covering the outside, top and inside of this little wall completely with the cement.



HOW THE FOUNTAIN IS BUILT.

As this wall is made, a waste-pipe should be inserted, as suggested, the top of this being the limit to which the water can rise in the fountain. The top of the low wall should be nicely rounded and smoothed. The upper end of the supply-pipe should have a spray nozzle, so that a shower of spray may be sent up, to fall gracefully over into the water of the tank. The height to which the water will rise depends, of course, upon the force with which the water is pressed through the supply-pipe from its source. It also depends upon the nozzle. A very fine spray will not rise to the height of a coarser spray, or a solid stream of water. Much of the work of making such a fountain can be done by the owner of the place, in which case the only expense would be for a little cement and the iron pipe.



THE FOUNTAIN COMPLETED.

FERTILIZE THE GARDEN.

The Absolute Necessity of Enriching the Soil If Good Crops Are to Be Secured.

After you have given the time and the energy in spading and digging and hoeing and raking your garden spot into shape, have spent money for good seeds that you have carefully planted, you certainly expect to have a crop of nice, luscious vegetables, providing you have given the garden the proper cultivation. You will not have, though, if you do not feed the soil that is to feed the plants that are to grow into feed for you. Don't expect an impoverished soil to grow vegetables, says the Farmers' Review. That is one of the impossibilities. If you do not know it now you will find it out to your regret and cost if you try it. Give the garden the heaviest dressing of fertilizers of any spot on the farm. Use all the old, well-rotted manure that you have available and then add a liberal quantity of such of the commercial fertilizers as your soil most needs, and nearly all soils need all of the elements of fertility to grow vegetables to perfection. Buy of a reliable manufacturer some of his best complete vegetable manure and apply it at the rate of from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds per acre. It will cost something to do this, but the return that will be made to you in the crop will amply repay you for the expense.

RYE MAKES GOOD PASTURE

How One Farmer Manages to Get Good Feed for His Live Stock.

I draw the manure on the sod ground, plow and harrow well, then plant to corn and cultivate well, writes a New York farmer in the Farm and Home. The next spring I plow the corn, top-dress with stable manure and sow oats. As soon as the oats are off, plow and top-dress again, then sow to rye. In six weeks I have big feed and pasture the rye until it ferezes.

The last of May I cut the rye as soon as it heads, and the stock like it and do well on it. In the spring I seed on the rye with equal parts of clover and timothy. I pasture this in the fall, and the rye will be headed out the second time.

I cut the grass for hay three years and plow again and follow the same rotation. I manage a piece of land this way every year, have nice fall feed and never fail to have big crops. Last fall I got first and second premiums on my corn at our fair. My rye was very stout and five feet tall, the grass so stout that I could not cut it with a machine until I cleared a place for it to run.

Early War on Weeds.

The early killed is the easy killed weed and the weed that robs the crops the least. Proper bedding is essential in making richer manure, as well as increasing the bulk.

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GAVE A WRONG IMPRESSION

Damaging Report in Twin City Papers Last Week Causes Much Anxiety to Those Interested.

Last week an article appeared in several of the city papers stating that the crops in this vicinity were entirely ruined. This is not true. It is true the heavy rains of last week threatened 'dire disaster to the crops, but the exceptionally fine weather of the past week has made a wonderful change in the situation. Red Lake county never had a better crop and the only cause for worry at the present time is that there may be more rains before the grain is cut.

The fine weather the past few days has done wonders in drying the fields and hundreds of acres have been harvested that were dispaired of last week. There are a number of fields that are yet too wet to allow a binder to work, but with a continuation of the present fine weather most of these fields will be saved. There may be some low places that will be slow to dry but the loss will be small.

Reports such as was sent to the dailies last week do great harm to the country, and the COURIER is correcting the grave error in response to many inquiries from parties living in other localities but who are interested in the welfare of this section of the country.

Do You Realize

the serious consequence of continued eye strain? If your eyes trouble you in any way have them treated before it is too late.—Henry W Anderson, Optician.

FOR BENEFIT OF FARMERS

Juries for Fall Term of Court not to be Called until November, so Says Judge Watts.

Judge Watts sent word to County Attorney Germo the first of the week not to call the grand and petit jurors until Nov. 13th, giving as his reason that he wanted the farmers of this section to have all the time possible in which to do their fall work. The term is set to meet Oct. 30th, and the Judge will be on hand at that time to transact any necessary business, but work for the juries will be postponed until Nov. 13th, giving the farmers two weeks more in which to get their fall work out of the way.

The action of Judge Watts will be greatly appreciated by the farmers of Red Lake county and the citizens at large. It is a foresight and commendable spirit characteristic of the Judge and his many friends in this county will appreciate his action.

Burning Molasses and Coal.

Although it may seem tremendously funny, it is true that molasses is being mixed with common coal dust to make a form of briquette which is said to be a splendid form of fuel. A little linseed oil is also mixed in to prevent the briquette from absorbing water. It may also seem odd to take golden grain belt beer as a medicine for few medicines are so delicious. However, the best medicine, like golden grain belt beer, is the kind to keep you from getting sick rather than that which is taken after it is too late. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

LOWER FREIGHT RATES

Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railways Reduce Rates on Grain from this City to Markets.

Red Lake Falls citizens were greatly interested and pleased when the announcement was made the first of the week that the railroads of the northwest had decided to make a reduction in the freight rates on grain. Freight agents of the different roads got together last Friday and decided to cut the rates on grain from all sections of the Northwest. The local shippers will enjoy a rate of two cents per hundred less than formerly and it should mean just that much more per hundred to the farmer.

It was at first supposed that the Great Northern was the only road giving the reduction, but it has developed that that road was acting with the rest of the roads in the matter. It is said that the cut is made to meet rates on the Canadian roads who made a bid for the business of the northern country last year and succeeded in securing no little amount of it.

Shorthand Class.

I have decided to organize a class for the study of shorthand to begin about September 15th, 1905. My duties as Court Reporter necessitates my teaching evenings only and the class, consequently, must be limited, so if you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of learning shorthand from one who has had a practical knowledge of the art for over ten years, write or call on,

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LANS FOR NEXT YEAR

ed Lake Falls Commercial Club Starts a Movement for an Exhibit at State Fair Next Year.

At a meeting of the Commercial Club held in the city hall Monday evening a movement was started for an exhibit of Red Lake county products at the Minnesota State Fair in 1906. A resolution was passed appointing Mayor Duffy one of a committee of five to ask the county commissioners for an appropriation for an exhibit at next year's fair. The other members of the committee will be chosen from different parts of the county and it is thought that by an united effort Red Lake county can make a most creditable showing. It is a laudable enterprise and should meet with the hearty approval of all public spirited citizens of the county.

Resolutions were also passed regretting the departure of Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre from the city. The departure of these people is keenly felt by all.

The Great Northern railroad was also the recipient of thanks and good will in a resolution in regard to the decrease of freight rates on grain and flour from this city to the twin cities.

It is to be hoped that the Commercial Club will meet more frequently and discuss matters of interest to the community. In united action there is strength, and it is the "all pull together" that accomplishes results.

Resolutions of Regret.

Whereas, Attorney W. A. McIntyre, for several years past a prominent resident of this city, has deemed it advisable to seek a larger and more lucrative field of service, and

Whereas, We fully appreciate the sterling qualities and business ability of W. A. McIntyre and feeling that his removal from our midst is accompanied by a great loss to the community. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Commercial Club of the City of Red Lake Falls, exceedingly regret the removal of Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre from our city and hope they will be successful in their new field of labor.

Further Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and copies furnished to the local papers for publication.

BY THE COMMITTEE.

Resolutions of Appreciation.

Whereas. The Hon. James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railroad, has voluntarily reduced the rates on wheat and wheat products, two cents per hundred pounds, and,

Whereas, said reduction will result in great financial benefit to our farmers and people at large, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Commercial Club of the City of Red Red Lake Falls, duly appreciate the action of Mr. Hill and extend our gracious thanks for his interest in behalf of the Northwest.

Further Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to Mr. Hill and published in the local papers.

A New Swindle

Here is a new swindle that is being worked among the farmers and those wanting to dispose of real estate. A farmer receives a letter asking him to list his farm for sale. According to the blanks furnished, the farmer asks the firm to try to sell his place, by advertising it for months, and agrees to pay the firm fifty cents on acre when they have fulfilled their part of the agreement. On close examination, it is found that the firm agrees to do nothing but advertise the farm, and nothing is said as to how, what extent or where it will be advertised. Whenever the advertising is done the commission is due, whether a purchaser has been found or not. Farmers who have signed this kind of a contract have been advised by their attorneys to settle the best they can and err no more.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

VETERAN ANSWERS LAST CALL

Joseph Goyette, one of the few G. A. R. Boys, is Called to the Great Beyond.

Tuesday evening at his home in this city Joseph Goyette breathed his last after an illness of some months. The old gentleman had been suffering from lung trouble for months and the end was not unexpected.

Deceased was born at St. Isdore, Quebec province. Canada, about seventy-five years ago. When 20 years of age he moved to this country, locating at Green Bay, Wis., then but a small trading post. From Green Bay he moved to St. Paul and while in the latter city enlisted in the Union army. He served his adopted country three years in the civil war, and made a proud record for valor and fortitude. He moved to Red Lake county a number of years ago, being a resident of Louisville township until seven years ago when he moved into the city. He leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn his death.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning from St. Joseph's church, the deceased having been a member of that congregation for a number of years.

HUNTERS' LICENSES.

Auditor Ford is in Readiness to Issue Licenses to Sportsmen.

The first of the week County Auditor Ford received the hunters' licenses from the state authorities at St. Paul. The licenses are printed on heavy manila paper and are made up of the body of the license describing the licensee and his residence, checks for the auditor and the state authorities and a set of five shipping tags which are to be used in the shipment of the game. These shipping tags provide for the transfer of one moose, 2 deer and two shipments of game birds. Under the law this last cannot exceed fifty birds. Upon presenting the coupon at the station the station agent cancels such of them as agrees with the proposed shipment. There is also included in the license a shipping tag for the shipment itself.

In application for the hunting license it must be made out at the office of the county auditor of the county of which you are an inhabitant. Otherwise it is not a license under the law.

WYLIE TO FIGHT.

Citizens Organize to Take Issue with Great Northern Railway.

St. Hilaire Spectator: The people of Wylie held a mass meeting last Thursday and elected Peter Hansel, J. G. Prior and C. B. Cruzen a committee to go to St. Paul and lay their grievances before the state railroad and warehouse commissioners. The committee were here Thursday afternoon and state that the town and country are greatly excited over the later developments. It seems that orders have been issued to tear down the two elevators and that the work will commence in a few days. It is stated that Romsos Bros., who conduct a general merchandise store, and Leppert Bros., who run a hardware store, have made a settlement with the Great Northern and will move to North Dakota. The other business men at Wylie and a number of farmers in the surrounding country now propose to fight, and the sending of the committee to St. Paul is the first gun in the campaign. One hundred farmers and business men will each contribute ten dollars to start the ball rolling and it is intimated that an action will be brought in the courts at once.

Lost.

Some weeks ago, a black and white English setter bird dog. Any information as to the dog's whereabouts will be rewarded at the Bank of Red Lake Falls. P. O. FLOAN.

It is Possible

that a pair of glasses might relieve you of your headache. Consult your home optician, he will tell you.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

HARVEST IS IN FULL BLAST

Merry Hum of the Binder Heard in Every Direction—Ideal Weather for Work Prevails.

The farmers of Red Lake county are about the busiest people in the universe these days. The first of the week the annual grain cutting began and the hum of the binder is to be heard on every side. Last week's hard rain storms cast a gloom upon the section as the grain was ripening very fast and the large amount of water in the fields made harvesting impossible. But all this has changed. The weather man turned on ideal weather the first of the week and the ground has been drying up very rapidly. If the present weather continues until the last of this week the bulk of the cutting will have been done. There are some low places that are still too wet for a binder but with the the present weather this will be remedied.

Among the farmers who have reported progress this week is J. C. Mathews, of Dorothy, who was in the city Tuesday morning attending to some repairs on his machines. He said he cut forty acres of wheat Monday and that his fields were fast getting in condition for work. He reports the grain in his neighborhood as being fully matured and that the farmers were making a desperate effort to harvest the yield with all possible speed. The crops in Red Lake county are said to be above the average.

MUCH TIMBER IS STOLEN.

Report of Wholesale Trespass Reach Timber Board.

Reports of wholesale timber stealing in Northern Minnesota were filed with the state timber board by the state cruisers, who have returned from a cruise, and the board has decided to make a determined campaign to arrest the offenders.

The evidence which the state has collected is kept secret that the board may more easily apprehend the offenders. Members of the board, after an all day session yesterday, refused to divulge the information they had received, further than to state that startling discoveries of timber trespass had been made.

It is said that several million feet of timber are envolved, and that if the board carries out its plans it will collect many thousand dollars. It is thought that the trespass was deliberate, and the state will insist on treble damages. The trespass was committed about two years ago and it is of such a nature that no blame attaches to any present or former state official.

Simultaneously with the reports of trespass information reached the board that several million feet of state timber in Northern Minnesota is in danger of fire or windfall, and it was decided to hold a public sale at the capitol at ten o'clock on the morning of Oct. 17. This timber is located in Beltrami St. Louis, Itasca, Cass, Cook and Lake counties.

"There are millions of feet of timber in these counties liable to damage or entire loss through fire and windfall," said D. Elliout, one of the state cruisers who conferred with the board yesterday. "In fact the state lost a great deal of timber through forest fires last spring and while there has been considerable rain since then there is still much danger of forest fires. Much of the timber is so situated that if a fire should start the state would lose a vast quantity.

"There is lots of timber in danger of windfall. This is due to the fact that timber companies have cut large quantities of timber in these counties and the state timber is left unprotected from the wind."

The board instructed the cruisers to make another tour of the counties for the purpose of estimating and appraising the timber to be sold.

"It is impossible to tell at this time how much timber will be sold," said Mr. Iverson. "It all depends on what condition the timber is found in and on other conditions such as the weather, etc. Under the law the board is authorized to sell at any time such timber as is in danger of fire and windfall, and we shall confine ourselves to this class of timber."

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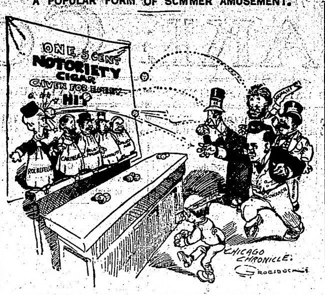

CHECK THE FEVER IN NEW ORLEANS

HEALTH AUTHORITIES HAVE THE SCOURGE APPARENTLY UNDER CONTROL.

Number of New Cases and Deaths Are Decreasing—Danger of Epidemic Growing Less—Quarantines Sadly Affect Business.

New Orleans, Aug. 21.—Following is the official report to six p. m. Sunday: New cases, 45; total cases to date, 1,385; deaths, 4; total deaths, 196; remaining under treatment, 381. No better evidence of the fact that the visitation of mosquito fever is not only being controlled here, but that there is a chance for its eradication, can be found than in the daily reports of cases and deaths. For several days the number of new cases has shown a decline, while the number of deaths have been remarkably low, considering the number of cases reported a week ago. The death list indicates that practically every case that develops is now being reported, and that means that the modern method of treatment to prevent spread is being applied. When that condition is assured the end of the visitation is in sight and it looks as if that condition is approaching.

Appears in New Quarter.

Among the new squares that have been infected is that in which the supreme and civil district courts and the St. Louis cathedral are located. Heretofore the fever has fringed it without invading it, but a number of Italians are now down with the fever in a row of ancient houses standing next to the civil district court building. Extraordinary precautions are being taken to prevent any further infection of the square. Many lawyers daily visit it, as do a large number of Catholics attending services at the cathedral.

Quarantine Affects Business.

The rigid quarantines, which have been maintained now for five weeks, are beginning to tell on business generally. The oyster industry will probably feel the full effects of the restrictions as the open season begins September 1. Retail merchants have not suffered severely, but wholesalers whose receipts are measured by the business they do with the surrounding country are still seriously affected. As the regular business season opens here on September 1, strong appeals are being made through circulars and otherwise in cities, towns and counties in restoring freight traffic.

Gulf Coast Tied Up.

The discovery of nearly a dozen cases of yellow fever at Mississippi City, on the gulf coast, within three miles of Gulfport and the fact that Jackson has tied up the gulf and ship island road by the declaration of quarantine against the entire Mississippi coast, leaves New Orleans the only avenue open to the gulf coast towns. Alabama has on a tight quarantine already, against these towns, and with the rest of Mississippi quarantined against them, the reason why there should not be daylight communication with New Orleans, as was the case during the prevalence of the fever in 1897, has disappeared. Several thousand people here summer on the coast, including bankers, merchants and professional men. Many have handsome homes there. When the coast quarantine against New Orleans was put on by Mississippi they left their families at their summer homes. The raising of the quarantine would enable them to visit their families daily.

Clerk and Cash Gone.

Chicago, Aug. 19.—Sent to the bank with a satchel containing $10,000 belonging to Charles A. Stevens & Bros., No. 111 State street, Gus Bobbs, 22 years old, an employe of the concern, disappeared Thursday afternoon. In the opinion of Charles A. Stevens the young man fled from the city with the cash. Investigation has proven, it is said, that Bobbs played the races and was fond of poker.

Record Crop Expected.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 18.—From recent estimates made of the citrus crop for next year indications point to a record-breaker. That there will be upwards of 85,000 carloads is certain, and the aggregate may reach 40,000 cars.

GRANTS PEOPLE'S PRAYER

Czar of Russia Orders Formation of National Assembly with Important Powers.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 12.—Russia's national representative assembly, the fruit of decades of stress and striving for reform, which endows the Russian people with the right of being consulted through their chosen representatives in the suggestion, preparation and repeal of legislation, to-day takes its place among the fundamental institutions of the empire. In a solemn manifesto Emperor Nicholas announces this morning to his subjects the fruition of his plans summoning the representatives of the people, as outlined by him in a rescript issued on March 3 last, and fixes the date for the first convocation as mid-January, and in a ukase, addressed to the senate, formally orders that body to register as the imperial will a law project, formulating the nature, powers and procedure of the new governmental organization.

The national assembly will be a consultative organization in connection with the council of the empire and not a legislative body. The powers of the emperor remain theoretically absolute. As the emperor is the supreme law giver and autocrat, the decisions of the Douma have only a recommendatory and not a binding force, though the rejection of any legislative measure by a two-thirds' majority of both houses is sufficient to prevent that measure from becoming law. The representatives of the people will have not only the right to be heard on any legislation proposed by the government, but also can voice their desires on new laws and will have the right to exert a certain supervision over budgetary expenditures. The suffrage, though wide, is not universal. It is based on property qualification, the peasantry having a vote through membership in communal organizations. A considerable portion of the residents of the cities, possessing no lands, together with women, soldiers, civil functionaries, etc., are without suffrage.

LORD CURZON QUITS.

Tenders His Resignation as Viceroy of India—Earl of Minto Succeeds Him.

London, Aug. 21.—The resignation of Lord Curzon of Kedleston, as viceroy of India and the appointment of the earl of Minto as his successor, was announced at the India office Sunday. According to the correspondence, which is issued in the form of a white book, it appears that Lord Curzon's resignation was cabled to that office on August 12. The correspondence shows a decidedly bitter feeling between Lord Curzon, the India office and Lord Kitchener, commander-in-chief of the forces in India, over the new plan of army administration in India. Lord Curzon's dissatisfaction came to a head with the refusal of the cabinet to appoint Maj. Gen. Sir Edmund Barrow, on Lord Curzon's recommendation, military supply member of the council.

Railroads Kill 10,046.

Washington, Aug. 18.—Railroad statistics for the year 1904, as given in the annual report of the interstate commerce commission, show that there were at the end of that year 297,073 miles of railroad in the United States. An appalling death list—10,046—represents the year's toll of human life taken in railway accidents. In addition, 84,155 persons were injured.

Doomed Man a Suicide.

St. Louis, Aug. 21.—In the presence of the "death watch" Lambert Niehaus, under sentence to be hanged Monday for killing his brother-in-law, Saturday committed suicide by stabbing himself in the abdomen three times. Death was instantaneous.

A Remarkable Case.

Honolulu, Aug. 18.—A dispatch by wireless telegraph from Hilo says that Hena, the Hawaiian wife of Kailua, a Chinese, gave birth to one child on last Thursday, two on Sunday, one on Monday, two on Tuesday morning and one on Tuesday night. All are dead.

Hanged Himself.

Botzen, Austria, Aug. 19.—Jori, the anarchist who was arrested while meditating an attempt on the life of Emperor Francis Joseph during the emperor's forthcoming visit to Botzen hanged himself in prison Friday.

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PLENIPOTENTIARIES FAIL TO AGREE ON IMPORTANT FEATURES OF JAPAN'S TERMS.

President Roosevelt Again Appears in Role of Peacemaker—Believed to Have Suggested Arbitration of Disputed Points.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 19.—At Friday's session the peace plenipotentiaries were unable to agree upon Article 11, relating to the limitation of Russia's sea power, and it was deferred. Article 12, providing for the grant of fishing rights on the Russian littoral, was unanimously agreed upon. The articles which were passed over did not come up Friday. The protocols will be drawn up during the three days' interim and on Tuesday the final struggle will come. The next sitting of the conference will be held at three p. m. Tuesday.

Japs Have Yielded Nothing.

The Japanese have been implacable throughout the six days' sittings. They have listened and explained, but they have yielded not an iota of the substance of their original demands. M. Witte accepted outright seven of the twelve Japanese conditions, one in principle and four, including the main issues, indemnity and Sakhalin, he rejected. The other two, limitation of naval power and the surrender of interned warships, might have been arranged had there been any prospect of agreement on the two points upon which the divergence seemed irreconcilable.

In the oral discussion of the terms, M. Witte yielded upon two articles, but substantially the result of the 13 sittings of the plenipotentiaries has only been to emphasize the position taken by M. Witte in the written reply he presented last Saturday to the Japanese terms. And now both sides turn to home for the last word before the cards are thrown face upward upon the table next Tuesday, for the impasse reached Friday by the plenipotentiaries is recognized to be only a diplomatic friction. If in the interim fresh instructions are received by either side compromise is yet possible. But the chances are recognized to be slim. So far as the Russian plenipotentiaries are concerned, there never was a chance of their yielding both indemnity and Sakhalin. The cession of Sakhalin without indemnity was, according to the best inside information, the extreme limit to which M. Witte would ever consent to go, and the emperor has not yet given the word even to concede that.

President as Peacemaker.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 21.—President Roosevelt, it is believed, has played his trump card and averted a disastrous ending of the peace conference at Portsmouth, N. H. At the request of the president Baron Rosen came to Oyster Bay Saturday afternoon and had a long talk with Mr. Roosevelt regarding the status of the negotiations and the stumbling blocks that have stopped further progress by the envoys. Mr. Roosevelt, in all probability, pointed out to Baron Rosen that, indemnity and all, it will be cheaper in the end for Russia to end the conflict and devote herself to internal improvements and the development of her vast resources; that the first thing Russia should do is to build up a navy.

He pointed out that without a navy the island of Sakhalin which Russia declines to cede,, is of small value, and, as according to the president's idea ,it takes a generation to build up a navy, he probably suggested that Sakhalin was not worth bothering about.

Besides Sakhalin and the indemnity there remain articles 10 and 11, referring to the transfer to Japan of the warships interned in the Pacific and the limitation of Russia's naval forces in Pacific waters, These conditions, it is believed Baron Rosen put before the president as particularly bitter pills to swallow, but the president's proposal, it is believed, affects these points also in such a way as to make them acceptable to Russia.

Favors Arbitration.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 21.—There is good authority for announcing that the feature of the proposition of President Roosevelt, communicated through Baron Rosen to Mr. Witte, and transmitted by the latter to Emperor Nicholas, was based upon the principle of arbitration. Whether the proposal contemplates arbitration of all the articles upon which the plenipotentiaries have failed to agree, or only upon the question of indemnity cannot be stated with positiveness, but it is more than probable that it relates only to indemnity, or to indemnity and the cession of the island of Sakhalin. Neither is it possible to say whether the president has yet made a similar proposition to Japan. The customary diplomatic proceedings in such a case would be to submit the proposal simultaneously to both countries, but there might be an advantage in securing the adherence of one before submitting it to the other. To Emperor Nicholas, the author of The Hague peace conference, the suggestion of arbitration which will necessarily immediately command the sympathy of the public opinion of the world will be particularly hard to reject. If he agrees, Japan, if she has not already done so, will be all the more bound to submit her claim to the decision of an impartial arbitrator. Acceptance by both sides would involve a great extension of the principle of arbitration as nations have heretofore declined to arbitrate questions involving their honor and dignity."

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The rates go into effect Saturday, Sept. 2, so that people in any part of Minnesota or the Dakotas may reach the cities by Saturday night, Sunday or Monday morning in plenty of time for the events of the opening day. This is important, for the first day of the fair will be the best this year. All exhibits will be in place by 9 a. m. During the morning United States Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iowa will make the formal opening address. In the afternoon there will be the full program of amusements, including the appearance of the famous Dan Patch in an attempt to lower his world's record of 1:56.

Dan Patch is the most remarkable horse in the world. He is easily the fastest harness horse alive, or that ever lived, the only horse that ever paced a mile under two minutes, and the horse with the brightest prospects. For Dan Patch is still a comparatively young horse and may startle the world again with great achievements.

The Minnesota state fair race track is in the pink of condition, and is now pronounced by experts to be the fastest track in the country. So it is expected that Dan can come close to his record and everything possible will be done to insure a record-breaking heat. He will go three heats with a runner at one side.

Dan Patch will appear only Monday, Sept. 4. His other engagements preclude any other appearance at this fair. It will be easily the greatest race track event of the year, and something that no one should miss seeing.

On Monday there will also be a great racing program, including one of the new $2,500 purse races and the fastest trotting race—the 2:10 class for $1,500. All the great specialty attractions will be seen during the afternoon. This is the list:

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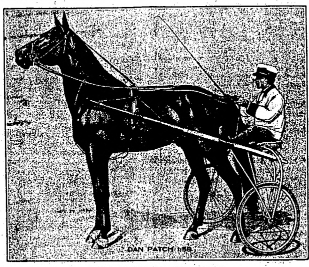
The program given above will be repeated in substance each afternoon and evening of fair week, Dan Patch, of course, excepted, as he will be on hand only on Monday.

Other amusements will include the Merry Pike with its specialties, wild animals, tame elephants and camels, illusions, and all sorts of curiosities and entertainments. There will be music on the grounds at every turn. Liberati's world famous military band will give two concerts daily, and the Minnesota State Band, First Regiment Band, Third Regiment Band and other musical organizations will take part in the various programs.

In all divisions the fair will be overflowing. The fair has been made the rendezvous for the fine herds of cattle which will make up a special train for the Portland exposition, starting just after the close of the Minnesota fair. This will bring many fine cattle and horses to the show, and with the national exhibitions of the Shorthorn and Hereford associations will produce the greatest cattle show ever seen in one place. Agricultural Hall will be in finer shape than ever before and will have a larger and more representative exhibit. The farm machinery department has spread all over the northeast corner of the fair grounds and will be by all odds the largest exhibit ever gotten together.

C. N. Cosgrove of Le Sueur is president of the fair this year, as for several years past, and E. W. Randall is secretary. B. F. Nelson of Minneapolis is first vice-president, C. M. Griggs of St. Paul second vice-president, and the board of managers is made up of J. M. Underwood, Lake City; L. D. Baird, Austin; W. M. Liggett, St. Anthony Park; Wm. E. Lee, Long Prairie; D. S. Hall, Buffalo Lake; G. W. Patterson, Worthington.



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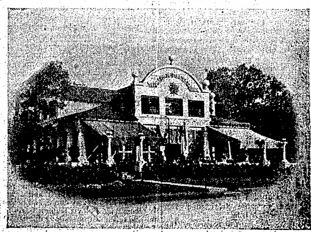

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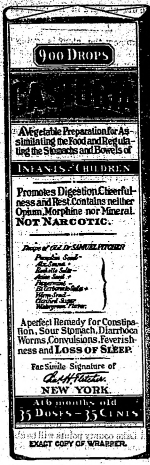
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THE St. Paul Dispatch political writer devotes about half his space to taking back what he said yesterday.

PETER E. HANSON, secretary of state, offers himself as a vicarious sacrific in case the Republicans care to unanimously agree on a candidate for governor.

GOVERNOR CUMMINS brings a severe indictment against the Republican party in saying that "reciprocity has been coddled in conventions and crucified in congress."

DOWIE commands his faithful followers to present a baby each year at the baptismal fount. It is apparent that equal suffrage has no place in the Dowie creed.

ACCORDING to the federal census bulletin the value of the railroads in the United States is $11,244, 852,000: and the value of Minnesota roads is $446,000,000, placing the state fifth in point of railroad investment.

SAID the sick man to the lawyer: "Let me explain about my property." Said the lawyer to the sick man: "Leave that all to me." Said the sick man to the lawyer: "Well, I guess I might as well. You will get it all anyway."

WHEN nothing else can be said against a public man he is called "a political accident." As a matter of fact the majority of our most capable officials and statesmen are "accients." And, its nothing to their discredit.

CHARLIE MITCHELL has the charming habit of not allowing the truth to interfere with a choice bit of imagination. Recently Charlie discovered that the Standard Oil company intended to finance a Democratic daily at Minneapolis. This is probably as nearly a correct statement as could be expected from Charlie.

THE staid old Pioneer Press is growing pessimistic again, and sees dark spots on the political sky. There is danger even, according to this authority, of a desertion of millions of Republican voters to the Democratic party unless the Senate wakes up and shows some sympathy with the people on the tariff and reciprocity questions.

THIS is tit for tat. The St. Peter Herald says: We have not been authoritatively informed that the former editor of the Herald has contracted the presidential itch. At any rate his chances of reaching the presidency are better than those of Congressman McCleary of getting the chairmanship of the committee on appropriations."

IT is given out that P. Coerner of Litchfield will be a candidate for state treasurer before the next Republican convention. Mr. Koerner is the son of a former treasurer, and he is at present a deputy in the office of Treasurer Block. Mr. Koerner is an active, enthusiastic young man, and he is going to give some of the older heads pointers on politics.

REPORTS compiled by State Labor Commissioner Williams indicate a heavy increase in the number of children under sixteen years old in employment. In the whole state there are 1,729 children at work, as compared with 770 a year ago. There are 614 at work in St. Paul, 713 in Minneapolis and 186 in Duluth.

AND now the story is going the rounds of the newspaper that Tom Lawson made money on his western trip, says the Preston Times. If paying his own railroad fare and hotel bills and getting no share of the gate receipts is making money, Lawson must no doubt plead guilty. The story is probably the invention of men of the Rockefeller class who would stoop at nothing in throwing discredit on Lawson in order neutraize his terriffic onslaught on the Wall street thieves.

EMERSON, Man., has a dog license law that will doubtless prove effective. All those who have not paid their license on their respective canines within a given time will be summoned to appear in court to answer to a misdemeanor and will be fined according to the terms of the ordinance. This would seem to us to be a more effective way than taking revenge on the life of the poor dumb brutes who owe their existance to the generosity of their masters.

THE Great Northern railway has announced a substantial reduction in grain rates. The decrease amounts to an average of nearly two cents on every bushel of grain raised in the northwest. The decrease from Red Lake county points will be about one and one-half cents per bushel, and the really desirable feature of the reduction is the fact that the farmer gets the direct benefit. James J. Hill could give no better evidence that he is desirous of building up the great northwest.

SAM GORDON of the Browns' Valley Tribune run short of editorial stuff last week, and gave us a few of the epigrams prepared for his Sunday school class. This is a sample: "You have no doubt noticed that it is very difficult to obliterate the marks of a pencil by applying pencil marks. So it is with character; a misdeed once performed is difficult to hide by other misdeeds. The better way is to begin over by turning to a new clean leaf." But Sam always says something scintillating, whether in church or sanctum.

EZRA G. VALENTINE, one of the prominent lawyers and politicians of northern Minnesota, died last Saturday at his summer home near Battle Lake. Mr. Valentine was a resident of Breckenridge and gained his popularity as one of the early exponents of the drainage theory. He was a member of the first board of state drainage commissioners, and much of the good work accomplished during the past fifteen years is attributable to his efforts. In 1902 Mr. Valentine was a candidate for congress. He was an honest, patriotic citizen, deeply interested in public affairs from the purely unselfish standpoint of an intense desire to benefit his fellows.

SOME people have a peculiar notion of honesty. Last week a man dropped into a department store at St. Paul and bought four cents' worth of shoestrings. He handed the girl a quarter and told her to keep the change. Acting on the suggestion she took four coppers from her purse and sent them to the cashier, keeping the quarter. It now turns out that the shoestring purchaser was a detective, and the girl was arrested for larceny. Now, this is strange. The department store lost not a penny, and the twenty-one cents was offered as a gratuity. It is hard to understaud how the girl could be a thief. The department store may object to their girls receiving gratuities, but a violation of the rule would not be sufficient cause for arrest on the charge of larceny. There are some queer inconsistencies in law.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansficid, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A. L. Reichert.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

GOPHER GOSSIP.

Fort Snelling.—The body of an unidentified soldier is found in the river.

St. Paul.—The state board of investment decides not to sell the Virginia bonds.

St. Paul.—S. E. Stoler has resigned as general freight agent of the Chicago Great Western.

Crookston.—Prairie chickens are drowned out in the low lands of Northern Minnesota.

St. Paul.—Three state officials work on a bill requiring children of school age to attend school.

St. Paul.—Edward H. C. Taylor, Northern Pacific auditor of freight receipts, dies suddenly.

St. Paul.—State Auditor Iverson will sell many tracts of forfeited land at public auction this fall.

Moorheadu.—More than five thousand harvest hands are needed along the Great Northern line.

St. Paul.—The state board of control plans to revise the payroll of employes at state institutions.

Red Wing.—Lieut. Col. Gerlach makes a very favorable report on the Minnesota national guardsmen.

Minneapolis.—Melton Blunt, 17 years old, rescued a young woman from drowning at Lake Harriet.

St. Paul.—Non-board fire insurance agents have organized a non-union St. Paul board of fire underwriters.

Minneapolis.—The biennial national convention of the Universalist church will meet in this city Oct. 19 to 25.

Lake City.—A farm hand working for James Whellan was badly injured by the bursting of a cream separator.

Minneapolis.—This city consumes about twelve carloads of bananas a day, through shipping and its retail trade.

St. Paul.—Capt. J. C. Devereux, 615 Grotto street, yesterday celebrated the fiftieth aniversary of his arrival in this city.

Aitkin.—United States engineers begin investigation of the operation of government dams on the upper Mississippi.

Minneapolis.—Frank McGrath, the two-year-old child of Mrs. Frank McGrath, died in its mother's arms at their home.

Washington.—The salary of the postmaster at New Prague, Minn., has been ordered increased from $1,600 to $1,800 a year.

Minneapolis.—For the first time in twelve years a Democrat presided at a council meeting and the Republicans were in the minority.

Crookston.—The state game commission will make war on the parasite which is killing millions of fish in the northern part of the state.

Minneapolis.—Archibald Blaylock, a paperhanger, fell into the Mississippi river while attempting to board an excursion steamer at St. Paul.

Excelsior.—At a special meeting of the village council the time for the completion of the electric railway from Minneapolis was extended to Nov. 23.

Minneapolis.—Personal property in this city for purposes of taxation, is valued at $32,819,147, according to the figures in the office of City Assessor C. J. Minor.

St. Paul.—Minnesota may be able to collect thousands of dollars from the federal government as the result of the sale of Indian lands by federal officials.

St. Paul.—For the first time in the history of the state all persons hunting game birds outside their home county will be required to take out a license this year.

South St. Paul.—The legality of the school board has been questioned, and Attorney General Young is investigating the question whether the act creating the board is valid.

St. Paul.—The city's population, as figured by the state census bureau, is 197,025. In 1900 the federal census gave the city 163,065. The increase is 33,960, or about 21 per cent.

Crookston.—Ole Olson, whose home is in Garness township, Red Lake county, lies in a precarious condition as the result of a vicious assault made upon him by one of his cows.

Austin.—The city council has granted to the Leckband Gas company of Mason City a twenty-year franchise to lay pipes in this city and build and conduct a gas plant for heating and lighting purposes.

Delavan.—O. E. Colby, a farmer and old settler, was thrown forward in his buggy in such a manner that he became entangled in the whiffletree. The team became frightened, ran away and killed him.

St. Paul.—While the corpse of the two-year-old son of S. A. Hooper was being taken to the union depot en route to Belle Plaine for interment the team got frightened at Sixth and Robert streets and ran away.

Roosevelt.—Tom Knudson, a homesteader, who was formerly employed as a moulder in Sweden, has discovered fine pottery clay on land near the siding of the Canadian Northern railway at Roosevelt. It is of reddish color.

Duluth.—Lumber stocks in Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan on Aug. 1 of this year were 200,000,000 feet short of the stocks in the same states on Aug. 1, 1904. Of this shortage Minneapolis comes in for a large share, with 60,000,000 feet.

Minneapolis.—The state free employment bureau is doing a land office business. Up to Aug. 17 525 positions had been filled since Aug. 1, and the prospects are that the number will reach 1,000 before the end of the month. There were 422 positions filled in June and 699 in July.

Fort Snelling.—Gen. C. C. C. Carr criticises the manner in which the courtmartial at Fort Snelling conducted the trial of Private John Alexander of the Thirteenth battery, field artillery, on a charge of sleeping at his post. The private was found not guilty.

The Virginia Bonds.

At a recent meeting of the state board of investment Treasurer Block proposed the sale of $2,145,000 in Virginia bonds belonging to the Minnesota school fund, in order to provide funds to buy the various county drainage bonds. The other members of the board—Governor Johnson, Chief Justic Start and Auditor Iverson—declined to concur, and the Virginia bonds were not sold.

Treasurer Block is a candidate for governor, and his friends argue that those opposed to his plan are opposing drainage. This argument, however, is controverted by Auditor Iverson, who says there will be plenty of money on hand to take care of the drainage bonds without selling any of the invested securities of the school fund. It is really too bad that Treasurer Block's first great campaign is one should fare so badly.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

Program of the Sunday School Institute to Be Held Aug. 30-31.

Below will be found the program of the Sunday school institute to be held in this city at the Presbyterian church, Aug. 30-31.

The meeting will be conducted by John Orchard, Fargo, N. D., State Secy., and Mrs. Jean E. Hobart, Minneapolis, Primary Secy., assisted by local workers. The program:

FORENOON—WEDNESDAY.

9:30 Prayer and Praise Service... L. C. Simons
10:00—Basic Principles of Sabbath School Work ....Mr. Orchard
10:30—The Cradle Roll..........Mrs. Orchard
11:00—Decision Day..........D. K. Laurie
11:30—Grading the School..........Mr. Orchard

AFTERNOON.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer..........
3:00—The Primary Work..........Mrs. Hobart
3:30—Talk to Children..........Mr. Orchard
4:00—A Primary Lesson..........Mrs. Hobart
4:30—Relation of School to Church..Rev. Flesher

EVENING.

7:30—Song Service..........Albert Nauman
8:00—God's Boys and Girls..........Mrs. Hobart
8:30—The Value of a Child..........Mr. Orchard

Offering for local expenses.

FORENOON—THURSDAY.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer..........Rev. Barker
10:00—Art of questening..........Mrs. Hobart
10:30—Next Sunday's Lesson..........Mr. Orchard
11:00—Blackboard Work..........Mrs. Hobart
11:30—Teachers Training..........Mr. Orchard

AFTERNOON.

2:30—Bible Study and Prayer..........Rev. Flesher
3:00—Sunday School Management...Mr. Orchard
3:30—Primary Work in Country Schools.......... ....Mrs. Hobart
4:00—Organization for Evangelization.......... ....Mr. Orchard
4:10—Sunday School Missionary Work.......... ....D. K. Laurie

Meetings are open to all. Out of town delegates will be entertained. Send names to Rev. H. W. Knox, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims every year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. For sale by A. L. Reichert.

It Ought To.

McFlub—I see a French scientist is advocating the wearing of wooden clothes. How do you think a wooden suit would look? Sleeth—Rather knobby.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is better to be able to appreciate the things we cannot have than to have things we are unable to appreciate.—Anon.

G. B. Burhans testifies after four years.

G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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of the Northwestern Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
C. C. ANDREWS,
Cnief Fire Warden.

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This falling of your hair! Stop it, or you will soon be bald. Give your hair some Ayer's Hair Vigor. The falling will stop, the hair will

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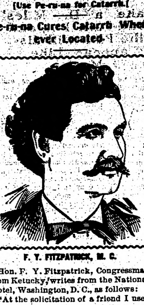

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Marcus Johnson was a business visitor at this place Tuesday.

Ralph E. Wyer and Sam'l Hunt were at Crookston last evening.

John Mathews went to Thief River Falls yesterday to visit old friends.

Sheriff Linnihan was at Thief River Falls on business last Saturday.

The First State Bank gives a talk to the little folks fn their adv this week.

Frank E. Hunt talks about shooters and shooting supplies in a new adv this week.

W. A. Schrieter was at Thief River Falls the first of the week on business matters.

F. C. Nicili, the Thief River Falls cigar manufacturer, was in the city over Friday night.

Stafford Curren, of Thief River Falls, was in the city over Sunday the guest of friends.

The Royal Neighbors will meet tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present.

The ladies society of St. Mary's church will meet with Mrs. Jos. Helm, Thursday, Aug. 31st.

Chas. Fellman, of St. Hilaire, passed through the city Tuesday evening on his way to Crookston.

Dr. F.F. Fletcher was at Plummer and Brooks the first of the week on his regular professional visit.

Miss Eva Monley, of Grand Forks, is in the city and is the guest of her friend, Miss Albina Lemieux.

Miss Elsie Kratka returned to her Thief River Falls home Monday after a week's visit here with friends.

Roy Blake went to Warren Monday where he will work for Contractor Johnson on a new elevator to be built at one of the new Soo towns for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Mrs. M. Mikkelson and son returned to the city yesterday morning.

Atty. F. A. Grady was at Thief River Falls yesterday between trains on professional business.

"Nitch" Brunelle left Monday for Warren where he has secured work and will remain for some weeks.

Senator Stephens and wife, of Crookston, were in the city Tuesday the guests of Mrs. E. F. Marshall.

Wanted—Fresh White Pine, Jack Pine and Balsam cones. Address J. J. Pinney, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.

Frank Kratka, of Thief River Falls, was in the city over Sunday, the guest of numerous young friends.

O. M. Skomedahl, one of the prominent residents of Equality, was a business caller in this city Saturday.

Arthur LaPlante has stored the fixtures he had in the cigar store and has closed the place of business.

Lewellen Meehan was down from Thief River Falls last Friday and attended the dance at the K. P. hall.

Hon. L. G. Simons returned this morning from Granite Falls where he visited several days with his family.

Mrs. Chas. Jackson, of Thief River Falls, arrived in the city Saturday and is spending the week with friends.

For Sale:—A Complete Threshing Rig, almost new; or will trade for land. Sortedahl Land, Loan & Abstract Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tracy moved into the Benoit house, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs McIntyre, last Saturday.

Wm. Krueger purchased the safe that W. A. McIntyre had in his law office and has moved it to his place of business.

Jas. Morrisy, of Crookston, has been in the city several days this week. He is a plumber and has been here figuring on some work at the Northern Minnesota Milling company's plant.

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We are ready for Sept. 1st with a full line of U. M, C. and ROBIN HOOD Shells. The prices are the same as last year—the lowest prices that first-class shells can be sold for. We are making a leader of ROBIN HOOD Shells again this year. You know you can buy them for 5c a box less than the others and they are strictly first-claſs, The fact that we sold ELEVEN THOUSAND of this ONE KIND in ONE YEAR is proof that they are popular with the people who use shells. The hunters who do not like ROBIN HOODS are the ones who have never used them.

We are also well stocked with all the articles that make up the hunter's outfit.

Hunting Coats $1.75, 2.00, 2.50 & 3.00; Canvas Hats 50c; Corduroy Hats 75c; Leggins 50c, 75c, 90c, & $1.25; Shell Bags 40c; Gun Cases 50c, 75c, $2 & $3

The $3.50 Case is made of heavy russet leather, nickle trimmings, lock buckle with inside rod pocket—A dandy for the price.

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A number of the young people enjoyed an impromtu dancing party at the K. P. hall last evening after the band concert.

The ladies of St. Mary's church served ice cream and cake at the Blake building Tuesday afternoon and evening.

School bags free with every pair of Red School House shoes sold—wear like iron and look neat. At Garceau & Zaiser.

Groshong & Blake purchased the safe of the J. B. Cigar Co. and have installed their new possession in the meat market.

Schmidt Bros. shipped a car of brick Monday evening to parties at Warren. The local product is in demand these days.

The band concert last evening was the means of bringing out a goodly number of people who enjoyed the occasion very much.

Louis Ericson, the tailor was at Thief River Falls Monday where he delivered several suits of clothes to citizens of that place.

The Big Store states some interesting facts in regard to shoes in a new adv this week. Look it up and profit by the advice given.

There was a dance at the K. P. hall last Friday evening, the proceeds being for the benefit of the high school foot ball team.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffic at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Aug 19 1905: Charles Lajermesse.

Atty. Bouohton was among those who boarded the Great Northern Monnay evening. He went to Crookston on professional business.

A. Johnson, of Emmons, Minn.. has been in the city the past day or two. He owns a piece of land near the city and is here to look after it.

Live well and buy your groceries where there kept fresh. We do it. Special 10c can St. Francis baked beans, 5c per can.—Garceau & Zaiser.

White goods sale—Choice of about 15 pieces, worth from 15 to 30 cents a yard, Come early and get the best pieces. Choice 12c at Garceau & Zaiser.

Col. E. H. Milham, a representative of the endownment rank of the K. P. order, was in the city last Saturday talking business with the K. P. boys.

Prof. Onstad went to St. Hilaire this morning to drill the band at that place this evening. He will remain and play for the big firemen's dance to-morrow evening.

At the morning service at the Presbpterian Church the Pastor will preach on "What is the Holy Catholic Church?" The evening subject will be "The Supreme Command."

Ed. L. Healy has secured some fine samples of grain this year and is adding to the exhibit every week. His latest additions are some exceptionally fine barley and clover.

Mrs. Rose Simpson and Miss Bessie Wilkinson departed Monday for their home in Iowa Falls, Iowa, after being a guest of their brother, Dr. Wilkinson, for several weeks.

Mrs. J. R. McKinnon, of Crookston, and Miss Brennan, of Chicago, were in the city Monday guests of the Wm. O'Brien home. Miss Brennan and Mr. O'Brien are cousins.

Ladies hands given a neat, refined appearance with the LaForce kid gloves. Just received an assortment of latest shades in kid mochas, $1.25 and $1.50 pair at Garceau & Zaiser's

The telegrapher's strike on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads was called off the first of the week and the men have returned to their work. Both sides claim a victory.

The St. Hilaire creamery turned out ten tons of butter in one month this summer. This is a fine record and the people of that vicinity are justified in feeling proud of the institution.

"Stubb" Brager, of Thief River Falls, has been in the city this week. He is in the real estate business and is here making out a list of the mortgages recorded from his end of the county.

Geo. Dupont, the Terrebonne merchant, was a business caller in this city Monnay. He reports a good crop in his neighborhood and says the farmers are very busy cutting the grain.

E. T. Howes, the Great Northern civil engineer who was at this place last season, passed through the city last Saturday on his way to Greenbush where he will work on the extension to Roseau.

School Begins Sept. 5th

Most every school boy or girl will need a pair of shoes for the occasion. We have never shown a stronger line of shoes than we are showing just now.

Misses Shoes in Kid or Velour Calf, 11½ to 2, $1.25 and $1.50, thick or thin soles. Same in 8½ to 11, $1.00 and $1.25. Same in 5½ to 8. 60c and 85c.

The above line cannot be matched elsewhere for 25c per pair more. This is "no talk." We mean every word we say and all we ask is a chance to prove it.

Boys Box Calf, just the right weight, 9 to 12, $1.40; 13 to 2, $1.50; 3 to 5½ $1.75.

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Ladies Kid or Box Calf, single or double sole, $1.38, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 in the famous Goodman line.

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Miss Tessie McCaffrey passed through the city yesterday on her way to St. Hilaire. She has been spending the summer at Warroad and expects to visit friends in this city this week.

The Christian Endeavor Society will serve supper and ice cream at the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening, August 29th. The proceeds will be applied on the vocalion. All are invited to come.

E. W. Smith, the genial representative of the McClellan Paper Co., Minneapolis, spent Sunday in this city. Mr. Smith is making many friends for himself and his company in this section of the state.

A large part of the Great Northern's grade just north of the depot slid out one day last week. The grade has been solid for twelve years but last week's heavy rains undermined it and caused the trouble.

A ten pound boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Haislett Monday morning. Sam has been walking about town with his head high since the arrival of the baby and wears a smile that wont come off.

An automobile party enroute from Thief River Falls to Crookston passed through the city late Sunday evening. After getting a supply of water, the machine and its passengers continued on its way to Crookston.

The firemen of St. Hilaire will give their annual ball to-morrow night. These affairs are one of the events of the season in the neighboring town and no doubt a large crowd will be out to enjoy the occasion.

Crookston Times: The Misses Minnie Boe and Myra Kasser, of this city spent yesterday at Red Lake Falls with friends in a very pleasant manner. The young ladies drove across country and found the roads in a very bad condition for a considerable distance-

A large number of fat cattle have passed through this place this week on the Creat Northern on the way to the twin city markets. Most of the stock comes from the Greenbush country which is said to be a great cattle country.

The Great Northern work train has been kept busy the past week hauling mud out of the cut north of the Clearwater bridge the A great amount of dirt has been sliding in the cut and it has been hard work to keep the track clear.

At a business meeting of the band held Tuesday S. S. Haislett resigned as business manager of the organization. Lee E. Healy was elected to fill the vacancy and will serve for six months. Lee is eminently fitted for the position and will make a first class manager.

The Great Northern's track near the depot was entirely undermined last week by the heavy rains. The water running from Main street left the track in a bad condition. The section men have repaired it the past few days until now it is in good condition again.

Albany Deforge, was operated upon at the Fosston hospital last week as announced in the COURIER. It was found that the bones of his leg were badly deceased and there was no hope of saving the limb. The leg was amputated and the young man will no doubt soon be home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIntyre left Monday for Fargo where they will reside in the future. They leave a great many friends in this city who regret their moving away from the city, but who will join the COURIER in wishing them prosperity and happiness in their new home.

Harry Ives, the genial St. Hilaire editor, passed through the city Saturday evening on his way to join another editorial excursion. This time the state association is taking a jaunt through the iron range country. It is a cold day when Harry "passes up" an editorial trip.

Work on the North Side school house is progressing finely and will be pushed hard. The building is to be built of brick manufactured by Schmidt Bros. in this city. The local brick manufacturers are establishing a fine reputation for good material and their business is steadily growing.

E. Buck left Monday evening for his home in Michigan after visiting here several days with his cousin, Dr. Wilkinson. Mr. Buck thinks well of our section of the country and took home with him a fine collection of grains and grasses to show the people what Northern Minnesota can raise.

A train load of scrappers and grading tools went through the city on the Great Northern Saturday bound for Greenbush. It is said work on the extension to Roseau will begin immediately and there seems to be no doubt but what the Great Northern has finally decided to give Roseau a railway in the near future.

The divorce proceedings in the case of Lee vs. Lee, Black River parties, was brought to an end at Crookston the first of the week. Mrs. Lee was granted a divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment, also dsertion. The couple had been married for 27 years.

Plummer Pioneer: Attorney Frank A. Grady was out from Red Lake Falls on Wednesday on business connected with the perfecting of the title of Mrs Marit Hannem to a quarter section of choice land in Wyandotte. Mrs Hannem has been the owner of the land for years but the title has been the subject of legal proceedings which are now ended.

Thos. Germo, secretary of the commercial club, received a letter from the management of the state fair yesterday stating that space could be had for an exhibit of Red Lake county products, but as the project had been given up for this year there will be no effort made to make a display. The fair officials said that eleven counties in the state would have exhibits at this year's show.

Stilwater Binder Twine

I have just received a carload which I will sell at the following low prices for cash:

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Their Pains and Ailments

Any taint of the blood quickly shows itself with old people, and troubles, which a younger, more vigorous constitution holds in check, take possession of those of advanced years. A mole, wart or pimple often begins to inflame and fester, terminating in a sore that refuses to heal. Wandering pains of a rheumatic character are almost constant, the joints get stiff and the muscles sore, while sleeplessness and nervousness make life a burden. The natural activity of the body is not so great in old age and all the organs get dull and sluggish, failing to carry out the waste matters and poisons accumulating in the system and they are taken up and absorbed by the blood, rendering it weak and unable to properly nourish the system. There is no reason why old age should not be as healthy as youth if the blood is kept pure and strong. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and is the safest and best blood purifier and tonic for old people, because it is gentle, but at the same time thorough in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and foreign matter, strengthening it and toning up the entire system by its fine tonic effect. Almost from the first dose the appetite increases, the general health begins to improve and the pains and ailments pass away.

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See Dan Patch Monday

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Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic. Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H, Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "For several months I was given up to die, I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at all druggists; price 50c.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years" writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without immediate relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less thad two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularaties are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

DEATH AND LOSS BY TORNADOES.

FARMER KILLED NEAR LANESBORO, MINN AND CROPS ARE RUINED.

Homes are Wrecked in Many Places, and Stock Slaughtered by the Elements. Storms in Other Sections.

Lanesboro, Minn., Aug. 22.—The storm of Sunday night was severe in this territory, several points in southern Minnesota being hard hit. One man was killed and several people injured. Crops are reported to have suffered to a considerable extent.

Four farms were in the path of the storm near Pilot Mound, nine miles north of this place. T. Danielson, owner of one of the farms, was killed in his house, which was totally demolished. All of the buildings on his place were wrecked. Iver Haugen, who was at the Danielson home, was seriously injured. The other members of the Danielson family escaped unhurt.

The farm buildings belonging to William Cocker, Andrew Menes, and Frank Sanders were wrecked. Mrs. Mrs. Frank Sanders had her arm crushed.

The storm struck this section about 8 o'clock. Rain came down in torrents, the wind bew a terriffic gale and vivid lightning illuminated the black sky, bringing terror to the residents of Lanesboro, Rushford and the surrounding.

Sacred Heart, Minn., Aug. 22.—A hurricane passed through this village last night at 8 o'clock, and all all the grain in stacks in its path were blown down.

H. O. Aaris' barn, three miles west of here was blown down, the horses and cattle being pinned in the debris. Three cows and one horse were killed. One barn here in town was blown down, and a good many fruit and shade trees were uprooted. About two inches of rain fell in 25 minutes.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 22.—Traffic on the Milwaukee and Burlington roads was completely demoralized by the storm. At Weaver, Minn., a large section of the Milwaukee and St. Paul tracks were carried away and mail trains are running over a temporary track and are from five to seven hours late.

Yankton, S. D., Aug. 21.—This city witnessed the worst storm within three years last night, which caused a heavy loss to crops in this vicinity. The wind blew at the rate of 56 miles an hour and the rain and hail came down in torrents.

Airship Stirs City.

New York, Aug. 22.—Thousands of persons witnessed a genuine trip of an aerial machine Monday that skimmed through the air with the grace of a bird. After rising to a height of about a quarter of a mile above the strange ship made a voyage of more than two miles and came back to earth almost on the spot where the navigator said it would land.

It was exactly 1:22 p. m. when the airship, with its inventor, A. Roy Knabenshue of Toledo, at the helm in the huge egg-shapped baloon, left its anchorage in a vacant lot at Sixty-second street and Central Park west and rose straight in the air. Just fifty-four minutes later the ship landed gently on the greensward of Central park.

Drowned.

Jefferson, Wis, Aug. 22.—Frank Hall, his oldest daughter, aged fourteen, and his oldest son, aged twelve, were drowned in Crawfish river, about two miles west of here.

Hall and his wife were on the shore fishing, while the two children were bathing. The girl was in distress, and the father rushed into the water to her rescue. He succeeded in bringing her part way to the shore, who said, "I can do no more," and sank.

The son went to their assistance, but he lost his strength and sank.

Teaches the King.

New York, Aug. 22.—Ralph Leo Ray of Lancaster, Wis., has begun his duduties as tutor in the Amerlean language and customs to King Alfonso of Spain in the royal palace at Madrid. His letters to his parents, who reside here, declare that the process of introducing the youthful king to the idiom of Uncle Sam's language is progressing happily for both teacher and pupil.

Blown Up.

Winnepeg, Man., Aug. 22.—Two miners, named John Manskey and William Kolonkoshi, were killed in Pit No. 4 of the Canadian American Coal and Coke company mines. They had fired an overhead blast and remained at a distance until the smoke cleared away. A large mass of coal gave away and both men were buried beneath it.

Death on Railroads.

Washington, Aug. 19. The annual report of the interstate commerce committee, giving the railroad statistics for the year 1904, shows that the total number of casualties to persons on the railways in the United States was 94,201, of which 10,046 represented the number of persons killed and 84,155 the number injured.

Of the persons killed, 441 were passengers, and the number wounded was 9,111, or one person killed out of every 1,622,267 carried, and one injured out of every 78,523 carried.

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Fall Meetings, Merchant's Excursions To Duluth.

On account of the Fall Meetings of the Merchant's Association to be held at Duluth, August 17th to 24th. August 31st to September 7th and October 26th to November 2nd, the Great Northern Railway is making reduced rates. This will enable you to see the City at the head of the Great Lakes, view the immense grain elevators the aerial bridge, the coal docks and other places of interest at the head of the famous inland sea. For rates and detailed information, call on your lacal agent.

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } County of Red Lake. }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term, August 21, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Anteme Juneau, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Anteme Juneau deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to George Dupont

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 21st day of February, 1906 at ten o'clock a. m. at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby appointed as the time and place when and where said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 21st day of August A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT, Judge of Probate.
a24-s7.

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Formation of New District.

Weereas, a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective school districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Township 153 North, of Range 40 West, in said County, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for hearing upon said petition as required by law;

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the ninth day of September, A. D, 1905 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn. this tenth day of July, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
a24-31

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Whereas, a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described to-wit: All of Sections 1, 12 and 13, in Township 152 North, of Range 42 West and all of Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17 and 18 in Township 152 North, of Range 41 West, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be had at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this tenth day of July, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
a24-31

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

Notice is hereby given, that applications have been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake and filed in my office, praying for license to sell Intoxibating liquors for the term commencing September 10, 1905 and terminating on September 10, 1906, by the following persons and at the following places, as stated in said applications, respectfully, to-wit:

PAUL LEROUX AND WILFRED HINCE.

On the ground floor, front room, of a certain frame building situate on Lot No. 7, in Block No. 5 of the Townsite of Brooks in the Town of Poplar River in said County and State.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Saturday, the ninth day of September, A. D, 1905 at 11 o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 19th day of August, A. D. 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD.
a24-31 County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

Application for License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake. }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake, and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on September 9, 1905 and terminating on September 8, 1906, by the following person and at the following place as stated in said application to-wit:

BY ZOTIQUE BRAY.

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain frame building situate on Lot 10 (10) in Block five (5) of the Townsite of Brooks in the Town of Poplar River in said County and State.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State on Saturday the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905, at eleven o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 23d day of August, A. D. 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.

Notice of Filing and Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnosota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the Board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Lake Falls on the eighth day of September, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p.m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 16th day of August, 1905.

(Auditor's Seal.) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands are liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Town of Gervais in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same woule be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 12 in Township 151, Range 43, (Town of Gervais,) in said County, thence going north on the Section line to the northwest corner of the south-west quarter of Section 12 in said town and range, thence going west on the quarter line to about the center of Section eleven (11,) thence running southwest to the southwest corner of Section eleven (11,) thence running south through the eastern part of Section 15 to at or near the southeast corner of Section fifteen (15,) thence running south at or near the section line between Sections 22 and 23 of said town and range and terminating at the southeast corner of Section 22 in said town and range, having as its outlet a creek or coulee. Or if the engineer finds a better outlet at the next creek or coulee one half mile further west, then change the outlet into that creek.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such drainage ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 7th, 1905.

Aug. Konikson,
John Westerlund,
Andrew Ydstie,
Christ Christensen,
Sjur Mikkelson,
Sophia Christoforson.
Petitioners

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Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn, this 17th day of August, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Towns of River Falls, Emardville, Gervais and Wyandotte, in said county of Red Lake, and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at or near the southwest corner of section 6 in Township 151, Range 42, then going north on the Range line between Ranges 42 and 43 to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, then running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34, 33 and 32, in said Township 152, Range 43, to a point near the center of said Section 32 where the Red Lake River crosses the said quarter section line and terminating at said point, and having as its outlet the said Red Lake River.

Also one branch ditch, commencing at the noatheast corner of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, running thence south on the Range line to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said section 36 and terminating at the main ditch as its outlet.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 4th, 1905. a17-31

A. T. Gorden, Nils Holten,
C. C. Bergan, F. A. Satterberg,
C. A. Swanson, Adolph Satterberg,
Andrew Johnson, Anna Fangstrom,
John G. Anderson, A. Gordon,
Peter Hogquist, Julius Pleth.
Petitioners.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In the matter of the petition of the Trustees of the Village of Plummer for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, designated and numbered as County Ditch No. 22,

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the County Auditpr of such county as County Ditch No. 22, beginning at a point about 50 rods west of the northeast corner of Section 13 in Township 151, North, of Range 42 Wnst of the fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake county, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between SSctions 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15, and 9 and 16 in said Township to a point about thirty rods west of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of said section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet Clearwater River; as appears by the report of the Engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the Municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the Viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit:

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., Peter F. Pouliot, S. A. Swanson, M. O. Sortedahl, John A. Duffy, D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., D. C. Gillispie, Charles G. Edwards, Sarah Bourdon, R. H. Bourdon Chas. N. Bourdon, C. G. Edwards, Andrine Back, L. O. Thorpe, Andrew O. Halland, Nels Bergquist, G. Idzorik, Madden & Schnaudt, B. Clement, Ed. L. Healy, R. O. Gordon, Peder S. Medchell, Martin Medchell, W. S. Short, State of Minnesota, Odilon Gauthier, Helmer F. Larson, Ovila Gauthier, Township of Emardville, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Co. and the Village of Plummer; and that the engineer appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County Auditor; and that the Viewers appointed by said Board of County Commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon id the office of said County Auditor.

And that, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the eight day of September, 1905, at the County Auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said County, at nine o'clock a. m. of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said Board of County Commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated the 17th day of August, A. D. 1905.

a17-31 JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) Auditor Red Lake County, Minn.

How's This?

We offer offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catorrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.—F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cneney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.—Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's family pills for constipation.

Vacation Hints

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A. Nizen, Agent, for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

If you are troubled with dizzy spells, headache, indigestion, constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. If it fails get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents at A. L. Reichert's.

The Courier Stationery Store has a line of new box papers.

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TO THE

Minnesota State Fair

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Now see here. You have worked hard and need rest and recreation. Crops have been good and you can well afford to take a little time and money for the purpose of having a good time and get posted on what the rest of the world is doing. It is very likely you will discover some new method of work which will repay the entire expendeture of time and money. Anyway be happy while life lasts. Go and see tne big fair. Just Notice these:

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"The Fall of Port Arthur" in fireworks.
Special entertainments before the grand stand every afternoon and evening.
A live stock exhibit, national in its scope.
A great sale of Shorthorn and Hereford cattle. Its' THE Fair of the northwest,
One-half of the special excursion rates for children, via the

Northern Pacific Ry.

Tickets may be purchased September 2-9 inclusive and will be limited to Sept. 11th. Fifty cents covering admission coupon to the Fair will be added to the railroad rate of one fare for the round trip. Full information with reference to rates, tickets, train service, etc., will be gladly given by F. A. Mizen, Agent, Red Lake Falls, Minn., or A. M. Cleland, Gkneral Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minnesota.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Let the boastful man have his own way. He won't listen to you anyway.

The only way to tell a love story, after all, is in kindness and good cooking.

It is too late to congratulate some people after they have been married as long as a week.

A great many people have consciences that would require an alarm clock to wake up.

Artificial roses never appear to so poor an advantage as when they bloom on a girl's cheeks.

Come to think of it, if you hate any one don't you hate his laugh more than anything else about him?

A pessimist is one who sees the time ahead when he will break with a friend and therefore tells the friend nothing. An optimist sees only eternal friendship and tells the friend all.—Atchison Globe.

The Creamery For Ice Cream.

The creamery industry in Maryland is in some respects quite different from that found in the west, inasmuch as most of those in this state do not confine themselves to the making of butter, but make butter only as a means of utilizing surplus and sell most of their products as cream or ice cream. The selling of the products of creameries for cream and ice cream rather than the making of it into butter has enabled the farmer to realize better prices than would be obtained otherwise. Some creameries of the state that have made all of their products into butter have been run quite successfully, while many have been a disappointment to the farmers and could not hold their patronage because of the low prices paid for milk.—C. T. Doane.

Feeding Plantation Mules.

The ration now fed to mules at one of the large Louisiana sugar factories consists of eight pounds of corn and cob meal, two pounds of cottonseed meal, eleven pounds of molasses and fifteen pounds of pea vine hay, the cost being 14.5 cents per head. It is stated that this ration has diminished the cost of feeding the mules one-half and at the same time improved their health.

The Suburban Home.

The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours, there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

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Makes the hair grow long and heavy, and keeps it soft and glossy. Stops falling hair and cures dandruff. And it always restores color to gray hair. Sold for fifty years. If your druggist cannot supply you, send $1.00 to R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson,

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to anyone who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

Attention is again called to the Sunday School Institute at the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday and Thursday August 30-31. Two Sunday School experts, Mrs. Hobart of Minneapolis and Mr. Orchard of Fargo will have charge of the work. All are invited to attend the meetings. The program, which is a splendid one appeared in this paper last week.

Swanson, the river cook, arrived in the city last week for his annual visit. Following his usual custom he gave a bean supper Sunday evening at the Joe Belair home. The band was present besides a large number of other citizens, and all enjoyed the spread immensely. Swanson's bean bakes are looked forward to with pleasure by a large number of our people.

A. Delorme arrived in the city Saturday from Northwest Canada where he has a claim. He is located 30 miles north of Calgary, Alberta, and reports the country as prospering. He is engaged in the stock business extensively and says he finds a ready market for his cattle right at home. Thousands of people are moving into that province and business is booming. On his way here he saw Ed. Bray who is located at Calgary. He reports that Ed. is doing a fine business in the hotel line and has bright prospects for the future.

Hunters in this section are getting ready for the season's sport which opens Sept. 1st. Already most every gun in the city is spoken for for the first day's shooting and many are the plans and schemes for the sport. It is satd there is only a fair crop of chickens this year owing to the wet season drowning out the young birds. Ducks are said to be plentiful to the north of us and great sport may be looked for in this line. The wild rice yield this year has been heavy and the ducks are said to be in fine condition. There will be a wholesale slaughter after the first.

ST. HILAIRE.

H. D. Pettibone is at Bemidji this week.

The J. R. crowd enjoyed a picnic Sunday.

The north bridge is again in good shape for travel.

A. R. Jones spent Sunday with his family here.

S. A. Swanson, of Red Lake Falls, was in town Tuesday.

Elmer Burkee is helping in the creamery during the rush.

Miss Huldah Gigstad is visiting relatives at Erskine this week.

Rev. Alex Sand returned from Kenmare, North Dakota, Friday.

Miss Agnes Marrier returned from an extended visit at Akley Friday.

Miss Alice Hall returned from Crookston last Wednesday where she had been visiting.

The ladies aid of tne M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Riggs at the O. K. bakery Thursday.

Mrs. D. B. Ferguson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Aimer, returned to her home at Mallory Saturday.

The planer crew starts work at six now instead of seven on account of the rush orders that are coming in these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Satterly, of Akeley, are here for a few weeks' visit with Mrs. Satterly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marrier.

Mrs. Wm. Maynard returned to her home at Minneapolis last Thursday evening after an extended visit with her husband.

Some new furniture is being placed in the school house and preparations are being made ior the opening of school Sept. 4th.

Miss Alice Cotton, who has been visiting Miss Helen Hannay for several weeks, returned to her home at Minneapolis Monday.

Mrs. George Pettibonne who has been visiting the family of H. D. Pettibonne for two weeks past, left Saturday evening to join her husband at Minneapolis.

The St. Hilaire creamery is still holding up its high standard. Over 20,000 pounds of butter were made during the month of July. This should encourage every creamery in Northern Minnesota.

The Epworth League gave an ice cream social on the church lawn Friday evening that was very well attended. The band rendered several selections which added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening. The young people netted $19.38.

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BADGER.

Mose Ducharme entertained a few friends Sunday.

Master Harvey St. Ives was a visitor at the Falls Sunday afternoon.

Misses Alma and Anna Quesnell entertained friends Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. Quesnell and daughter, Mrs. Bourcier, visited Mrs. A. Jolly Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evangelist Quesnell drove to Red Lake Falls last Saturday and were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Charles Bourcier, of St. Hilaire, who is visiting with Badger friends.

CITY DADS MEET.

Proceedings of the City Council at Regular Meeting.

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall August 17, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called. Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed.

Albert Cairns, wood for fire engine	1 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co, street lights for July, 1905	112 91
Eno Normondeau, blacksmith acct	7 00
John Doforge, street work	18 90
Ed Bray, for drayage	6 60
Darid Moreau, street work	3 00
Julius Kiehle, street work	16 50

On motion board adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P, TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Aim To Keep Truants in School.

Few boys and girls of school age will be wanderimg on the streets of Minnesota cities and villages during school hours after the 1907 legislature, if Gov. John A. Johnson, Superintendent of Public Instruction J. W. Olsen and Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams carry out a plan which they have under consideration.

These officials, who have held several conferences during the last few days, propose to draft a law for submission to the next legislature providing for the appointment of truant officers in the congressional districts to enforce the compulsory education and child labor laws.

Minnesota's child labor and compulsory education laws at present are two distinct statues, and according to these officials they are so conflicting as to make the laws practically worthless. It is proposed to draft one law prohibiting children under sixteen years from working in any factory, mill or workshop and requiring children of eight to sixteen years of age to attend school.

It is proposed to appoint a truant officer for each of the nine congressional districts and to give him full power to compel children to attend school. It is suggested that the truant officers work in conjuction with the inspectors of the state labor bureau. It will be impossible for one officer to look after all the children of a congressional district. The inspectors of the labor bureau will keep on the look out for children out of school and report their names to the truant officer.

Supt. Olsen had a conference with Mr. Williams on the subject and expressed himself as pleased with the plan. The officials will draft a law several months before the next session of the legislature, so that there will be plenty of time to wage a campaign for its passage.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

It does not pay to use the milking stool on the cow.

George Gould has gone into the poultry business, and he is making it pay.

Prices for good short-haired hides are now claimed to be higher than twenty years past.

An up-to-date farmer will not tolerate dung-hill hens any more than he would scrub cows or swine.

If you use fly paper, put it high in the room. There you will catch more flies, and you will not be nearly so apt to get caught yourself.

The carrot is so called because
It's worth its weight in gold
For feeding cows and horses, too,
Throughout the winter cold.

A tin wash basin will last but a short time, as commonly used. To make it last a long time, keep the bottom of it painted with common cil paint.

Look out for the picture-enlarging agent who promises, for a dollar, a fine pastel from your treasured photograph. Don't let him have photograph or money—if you value either.

Never frighten young animals that you have on the farm. Colts are very sensitive. Stroke the young calves on their sides, be gentle to the swine, and be quiet among the sheep.

Because a cow was imported from across the sea is not a dead sure sign that she is just what you and I think she ought to be. Lots of miserably poor cows come from the other side of the ocean.

The farmer usually has a little time in August when he can rest, if he will—a sort of breathing spell between the work of the earlier summer and that of the fall; and he should make the most of it.

Do not cut short your own day's work and leave the hired man to milk the cows after dark. Did you ever think what misery a cow must be in with a big bag pressed just as full of milk as it can hold?

More than 600 head of cattle have been ordered killed by the state authorities of Wisconsin since January 1. They are trying to stamp out tuberculosis which is so prevalent there among the cattle.

Make a definate central plan for the conduct of the farm; then every season let experience seek to revise and improve it a little. Keep a record of the failures as well as the successes. Perhaps it will help you to avoid them next time, so have them located on your chart.

Do not permit water to stand in the buggy body. If moisture gets into the sills and frame of the body, the box is liable to open at the corners, as they are bone dry, and if they swell nothing can keep the corners from opening. Wet carpet left in the bottom of the bed is likely to cause the same result.

And we notice that automible clubs while pretending to a desire to protect the public, are always on hand with a powerful lobby when the legislatures meet, trying to prevent the farmers from getting adequate laws passed, usually with success; and then they are seen rushing to the courts in order to have nullified such feeble laws as have been enacted.

The department of Agriculture has issued a 776 page book and contains much valuable information, especially on matters which directly interest the farmer. But it also treats of agricultural problems in the United States island possessions. It is beautifully illustrated with color-plates and halftone cuts and has statistics galore. It is really a book of great value to anyone interested in agriculture or fruit growing. You can obtain one free of charge by writing to the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

There is great need of educating the farmer in the care and right use of the machinery on the farm. It is estimated that there is made and sold each year in this country about $100,000,000 worth of farm machinery and that this goes into the farmers' hands, one-half of whom do not know how to select it wisely or to keep it in proper condition. By the improper care given it the loss runs into millions of dollars annually. In addition it is stated that implement manufacturers lose large sums of money in making and attempting to introduce machinery unsuited to the work it is intended to perform, with a resultant loss to both farmers and manufacturers.

The Courier Stationery Store.

AUTO IS WRECKED.

Son of Millionaire Thomas F. Walsh Killed—Five Others Are Injured.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 21.—Vinson Walsh, son of Thomas F. Walsh, the millionaire mine owner of Colorado, was killed and four of his companions injured in the wreck of an automobile at Kaston's beach, near this city, Saturday afternoon. All of the injured are young people, prominent members of the Newport summer colony. They are Miss Evelyn Walsh, sister of the man killed; Mrs. Evelyn L. Kernochan, of Hempstead, L. I.; Harry Oelrichs, son of Charles M. Oelrichs, of New York; Herbert J. Pell, Jr., son of Herbert Pell, of New York.

All of the injured will recover. Miss Walsh was the most seriously hurt. Her right leg was fractured above the knee and she was badly cut and bruised. Mrs. Kernochan and Messrs. Pell and Oelrichs were only briused.

Vinson Walsh, who was considered one of the most expert chauffeurs in Newort, despite his youth, was driving the car, although his chauffeur was along. He was noted for his fondness for traveling at a high rate of speed. At the end of Kaston's beach there is a small creek crossed by a wooden bridge. The approach to the bridge is down a steep grade, and this fact gave an added impetus to the heavy car, which already was running at a dangerous rate of speed. Just before the big touring car reached the bridge a tire on one of its rear wheels burst. This caused the heavy machine to swerve from its course just as it came upon the bridge. The machine struck the wooden railings of the bridge with full force, crashing through them as if they had been of glass.

The bridge is six feet above the surface of the water in the creek. As the automobile went crashing through the railing and over the edge of the bridge, it turned a half somersault, landing in the water upside down with all five of its occupants and the chauffeur beneath it. Fortunately a number of other automobile parties, who also were returning from the Clam Bake club, were following close behind, and help was at hand almost instantly.

THE VIRGINIA DISASTER.

Thirteen Bodies Taken from Cars Which Plunged Into River—Five Persons Missing.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 199.—The removal Friday of the two Atlantic Coast line cars which plunged into the open draw at Elizabeth river Thursday afternoon revealed but two bodies in the first car, making the number of bodies recovered 13, with five persons missing. None of the injured now in the hospitals will die, but a majority of them will be sent to their homes in a day or two. The bodies of the dead will be forwarded to their homes to-day. A careful examination of the bottom of the river showed no more bodies, and the railroad officials are convinced that the death list is now complete, though reports are still current of a much heavier loss of life. All day long the operations of the rescuing and wrecking crews continued. There were reports that in the raising of one of the submerged cars the end of the coach was loosened and bodies were washed back into the stream and floated away with the tide. Later reports, however, denied this story. The small casualty list in the first car, which was completely submerged, is explained by the theory that when the emergency brakes were applied many of the passengers thought a collision was imminent and they rushed into the second car, and all of them had time to escape, except two, before the car finally sank beneath the surface of the river.

The train was running at a rate of 15 or 20 miles an hour as it approached the bridge. The specific orders of the road to stop all trains at the bridge, whether the draw is open or not, were apparently ignored. The train plunged into the abyss. Both engineer and fireman discovered the open draw too late to stop the train. The air brakes were applied, but did not work properly.

TRAIN STRIKES STREET CAR.

Disaster at Butte, Mont., Which Kills Ten Persons and Injures Many Others.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 21.—Ten persons were killed and 25 or 30 injured, some seriously by a collision between a Great Northern freight train and a crowded suburban street car at a grade crossing of the Butte, Anaconda & Pacific Sunday night at 11 o'clock. Two bodies have been recovered from the wreckage, but have not yet been identified. Maggie Harrington, of Butte, is among the killed. Miss Shaw, a young woman stopping at the Florence hotel, Butte, is dying.

Aged Legislator Dies.

Frederickton, N. B., Aug. 21.—Hon. David Wark, the oldest legislator in the world, died at his home in this city Sunday. Mr. Wark is a member of the Canadian senate at Ottawa, a life office. His age was 101 years, six months.

Boy Charged with Murder.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 21.—John Goodson, an 11-year-old schoolboy, is under arrest, charged with the murder of Hannah McQuade, aged seven, in Greenfield township, just outside the west city limits of Detroit.

Claims Self-Defense.

Cincinnati, Aug. 21.—Joseph Mara, a former city employe, was stabbed to death in a Sixth street restaurant by Albert Barnes. Barnes, who was arrested, claims that he acted in self-defense.

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Something You May Not Look At
When buying a rangn you want to examine every little detail. We find so many people are even apt to overlook the larger details. Take for instance the fire back, be sure you feel the weight of it before you buy a range, it's the very heart of it, it's life. One section of the MAJESTIC weighs over ten pounds, the complete fire box over one hundred pounds.
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HOW ARE YOUR TAXES?

State Auditor Iverson Sends a Statement to Co. Auditor Ford—Gives Warning to Property Owners.

County Auditor Ford received the following communication from State Auditor Iverson the first of the week. It should be of interest to all property holders and the COURIER prints the letter in full;

"An examination of the lists of real estate, forfeited to the state for the non-payment of taxes, under the old law and also under the 1902 law, discloses the fact that a great many people have been exceedingly careless in the matter of taxes, for in thousands of cases one year, and in hundreds of cases only a half year's taxes are delinquent, including farm, village and city property. These omissions may have occurred four, five or ten years ago, and the amount may be small, but under the law the tract is forfeited to the state and subject to sale. The sale will be held about November first next. In nearly all of such cases the taxes will be paid or redeemed when the personal notice of expiration of redemption is served upon the owners thereof. This will impose quite an expense upon such owners."

Every real estate owner in the state should examine the forfeited tax lists on file in the county auditor's office and also in the state auditor's office, to see whether or not he has forgotton to pay any of his taxes in years gone by.

Lost.

Some weeks ago, a black and white English setter bird dog. Any information as to the dog's whereabouts will be rewarded at the Bank of Red Lake Falls. P. O. FLOAN.

WILL LIVE WELL.

Rich Diet for State's Charges Promised in the Future.

The inmates of the state institutions will live in luxury the coming winter. They will have all the raspberry jam and strawberry preserves they can eat, besides vegetables such as celery, cabbage, squash, turnips, onions, potatoes, tomatoes.

Reports received by the state board of control are that the farm and gardens conducted with the several institutions were never in more luxuriant condition. Large crops of vegetables for the inmates and feed for the horses and stock are predicted.

The Hastings insane asylum has a forty-acre garden this year, as big as a fair sized farm. It is predicted that this garden will grow more vegetables than the inmates can eat during the winter; the surplus will be given to the prisoners of the state prison at Stilwater.

Equally favorable reports have been received from other institutions.

The corn is reported to be doing well, and the barley, oat and potato crop will be large.

The aggregate value of the farm and garden products raised at the several institutions this year, if weather conditions continue favorable, will be approximately $150,000. The figures last year were within $25,000 of this.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson,

BRAINS ARE AT A PREMIUM

Governor Johnson, in a Current Magazine Article, Discusses the Chances of the Young Man.

Gov. John believes that the opportunities for young men to win success are greater to-day than ever before in the history of the world. In an article on "America's Prizes for Honest Men." in the September number of Men and Women, he says that brains in young men are at a premium.

The governor does not believe that the so-called trusts are entirely bad. They at least furnish abundant opportunities for young men of energy, thrift and persererance. While the combinations of capital have absorbed many smaller industries, the governor points out that capable and honest men are needed to manage the affairs of the larger industries.

The governor says in part:

"The vast combinations of capital commonly called trusts, which have monopolized to themselves so many industries, have, of course had their influence on young men in those particular lines of business. These combinations are found mostly in manufacturing and transportation, and have revolutionized the business methods in their field of activity. Before these combinations sprung into power, a great number of individuals and corporations were engaged in these various lines, and the ambitious young man worked with the possibility in mind that he might in time become an independent manufacturer himself. In the branches of industry which are now controlled by combines this incentive has been removed, but there are still great opportunities for young men who enter these fields, even though the business be operated by trusts.

"Men of brains, energy and proper training are in great demand in these powerful combinations of capital, and the man who shows himself to have mastered the details of the business in which he is engaged will find that there is a place for him in which his ability is needed and will be recognized.

"The formation of these great combinations and the attendant evils which have resulted to the country from their organization and their methods, have made the demand for young men of the right kind greater than ever before.

"What this country now needs is young men of ability, who are thoroughly honest. We need men to carry their honesty with them in the conduct of their business; men who believe that honesty and integrity are the first requisites to success and who will insist upon honesty in the men selected to represent him in the conduct of the affairs of the nation, state and community.

"Whichever way we turn we read of graft and crockedness in all branches of business and political life. Charges of dishonesty and corruption in various departments of the national government, in banks and insurance companies, and in fact in practically every branch of organized endeavor, we read of in the newspapers and magazines and hear discussed from the lecture platform. The country seems to be steeped in a veritable saturnalia of crime and corruption.

"The present agitation and the resulting investigations will undoubtedly result in clarifying the moral atmosphere The conditions which now exist are mainly due to the craze for accumulating vast fortunes in a short time which always follows mad speculation."

His closing sentence is: "Be honest, work hard and be always ready and you will succeed."

SCHOOL BEGINS TUESDAY.

Pupils Have Been Given Another Day for Play.

On account of the hunting season has so lately begun it has been decided not to ask the pupils to come together on Monday.

The North Side pupils are asked to meet at the North Side opera house Tuesday morning.

Let every pupil in the schools be on hand at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning for a good day's work the first day.—E. W. Chamberlain, Supt.

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NEWSPAPER DEAL.

Thief River Falls Press Changes Hands This Week.

Word has reached the city that McDonald Bros. have sold the Thief River Press to Sam Clark and Greeley Carr and that possession is to be given immediately.

The new proprietors are old newspaper men and will no doubt make the Press a paying venture. The COURIER welcomes the new management to the Red Lake county field and trusts their work will prove both congenial and profitable.

Keep Your Eyes on Johnson.

Jordan Independent: We are assured that the big men of the east, and the little men, too, for that matter, are watching no public figure with a greater degree of interest than that of our own governor. It is well known there that he is a man of remarkable magnetism: that he is a leader who attracts; that he represents reform and square dealing in an age of graft; that he is young and just on the threshold of possibilities, and that he is strong and wise. Also, he is a western man and the longheaded men of the Atlantic coast regions who are prone to look well into the future have a feeling in their bones that the strong, vigorous, virile West will soon demand its own and ask one of its own sons to step up and take one of the high places.

And why not John A. Johnson, the latter day Lincoln? Why should not the east "keep its eyes" on him? He has earned recognition and right well. The east has not shown weak powers of divination in casting its scrutiny toward the present occupant of the governor's chair in Minnesota. It has proved once again that it has its hand on the pulse beat of the nation and felt the healthy throb, "Johnson."

Yes, Johnson is a comer. It is aggravating to the old school of planners and schemers and waiters in politics to see him rise so quickly, but his heart beats with the heartbeat of the masses and that's why they're keeping their eyes on Johnson.

SPLIT LOG DRAG.

Rocksbury Farmer Demonstrates its Usefulness and Merit.

There has been considerable said in the papers of this section of late regarding the merits of the split log drag in the building of good roads. They are so simple and cheap to make that every farmer could have one by a small amount of energy, but we have heard of only one in operation.

Mr. Charles Eglsten of the town of Rocksbury, according to the Thief River Press, has used a split log drag from his farm on the east side of the river north to Greenwood cemetery, the city limits of Thief River Falls. As all will remember this road has always been a very rough clay road and in wet weather almost impassable. By the use of only a split log drag this piece of road has been converted into one of the best highways in the state of Minnesota, and the cost of getting it in this fine condition has not been great.

In Missouri, where the split log drag originated, each farmer runs one from his own gate to his neighbor's front gate towards town. If the farmers around here would get the "Missouri habit" we would soon have fine roads, and Mr. Elgsten has demonstrated that the split log drag is all right.

In Persia women "marry out" on contract, returnable to their parents in "good order and condition" when the contract is up. The purchase price is, like your room rent, payable in advance. But Persia is not the only country where wives are bought.

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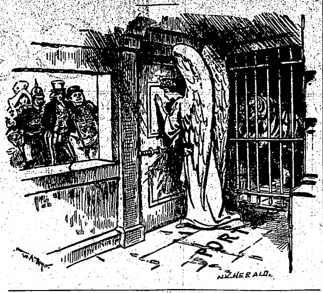

JAIL IS STORMED BY AN ANGRY MOB

NEGRO ACCUSED OF ATTACK ON WHITE WOMAN TAKEN FROM THE PRISON.

His Captors Hang Him from a Bridge In Newbern, N. C., and Then Fill His Body with Bullets—Perpetrators Unknown.

Newbern, N. C., Aug. 28.—John Moore, a negro, 20 years old, was taken from Craven county jail, in this city, early Sunday morning and lynched by a mob of 100 masked men armed with rifles and revolvers. With his hands tied behind him, the negro was led out about a third of a mile from the jail to the draw of Neuse river bridge, hanged to one of its braces and his body riddled with bullets. The mob attacked the jail between one and two o'clock Sunday morning. Entrance to the jail was affected by forcing the jailor to surrender the keys. As soon as the attack was discovered the naval reserves were called out to attempt to prevent the lynching. Crowds rushed to the bridge. Sheriff J. W. Biddle was quickly on the scene, pleading that Moore be left to the law, but his efforts were unavailing, and the mob carried out its plans.

Moore entered the country store of George Eubanks, at Clarks, seven miles from Newbern, last Friday, when the proprietor's wife was the only one in. The negro attempted robbery, and struck Mrs. Eubanks on the head with a meat ax, fracturing bones and inflicting injuries which, if they do not prove fatal, will at least cause not only disfigurement, but lifelong suffering. Mrs. Eubank screamed, and people came to her rescue. The negro fled, but was captured in a swamp after a chase of a few miles, and was placed in jail.

CHICAGO MUST PAY.

Jury Says City Shall Reimburse Railway Company for Cars Burned in "Debs Strike."

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Chicago has reaped the harvest of the whirlwind of the Debs A. R. U. strike of 1894. A jury in Judge Frost's court in Wheaton brought in a verdict of $100,000 against the city in favor of the Panhandle railroad. The amount represents, in the opinion of the jurymen, the damage done the road by the burning of its freight cars in the strike riots. The railroad sued for $140,000. The jurors decided that $40,000 was represented by merchandise in transit and the city should not be held responsible for this. But they held that the city should not escape financial liability for the failure of the authorities to curb the mobs and prevent the burning of the cars.

The Panhandle was not the only railroad to lose by fires in the Debs' strike. After the struggle, started at Pullman by Debs' newly organized American Railway union, was a few days old, it began to grow too unwieldy for its leader. His only policy, as he saw the railroads resisting successfully and his own followers falling away, was to extend the strike. As the strike extended it became more vicious. When the railroads had succeeded in moving trains, rioting began in the freight yards. This bred new disorder and the torch came into use. Some one set fire to a few freight cars, and they were destroyed. Whole freight yards were set ablaze within a week.

Private Bank Closed.

Paris, Ill., Aug. 28.—The bank at Metcalfe, Ill., a private concern owned by John L. Gobin, of Clinton county, closed its doors Saturday. Cashier C. M. Smith made a statement that Gobin bought the bank recently and shortly afterward drew a note for $10,000 payable to himself, taking the money out of the deposits. Mr. Smith says this note disappeared Friday from the bank assets, leaving in the bank $10,000 in assets to pay $20,000 due depositors, and under such circumstances he declined to open the doors. Mr. Gobin left town Friday.

Bathers Drowned.

Kilbourne, Wis., Aug. 24.—Ben Dennis, of Chicago, and Sophia Nordbloom, an attendant at Pine Glenn resort, a summer boarding house on the river below Kilbourne, were drowned Tuesday. They were in bathing and stepped off a ledge into deep water and, being unable to swim, failed to get out.

MANY FLOOD VICTIMS.

Twenty-Five or Thirty Lives Lost as Result of Cloudburst in Colorado.

Trinidad, Col., Aug. 26.—A cloudburst in the vicinity of Rhode canyon, through which ordinarily a small stream of water runs, converted the canyon into a raging torrent through towns of Berwin and Tabasco, wrecking everything in its path and drowning numbers of persons. The property loss is estimated at hundreds of thousands of dollars, suffered mostly by the Colorado Fuel & Iron company and the Southern Railway company.

The Colorado & Southern branch line to Berwin was washed away and a heavy volume of water rushed down the canyon all night, making it impossible to penetrate to the point where the loss of life is said to have occurred. Rumors are in circulation that 12 to 20 houses were swept down the canyon and 25 to 35 lives were lost.

According to information received from Hastings Friday possibly 14 persons were drowned in the floods at Tabasco, 16 miles north of Trinidad.

A telephone message from Hastings Friday afternoon stated that 18 persons are known to be dead or missing. Six bodies have now been recovered, among them being a woman with the body of a six-months-old child clasped in her arms.

FOOTPAD KILLS WOMAN.

Rich Widow Shot Dead on Fashionable Residence Street in Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Mrs. Effie Mize, 53 years old, a wealthy widow who came to Chicago recently from New York and was stopping at the Del Prado hotel, Fifty-ninth street and Washington avenue, was shot and killed shortly after 9:30 o'clock last night by a highwayman who accosted her in front of the residence of Alderman Frank I. Bennett, No. 5807 Washington avenue, and, after thrusting a revolver in her face, demanded her money. In company with Mrs. Mize at the time was Mrs. F. A. Wilson of Lee Cruz, N. M., who is also a guest at the hotel. Mrs. Wilson ran the moment she realized the man was a highwayman, but instead of following her example Mrs. Mize grappled with the robber. She fought desperately for a moment, and realizing that he was in danger of being captured the highwayman tore himself loose and stepping back a few paces fired two shots. One bullet struck Mrs. Mize in the heart and the other shattered her right wrist. She fell to the sidewalk and was dead when residents attracted by the shooting arrived. The murderer escaped.

BASEBALL.

Table Showing the Standing of Clubs of National and American Leagues.

The following tables show the numbe of games won and lost and the percentage of each in the contest for various championships. National league:

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Per ct.
New York	81	33	.711
Pittsburg	74	43	.633
Chicago	68	49	.581
Philadelphia	62	52	.544
Cincinnati	60	56	.517
St. Louis	46	72	.390
Boston	38	81	.319
Brooklyn	36	79	.313
American league:			
Philadelphia	64	44	.593
Chicago	61	44	.581
Cleveland	60	49	.550
New York	55	49	.529
Boston	53	52	.505
Detroit	51	59	.464
Washington	45	62	.420
St. Louis	40	70	.364

Fatal Hotel Fire.

Maranacook, Me., Aug. 28.—Three lives were lost and four persons were injured by the burning of Hotel Maranacook here Saturday. The dead: James K. Martin, Auburndale, Mass., 35 years of ge; Mrs. Martin, wife of Mr. Martin, 32 years of age; son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin, ten years of age. Over four score guests and employes escaped in night attire, many of them leaping from the windows.

Gold Output at Nome.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 28.—United States Assayer Fred Wing, in charge of the local assay office, has made the statement that his estimate of the gold output of Nome for the season of 1905 was $10,000,000. This amount will be recorded for Nome and will exceed the output of last year by $3,000,000.

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Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen. V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

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WOULD ARBITRATE PRICE OF HALF OF SAKHALIN

Roosevelt Given Chance to Settle War on This Basis—Mikado and His Advisers Hold Important Conference at Tokio.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 29.—The press has definite knowledge that several days ago President Roosevelt was authorized on behalf of Japan to waive all claim for indemnity or reimbursement for the cost of the war and to cede back to Russia the north half of Sakhalin island, leaving the "redemption" price of the same to the arbitration of a mixed commission.

Misunderstood by Czar.

This statement was transmitted to the Russian emperor through the American ambassador at St. Petersburg. A telegram announced that the czar's reply was "partially responsive." There is reason to believe that this proposition on behalf of Japan was not clearly understood at Peterhof, but was supposed to be a revival of the effort of Japan to secure an indemnity under the guise of purchase money for the fraction of Sakhalin.

Call Sakhalin Japanese Territory.

The Japanese contention is that Sakhalin island is de facto Japanese territory and that Russia has no means at her command for its present recovery. It is understood that Mr. Witte has accepted this view in principle and expressed the judgment that Russia should pay something in the nature of redemption money. It is believed that the Tokio cabinet council, held Monday, considered this phase of the question.

Conference Postponed.

At the request of Minister Takahira the next cession of the peace conference, which was to be held at three p. m. Monday, was postponed until Tuesday. There was a persistent report that President Roosevelt had made a new appeal to the emperor of Japan. At ten o'clock Sunday night, after a two hours' conference between Mr. Takahira and Mr. Witte, in the Russian envoy's room in the hotel annex, the announcement of a postponement was made. Mr. Witte explained that Mr. Takahira had told him that no new instructions had reached him from Tokio, and fearing none might be received before the meeting scheduled for Monday afternoon he had suggested the propriety of postponing the meeting until Tuesday. To this Mr. Witte said he had readily assented. It is learned that the conference between Messrs. Witte and Takahira did not bear upon the question of the cession of Sakhalin or the question of indemnity.

Kept Alive by President.

The peace conference is likened to a dying man kept alive by oxygen administered by President Roosevelt. Yet no actual evidence can be obtained here that the president has made a new appeal to the emperor of Japan. What may have been only a slip of the tongue from Mr. Witte was so interpreted. Speaking of the final decision of the Tokio government he remarked upon the 14-hour difference of time betweeen Oyster Bay and Tokio, but then hastily corrected himself and said "New York and Tokio." Certainly the president has not initiated new representations at Peterhof. Emperor Nicholas' reply to Ambassador Meyer was of such a nature as to preclude another tentative in that direction at this stage. Later the way might be open, but for the moment to offer new advice in the face of what practically amounted to an ultimatum from the emperor on the subject of indemnity might be to court a rebuff.

New representations at Tokio alone would perhaps not be in accordance with the president's role. At least it would constitute a change in his attitude. Heretofore he has not acted as mediator, but as the head of a state friendly to both parties, tendering his good offices and friendly advice impartially and simultaneously to both. The president took good care that this should be distinctly understood. The compromise he suggested to Peterhof he suggested simultaneously to Tokio. It would seem more probable therefore that the president has not attempted to influence directly the question of Japan's response to the flat refusal of Russia to pay anything in the shape of indemnity.

Witte Is Skeptical.

Mr. Witte frankly expressed skepticism of the effect of any new proposal Japan may be able to offer. He does not believe Japan will withdraw entirely her demand for reimbursement of the expenses of the war, and to scale it down or attempt to disguise it in another form he declared would not change the situation.

Mr. Takahira is quoted as having replied in the negative when asked whether any modification of the Japanese proposal would touch the question of indemnity. But such a response may only have been technical. A clear road out of the embroglio by which Japan could obtain a very large sum and Russia stand by her present declaration can be discerned if Japan will offer in a new proposal to withdraw the price she places upon the redemption of the northern half of the island and place it upon a basis, for instance, such as the president suggested, of determination by a mixed commission. Acceptance by Russia would in turn involve a change upon the part of the St. Petersburg government. But indemnity as a stumbling block would be out of the way, and renewed pressure could properly be put on Emperor Nicholas. Mr. Witte personally, it is believed, sympathizes with such a solution, and would not be averse to a genuine redemption, as he recognizes the de facto possession of the island by Japan, and her claim to reimbursement for its relinquishment. If the meeting Monday of the Tokio cabinet and the elder statesmen under the presidency of the emperor sanctions such new proposal, as there is reason to believe it will, the proposition would seem to be so fair that Emperor Nicholas could not refuse without assuming before the world the responsibility of continuing the war. In a twinkling, therefore, if Japan now absolutely withdraws her bill for "the cost of the war," the basis of an accord may be reached. One of the chief remaining dangers would undoubtedly be a false gauging at St. Petersburg of Japan's attitude. The conciliatory spirit Japan displayed in her compromise proposal of Wednesday, if now emphasized by a still further recession, is apt to be interpreted at St. Petersburg as a symptom of great weakness, and might only serve to make the emperor and his advisers at Peterhof more obdurate. But with such a proposition before him Mr. Witte could once more assert himself and throw his own masterful personality into the scale.

Mikado Holds Conference.

Tokio, Aug. 29.—The conference of the cabinet officers and elder statesmen, which began early Monday, adjourned at two o'clock in the afternoon, and the participants proceeded to a place where the deliberations were continued under the presidency of the emperor. It was believed that the decision will mean continuance of the war or peace. The capital continues exceedingly quiet. No manifestations have resulted from the outwardly critical situation.

FALLS FROM A BALLOON.

Determined to Make Ascension, Victim Seizes Parachute Trapeze—Plunges to His Death.

Cahokia, Ill., Aug. 29.—Releasing his grasp on a trapeze attached to a parachute as the latter opened to the wind 1,200 feet above the ground, John Williams, 38 years old, has been dashed to his death at Red House park, near here. Every bone in his body was broken as Williams struck the ground with fearful force.

The tragedy is said to have been the result of the victim's determination to make a balloon ascension. As the aeronaut prepared to make the ascension, Williams is said to have rushed forward and seized the trapeze bar, calling to his friends "Good-by." As he clasped the bar the balloon rose into space, carrying both the aeronaut and Williams. As the parachute commenced to fill in the wind and the rapid descent of the canvas was suddenly checked, Williams, whose strength was exhausted, was jerked loose from the bar and his body shot downwards. The aeronaut was uninjured and alighted a few yards away from the scene where Williams met his death.

Twenty Sailors Drowned.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 29.—The American steamship Peconic encountered a fierce gale early Monday off the coast of Florida. Twenty of the crew of 22 were drowned. The ship was struck by an enormous wave, the cargo shifted and the ship sank. Two of the crew, an Italian and a Spaniard, secured the life-boat and landed on Amelia beach about noon and told the story of the disaster. The vessel was laden with coal from Philadelphia to New Orleans.

Body Identified.

New York, Aug. 29.—The body found in North river last Thursday was positively identified by Edgar Nash Johnson, of La Grange, Ill., as that of his brother, Herbert L. Johnson, of Chicago. Johnson said that his brother left Chicago two weeks ago plentifully supplied with money and that he knew of no reason why he should have committed suicide.

To Build New Electric Road.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 29.—The secretary of state Monday issued a license to incorporate the Illinois & Indiana Electric Railway company, with the principal office in East St. Louis. The object is to construct an electric railway from East St. Louis through the counties of St. Clair, Washington, Clinton and Marion, to Centralia, Ill.

Government Grants Requisition.

Columbus, O., Aug. 29.—Requisition papers were received Monday by Gov. Herrick from Gov. Beckham, of Kentucky, for Louis Reitman, charged with shooting with intent to kill. It is alleged that Reitman shot and wounded Jacob and Sarah Reitman in Boone county, Ky. Reitman is in jail at Delhi, near Cincinnati.

Workman Crushed to Death.

Chicago, Aug. 29.—Joseph Dominick, employed by the Western Steel car and Foundry company, in Hegewisch, was instantly killed Monday when an engine backed a box car upon him. Dominick had been working under the car. The wheels crushed his head. Dominick leaves a widow and three children.

Dynamite Kills Twenty.

Mazatlan, Mexico, Aug. 29.—Twenty Mexican laborers were killed and a number injured by the premature explosion of a quantity of dynamite at the port works at Manzanillo.

HOPE THAT FEVER CRISIS IS PAST

FIFTH WEEK OF FIGHT AGAINST PEST OPENS UNDER FAVORABLE CONDITIONS.

ONLY 199 CASES UNDER TREATMENT AT PRESENT

Iberia Parish Cuts Off All Passenger Communication with Rest of State—Sensational Charges Against Health Officers.

Yellow fever situation:
New cases at noon Monday, since six p. m. Sunday, 22.
Total to date, 1,765.
Deaths, 5.
Total to date, 260.

New Orleans, Aug. 29.—The fifth week of the fight against yellow fever began Monday with a continuance of favorable conditions and with reason for hope that the crisis has passed, the fact that there are only 199 cases under treatment, and many of them of the lightest character, being especially significant. In the 31 cases in the preceding 24 hours only five were Italians, and there were only three cases reported from the originally infected Italian quarter. Surgeon Guiteras went to Patterson Monday, and Surgeon Corput started on a tour of the surrounding country. The marine hospital service has now a man in touch with every infected point outside of New Orleans, Surgeon Von Ezdorf having started for Leeville, from which point the information continues to be vague, owing to its isolation. Iberia parish, through which the Southern Pacific runs, has a fresh fright and has cut off all passenger communication with the rest of the state. Reports of low temperature come from various points in the southwestern section of the state.

To Disinfect Churches.

Dr. Warner announced Monday that preparations were being completed for the disinfection of every church and meeting place in New Orleans during the current week. Dr. Juan Guiteras continues his series of lectures here, speaking nearly every night. He devotes the daylight hours to the study of fever conditions. It has been announced here that since his arrival in New Orleans Dr. Guiteras has been made dean of the University of Havana. President Kohnke, of the city board of health, corrected the statement attributed to him in the press that there was no hope to crush out the fever before frost. Dr. Kohnke said that the great damage of yellow fever to New Orleans was not so much its death rate, for it had been shown this year that it was not the deadly disease of ancient times, but to the city's commerce, resulting from the panic of outside communities.

Health Officers Under Fire.

The biggest sensation of the yellow fever epidemic here was sprung Saturday when all the prominent people of the state received a circular letter from an unknown source, which is expected to bring on immediately an investigation by the grand jury as to how the fever was allowed to exist in New Orleans for two months before any steps were taken to check it or any public announcement made of its presence. In an address last night, Dr. Joseph Holt, known all over the world as the yellow fever expert and as the man who drafted and enforced the quarantine regulations which kept the pest out of New Orleans for 20 years, practically charged that the city and state health officers were cognizant of the presence of the fever here and did everything possible to suppress the fact.

Six Cases in Natchez.

The principal news from outside the city was the announcement from Natchez of the discovery of six cases there and the attempt to blame New Orleans for them. This is regarded as rather strange in view of the fact that of all the tight quarantines against New Orleans, Natchez has maintained the tightest, not even allowing its own people to return there if they had been near New Orleans. Other reports from the country are as follows: Patterson, no new cases and no deaths; Amelia, two new cases; Bayou Boeuf, one case; Pecan Grove, three cases and one death; Elizabeth plantation, one death; Hanson City, four new cases and one death; St. Rose, two new cases; Port Barrow, two cases; Ninth ward of Jefferson Parish, one case; Lake Providence, three cases; Gulfport, three cases; Mississippi City, no new cases.

Auto Kills Man.

Rensselaer, Ind., Aug. 29.—Joseph Fagot, a well-known business man of Remington, was killed in an automobile accident Sunday while returning home after a visit to this city. While crossing a bridge he lost control of his machine, which went over an eight-foot embankment, pinioning Fagot underneath in a pool of muddy water. His two sons, 11 and 13 years old, who occupied the rear seat, were uninjured and ran to summon help. When the rescuers arrived Fagot was dead.

Gold Output at Nome.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 29.—United States Assayer Fred Wing, in charge of the local assay office, has made the statement that his estimate of the gold output of Nome for the season of 1905 was $10,000,000. This amount will be recorded for Nome and will exceed the output of last year by [illegible].

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ABOUT 500 Minnesota soldiers will attend the G. A. R. encampment at Denver next week.

THE Lakefield Standard refers to Frank Eddy as a brainy man, and "one of our most honest politicians." It seems to be getting to that pass where we are compelled to admit that there are degrees of honesty among politicians.

SOME of the Third district Republican papers are alarmed for fear Governor Johnson will be a candidate for congress in 1908. The fears may not be well founded, but they have good reason to be alarmed at the possibility.

OLE J. TWEET, a proniment farmer of the northern part of Red Lake county, has been appointed by Governor Johnson as a delegate to the annual meeting of the national farmers' congress, to be held at Richmond, Va., about the middle of September.

AMONG the political probabilities for next year is mentioned George B. Brown of Blue Earth for secretary of state. Mr. Brown is now a deputy in the office and is a son of a former secretary, Hon. F. P. Brown. Mr. Brown will seek the Republican nomination, it is reported.

MAKE FORTUNE IN DAIRYING

Commissioner Slater Predicts Minnesota Will Become Greatest Dairy State in the Union.

Minnesota eventually will become the greatest dairy state in the union in quantity as she is now the greatest in quality.

This is the prediction of Dairy and Food Commissioner E. K. Slater in a special article on Minnesota's dairy resources prepared for the state immigration bureau.

"Minnesota has demonstrated to the world that in dairy products she takes her stand in the foremost rank among the great dairying districts," writes Mr. Slater, "and she may feel justly proud of the success she has obtained. Some idea of the magnitude of our dairying interests may be obtained from a study of the statistics contained in the last biennial report of the state dairy and food commission.

"These figures are concerned only with those of our dairy products manufactured at our creameries and cheese factories. There are undoubtedly as large a number of cows furnishing milk for private dairies and are contributing milk to the creameries and cheese factories, and this fact must be borne in mind in studying the following figures in order to fully appreciate the magnitude of the industry.

"A total of 449,740 cows contributed to the creameries and cheese factories in 1903, a total of 1,392,942,948,495 pounds of milk from which were manufactured 72,266,248 pounds of butter and 3,988,646 pounds of cheese. A total of $14,385,090.54 was paid farmers of the state for milk furnished these factories. There are 770 creameries and 90 cheese factories. Of these the farmers of the state own and contral 606 and 254 are owned by individual parties.

"While the volume of the dairy business in Minnesota is sufficient to attract the attention of her sister states, her reputation as a leading butter state of the Union has been accomplished by the superior quality of her creamery butter. She begun her series of successes in 1884 when she won the grand sweepstakes at the New Orleans cotton exposition. Again in 1893 she won first premium in the world's fair at Chicago, and in 1896 gold medals at the Cedar Rapids (Iowa) national buttermaker's contest. In 1897 the victory of 1896 was repeated at the Owatonna (Minn.) meeting of the National Creamery Buttermakers' association, a gold medal and a silver cup being the trophies. In 1898 the national prize again went to Minnesota at the Topeka (Kan.) meeting. In the same year our four first premiums were won at the Omaha exposition."

Mr. Slater enumerates a series of other medals won at national and international meetings, including the grand sweepstakes prize at the at the Paris exposition in 1900 and the triumph at the St. Louis exposition."

"In spite of the wonderful growth of Minnesota's dairy interests," continues Mr. Slater, "the prospects for the future are indicative of greater success. Minnesota is an ideal dairy state peculiarly adapted to diversified farming and stock raising. Dairy thus far has been confined to the thickly settled prairaie regions of the state where the general adoption of the industry has been brought about by necessity, heavy grain raising having depleted the fertility of the soil.

"During the past five years the business has been developing most rapidly in the Red river valley, and this section is destined to become a great dairying district. In Northeastern Minnesota conditions are perhaps better adapted to dairying than any other branch of farming. In fact the country is especially adapted to dairy farming both from the standpoint of a market for dairy products and from the natural conditions of the country. The great advantage is that in the production of feed Northwestern Minnesota is ahead of any other section of the state.

"It is the opinion universal authorities who have given the matter attention that Minnesota has only entered upon her career as a great dairying state. She will eventually become the greatest dairy state in the Union in quantity, as she is now recognized as the greatest in quality.

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RED LAKE COUNTY.

Visiting Editor from Marshall Speaks Well of Us.

Lyon County Reporter: We spent a few days last week in Red Lake County, and while they had an uncommon amount of rain that has interferred with the harvest in some places, the county has this year one of the biggest crops of grain we ever saw. Very many wheat fields will yield over forty bushels to the acre of No. 1 wheat. We counted some heads that had over sixty grains to the head and many stools had over twenty-five stalks from one seed. We brought home some of these heads which can be seen at this office. Some are six inches long, filled to the tip. Barley fields will give an immense yield and there are fields of oats there that will harvest seventy-five bushels to the acre. Flax fields that will thresh twenty bushels per acre are common and few will go less than fifteen.

Some grain fields were in the shock, but owing to a wet spring and late seeding most of the grain crop was not quite ready to cut, which is fortunate as clear weather will soon dry the over wet fields. The kind of weather had there the last two weeks is very uncommon and resembles our dose two years ago.

Frequent fields of corn are seen, and they raise pretty fair corn up there, while all kinds of vegetables are simply immense.

But in our opinion, while that country is exceptionally good for all kinds of grain, the future wealth of the county will be in its stock and dairy resources. Tame grasses are perfectly at home there, so much so that timothy and clover has spread along most of the roads and over the hills, growing like native weeds.

There are already, we believe, about fifteen creameries in Red Lake County, and stock is being rapidly improved. Feed is plenty everywhere. Native and tame grasses and an abundance of the wild, that likes to stray even into the timothy meadows, will supply many times the stock now seen.

Red Lake county has exceptionally good soil and its agricultural future will be among the best of the state. With this and numerous immense water powers that county cannot fail to take a first class stand among the northwest counties. It already has nearly 10,000 population, having increased nearly 4,000 in the last five years. The next five years, we predict, will be very prosperous ones for Red Lake County.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Brainerd is going to have a market day.

Hackett is a new postoffice in the Rainy River country.

The Great Northern is to build a new depot at Barnesville.

Todd county has fourteen rural routes of free mail delivery.

A Warren man was arrested recently for cruelty to animals.

Fergus Falls is face to face with a $89,000 bond issue. Waterworks.

The Soo has a big job before it can wiggle through all the country towns that claim it.

Bagley seems to have a slight lead in the county seat fight in Clearwater county.

There is a demand by the traveling public for day trains on the Creat Northern from Crookston to the cities.

Bemidji is to have an all night and day electric light service. Electric power will be used by several manufacturing plants.

A verdant 19 year old tried to derail a train at Warroad. He used a tamarack pole and a heavy shingle should be used on him.

Crookston is to have a town and country club. It has elected a fine bunch of officials if nothing more ever comes of the movement.

The Bemidji Pioneer says it appears that it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than it is to change a county seat.

Local capitalists have petitioned the village council of Mentor for a twenty year telephone franchise. The matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the council Sept. 5th.

Bob and Eva McGinley, theatical people known all over the Northwest, are at their home in Grand Rapids for a brief vacation. They own a farm near that place and usually spend their summers there.

One of the worst electrical and rain storms in the history of Cass Lake occurred in that city one night last week. Many bolts of lightning struck within the city limits, but fortunately little damage was done. One bolt struck the Great Northern depot and the telegraph instruments were tempotarily put out of commission, but the building was not damaged.

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn, March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or praire land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceedtng three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

S. G. IVERSON (State Auditor)
Forest Commissioner.
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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

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Chickens are almost ripe.

P. O. Floan was a Wylie visitor yesterday.

Sunday was one of the hottest days of the season.

A. P. Toupin made a trip to St. Hilaire Tuesday.

H. W. Anderson was at Crookston over Tuesday night.

Thos. L. Johnstone, of Crookston, was in the city yesterday.

Joe Lambert has been laid up the past week with rheumatism.

Harry Healy looked over Greenbush between trains Monday.

Reichert's drug store has some great snaps in school tablets.

Yesterday's fresh breezes made one think of stoves, hard coal, etc.

Ole Eckern, of Halstad, transacted business in this city Monday.

School supplies of all kinds can be found at Reichert's drug store.

A 100 foot well has just been completed at the Louis Sieff residence.

P. K. Olson, of Plummer, visited old friends at this place yesterday.

Monday, Sept. 4th, has been designated by Gov. Johnson as labor day.

W. G. Brown, of Plummer, was a business caller at this place Monday.

Don't miss the entertainment at the opera house next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank E. Hunt visited friends and acquaintances at Crookston last week.

The residence of T. Robillard has received a new coat of paint this week.

Miss Olive Viau, of Grand Forks, is in the city, a guest of the A. P. Toupin home.

Frank St. Martin returned from Crookston last Saturday. He has been engaged in carpentering in that city for some time past.

Sheriff Linnihan was a business caller at St. Hilaire Monday between trains.

The Big Store announces a big discount sale this week. Look up the bargains offered.

M. O. Sortedahl transacted business in the erstern part of the county yesterday.

Dorothy Toye, contralto soloist and reader, at the opera house next Tuesday evening.

The young people enjoyed a dance at the K. P. hall last evening after the band concert.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls Monday on professional business.

Attorneys Germo and Grady were at Thief River Falls yesterday trying a criminal case.

The local dealers have been doing a rushing business in hunting boots the last day or two.

Leo Spillane took in the North Dakota State fair at Crand Forks the first of the week.

L. C. Cadieux, one of Terrebonne's progressive citizens, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

John Luxenberg left Monday for Warren where he has secured work during the threshing season.

Miss Elsie Kratka, of Thief River Falls, arrived in the city last evening for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Lulu Fletcher left yesterday for Ely where she will teach in the public schools the coming year.

Miss Maymie Erickson will leave Saturday for New Prague where she will teach again the coming year.

Norman Schrieter will leave next Tuesday for Minneapolis to attend the state university the coming year.

"Tip" Taylor, of St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with old friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant moved into the Mathews house over in the Klondike country Tuesday. The Judge says he don't feel able to climb the hills on the North Side these days so decided to move nearer the court house.

Joe Gray headed a party that left Monday for Dakota to work in the harvest fields.

Mrs. John Savard and Mrs. Joseph Cyr are at Grafton, North Dakota where they went for medical treatment.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

A. P. Johnson, of Crookston, was in the city Tuerday on business connected with a machine firm of his city.

Joe Lambert and Emry Lesha expect to leave today for North Dakota to work during the threshing season.

Miss Eva Paul has been at Grand Forks this week visiting relatives and taking in the North Dakota state fair.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy will leave this week for Lake City to visit her mother who is reported as being quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Longtin have been at Grand Forks this week visiting the state fair and relatives of Mrs. Longtin.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church served supper and ice cream and cake Tuesday evening at the church parlors.

Rev. Father Tapin, of Terrebonne was a Red Lake Falls visitor on Monday. The COURIER acknowledges a pleasant call.

"Stub" Brager finished his labors at the court house yesterday and left this morning for his home at Thief River Falls.

Considerable grain has been cut the past week, but there are many fields that are reported as being too wet for the binder.

A number of our young folks attended the firemen's dance at St. Hilaire last Friday evening. They report a good time.

Miss Mayme Linnihan is again suffering from appendicitis. Her many friends hope she will soon recover from the attack.

J. Drew Marshall and Will Ittner went to Minneapolis last Thursday evening. They will attend the state university the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. Healy were at Grand Forks yesterday. Mr. Healy went on business while Mrs. Healy took in the state fair.

The Busy Store has an interesting fall announcement in this issue of the COURIER. It always pays to read this firm's advertisements.

Mrs. N. Miller left Monday for Grand Forks to be absent this week. Mr. Miller joined her last night and will take in the fair for a day or two.

H. L. Veigel and family will occupy the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant on the North Side. They expect to move soon.

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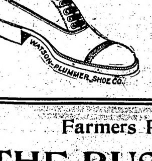
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THE BIG STORE

Theo LaBissoniere, Proprietor

The Dorothy base ball team played a game here with a local nine Sunday afternoon. The locals won the game 13 to 4, five innings being played.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Aug 26 1905: E. P. Weltner Edwart E. Gravlie.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue returned home yesterday from Hamilton, North Dakota, where they enjoyed a few days visit with the doctor's parents.

Homer Hall was at Grand Forks last evening. He says he went to see the state fair but some people have their doubts that that was the attraction.

Editor Ives of St. Hilaire passed through the city Tuesday morning on his way home from the editoral excursion. He reports a most delightful trip.

The beginners band is practicing regularly and some good musicians are being developed. The young men will soon be a great help to the concert band.

Henry W. Anderson, our popular jeweler, has installed a new large clock in his place of business. The clock is a beauty and will be used as Andy's regulator.

Abner Fletcher has resigned his position as night agent of the Great Northern at Barnesville and will enter the train service of the same road in the near future.

Mrs. Sam'l. Miller went to Grand Forks Monday morning. She returned home last evening after visiting friends and seeing the state fair now in progress in that city.

E. S. Bryant, formerly operator at this place for the Great Northern, is now station agent at Middle Riv. His friends here will be pleased to hear of his advancement.

Lewis & Higinbotham, the insurance men, have something to say to threshing machine men in this issue. Look up their adv. and profit by the advice given therein

Quite a number of the old time reapers are in use in this vicinity this year. They will get over ground that a binder would not work in on account of being much lighter.

The Merry Crew club gave a party last evening in honor of Miss Maude Findeisen at the Dautremont home. Miss Findeisen leaves soon to attend the Normal school at Winona.

The weekly band concert was given last evening. It is the intention to have these concerts occur on Friday evenings, but as most of the members of the band will be out hunting prairie chickens to-morrow it was thought best to give the concert last night.

Miss Mamie Gertkt arrived from West Superior the first of the week and is visiting her parents on the Norah Side. She is the "hello girl" at the Wisconsin town.

Perrusse Bros. and A. Lawrence, of Terrebonne, returned from Thief River Falls Saturday. They had just finished a contract they had on the water power at that place.

Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, will conduct services at the Norwegian Lutheran church in this city next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. All are invited to attend the service.

Auditor Ford is busy these days issuing hunters' licenses. He has given about thirty of the coveted certificates to local shooters this week, issuing seven yesterday.

Word has been received from North Yakima, Wash., that Dostie Robillard, well known in this city, is seriously sick. It is to be hoped that his recovery will be rapid.

Mrs. H. Bischoff, of Thief River Falls, was in the city the first of the week visiting friends and looking after business matters connected with the estate of her late husband.

The city schools will begin the year's work next week. It is thought the North Side school will be held at the old opera house until the new school house is ready for occupancy.

Jim and Paul occupy half a page of the COURIER this week, giving a talk to the young men. This popular clothing firm is bidding for business in the right way—and are getting it.

The Northern Pacific has had a crew of workmen at work the past week about a mile west of the city. A pile driver has been at work on the bridge just west of the Red Lake River.

John Christenson, living about ten miles east of the city, went to Crookston last evening where he will enter the hospital. He has been a sufferer from tuberlosis of the spine, for some time.

Mrs. Jas. E. Ford was at Northwood, North Dakota, several days last week visiting relatives. Mr. Ford's mother accompanied her home Monday and will remain here for some weeks.

The fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Raimier will go to Crookston next week to be operated upon for appendicitis. She has been troubled with the complaint for some little time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Bourdon went to Grafton, North Dakota, Saturday taking Mr. Bourdon's mother with them for medical treatment. The party returned Monday, Mrs. Bourdon being much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gillett, of Olivet, South Dakota, were in this vicinity several days last week. They made a deal with Ed. L. Healy for a Red Lake county farm and expect to move to this section some time this fall.

Ralph Green was in from Equality last Friday. Mrs. Green came in with him and left on the evening train for Wapheton, North Dakota, to visit Mr. Green's mother and sister. She will be absent two weeks.

L. O. Larson, a former resident of Emardville but now living in Beltrami county, passed through the city Monday on his way to Dakota harvest fields. He will work in that section during the threshing season.

Two Morman missionaries talked on the streets of this city one evening last week. They were different from most traveling evangelists in that they did not take up a collection. All that they wanted was a place to sleep.

John Savard left the first of the week for Forest River, North Dakota, where he will cook for a large threshing crew this fall. His restaurant business in this city will be in charge of Miss Halvorson during his absence.

Threshermen Attention

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The disease that has done more than any other to wreck, ruin and humiliate life, is Contagious Blood Poison. Sorrow, shame and suffering go hand in hand with this great enemy, and man has always hated and fought it as he has no other disease. It is the most powerful of all poisons; no matter how pure the blood may be, when its virus enters, the entire circulation becomes poisoned and its chain of horrible symptoms begin to show. Usually the first sign is a small sore or ulcer, not at all alarming in appearance, but the blood is being saturated with the deadly poison, and soon the mouth and throat begin to ulcerate, the hair and eyebrows drop out, a red eruption breaks out on the body, copper-colored splotches and sores make their appearance and the poison even works down into the bones and attacks the nerves. Not only is the disease hereditary, being transmitted from parent to child, in the form of scrofula, weak eyes, soft bones, weak, puny constitutions, etc., but is also so highly contagious that many a life has been ruined by a friendly hand shake, or from using the toilet articles of one infected with the poison. To cure this blighting, deadly curse the blood must be purified, and nothing will do it so quickly and surely as S. S. S. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble, drives out every particle of the poison and makes the blood clean and strong. It does not hide or cover up anything, but from the first begins to expel the poison and build up and strengthen the system. S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable. We offer a reward of $1,000 for proof that it contains a particle of mineral of any kind. Book on the disease, with instructions for home treatment, and any advice desired, without charge.

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All that is required is your name, address, full particulars regarding your case accompanied by this offer,

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See Dan Patch Monday

When the famous peer of racers will start against his world's record of 1.56 in an attempt to make a new one. He will appear on Monday, the opening day only.

For full information about tickets, time of trains call on the agent of the Great Northern Railway.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic. Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H, Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, Ohio, writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctor's drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time. I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at all druggists; price 50c.

Was Wasting Away.

"I had been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years" writes Robert R. Watts, of Salem, Mo. "I lost flesh and never felt well and doctored with leading physicians and tried all remedies suggested without immediate relief. Finally I tried Foley's Kidney Cure and less thad two bottles completely cured me and I am now sound and well." During the summer kidney irregularaties are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Lower Rates.

Minneapolis.—An announcement of the most vital, widespread and immediate importance to the farming interest of the northwest was made by the Great Northern railroad, the management of which decided to make a sweeping reduction in grain carrying rates.

This reduction of rates ranges from 5 cents per hundred, from the most distant points to a half cent from points nearest the Twin Cities and the head of the lakes. From Williston, distant from the head of the lakes 616 miles, the reduction is 5 cents. On the Granville branch, the Towner branch, the line from Rugby to Sarles, the rates are cut three cents. This covers an immense stretch of country, much of it recently under cultivation, in North Dakota.

From Minot to the head of the lakes, from Grand Forks and Fargo and Hillsboro, on the Hannah line, running north from Larimore; on the Neche line and the St. Vincent line, the reduction is 2 cents per hundred. On the St. John's line, running from Churches Ferry, and the Walhalla line it is 3½ cents, and from Larimore it is 1½ cents. Other roads have met this rate.

State Fair.

Hamline.—The promise for the Minnesota state fair this year is brighter than ever before. Special pains have been taken in all the preparations, which were commenced immediately after the close of the fair of 1904, and the months of careful work over details seem about to be crowned with unusual success. From Monday morning, Sept. 4 till 11 o'clock Saturday night, Sept. 9, the state fair grounds, midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis, will be crowded with exhibits and gay crowds of visitors. This has become the holiday week of the year for thousands of Minnesota people—a custom which is becoming more and more popular each season.

This year's fair is being developed along the lines which have proven so successful in the past; and indications a short time before the fair point to larger and better exhibits in every department.

The fair will be opened on Monday morning Sept. 4 with an address by Senator Dolli ver of Iowa. In the afternoon of the same day, Dan Patch fastest harness horse in the world will make a sensational mile on the race track in an effort to lower his pacing record of 1:56. Dan Patch will appear on Monday only.

Rush For State Land.

St. Paul.—Extensive advertising of Minnesota lands, and the fact that the state sells them on forty years' time with a payment of but 15 per cent, are doing wonders toward attracting settlers.

"Inquiries being received for state land literature are tremendous," said S. G. Iverson, state auditor. "Last week alone our office received 875 inquiries for lands to be sold this fall. They came from every part of the United States and many from Canada, Missouri, Indiana and Pennsylvania furnish a large uumber of the letter writers.

Oats For the Philippines.

Minneapolis.—Bidding against Seattle and San Francisco exporting houses, on a government contract for 6,000,000 pounds of oats—the government specifications being figured in pounds, not bushels — Minneapolis landed a big contract for shipment to to the Philippines. The W. P. Devereux company made the deal. This quantity would make two good trainloads of oats of 65 cars each, or about 130 carloads in all.

No More Slips.

Issuance of "slips" by elevators in place of regular receipts for grain is to become a thing of the past. The state railroad and warehouse commission has issued a circular letter declaring that the law in this regard is to be strictly enforced hereafter. The letter calls attention to the fact that the issuance of anything but the regular receipt for grain is a misdemeanor. The commissioners maintain that the old custom of issuing "slips" has caused an endless amount of litigation.

News Notes.

Stillwater—A windstorm broke up several log rafts in the St. Croix and a million feet of timber came down upon the bridge.

Owatonna—The city council has voted to call a special election on Sept. 26, at which time the question as to whether the city will issue $16,000 bonds for a new city hall will come up.

Minneapolis—Richfield is to have a new school house. School district No. 6, by a vote of 91 to 49, decided to issue bonds to the amount of $5,000 for a new school building.

Minneapolis—Lightning struck the chimney of Mrs. Walter Lang's residence at Red Rock, and Mrs. Lang and her small son and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hull were knocked from their seats.

Winona—The annual retreat of the Catholic clergy of the Winona diocese opened in the young ladies' seminary with almost every priest in the diocese in attendance.

La Crescent—One of John Welch's cream separators blew up. Edward Selks and Benjamin Lipps sustained serious injuries about the arms and body, while others escaped as though by a miracle.

St. Paul.—Miss Marie Obermauer has interested Governor John A. Johnson and Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams in a plan to supply domestic servants for limited periods.

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I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

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War Against Consumption.

All nations are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims every year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. For sale by A. L. Reichert.

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is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for ulcers, sores and cancers. It is the best healing dressing I have ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at all drug stores, guaranteed.

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9:25 am	Ar	RED LAKE FALLS	Lv	5:25 pm

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term, August 21, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Anteme Juneau, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Anteme Juneau deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to George Dupont

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 21st day of February, 1906 at ten o'clock a. m. at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby appointed as the time and place when and where said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 21st day of August A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT, Judge of Probate.
a24-s7.

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Formation of New District.

Weereas, a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective school districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: All of Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Township 153 North, of Range 40 West, in said County, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for hearing upon said petition as required by law;

Now therefore notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be held at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the ninth day of September, A. D, 1905 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn. this tenth day of July, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
a24-31

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Whereas, a petition has been filed with the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described to-wit: All of Sections 1, 12 and 13, in Township 152 North, of Range 42 West and all of Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17 and 18 in Township 152 North, of Range 41 West, and the said Board of County Commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be had at a meeting of the said Board, commencing upon the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, at which time and place the said Board of County Commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls this tenth day of July, A. D. 1905.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minn.
(Seal) By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
a24-31

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }ss
County of Red Lake, }

Notice is hereby given, that applications have been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake and filed in my office, praying for license to sell Intoxibating liquors for the term commencing September 10, 1905 and terminating on September 10, 1906, by the following persons and at the following places, as stated in said applications, respectfully, to-wit;

PAUL LEROUX AND WILFRED HINCE.

On the ground floor, front room, of a certain frame building situate on Lot No. 7, in Block No. 5 of the Townsite of Brooks in the Town of Poplar River in said County and State.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said Board of Conaty Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Saturday, the ninth day of September, A. D, 1905 at 11 o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and offiicial seal this 19th day of August, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) JAMES E. FORD.
a24-31 County Auditor, Red Lake Co., Minn.

Application for License.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }ss
County of Red Lake. }

Notice is hereby given, that an application has been made in writing to the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Red Lake, and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on September 9, 1905 and terminating on September 8, 1906, by the following person and at the following place as stated in said application to-wit:

BY ZOTIQUE BRAY.

On the ground floor, front room, of that certain frame building situate on Lot 10 (10) in Block five (5) of the Townsite of Brooks in the Town of Poplar River in said County and State.

Said application will be heard and determined by said Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County and State on Saturday' the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905, at eleven o'clock a. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and official seal this 23d day of August, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.

Notice of Filing and Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Notice is hereby given that a petition, of which the following is a copy, has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of Red Lake County, State of Minnosota, and that a hearing will be had upon said petition before the Board of County Commissioners at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Lake Falls on the eighth day of September, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock p.m.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 16th day of August, 1905.
(Auditor's Seal.) JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands are liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Town of Gervais in said County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same woule be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 12 in Township 151, Range 43, (Town of Gervais,) in said County, thence going north on the Section line to the northwest corner of the south-west quarter of Section 12 in said town and range, thence going west on the quarter line, to about the center of Section eleven (11,) thence running southwest to the southwest corner of Section eleven (11,) thence running south through the eastern part of Section 15 to at or near the south-east corner of Section fifteen (15,) thence running south at or near the section line between Sections 22 and 23 of said town and range and terminating at the southeast corner of Section 22 in said town and range, having as its outlet a creek or coulee. Or if the engineer finds a better outlet at the next creek or coulee one half mile further west, then change the outlet into that creek.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such drainage ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 7th, 1905.

Aug. Konikson,
John Westerlund,
Andrew Ydstie,
Christ Christensen,
Sjur Mikkelson,
Sophia Christoforson.
Petitioners

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Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 17th day of August, 1905. JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor.

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Board of County Commissioners of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners, whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the Towns of River Falls, Emardville, Gervais and Wyandotte, in said county of Red Lake, and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point, route and terminus of said ditch is as follows:

Commencing at or near the southwest corner of section 6 in Township 151, Range 42, then going north on the Range line between Ranges 42 and 43 to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, then running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34, 33 and 32, in said Township 152, Range 43, to a point near the center of said Section 32 where the Red Lake River crosses the said quarter section line and terminating at said point, and having as its outlet the said Red Lake River.

Also one branch ditch, commencing at the noatheast corner of Section 36 in Township 152, Range 43, running thence south on the Range line to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said section 36 and terminating at the main ditch as its outlet.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated August 4th, 1905. a17-31

A. T. Gorden,	Nils Holten,
C. C. Bergan,	F. A. Satterberg,
C. A. Swanson,	Adolph Satterberg,
Andrew Johnson,	Anna Fangstrom,
John G. Anderson,	A. Gordon,
Peter Hogquist,	Julius Pleth.

Petitioners.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing.

State of Minnesota, }ss
County of Red Lake }

In the matter of the petition of the Trustees of the Village of Plummer for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, designated and numbered as County Ditch No. 22.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the County Auditpr of such county as County Ditch No. 22, beginning at a point about 50 rods west of the northeast corner of Section 13 in Township 151, North, of Range 42 West of the fifth Principal Meridian in Red Lake county, Minnesota, running thence in a westerly direction parallel with and one rod south of the Section line between SSctions 12 and 13, 11 and 14, 10 and 15, and 9 and 16 in said Township to a point about thirty rods west of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of said section 16 and emptying into what is known as the Scheldrup Creek, having as its outlet Clearwater River; as appears by the report of the Engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the Municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the Viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit:

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Co., Peter F. Pouliot, S. A. Swanson, M. O. Sortedahl, John A. Duffy, D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., D. C. Gillispie, Charles G. Edwards, Sarah Bourdon, R. H. Bourdon Chas. N. Bourdon, C. G. Edwards, Andrine Back, L. O. Thorpe, Andrew O. Halland, Nels Bergquist, G. Idzorik, Madden & Schnaudt, B. Clement, Ed. L. Healy, R. O. Gordon, Peder S. Medchell, Martin Medchelf, W. S. Short, State of Minnesota, Odilon Gauthier, Helmer F. Larson, Ovila Gauthier, Township of Emardville, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Co. and the Village of Plummer: and that the engineer appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County Auditor; and that the Viewers appointed by said Board' of County Commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said County Auditor.

And that, therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the eight day of September, 1905, at the County Auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said County, at nine o'clock a. m., of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said Board of County Commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated the 17th day of August, A. D. 1905.
a17-31 JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) Auditor Red Lake County, Minn.

How's This?

We offer offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of catorrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.—F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's family pills for constipation.

Vacation Hints

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask F. A Nizen, Agent, for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will releive their pain and comfort, viz: Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation. 25c at all druggists.

If you are troubled with dizzy spells, headache, indigestion, constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. If it fails get your money back. That's fair. 35 cents at A. L. Reichert's.

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Good Omens.

The mayor of Denver recently issued a "clean-up day proclamation and asked the people of the city to heed the following suggestions:

If your store front, residence or fence is dull or dingy, order it painted.

If your awning is old, torn or faded, get a new one.

If your sidewalk, gate or fence needs repairing, fix it.

Destroy the young weeds that are starting on your property and on your neighbor's property.

If your advertising sign is old or faded, take it down and paint it.

Resolve never to throw paper in the streets.

Take all dandelions out of your lawn—they spoil its beauty.

Ask your milkman, groceryman expressman to have their wagons painted.

Illuminate the front of your store in the business section.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. For sale by A. L. Reichert.

Don't Knock.

If there's any chance to boom business boom it. Don't be a knocker. Don't pull a long face and get sour in the stomach. Hold up your head! Get a hold with your hands. Then pull Bury your hatchet. Hide your little hammer. When a stranger drops in jolly him. Tell him that it is the greatest town on earth. It is. Don't get mulish. Don't roast. Just jolly. All men like to be jollied, always. Get popular. It's dead easy. Help yourself along. Push yourself with you. Soon you'll have a procession. Be a good fellow. No man ever helped himself by knocking other people. No man ever trying to make other people believe he was the only man on earth. You can't climb the ladder of fame by stepping on other people's corns. They're their corns. Not yours. And they're tender. Keep off the corns. All men are not alike. Once in a while you will find one who is not very much alike. But some are different. You're not the only shirt in the wash. If you don't like their style let 'em alone. Don't knock. Walk right in, and make yourself look pleasant. You'll get used to it. There's no end of fun in minding your own busisess. And it makes other people like you better. Better have others stuck on you than get stuck on yourself. Nobody gets stuck on a knocker. Don't be one. Be good.

G. B. Burhans testifies after four years.

G. B. Burhans, of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cnred of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble." Sold by A. L. Reichert.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

Ayer's Pills The great rule of health—Keep the bowels regular. And the great medicine—Ayer's Pills. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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RED LAKE FALLS MINN

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. John Duffy left last evening for Crookston. After visiting friends in that city for a day or two she will go to Grand Forks.

The eclipse of the sun yesterday morning was the means of getting a whole lot of people up early. The eclipse was almost total at sunrise and it was an hour before the obstruction passed away—that's what people tell us who got up to see the show.

Every man and boy who can get a gun will be out to-morrow hunting prairie chickens. The local enthusiasts have been planning on the day's sport for weeks past and if a goodly number of birds are not bagged there will be some disappointed shooters.

The Fertile Journal wants to know why its school board does not publish their proceedings, and says that they are just as important to their citizens as the doings of the council, if not more so. Of course, this does not apply to school boards in villages where not even the council proceedings are being published.

Some of the young men of the city entertained the train men of the Great Northern's work train at the Paul hotel Tuesday evening. A most elaborate supper was served and the occasion was a pronounced success. The railroad boys have made a host of friends during their short stay in the city.

Miss Etta Garceau entertained a number of friends at a dancing party at the K. P. hall Saturday evening. A program of twenty-four dances was indulged in after which dainty refreshments were served. The party broke up at a late hour, the guests all being loud in their praises for the good time furnished by the hostess.

The Great Northern's grade at the rear of the Kaus store has been the scene of great activity the past week. A large part of the grade slid out and a force of men has been employed for some days repairing the damage. A number of heavy timbers have been brought in use, and in spite of all efforts the grade settles and slids out about as fast as filled in.

Miss Dorothy Toye.

All lovers of music and reading will be pleased to learn that Miss Dorothy Toye, the talented contralto soloist and reader, has been secured for an entertainment in this city next Tuesday evening. Miss Toye is a young lady of remarkable ability and has met with great success in her chosen vocation.

She is taking this means by which to enable her to add to her musical education and is deserving of liberal encouragement.

Prof. A. Onstad will play two solos during the evening's enterment, an announcement that is always hailed with delight by our people.

Seats will be on sale at Anderson's jewelry store Monday. The price of admission will be 25 cents, children 15c. There will be no extra charge for reserved seats.

ST. HILAIRE.

Mrs. John Christie is sick with a severe cold.

The creamery received a car load of salt Tuesday.

Jens Nelson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. R. D. Duntley went to Red Lake Falls Wednesday on business.

There has been considerable repairing done on the depot platform.

A. P. Toupin, of Red Lake Falls, made a business call here Tuesday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Gunderson, Wednesday, Aug 23, a son.

Miss Tessie McCaffrey has been visiting friends in town the past week.

Miss Katie Patterson left Saturday for a few days' visit with friends at Bemidji.

J. M. Richards, of Bemidji, was looking over the saw mill at this place Thursday.

The ladies aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Geo. Austin, Thursday, Aug. 31.

James Kinney is confined to his home with a lame foot, having stepped on a rusty nail.

Mrs. H. D. Pettibone joined her husband at Bemidji Saturday for a few days outing at the lake.

Mrs. Herman Bischoff, of Thief River Falls, was visiting friends here several days this week.

Editor Ives returned Tuesday from an editorial excursion in the iron region and on the lakes.

Miss Sophia Larson, Mrs. P. A. Blixt and John Larson visited at the home of N. A. Nelson last Sunday.

James McCaffrey is in town putting some improvements on his property which is occupied by Dr. Cummings.

Prof. Onstad met with the band boys as usual Thursday evening and remained for the firemen's ball Friday evening.

Miss Carrie Pirath and George Hennings of Red Lake Falls drove up and remained Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Austin.

The firemen's annual ball was well attended and all had a most enjoyable evening. Several Red Lake Falls people were here for the occasion.

The farmers threshing rig was unloaded here Monday and taken to the farm of Mike McAndress where its merits will be tested. The farmers are very much encouraged as to the crop prospects, and if this favorble weather continues it will not be long before they will have a fine crop harvested.

BADGER.

It is yet too wet for farmers to do good work in the fields.

Miss Fabeola Dubuque spent Sunday with Miss Zelia Quesnell.

Frank E. Hunt and family, of Red Lake Falls, passed through this section last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Montreiel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dubuque, Edward Montreiel and Miss Sauve, of Crookston, Sunday.

Snapshots by Lamplight.

Instantaneous photographs, as every amateur knows, give the most lifelike and natural portrait effects. They usually require bright sunlight, which is apt to spoil the portrait by distorting the face, but a French invention is now reported by which they may be taken in a studio by artificial light. Anyone, however, may at any time take golden grain belt beer with equal benefit to the system. It builds up mental and physical strength and is a very delicious and refreshing drink. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

WOMAN'S COLUMN.

Newsy Items to Interest the Fair Sex.

Helen Keller's book has been translated into twelve different languages.

A kettle with a smoky bottom will take as long again to boil as a clean one.

A woman should not be afraid to say the pleasant things that rise to her lips.

Lady Marcus Beresford, who founded the English Cat Club, has about 150 felines.

Marion Martineau says you can make your arms plump by rubbing olive oil into them.

Four hundred and fifty millions of heathen women must be reached and saved by women.

Before naming a baby girl, pause long enough to wonder how it will sound when she is sixty.

A New York girl who after being jilted vowed that she would find a husband within a month got him in fifteen days.

The distinction of being the only woman city clerk in the state of Iowa belongs to Miss Estella Gordon of Centerville.

The will of Mrs. Almira Karme of Kalamazoo, Mich, provides for a trust fund of $10,000 to be used to feed tramps.

Chicago's superintendent of compulsory education declares that woman is destined to be the ruling sex in commercialism.

It has been discovered that the girl who mispells her name to make it "fancy" never helps her mother with the housework.

"I do not know which is the worse, a visitor with a pronounced opinion, or one who has no views at all," said a charming matron.

When sitting, don't sag. This is an ungraceful habit and one that is easily acquired. It's a habit of laziness' too—and a damage to the lungs.

There are various causes for the circles under the eyes. Loss of sleep, worry, constitutional trobules, etc. Try to discover the cause and treat the cause.

Mrs. J. H. Rhodes, the first woman in Misouri to secure a hunter's license, is an expert rifle and wing shot, excelling her husband, Missouri's game warden.

Mrs. Freda Ehrmann of Oroville, Cal., has an exhibit of olive oil at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. She is said to control the olive trade of northern California.

One of the most successful young business women in the country is Miss W. S. Pratt of Atlantic, Ga., who is said to be the only woman south of Chicago in the lumber trade.

Japanese women now have, under the new civil code, property rights and privileges of divorce, which put them nearly on a par with women in England or the United States in those respects.

The arbiters of fashion in the French capital have decided that the elbow sleeve is no longer "good form" and must be abandoned. This means the long glove, too, must go, to the great delight of girls whose arms do not fill out these coverings.

It has been necessary to employ extra guards at the New Jersey penitentiary to keep women from flirting with the convicts. It will be safe, however, to continue to believe that the world would soon go to the bad if there were no women in it.

Never enter a sickroom in a state of perspiration (to remain for any time) for when the body becomes cold it is in a state likely to absorb the infection. Nor visit a sick person—if the complaint be of a contagious nature—with an empty stomach. In attending a sick person, do not stand between the sick person and any fire that may be in the room, as the heat of the fire will draw the infectious vapor in that direction.

To tell the truth, however much women may inveigh against marital authority, all women more or less enjoy being governed, not tyrannized over, but looked out for, and relieved of responsibility by some one whom they love and who loves them. There is not a woman living who does not, in her heart, delight in being governed, provided the rule is tender and just, and is exercised by the man to whom she has given her heart. Only a hopelessly weak and foolish woman ever rebels.—Helen Oldfield.

A specialist in corsets says that the figure of this year is higher than that of last year. And the indications show that next year's figure will be higher busted still. This, however, does not infer that the corset of that shape pushes the figure out of place or brings the woman who has just begun to feel her freedom into trammels again. It merely means that a woman must learn to stretch her body and stiffen her muscles grow tense you will have all the requirements for a high corset.

"Women are responsible for much of the drunkeness that exists in America," was the statement made by that well known club woman, Mrs. Maria C. Weed, recently at a meeting of the Frances E. Willard union in New York. Her paper on "The Psychology of Dipsomania" dealt with drunkenness as a disease of the nerves, and she stated: "Women are responsible for the condition of nerves that breeds drunkenness.. They sit over embroidery or some other sort of work until their nerves are all aquiver, and you can hear them say: "I'm an absolute bundle of nerves.' When a woman makes such a remark she confesses to any state between hysteria and insanity, and her boys are as certain to go to liquor as they are to go to school."

Shorthand Class.

I have decided to organize a class for the study of shorthand to begin about September 15th, 1905. My duties as Court Reporter necessitates my teaching evenings only and the class, consequently, must be limited, so if you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of learning shorthand from one who has had a practical knowledge of the art for over ten years, write or call on,

Chas. M. Lohn, Crookston, Minn.,
Official Court Reporter,
14th Judicial District, Minn.

The Era of Noise.

What an age of noise this is! Do you know any single human being who is capable of being silent for an hour at a stretch? I know two, and I value them according to their rarity. Not only does everybody talk, but almost everybody talks loud. I went into a shop the other day, and the clatter of conversation sounded as though the place were full of people. Yet all the noise was produced by three individuals. Why should they shout?—London Truth.

The Classes In England.

In England the upper class gambles, but does not drink; the middle class drinks, but does not gamble, and the lower class both drinks and gambles. It is a characteristic circumstance that the upper class makes laws to prevent the lower class from gambling and that the lower class is in favor of legislation to prevent the upper class from drinking.

Great Inducements.

Gyer—Fitzem, the clothier, is advertising a silk umbrella with each twenty dollar overcoat he sells. Mrs. Gyer—That's nothing. Bloom, the florist, is giving away the earth with each plant he sells.—Chicago News.

Papa's Own Idea.

She—Darling, we must elope. He—But surely your father has no objections to— She—None whatever. He suggested it, in fact. He says it will be cheaper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

Stilwater Binder Twine

I have just received a carload which I will sell at the following low prices for cash:

Standard - - - - 10c
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One-half cent more on twine until fall. This twine is guaranteed by the state to be first-class as to length, strength and working quality. Get in your orders before it is all gone as it will not last long. We sell Deering, Champion and Milwaukee binders and the repairs for same.

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Our Savings Dep't. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us, ranging from $1.00 to $200. These are savings accounts and are continually growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. Don't put off any longer. Open a savings account with us.

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TEACHER AND SCHOLAR BUSY

Public Schools of the City are in Session and are Thoroughly Organized—Large Attendance.

The public schools convened Tuesday morning after a three months vacation, and are running as smoothly as though they had been in session for months. The attendance is large, every room and grade being well filled. The number of scholars will be announced next week. The Washington school is being held at the opera house on the North Side, where the scholars will meet until the new school building is ready for occupancy. There are several new faces among the teachers, as the following list shows:

LAFAYETTE SCHOOL.

E. W. Chamberlain, Superintendent;

Miss Ella Hanson, principal;

H. R. Tonning, science and mathematics;

Miss Grace Allan, history and German;

The four instructors above have charge of the high school and eight grade work.

Miss Alice Caughlan, 6th and 7th grades;

Miss Eliza Turdo, 5th;

Miss Bertha Norby, 3d and 4th;

Mrs. J. J. Doe. 2nd;

Miss Ada E. Foote, 1st.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL.

Lee E. Healy, principal;

Miss Ellen Brady, 3d and 4th;

Miss Pauline Nieland, 2d;

Miss Henrietta Hennemuth, 1st.

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to anyone who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

GOOD ATTENDANCE.

St. Joseph's School Begins Monday with About 150 Scholars.

Monday morning St. Joseph's school began the school year with about 150 scholars. This number will be materially increased during the next month when a number of pupils will join the school after fall work is out of the way.

The school has five teachers this year as follows: Sister Visula, Principal and teacher of the 7th and 8th grades; Sister Demetria, 5th and 6th grades; Sister Borromeo, 3rd and 4th grades; Sister Baptiste, 1st and 2d grades; Sister Cecilia, music teacher. All of the teachers have bad a number of years experience in school work, and the school will make great strides the coming year.

A North Side Improvement.

Material is on the ground for a new place of business for John Deutschman on the North Side. The building is to be of brick, 25x50 feet, one story high. The front will be of pressed brick and the building will not only make Mr. Deutschman a commodious and pleasant place of business but will be an ornament to that section of the city as well.

Ant as a Medicine.

Having thoroughly exploited the curative powers of the bee, writers have now apparently turned to the ant. The latter like the former, owes its medical virtues to the formic acid that it contains. But while the living bee is able to administer a hypodernic injection of the drug, the ant must be killed in order to get it. If we are to judge from some recent French investigations formic acid is likely to prove valuable as a stimulant and tonic, but nothing equals golden grain belt beer as a refreshing and toning drink. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

MARRIED TEN YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen Celebrate Their 10th Wedding Anniversary.

Monday was the tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen. In the evening a number of friends from this city and Thief River Falls met at their home and celebrated the event in a befitting manner. The evening was spent in social chat and refreshments were served. Before the party broke up the Mr. and Mrs. Hansen were presented with a dozen beautiful cut glass tumblers. The worthy couple have hosts of friends throughout the county who will wish them continued happiness and prosperity, and who hope they may celebrate many anniversaries to come.

Monday was also the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt, they having been married twenty-seven years. Those who attended the party Monday evening presented them with a cut glass fruit dish as a token of esteem and as a reminder of the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt have been residents of this section for a number of years and their friends are numbered by the score. May they enjoy many years of happiness is the wish of all.

Band Concert.

The weekly band concert will be given tomorrow evening, beginning at 7;15. The following is the program:

1, Durch Kampf zum Sieg.......Blom
2. Hearts Courageous, walfz....Blanke
3. Twilight Whispers......Laurendeau
4. Two Thoughts.............Strong
5. Maritana........ ,........Wallace
6, Old Folks at Home..........Dalbey
7. March, Coasititution......Henninger

The concert will begin at 7:15 sharp and will be finished before the entertainment at the opera house begins.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

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A CHEAP ROAD GRADER

The Split Log Idea is Attracting Attention Throughout the Country—Is Worth Consideration.

The newspapers of the northwest have devoted considerable space during the past year to agitating the subject of good roads, and have printed numerous reports regarding the efficiency of the "split log drag." No subject is of greater importance than good roads and the following relative to the split log drag from the Pioneer Press shows the importance attached to that contrivance all over the country. "D. Ward King, of Maitland, Mo., held a noonday meeting at the Commercial Club yesterday in the interest of good roads. The subject of his talk was "Good Roads Without Money" and by his forcible manner of putting the case won many converts to his method of road repairing.

"City Engineer Rundlett was an interesting listener and at the conclusion of Mr. King's remarks heartily indorsed all that had been said. President A. B. Stickney of the Chicago Great Western explained that Mr. King was not present to sell any patent right, but simply in the interest of good roads. He has been engaged by the Maple Leaf road to travel through Iowa for the purpose of instructing the farmers in his method of caring for roads. Mr. Stickney believes the revenue of his road will be increased when it is made more accessible by means of good roads to the interior districts over which farmers can easily haul their products.

"The apparatus used by Mr. King in converting an impassable road into a good highway costs only 75 cents and can be manufactured at home. It consists of two split logs fastened together in a parallel position about two feet apart. A team of good horses can drag this machine over a country road and render it as level as a parlor floor.

"The split-log drag is drawn at an angle of 45 degrees so that the dirt is scraped toward the middle thus creating a crown for drainage purposes. All ruts are eliminated from the roadbed, and the elimination of ruts is the important factor in making a good road. When there are no familiar ruts to travel in, the farmers must pay more attention to his team and the traffic is distributed over the entire surface of the roadbed.

"Mr. King was to have made a demonstration on one of the city streets, but the rain interfered with that part of the program. Mr. King will be at the state fair all of next week, where he will give daily lectures and demonstrations. It is hoped in this way to bring the matter of good roads before a great many of the farmers of the state.

"City Engineer Rundiett stated that his department had constructed a half dozen of the drags and was about to order many more built, and it is probable that they will be tested on the summit avenue gravel."

The Gossips Whisper

That judicious love-making is a very proper caper.

That wheat around here has the big head this year.

That society is largely a worship of the almighty dollar.

That a good deal of religion is only denominational prejudice.

That sterling worth is recognized just the same wherever it is.

That the slot machines are doing a bigger business than anybody,

That the world has greater need of good livers than it has of good preachers,

That love is woman's entire being, and love-making is the larger part of a girl's life.

That when two can be alone on lover's lane, one can always be together says a Red Lake Falls bachelor.

That our young men are all expectancy. A new corps of pretty school ma'ams arrived in the city the past week.

NEW FACTORY.

Brunelle Bros. Will Manufactura Cigars in the Near Future.

Albert and Clem Brunelle will engage in the cigar business and expect to begin operations next week. They will occupy the building recently vacated by the Bourdon Land Co., and will manufacture nothing but first-class goods. Two new brands will be put on the market and nothing will be left undone to make them the very best. High grade tobacco will be used and as "Butch" and Clem are first class workmen there is every reason to believe their goods will meet with favor by all lovers of a good smoke.

The boys are deserving of a good patronage, and there is no doubt but what their efforts will be appreciated by all of our citizens. It will probably be two or three weeks before their cigars will be on the market and the coming of the new brands will be anxiously awaited by all smokers.

TILE THE FARM.

Would Increase the Value of Land Fifty Dollars an Acre.

Two Illinois gentlemen recently visited the Red River Valley and expressed themselves as highly pleased with the fertility of the soil and said it surpassed in richness anything in Illinois. One of the gentlemen said: "We can raise as much grain per acre in Illinois as you can here and depend upon a crop with greater sureity, but that is because we have our land tiled. Land that was worth from fifty to sixty dollars per acre before being tiled is now worth from one hundred fifty to two hundred dollars and it would make a great difference in your land here. When I first came to Illinois, about twenty years ago, I drove over swamp land where the water stood three feet deep at times, and this water has been put three feet below the surface by our system of tiling and drainage and the land today is worth one hundred and fifty dollars per acre."

Red River Valley soil is particularly adapted to tiling because of the porous nature of the clay subsoil. Mr. Lamberson, a large land owner near Warren has done considerable tiling and reports the venture a marked success. A striking difference can be noticed in growing grain planted adjoining fields on his farm where the land has been tiled in one field and not in another, the grain in the tiled land showing up a great deal higher and better in quality. Mr. Lambertson's tiling cost about eight dollars per acre.

Lost.

Some weeks ago, a black and white English setter bird dog. Any information as to the dog's whereabouts will be rewarded at the Bank of Red Lake Falls. P. O. FLOAN.

School supplies of all kinds can be found at Reichert's drug store.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

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Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson,

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The Courier Stationery Store.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS ORGANIZE

County Sunday School Association the Result of Last Week's Institute.

The Sunday School Institute held last week at the Presbyterian church in this city was attended by about fifteen delegates from outside the city, Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and Fertile being represented. The program, which was in charge of Mrs. Hobart, of Minneapolis, dealt with modern methods of religious instruction, and was the source of much knowledge and instruction to all who attended the meetings.

The delegates became so interested in the work that a Red Lake County Sunday School Association was organized, which will promote similar meetings in the future. It is the intention to hold the next meeting at St. Hilaire the week preceeding Easter. The following were elected officers of the new organization: Pres., Rev. H. W. Knox, Red Lake Falls; Secretary, E. W. Chamberlain, Red Lake Falls; Treasurer, Claire Baker, Thief River Falls; Primary Secretary, Mrs. D. J. McNiven, Thief River Falls. In addition to these officers each city in the county will elect a vice president.

The new organization starts out under the most favorable conditions and there is no doubt but what it will be the means of being a great help to Sunday school work throughout the county.

CUT THE WEEDS.

A Citizen Suggests That the Weeds Along the Streets be Cut.

A citizen remarked recently that the city council ought to have the weeds along the streets cut. In many places the gutters and sides of the streets along the boulevards have grown to weeds. If property owners keep their lawns and boulevards clean they have performed their duty as citizens. The gentleman suggested that the council be urged to run the grader along the sides of the streets and clean out the grass and weeds. It would only be necessary to do this occasionally and the appearance of the town would be greatly improved. With all the wet weather there are not so many unsightly patches of weeds on vacant lots and along the sides of the streets as usual. It was suggested that a little effort on the part of the city authorities and the citizens a still further improvement might be accomplished.

The Fergus Falls Journal has the following to say along this line;

"About September first, road overseers in every district in the county ought to have the big weeds and brush cut along the high ways on all the prairie roads. It will not take much work, and will save a lot of floundering through snow drifts next winter. The laws of the state provide for this cutting of weeds. A rule among land owners for each one to keep clean all summer the road side abutting his premises would be a fine thing and one that would greatly improve the looks of the rural landscape."

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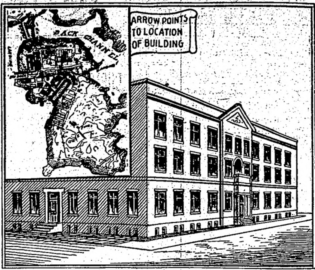

ARROW POINTS TO LOCATION OF BUILDING

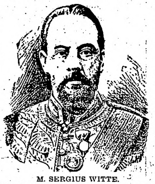
Building at Portsmouth, N. H., Where the Russian and Japanese Plenipotentiaries Agreed Upon Terms for Ending the War.

ficial confirmation. This reached him at 2:20 p. m. in a cipher dispatch from Portsmouth. By authority and at the request of Baron Komura, the chief envoy of Japan, the dispatch stated:

"The plenipotentiaries of Japan have withdrawn their claim for reimbursement of war expenses, and an agreement has been reached as to the partition of the island of Sakhalin. All main points have been definitely settled. The plenipotentiaries will now proceed with discussion of details."

Crowned Heads Wire Roosevelt.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Crowned heads of the world unite with distinguished statesmen of America and Europe in according the glory of peace between Russia and Japan to President Roosevelt. Throughout Tuesday night and Wednesday telegrams of congratulations poured in upon the president in a great flood. They came from persons of high degree and of low, and from all quarters of the civilized world.



M. SERGIUS WITTE.
(Russian Peace Envoy Who Has Accepted Japan's Terms.)

Czar Thanks President.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 1.—News of the receipt by President Roosevelt of a cablegram of thanks and congratulations from Czar Nicholas has put the pessimists to utter rout. Those who could see no prospect of peace at any time during the conference, and who Wednesday predicted that Russia would repudiate the terms and plunge again into war, have had the last prop for their pessimism knocked from under them.

The cablegram received by the president at Oyster Bay is as follows:

"Peterhof, Alexandria, Aug. 31.—President Roosevelt: Accept my congratulations and warmest thanks for having brought the peace negotiations to a successful conclusion, owing to your personal energetic efforts. My country will gratefully recognize the great part you have played in the Portsmouth peace conference.

"NICHOLAS."

The Peace Terms.

Recognizing Japan's preponderating influence in Korea, but Japan to observe its territorial integrity and preserve the "open door" policy.

Mutual obligations to evacuate Manchuria, to restore Chinese sovereignty, and for the "open door" principle.

Russia surrenders to Japan its Liaotung leases, including Port Arthur and Dalny.

Railway from Quanchontze to Port Arthur and Newchwang to be surrendered to China, with limitation of the privileges obtained in 1896 by Mr. Rothstein and Prince Uhktomsky.

Agreement to divide Sakhalin, the surrender of which island Japan at firfist demanded.

Japan to have fishing rights on the Siberian coast.

The following demands were withdrawn by Japan:

For remuneration of Japan for cost of war (indemnity).

For surrender to Japan of interned warships.

For limiting Russia's naval power in the east.

Cost of the War.

War begun	Feb. 4, 1904
Duration (days)	527
Cost to Russia (estimated)	$1,875,000,000
Cost to Japan (estimated)	$1,500,000,000
Russia's casualties in battle	420,000
Japanese casualties in battle	170,000
Russian warships lost or captured	73
Japanese warships lost	4
Value of Russian ships lost	$150,000,000
Value of Japanese ships lost	$12,000,000

DISASTER IN ENGLAND.

Train Leaves Track and Dashes Into Station Buildings—Ten Lives Lost.

Witham, England, Sept. 2.—As the express from London to Cromer, on the Great Eastern railway, was entering Witham station Friday morning, several passenger cars left the track and crashed into the station buildings, causing the death of ten persons, six of whom were women, and seriously injuring 20 people. The train was running at full speed, Witham not being a stopping place for the express. The third car from the engine was the first to leave the rails, and, mounting the platform, it dragged another car along. The first car went right across the platform, demolishing the buildings, and then falling on its side commenced to burn. There was only one passenger in the car, and, strangely, he escaped injury. Two other cars crashed into the wrecked station, and it was out of these that most of the killed and injured persons were taken.

FLY-WHEEL BURSTS.

Four Men Killed at the National Tube Company's Works in McKeesport, Pa.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 2.—Four men were killed, another is missing, and is supposed to have been blown to pieces, and three more were seriously injured Friday afternoon by the bursting of a fly wheel at the National Tube company, McKeesport, Pa. The explosion occurred Friday afternoon while over 400 men were at work in the mill. The wheel was 55 feet in diameter, and it went to pieces with a loud report, tearing a big hole in the side of the mill and wrecking thousands of dollars' worth of machinery. The explosion caused much excitement, and hundreds of people were attracted to the plant.

RECEPTION TO PRESIDENT.

Preparations in Washington for Demonstration in Honor of Mr. Roosevelt.

Washington, Sept. 2.—H. L. West, one of the commissioners of the District of Columbia, has notified President Roosevelt of the desire of the people of Washington to tender him a public reception upon his return here in recognition of his services in bringing the Portsmouth conference to a successful termination. The president does not object to the plans. He will be met here with even a more marked demonstration than the reception given him two years ago upon his return from the west. So far as plans have been suggested, they contemplate a street parade, but no speech making.

MET AN AWFUL FATE.

Aeronaut Blown to Pieces While Handling Dynamite in His Balloon.

Greenville, O., Sept. 1.—Aeronaut Baldwin, of Losantiville, Ind., on Thursday was blown to shreds with his balloon at a height of 2,000 feet. He was giving an exhibition of the use of dynamite from a balloon for war purposes and had three sticks of the explosive with him. When he was 2,000 feet in the air, in full sight of thousands of people attending the county fair, by some accident the dynamite exploded and the balloon and man were literally torn to fragments. Baldwin's wife was a witness of the horrible scene.

A Western Tragedy.

Tonopah, Nev., Sept. 2.—R. D. Chase, alias Russell, formerly of Cherokee, Ia., shot and killed Allie Watson and then fired a bullet into his own brain, inflicting a fatal wound. He left a note saying that he leaves a wife and two children at Englewood, a suburb of Chicago.

The Public Debt.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business August 31, 1905, the debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $1,005,524,595, which is an increase as compared with last month of $3,475,894.

Plans Another Yacht Race.

Glasgow, Sept. 2.—A newspaper here says that Emperor William is arranging for another transatlantic yacht race to be sailed in the summer of 1907.

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One of the surest signs of a weak heart is shortness of breath after exercise.

Your heart is not able to pump the blood fast enough to your lungs.

Some of the other symptoms of Heart Trouble are: Pains in the Side, Back and Shoulder; Fainting or Weak Spells; Dry Cough; Swelling of Feet and Ankles; Cold Feet or Hands.

No one can afford to allow a weak heart to go without medicine, because weak heart means poor circulation, and poor circulation means weak lungs, stomach, liver, kidneys, etc.

If, therefore, you suspect heart trouble, begin taking Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. The Heart Cure will do you good, as it is a splendid tonic for the blood and nerves, and will revitalize your entire system.

Finally, remember, Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold under a guarantee that the first bottle will do you good.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8, and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G., William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Meets every other Wednesday at M. W. A. hall.

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WAR IS ENDED

Agreement Reached by Russian and Japanese Envoys at Portsmouth.

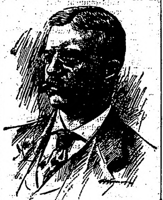
Mikado, Acting in Interest of Humanity, Yields All Disputed Points.

Waives Indemnity and Accepts Half of the Island of Sakhalin.

Czar and Mikado Have Consented to a Suspension of Hostilities.

Armistice Signed to Take Effect Upon the Signing of the Treaty by the Envoys.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 30.—The long and bloody war between Japan and Russia is ended. The terms of peace were settled by Mr. Witte and Baron Komura at the session of the conference Tuesday morning, and in the afternoon preliminary arrangements for an armistice were concluded, and the actual work of framing the "Treaty of Portsmouth" was by mutual agreement turned over to Mr. De Martens, Russia's great international lawyer, and Mr. Dennison, who for 25 years has acted as the legal advisor of the Japanese foreign office. The treaty is expected to be completed by the end of the week.



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.
(Whose Unceasing Efforts Have Resulted in Conclusion of Peace.)

For the sake of peace, the Japanese with a magnanimity worthy of their heroic achievements in this war, met the ultimatum of the czar and abandoned their demands, not only for reimbursement for the cost of the war, but for the repurchase of the northern half of Sakhalin, Russia at the same time agreeing to division of the island. The Japanese also withdrew articles 10 and 11 of the peace conditions originally proposed (demand for the surrender of the interned warships and limitation of the Russian naval power in the far east). Japan agreed that only that portion of the Chinese eastern railroad south of Chantfu, the position occupied by Oyama, should be ceded to Japan.

Tribute to the President.

Before leaving the conference building felicitations were exchanged with the president at Oyster Bay. Both Baron Komura and Mr. Witte telegraphed. The former confined himself to apprising Mr. Roosevelt of the conditions upon which peace had been concluded. Mr. Witte frankly laid his tribute at the president's feet. In his message he said: "History will ascribe to you the glory," and added the expression of Russia's hearty appreciation of the president's "generous initiative." Mr. Roosevelt replied with words of thanks and congratulation.

Armistice Agreed To.

Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 2.—An armistice has been signed to take effect after signature of the treaty. The delay in cessation of hostilities was due to refusal of Japan to consent to earlier time.

Japan refused to consent to the cessation of hostilities until the treaty of peace has been signed. The Russian plenipotentiaries, accompanied by their secretaries, called on Baron Komura and Mr. Takahira shortly after noon Friday and were in conference with them for half an hour. Japan having indicated Thursday night through Baron Komura her willingness for an armistice, Mr. Witte, supposed Friday that he would find them ready to sign. Baron Komura explained that while his government was ready to consent to an armistice, his instructions were that this should not take effect until after the signing of the treaty. The discussion lasted for half an hour, the Russian position being that Japan's contention was without precedent, and that if the armistice was not to take effect until the signing of the treaty, it was practically unnecessary. However, the Japanese were insistent and an agreement was accordingly entered into, providing for an armistice which shall take effect the moment the treaty is signed.

Effect of the Armistice.

The effect of an armistice concluded Friday is that it becomes operative only upon the signature of the treaty by the plenipotentiaries and continues until the final exchange of ratification of the emperors of the two countries. It is for this reason that the plenipotentiaries who will themselves convey to their respective capitols the momentous document which to become binding must receive the signatures of their respective emperors, are anxious to leave at the earliest possible date, foregoing the innumerable invitations which have been showered upon them.

Why Japan Yielded.

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 31.—The following statement of the Japanese argument which governed their decision to waive the question of indemnity can be accepted as authoritative: Japan realized fully she was making a sacrifice for peace, but she was looking to the future. It was not a question of whether the war could be successfully continued, but of whether peace was not now more advantageous to Japan. Japan had already gained all she fought for. It was only the "spoils of war" that remained, and having achieved the real objects of the war she could afford to forego the spoils rather than be placed in the position of fighting for money. While Japan believed she was entitled to the spoils, she felt that her position was so strong, her successes so complete, that she could yield without detracting from the force of her victory.

Witte's Note to the Czar.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—The following is the text of Mr. Witte's cablegram to Emperor Nicholas, announcing peace:

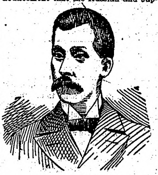
"I have the honor to report to your majesty that Japan has agreed to your demands concerning the conditions of peace, and that consequently peace will be established, thanks to your wise and firm decision and in strict conformity with the instructions of your majesty.

"Russia will remain in the far east the great power which she has hitherto and will be forever.

"We have applied to the execution of your orders all our intelligence and our Russian hearts. We beg your majesty mercifully forgive that we have been unable to do more."

President Receives Joyful Tidings

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 30.—In his library at Sagamore Hill, President Roosevelt shortly before one o'clock Tuesday afternoon received the announcement that the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries at Portsmouth had reached an agreement, and would proceed at once to conclude the terms of a treaty of peace. The announcement had not been expected Tuesday. The president at no time during the negotiations pending had abandoned hope of a successful issue of the conference, but he had realized more clearly than any other one man in the world the enormous difficulties which confronted the envoys in their deliberations.



BARON KOMURA.
(Chief Peace Plenipotentiary of the Mikado.)

The first word came over the telephone, but the president while expressing himself as extremely gratified, hesitated to place too much reliance in the report, preferring to await of-

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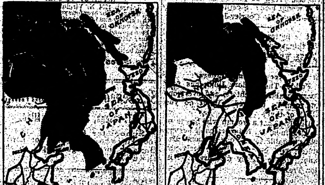

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THE BIG FAIR BREAKS RECORD

MINNESOTA EXPOSITION OPENS WITH A BLAZE OF BRILLIANCY AND GLORY.

The Crowd on the Ground was Largest in History of the Fair, Being 75,000. Dan Patch Breaks the Track Record.

Minneapolis, Sept. 5.—Minnesota's great state fair was opened yesterday. The attendance record was broken. Dan Patch broke the track record, making the mile in 1:59¼. The agriculturists, manufacturers and others broke the record for the greatest and best industrial exposition of its kind in the history of such expositions. The crowd broke the record for good nature. There is nothing left to stand before the 1905 opening day at the Minnesota state fair. That is yesterday's story in a nutshell.

There were 75,000 people on the grounds yesterday. It was thought that the opening day record of two years ago might be topped but nobody had an idea that the attendance would break all prior records, not only for opening day, but for any day of the week. But that is what was done. There were more than 75,000 people on the grounds. That many went through the turnstiles, to say nothing of the small army of men and women, employes and helpers about the grounds, who have made their home there the past week. The grounds were literally packed with humanity, and even with upward of 50,000 people watching the races in the afternoon, a very respecable crowd was distributed through the buildings, barns and over the grounds viewing the exhibits.

The turnstile at 6 o'clock last night showed that 58,936 people had passed through the gates. No separate record of the evening attendance was kept, but it was estimated that at least 16,000 more visited grounds making a grand total of 75,000 for the day.

The attendance on opening day in 1904 was 16,369 and in 1903 it was 32,384. The 1903 opening day attendance broke the record and was counted a very respectable crowd for the first day at a state fair.

A FIERCE STORM

Sweeps Over Lake Superior Doing Damage to Shipping and Navigation.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 4.—A fierce gale prevailed on Lake Superior the worst of the season. A fifty mile wind blew all day Saturday and continued throuh the night.

The steamer Samuel Mather started down the lakes and when off Knife Island eighteen miles out, a watchman, John Lindquist, of Cleveland, was washed overboard and drowned.

The big steel steamer D. M. Clemson which cleared from Duluth with ore for South Chicago had a terrible experience. Some of her hatches were torn off, billows poured into the hold and the cargo shifted. She put about and came to Two Harbors, arriving there with a four foot list and only two feet of free board. It is said she came near foundering.

The Penobscot was ashore in Allouez bay, but was released.

The steamer Northwind as she was entering the harbor was thrown by the waves against the pier and a hole was stove in her bow causing her to sink in twenty feet of water.

Ashland, Wis., Sept. 4.—Eleven of the crew of the steamer Sevona were drowned by the wreck of the steel steamer on York Island in Lake Superior Friday night. Eleven others were rescued including the remainder of the crew and four women.

The story of the disaster is a thrilling tale of shipwreck such has seldom been told, tempestuous though the record of the Great Lakes has been.

Six of the dead offered their lives as sacrifice for others on board the ill-fated ship. They took a faint chance of rescue—and lost. Of those for whom they gave their lives five are dead. The rest reached shore after a night of buffeting by the waves in an open boat and a trip of more than twenty-four hours through the wilderness of Northern Wisconsin.

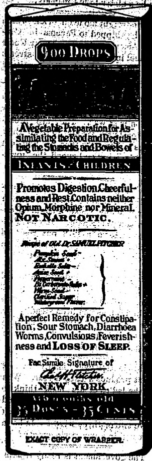
Suicide.

Minneapolis, Sept. 5.—The lifeless body of a young and pretty woman hanging by a shawl strap from the limb of a huge oak tree was the startling discovery made by John Simons, 3,000 Thomas avenue north, as he was strolling through the woods between Thirty-second and Penn avenues, north, near Crystal Lake avenue, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Simons was hunting rabbits, when he came across foot-prints made by a woman. He followed them until they led him to the oak tree. He turned and fled in honor.

Want Them Tried.

Lawrence, Kan., Sept. 1.—A movement growing out of the annual reunion of the Quantrell raid survivors held at Independence, Mo., has been started here to have the men who have been indicted for the famous raid brought here for trial because of their alleged inflammatory utterances.

In Nov. 18, 1863, the grand jury returned twenty-three indictments for murder in the first degree against the raiders. Under the law these indictments do not outlaw, and now many citizens want them revived.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THE attendance at the state fair is exceeding that of any previous year. On the opening day 75,000 people were admitted at the gates, and this beats the record of any previous day in the history of the fair.

THE state board of equalization is in session at St. Paul, and some of the people are due to have their tax raised. The assessment as left by the county boards is considerably less than the figures of the state board last year. However, there is no evidence that the state is poorer, nothwithstanding a Democratic administration.

THEY are forming all sorts of political combinations up in the sixth district, and after the offices are satisfactorily apportioned there will not be many places left for the balance of the state. It seems Congressman Buckman wants to be returned to congress, and is willing that Ripley Brower should be governor and A. L. Cole speaker of the house. If any other congressional candidates appear it is likely some other soft berths will be pounced upon. It would appear that Mr. Buckman does not court opposition at the primaries.

The Czar of Russia has $25,000,000 invested in English securities and $6.000,000 invested in American rails and coal.

A Boston spinster has written a novel which she calls "Paradise,"It contains many more male than female characters.

The Chinese government has sent a circular to all mandarins and governors and they say they have never heard of such a thing as an American boycott.

Luther Burbank, the plant world wizard, now expects to produce cobless corn. If Mr. Burbank believes he can replace the roasting ear from the esteem of this country he is mistaken.

And now the Sultan of Zulu wants Miss Alice Roosevelt as his bride. What do you suppose she said? We'll wager she was equal to the occasion and told him she could only be a sister to his majesty.

The freight alone on brick which will be shipped to Panama in Central America with which your Uncle Samuel intends to pave the streets and thus put the city in a sanitary condition, amounts to $45,000.

M. Witte says many of the Russian people are unaware that their nation is at war. They are probably too busy trying to raise their taxes to have any time to find out what is going on beyond the township lines.

All the states in the union prescribe the death penalty for murder except Maine, Rhode Island, Michigan and Wisconsin. It was abolished in Iowa in 1872 but restored in 1878. It was also abolished in Colorado but restored in 1901.

Census bureau bulletin prepared by Prof. W. F. Wilcox of Cornell declares that the birth rate in the United States has been steadily declinnig since 1860. Everybody knows that, but why do they not propose a remedy for the same?

Dowie says every family in Zion must produce a baby a year. What do the ladies of his flock think of that? The next thing he will be advocating that men of his flock should have two or three wives. Is he interested in a paregoric factory?

The government is really treating the farmer more liberally than it is the resident of the small town. It delivers his mail to the farmer, small matter now where he lives, and does it every day, while the resident of the small town has to get his mail the best he can.

There is a scad of inferior draft horses being imported into the country, $200 plugs which are being sold for $2000 here on the ground that they are imported stock. A lot of Belgian horses recently shipped here cost the buyer in Belgium less than $200 each and were so poor a lot that the owner would not allow them to be photographed by an American as they were being put on the ship.

A resident of Great Falls, Mont., has either made one of the greatest discoveries of the age in agriculture or he is one of the biggest fakirs of the times, who claims to have discovered a perfected a process by which on acre of ground will preduce thirty thousand bushels of potatoes every sixty days which means six crops per year. This man claims potatoes be raised entirely underground one layer on top of another to the depth of fifteen feet not even the vines appearing above ground with this process he has patented, which is a composition that likely takes the place of soil.

To a large extent the papers of a town are responsible for the good name of a town. Nearly every city contains objectionable features, at least in the estimation of some of its citizens, but the wisdom of condemning ourselves in the eyes of the world every time something or some condition arises to our individual displeasure is very questionable. To run down our own city is poor policy, rather had we better stand up for our town, even though conditions, socially and otherwise be not to our liking. It is not neccessary that we close our eyes to these conditions, rather that we work quietly to their betterment.

Improvement of the Human Race.

To make the human race physically and morally perfect, and to accomplish this end by rearing children by the application of scientific principles which have wrought miracles with plants, is the one great ambition of Luther Burbank, the famous California horticulturist.

Mr. Burbank believes that every person could become physically, spiritually and morally perfect if subjected to the same care and treatment which he has given the plants. The natures of growing children, he said in an interview with Dr. James W. Lee of St. Louis, should be brought in relation with all the elements in their environment to which they are potentially responsive."

Burbank declares that plants, weeds and trees are responsive to only a few influences in their environment, while children are infinitely more responsive and a failure to recognize a certain failure to recognize certain spiritual elements in their surroundings has been the fatal lack of dealing with growing children.

Dr. Lee told Burbank that some 60,000 waifs had been educated in London homes in the last few years and only 2 per cent of them had turned out bad. This was due to Thos. J. Bernardo of London, and Burbank replied that he was doing the same thing with plants that Bernardo was doing with children. Burbank hopes he may be able to duplicate the work of Bernardo and carry it farther.

Dr. Gertrude Bodfish, president of the Ladies Physiological Institute, says: "The only way the human race can be improved is by carefully reared children; yes, call them scientifically cultured, if you choose. We are raising criminals now, just as fast as we can. A perfect marriage is the beginning. I believe, with Mr. Burbank, that children should be raised by the same scientific methods that plants are."

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Fire gets the Backus saw mill.

The Blackduck Times has a poet.

Akeley keeps a policeman in its park.

Long Prairie has a farmers' elevator.

Breckenridge is just recovering from a street fair.

Grand Rapids has a pain where its creamery ought to be.

The Walker papers are chock full of mortgage foreclosure sales.

Johnnie and all his neighbors are out with their guns this week.

Rosseau county has 875 hogs, the few of the human breed excluded.

Fine, large, fat mosquitoes are still busy in Northern Minnesota.

Warren is exhibiting two car loads of fat cattle at the state fair this week.

Morehead had a little drainage convention of its own one day last week.

The county rural route system is getting popular in this part of the state.

Polk county has $2000 worth of old warrants that nobody calls to claim.

Page advs are drawing trade for the Deer River merchants. Nothing like it.

Wadena county recently paid a little over seven thousand for four ditches.

Ada recently purchased one hundred car loads of gravel for its streets.

Grand Rapids and Deer River recently "played" a game of ball. Only 24 scores were made.

The Bemidji Pioneer says there is plenty of brains in publishing but too little muscle in printing the Mentor Herald.

Considerable hemp was planted in the vicinity of Crookston this year and the farmers who went into this kind of crop are jubilant. The wet weather of the past season has been of great benefit to the stalky plants and a height of ten feet has been attained in many fields.

Beef Tea.

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small, country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

The Suburban Home.

The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours; there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last; there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A Looking Glass.

Mr. Crittick—Miss Artz tells me she does most of her painting now on glass.

Miss Spertz—I think she means with the aid of a glass.—Exchange.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possessed only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

It Ought To.

McFlub—I see a French scientist is advocating the wearing of wooden clothes. How do you think a wooden suit would look? Sleeth—Rather knobby.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is better to be able to appreciate the things we cannot have than to have things we are unable to appreciate.—Anon.

Strength In Numbers.

Fuddy—The Widow Jinks has four marriageable daughters, and every one of them is engaged. What do you think of that?

Daddy—That a woman who has to be mother-in-law to four men can't be very objectionable to any one of them. Her duties will be too diffuse, don't you know, to be rigidly discharged.—Boston Transcript.

Deceive In the Wrong Place.

"I'll take no chances," declared the young man firmly.

Did this cause the people to commend him as a prudent young fellow?

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Fire Warning.

The forest preservation law of Minnesota requires that an abstract of the penalties as furnished by the Forest Commissioner be published by the County Commissioners in the official paper of their county, and the same is accordingly hereby published.

State of Minnesota, office of Forest Commissioner.

St. Paul, Minn., March 30, 1905

Chapter 196 of the General Laws of Minnesota 1895, as amended by Chapter 363 of the General Laws, 1903, provides that any person who sets fire dangerously near forest or prairie land and leaves it unquenched shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Town supervisors, village presidents and mayors of cities are fire warden is suffer to go to the place of danger to control the fire he is liable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Any male person over eighteen years of age who, without reasonable excuse, refuses when called upon to assist is liable to similiar punishment. Railroad companies neglecting to keep their right of way clear of combustible material or to extinguish fire along their line or to post at their stations in the the vicinity of orest or prajre land the notices furnished by the Forest Commissioner, are fiable to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars. Any person who defaces, destroys or removes a notice, posted in obedience tot said law, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months. Fire wardens are expressly required by the law to prosecute its violations.

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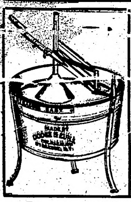

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

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How many chickens did you get?

A. Sutter will ship a car of cattle to St. Paul this evening.

W. B. Cheshire, of Brooks, was a visitor of this city Monday.

Dr. J. E. Argue was at St. Hilaire the first of the week on a professional trip.

J. B. Armstrong made a brief business trip to the twin cities this week.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer, was a business caller at the court house Monday.

F. J. Parker, of Marshall, was here over Sunday with a party of land seekers.

Miss Dora Marchund commenced a term of school in Badger Monday morning.

Harry Healy and Sam'l Hunt leave this evening for St. Paul to be gone over Sunday.

W. A. Schreiter was at Thief River Falls yesterday looking after business interests.

Street Commissioner Deforge has put in some new street crossings the past week.

John Grady left Tuesday for South Dakota to look after a farm he ownes in that section.

The New Bakery is quoting some interesting prices on fruit this week in their new adv.

Mrs. Geo. Jarman and son, of Thief River Falls, visited friends in this city last week.

The local banks and the post office were closed Monday on account of its being labor day.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy left Friday for Lake City where she will visit her parents for a few weeks.

Harry Healy and Clem Brunelle were at Key West yesterday on a duck hunting expedition.

Dupont & Sons, of Terrebone, shipped three cars of cattle to the cities this week over the N. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boughton left Saturday for the cities and will take in the state fair this week.

County Treasurer Hansen was at Thief River Falls between trains Monday. He owns real estate in that town and went up to look after it.

Mrs. Bourque and son Jennings, of Lambert, are in the city visiting their mother, Mrs. P. Botteneau.

Hundreds of men are making their way to the Dakotas these days to work during the threshing season.

R. D. Carr, editor of the Middle River Pioneer, passed through the city Tuesday evening on his way to Crookston.

Ex-county Treasurer O. T. Tanberg visited old friends and transacted business in this city the first of the week.

Electrician Smith has rented the Robt. Bourdon cottage and is getting it ready for his family who will arrive shortly.

Frank E. Hunt talks about washing machines in a new adv this week. It will be interesting reading to all housekeepers.

O. G. Clay, the Creat Northern's right-of-way agent, passed through the city Monday morning on his way to Greenbush.

Miss May Hamil, who was a guest of Miss Lillian Buse for several weeks, returned to her home at Grafton on Tuesday.

The Thorpe elevator people are building a new elevator at Sherack, a small station on the N. P. between here and the Forks.

Station Agent Mizen of the N. P. reports selling about a dozen tickets to the cities this week to parties attending the state fair.

Mrs. H. Bischoff passed through the city Tuesday evening on her way to Warren where she will teach school the coming year.

Roy Blake and Nitch Brunelle returned home yesterday from Warren where they had been for a few weeks working on an elevator.

E. G. Storaasli cashier of the Bank of Red Lake Falls, left Monday evening for Minneapolis and will remain this week taking in the state fair.

Miss Alice Higinbotham, of Forest City, Iowa, arrived in the city the first of the week and is the guest of her brother, V. M. Higinbotham.

Plummer Pioneer: W. G. Brown left on Wednesday for Crookston where he has the contract for building a new elevator and flour house for the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. He expected to get his crew together and start work on Thursday and will rush the job to an early finish.

The Busy Store has an interesting talk in this week's paper on cloaks and other fall goods. Look it up and get posted on styles and price.

Clarence Fisher, of Forest City, Iowa, was in the city Tuesday the guest of his uncle, V. M. Higinbotham. He left Wednesday morning for North Dakota to visit a brother.

Considerable grain has been cut the past week. It is said that a large portion of the crop will be out of the way within a few days if it does not rain.

Ducks are said to be numerous about Kep West and several of the hunters from this city have been enjoying great sport there the past week.

It is probable that a "Y" will be put in at the junction of the N. P. and Great Northern tracks south of the city some time this fall or early winter.

Wm. Holberg went to St. Paul Monday where he will receive medical treatment for his injured foot and will also take in the state fair this week.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Co. has purchased the Thorpe elevator at Dorothy and will have charge of the grain business at that station hereafter.

The county commissioners will meet in special session to-morrow. Several ditch petitions will be brought to the board's attention at that time.

T. Robillard and A. J. LaPlante left Tuesday evening for the west. They will visit Portland and will also go to North Yakimo where Mr. Robbillard has a son.

Miss Katherine Ford wishes to announce that she in prepared to show all the new creations in new fall and winter millinery. See the new line before purchasing.

Lost—A ladies set ring between the residence of Mrs. Hamry and the Detling home on the North Side. Finder kindly return to the COURIER office and receive reward.

Lous Ericson, our popular tailor, was at Thief River Falls between trains Monday. Mr. Ericson has been enjoying a good trade at the up-river town this season.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Sept. 2, 1905: Mrs. M. V. Coneir, Robert Bain, Herman T. Newhouse.

The Great Northern's work train is still here working diligently on the tracks of that company. It is thought the train crew will be kept here for some weeks to come.

The Big Store gives some timely suggestions in a new adv this week. All economical housewives will be greatly interested in the news given by this popular place of business.

Mrs. J. O. Gjerberg went to Crookston Monday evening to have an operation performed upon one of her eyes. She has been a sufferer from some disease of the eye for some time and it is to be hoped that she will find early relief.

School Will Quit

next winter before Xmas. some time. Between you and then the school children will need shoes—good shoes, as it will be too cold for children to go to school barefooted. Now we want to recommend you our Goodman & Budd Shoes. They are not only of good quality, the very best quality, but they are reasonable in price. We buy these from the largest shoe factory in the world and pay spot cash for them. You save from 10 to 25c a pair on them. We have a big stock of them in Kid or Velour Calf in single or double soles. This line ranges in price from 65c to $1.75 according to size. We run the Misses shoe up to size 6 with low heels.

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Special sale on Towels.

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See our cut glass (?.) The prices will surprise you.

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"Tip" Taylor returned to his St. Paul home the first of the week after a few days visit here with friends. While here he enjoyed a few days hunting.

If you have a patch of potatoes they should be dug immediately. Several parties have reported that the tubers are rotting and they should be dug in order to save them.

Pastor Knox will preach Sunday Morning on "The Holy Catholic Church," one of the series on the Apostles' Creed. This will be a defense of the protestant view of the church.

Miss Cora E. Nelson, formerly a teacher in the Red Lake Falls Schools, goes to Luverne this year; Miss May Blasing is returned to Milaca, and Miss Winifield Steele is principal at St. James.

See the emotionol actress Miss Laura Frakenfield in a special dramatization of Wilkie Collin's "New Magdalen" entitled "Her Double Life." Metropolitan opera house, Friday, Sept. 8th.

I. D. Converse, editor of the Cass Lake Times, was a Red Lake Falls visitor Tuesday. He reports Cass Lake as enjoying prosperity and predicts a good fall business for the citizens of that place.

Ada Herald: Marshall Field, the big Chicago department store man, stopped off at Plummer last week, drew his breath, said that town would be a second Chicago and then—moved on. No harm done.

O'Brien Bros. have a new adv. in this issue telling of the merits of the Majestic range. They are enjoying a good range trade and are continually reaching out for increased patronage on this popular stove.

The Sunday evening subject at the Presbyterian Church will be one of vital interest to every working man. "The Church and the Laboring Man." The Subjects of Socialism and Labor Unions will be considered.

Miss Maude Findeisen left last Thursday evening for Winona where she will attend the state normal school the coming year. Her mother accompanied her and the two ladies spent several days in Minneapolis before going on to Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson returned home the first of the week from their western trip. The Portland fair was visited, besides other interesting places of the west, and a most pleasant time is reported.

Pres. Howard Elliot, General Superintendent Ward and other prominent officials of the Northern Pacific, passed through this section of the country Tuesday on their way to Winnepeg on a tour of inspection.

Norman Schreiter left yesterday morning on the N. P. for Grand Forks. After visiting friends there and at Atwater for a few days he will go to Minneapolis and attend the state university the coming year.

Pierre Desrosiers and Louis Parenteau, of Terrebonne, are taking in the state fair this week. Mr. Desrosiers is one of the prosperous farmers of Terrebonne, while Mr. Parenteau is a cheese maker of wide reputation.

Father Ansgar was at Thief River Falls yesterday between trains. He reports himself as feeling much improved in health since his visit at a sanitarium at Milwaukee from which he returned about a week ago.

Mosquitoes have not been so numerous in years as during this season. Live stock is suffering and it keeps one busy fighting the pests. The extreme wet weather is said to be responsible for the large number of the insects.

Mesdames J. W. Eastman, P. W. Mabey, Henry Grundy, F. J. Stebbins and C. C. Jackson, of Thief River Falls, were here over Monday night to attend the tenth anniversary wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen. The ladies all returned Tuesday morning with the exception of Mrs. Stebbins who remained over another day for a visit with friends.

Numerous hunting parties have been out the past week. On the opening day of the season (Friday) a large number of our citizens were out, and it proved to be a most strenuous time. Most every rig broke down, and many were the tales of woe when the stranglers returned. The roads were in such bad condition that it was almost impossible to get through and the walking was very bad also. Some good bags of game were reported, but all agree that one has to work for all they get.

Crookston Times: Otto Zaiser, of Red Lake Falls, drove down from that place Sunday with George H. Wahl of the Wahl candy company Duluth who caught the train here for Duluth Sunday night. Mr. Zaiser on his way back to the falls very nearly experienced a disastrous runaway. The horses became frightened at the shooting of a chicken hunter and tore off at break neck speed. By hard work however they were stopped before serious damage was done to the rig or occupant. The accident occurred on the ridge straight east of town.

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NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

A Grand Chance.

A golden opportunity presents itself to the homeseeker in the sale of Minnesota state lands. Approximately 260,000 acres will be sold under the state laws of Minnesota and the terms on which this land is sold are such as to permit a man of small means to secure for himself a home of his own. The lands will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder. But 15 per cent of the purchase price needs to be paid at the time of sale. The balance may run for forty years at 4 per cent annual interest if desired. Bear in mind that the settler is dealing with the State of Minnesota and that the title to all state land is perfect, makes this an uncommon offer. The lands owned by the state of Minnesota are distributed particularly in the northern part of the state, some in rich wheat fields in the western portion of the state, and in the main, will grow anything that is indigenous to the soil, and this section is admittingly the most perfect dairying country in the United States. S. G. Iverson, the state auditor and land commissioner has charge of these sales and the locations of the lands, as well as specific terms of sale will be gladly furnished by him.

People Get Benefit.

Duluth.—The prices of kerosene and gasoline were reduced one-half a cent a gallon as a result of the recent decision of the state railroad and warehouse commission in ordering a reduction in shipping rates. The cut in prices mean a saving of $140,000 to the people of the state in the course of a year.

The state commission ordered shipments of oil in less than car lots be entered as fourth instead of third-class freight by the railroads. This reduction in rates resulted in a cut of half a cent a gallon on coal oil and gasoline throughout the state. The annual consumption of these products in Minnesota amounts to about 28,000,000 gallons, and it is from this the saving of money as a result of the warehouse commission's action is computed at $140,000 a year.

Fatalities.

Minneapolis.—The percentage of fatal accidents in factories, mills and workshops in Minnesota is increasing to a rather remarkable extent, according to a report issued by Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams, covering the accidents of the last six months.

Mr. Williams reports that 439 accidents occurred during the six months, and that of these forty-one, nearly 10 per cent, were fatal. The percentage of fatal accidents in 1004 was 6.02 per cent.

No reason is known for the increase in fatalities, and an investigation will probably be made. One of the objects of receiving reports on accidents is to enable the bureau to keep in touch with conditions in the factories, mills and workshops and to ascertain whether the laws of the state regarding the safeguarding of machinery are complied with.

Everlasting Ice Cream.

Minneapolis.—The state dairy and food commission has a sample of ice cream that possesses wonderful merits. It tastes deliciously, melts in the mouth almost as easily as butter, looks enticing, and retains all its splendid qualities just as well in a leather satchel as on a block of ice. It is the kind of product the housewife can buy a week before she gives an ice cream party or ladies' aid societies can keep what is left over from one ice cream social until the time time rolls around for a similar function.

J. G. Fowler, food inspector of the department, purchased this wonderful ice cream from one of Minneapolis most popular parlors. It was a composition of gelatin, starch and custard.

An Old Relic.

Red Wing.—Bernt Eide, while destroying the old sidewalk of the Schref property on Sixth street, found a relic of the time of the revolutionary war. While digging a few inches below the surface of the ground his attention was attracted by a glimmering bit of yellow lying partly buried in the dirt. Stooping over, he picked up a rare locket of old gold. Upon one side were some unknown designs, probably the motto or mark of some secret society, and on the opposite side appeared the name of "Horace Wilder" and the date "1776."

News Notes.

St. Paul—Charles Eckblade, suffered a fracture of his right thigh and and two ribs while at work in the American Hoist & Derrick works.

Winona—Frank A. Johnson, the bachelor capitalist of Winona, who has been a familiar figure on the streets of this city for a number of years, died at St. Mary's hospital in Rochester.

St. Paul—The residence of Timothy Foley, was damaged by fire to the extent of $7,000. The loss is covered by insurance amounting to $40,000.

Rushmore—Rushmore has voted to have a fourth room added to its school which will give the children of the vicinity regular high school work.

Dodge Center—During a storm lightning struck the dome of the public school house, shattering it somewhat, but doing no serious damage to the building.

Mankato—County Auditor Weaver has forwarded to Brown county the expense account of the third Koch trial, which foots up, exclusive of attorney hire, to $4,654.50.

St. Paul—Young men giving the names of William Johnson and J. Giroux, were shot while attempting, it is alleged, to break into the saloon of R. Connolly, Jackson and Acker streets.

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In Chesapeake bay, 125 miles south of Baltimore, with which city communication by boat three times a week may be depended upon during the summer season, is the strange Island of Tangier, so completely isolated from the usual lines of travel that it hardly seems possible that it can be a part of the state of Virginia. * * * Imagine if you can, writes Charles E. Fairman, in Four-Track News, an island about five miles long and three-fourths of a mile in width, with a population of nearly 1,500, where each house is connected with Chesapeake bay by a tiny canal; an island where the population has built homes along one narrow street but nine feet in width, without sidewalks, road-bed or gutter; an island where the women go about with bare feet and calico gowns during the week, and where the men leave for their work at an early hour on Monday morning and remain away until Saturday afternoon; an island where intoxicating liquors are not sold, where billiard-rooms and pool-rooms are unknown; an island where one physician and the minister constitute the professional class; an island where profanity is punished by fine; an island without a jail or lock-up, and where religion is the rule, and to be outside of the church is to be outside of the pale of the best society; an island where public cemeteries are unknown, and where the dead of each home are buried in the front yard; if you can imagine all this you may have some faint idea of the peculiar surroundings of the inhabitants of Tangier.

HUNTER'S ODD EXPERIENCE

Fox and Hawk Attempt to Purloin Quail His Gun Had Brought Down.

Dr. William Rowland, of Pasadena, who was up at Middle Ranch quail shooting a few days prior to the close of the season, had a most unique experience, relates an Avalon correspondent of the Los Angeles Times.

He ran upon a covey of quail, and, flushing them, dropped one with his left barrel, and then, at considerable of an angle, dropped another with the right barrel. Turning to his first bird, he was just in time to see a fox snatch it up and start to run away with it. Quickly pumping another cartridge into his gun, he let the fox have it, knocking him stiff. After reconnoitering a minute, and finding his first bird, he was returning to pick up the second, when something shot down like an arrow from the skies in front of him, the object proving to be an osprey.

The quail had been wounded, and its flutetring attracted the attention of the big hawk, which, while sailing through the ether had an eye out for a quail dinner, and, darting upon the wounded bird, was about to cheat the hunter out of his quarry. Dr. Rowland, while amazed at the turn of events, did not propose to stand for such a play, and, training his ready gun on the bold robber, with a pull of the trigger put him out of commission, and saved both his birds.

PHOTOGRAPHING AN OWL.

Easy of Accomplishment If a Dog Be Brought to View of the Bird.

The great horned owl may also be fascinated by a dog, writes Silas A. Lottridge, in "The Great Horned Owl," in St. Nicholas. And the photographing of the great horned owl under these conditions is not difficult; wait until the owl seizes the fowl and stops to rest on the return to the woods; then let a dog be led to within 20 or 30 feet of the owl, and the bird will be all attention for the dog and take no apparent notice of the person leading it. The behavior of the owl at such times is very amusing. It stands motionless, gazing intently at the dog; but after a few minutes, if the dog remains quiet, the bird seems to become nervous, and steps first to one side and then to the other, hissing, snapping its beak, and ruffling its feathers. After this the owl will usually try to make off with its prey; but if another halt is made, the bird's actions show even more nervousness. While the owl's attention is thus attracted is the time to approach within "photo-distance" to get the "snap-shots."

The Papal Flag.

The papal flag is comparatively unfamiliar outside of the Eternal city. The war flag of the defunct temporal power of the pope was white, and in its center stood figures of St. Peter and St. Paul with the cross-keys and tiara above them. The flag of the merchant ships owned by the subjects of the states of the church is a curious combination, half yellow and half white, with the design of the cross-keys on the white. In the banner used by the crusader king of Jerusalem, Godfrey, the only tinctures introduced were the two metals, gold and silver, five golden crosses being placed upon a silver field. This was done with the intention of making the device unique, as in all other cases it is deemed false heraldry to place metal on metal.—Chicago Journal.

A Cold Settled in His Kidneys.

A. J. Jennesse, 9201 Butler St., Chicago writes; "I am a switchman and am out in all kinds of weather, I took a cold which settled in my kidneys and I was in bad shepe. I tried several advertised remedies with no benefit, until I was recommended to try Foley's Kidney Cure, Two-thirds of a bottle cured me." A. L. Riechert.

UNFINISHED NOVELS.

TALES THAT WERE STOPPED BY THE HAND OF DEATH.

Nathaniel Hawthorne's Foreboding About "The Dolliver Romance." The Fragment That Stevenson Left. Thackeray's Last Work.

George Gissing's "Varanilda" is a masterpiece that its author did not live to finish. One well known critic considers this tale of the Roman and the Goth the deceased writer's finest work, and, though many may question this judgment, there can exist but universal regret that the romance must forever remain incomplete.

A greater work by a greater writer, "Weir of Hermiston," by R. L. Stevenson, was left a mere fragment, of which the lurid grandeur proved that its creator was taken from us in the zenith of his power. Another romance, "St. Ives," by the same pen, was running in a monthly magazine at the time of his premature death. Here, however, readers were not balked of a satisfactory denouement, for the story was brought to a conclusion by Mr. Quiller-Couch, well known under the nom de plume of "Q."

"I hardly know what to say to the public about this abortive romance, though I pretty well know what the case will be. I shall never finish it," wrote Nathaniel Hawthorne with reference to "The Dolliver Romance," which he had undertaken to write for the Atlantic Monthly. This foreboding was but too soon verified, for the author had scarce time to do more than lay the groundwork of the story and write the initial chapters ere death struck him down.

At his funeral at Concord the scarce commenced manuscript lay upon his coffin. Soon afterward the first chapter appeared in the Atlantic, and subsequently the second chapter, which he had been unable to revise, was published in the same periodical. Several years elapsed when a third fragment, revised and copied by the novelist's wife, was placed in the publisher's hands. The original manuscript is now preserved in the Concord public library.

"Wives and Daughters" was running in the Cornhill when the authoress, Mrs. Gaskell, died. Fortunately the work was nearing its completion, so that, although it was not actually finished by the gifted writer, the plot was sufficiently advanced to enable us to make more than a shrewd guess at the ultimate fate of the characters and to take leave of the hero fully assured of his ultimate happiness.

Another serial that was being written for the same magazine when its author laid down pen forever was "Denis Duval." Thackeray, indeed, was already in his grave when its publication commenced. Three parts and a portion of a fourth were all that appeared, and "the story," wrote the editor, "breaks off as his life ended—full of vigor and blooming with new promise like the apple trees in this month of May." With the fourth part was given a set of notes, taken from Thackeray's own papers, elucidatory of the subsequent development of the plot.

Thackeray's great contemporary, Charles Dickens, died, too, in harness. For long his health had been but indifferent, but he stuck unflinchingly to the work he had in hand. On June 8, 1870, the end came. The morning and part of the afternoon of that day were devoted to completing the sixth number of "The Mystery of Edwin Drood," but scarcely had he finished work and sat down to dinner ere he was seized with a fit. From this he never recovered, but after lingering some hours, without regaining consciousness, died at 6 the next day.

"I shall publish late in this year," wrote Laurence Sterne, "and the next I shall begin a new work in four volumes, which, finished, I shall continue 'Tristram' with fresh spirit." This new work here referred to is the "Sentimental Journey," one volume alone of which was ever given to the world, nor by reason of the author's death was the immortal "Tristram Shandy" ever continued.

"Arcadia," the pastoral romance which Sir Philip Sidney composed at Wilton House, was never completed and ran no small danger of being entirely lost to future generations when its author, before his death, gave orders for its destruction.

SIRES AND SONS.

M. Jean de Reszke is said to be the only professional singer who has ever sat at the czar of Russia's dinner table.

Baron Gautsch, the new premier of Austria, is practically self made. He commenced his career as an usher in a school.

Lord Alverstone, lord chief justice of England, will be the speaker at next summer's meeting of the American Bar association.

President Roosevelt is a hearty eater. He consumes three big meals a day and sometimes takes a supper before he goes to bed.

Speaker George L. Rouse of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature is the first farmer to hold that position since the early days of that state.

Comte Guido, visconti di Modrone, a young millionaire well known in society and sporting circles in Milan, has decided to devote himself entirely to music and with this end has accepted the directorship of important operatic performances to be given in Palermo.

Henry H. Rogers, who worked for $1.16 a day, is the most powerful single individual in the world of finance and commerce. He is a little fellow, has a cowlick on each side of the part in the middle of his hair and wears an iron gray mustache with cow horn curls.

The O'Conor Don, the lineal representative of the family of King Roderick O'Connor, the last monarch of Ireland, who submitted to Henry II., has agreed with his tenantry to dispose of his estate at Cloonallis and Ballinagare, County Roscommon, which has been in the hands of the O'Conors for centuries.

Probably the world's greatest oculist is Dr. Pagenstecher of Wiesbaden, Germany, who is consulted by almost every European royalty and by aristocrats and plutocrats from all over the world. He lives a life of absolute devotion to his work, seeing patients rigidly in turn, rich or poor. At his own "klinik" he performs all operations.

SPORTING NOTES.

Umpire Tom Connelly signed an American league contract recently.

Bill Coughlin will probably be appointed captain of the Detroit team.

Who is the owner of Dr. Strong, 2:07½? Some folks say it is still Mr. Smathers.

Emil Frisk, the "Terrible Swede," refuses to sign with the St. Louis Americans.

Robizola, 2:12¼, is on the market. She would have touched 2:08 had she stayed sound.

Report has it that Manager Jimmy Collins will not remain a bachelor for

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a

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Order for Hearing on Claims.

STATE OF MINNNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, }
IN PROBATE COURT,
Special Term, August 21, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Anteme Juneau, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Anteme Juneau deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to George Dupont.

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further ordered, that the 21st day of February, 1906 at ten o'clock a. m. at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby appointed as the time and place when and where said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls the 21st day of August A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT, Judge of Probate.

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LOCAL NEWS.

A hunting party composed of Messrs. F. A. Grady, James Blake, A. P. Toupin and Dan Latendresse returned from a trip in the eastern part of the county Tuesday. Something over a hundred birds were shot and the gentlemen report a most pleasant time. Chief of Police Brunelle accompanied the party and acted as chef and all members of the party are loud in their praises of George's cooking.

In these days of clap-trap melodrama, flimsy attempts at comic opera and silly farces, like a welcome day, comes the announcement that that we are to have the opportunity of witnessing a performance of of "Her Double Life" with Laura Frankenfield heading the cast. There are ten people in the company and with the beautiful costuming and special scenery carried will make a delightful evening's entertainment. Metropolitan opera house Friday, Sept. 8th.

The entertainment given by Miss Toye Tuesday at the Metropolitan opera house was a most pleasing event and those who attended are loud in their praises of the young lady's musical and reading talent. Her vocal solos were of a high order and showed a high degree of culture. She is yet young in the music world and will no doubt make a decided success of her chosen vocation. Prof. Onstad rendered two solos in an artistic and pleasing manner which were heartily appreciated by the audience.

Rheumatism, gout, backache, acid poison, are results of kidney trouble. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea goes directly to the seat of the disease and cures when all else fails. 35c. A. L. Reichert.

BADGER.

Miss Dora Marchund began her duties at the Badger school Monday.

Many relatives and friends spent Sunday at the Evangelist Quesnell home.

Michael and Evangelists Quesnell commenced to stack their grain Monday morning.

Miss Cora Prudhomme, of Crookston, is visiting her relatives and many friends in Terrebonne.

Mrs. Ovilla Robillard. Mrs. Michael Quesnell and daughter Alma spent Friday at the Lachance home.

A. large party of relatives and friends spent Sunday at Mrs. Dolphus Champeau's home very pleasantly.

Do Not Be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction, It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. A. L. Reichert.

ST. HILAIRE.

L. T. Bergh was in town Thursday.

R. H. Duntley went to Minneapolis last Thursday.

K. O. Gigstad went to Red Lake Falls on business Tuesday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunderson died last Wednesday.

Attorney Grady, of Red Lake Falls, was a business caller here Wednesday.

Miss Mable Hannay returned from Seettle and the Portland fair Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. K. Hannay left for Duluth Tuesday for a few weeks outing at Minnesota Point.

Dr. J. E. Argue made his regular monthly professional trip here Monday and Tuesday.

Gust Konikson, of River Falls, and Miss Johanna Johnson were married Aug. 26th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P, O. Konikson in River Falls.

Mrs. O. F. Post has been confined to her home for several days past with a severe cold.

Miss Hilma Nelson, of Fergus Falls, is visiting her brother, Jens Nelson, of this place.

Rev. B. A. Barkee was at Red Lake Falls last week attending a Sunday school convention.

Mrs. Dr. Bloomburgh went to Minneapolis last Friday to visit relatives and to attend the fair.

C. H. Martz and son Joe left Tuesday evening for Grand Forks to attend the North Dakota state fair.

Miss Edith Dahl, Tessie McCaffrey and Emma Hoff left for the state normal at Moorhead Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Pettibone returned from Bemidji Wednesday, and Pettibone left for Chicogo Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Amos, formerly of St. Hilaire now a resident of St. Paul, spent Tuesday here visiting old friends.

Mrs. H. R. Hanse gave a farewell party for Miss Ellen Johnson last Tuesday evening. The lawn was decorated with lanterns and a most enjoyable time was passed by those who were present. Miss Johnson has returned to Minneapolis.

School started Tuesday with the following teachers in charge: J. B. O'Brien, principal; Miss Ottela Vestland, 7th and 8th grades; Miss Dolly Pettingill, 5th and 6th grades; Miss Katherine Pirath, 3rd and 4th grades; Miss Huldah Gigstad, 1st and 2nd grades: Miss Mable Hannay. primary.

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Geo. A, Sherman, Lisbon Red Mills, Lawrence Co., N. Y., writes: "I had kidney disease for many years and had been treated by physicians for twelve years; had taken a well known kidney medecinc and remedies that were recommended but got no relief until I began using Foley's Kidney Cure. The first half bottle relieved me and four bottles have cured me of the terrible disease. Before I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure I had to make water about every fifteen minutes, day and night and passed a brick dust substance, and sometimes a slimy substance. I believe I would have died if I had not taken Foley's Kidney Cure." A. L. Reichert.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

On an average a mule colt is more easily broken than a horse colt.

No sense in packing a lot of high-grade feed into low-grade animals.

The mule colt at weaning time should be twelve hands high, or more.

Agriculture, unlike any other business, flourishes best the more you can run it into the ground.

And by analogy—If it pays to be kind to a cow, will it not pay to be kind to a horse or a dog—or even a human being?

A farmer who has smart girls has no trouble to get hired men, but he may have difficulty getting much work out of them.

Folks used to make one cow tramp all over a five-acre lot to get enough to live on. Now they are working to make one acre support five cows; and some farmers are doing very well at it.

'Tis figured that American farmers are feeding 2,000 tons of Paris green to insects each season.

Now we know what inventors of "wonderful new churning processes" use to make milk produce "double the amount of butter." They use rennet, and make pot cheese!—Rural New-Yorker.

Take off your hat to the man who says to the boys and the hired men, "We will talk down here in the stable just as we do up in the sitting-room." That man knows where he is and what he is doing.

One pound a day more of milk from a herd of twenty cows means another pound of butter. Worth working for? Who of us can afford to throw away three hundred and sixty-five pounds of butter every year.

Any kind of man can farm in some kind of way, but only the right man can farm in the right way. The farmer needs to be a scholar, and if he understands his occupation, he will be a scholar in spite of himself.

All horses are born either right or left handed, so that every one of them has a preference for the foot that will prove most comfortable for him to use in leading out. It's found that the stronger side is the favorite one, everytime.

Did you ever think that when cream comes to the top it brings all the impurities that were in the milk up with it? That being so, nobody can keep the impurities out of the butter when they get that far. So, if we want clean butter we must keep the milk pure.

We often see it advised to spur the colts to make them walk fast. But it makes a difference whether or not your colt has it in him to walk fast. You can not make a fast walker out of a horse that has a naturally slow gait. Might as well try to make a bird dog of a poodle. Good walkers are bred, not made over after they are born.

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Official Court Reporter,
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Given up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which causad much pain and worry. I lost much flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." A. L. Riechert.

The Northdome Record truthfully states that all that prevents a stampede to the north country is lack of knowledge.

Good advice to women, If you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35c, tea or tablets. A. L. Riechert.

The Citizens bank has been organized at Oslo—the Soo-Red river town —with a capital of $20,000.

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Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term September 6, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Cyprien Asselin deceased, late of said county, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Cleophas Asselin has filed, therewith his petition representing, among other things, that said Cyprien Asselin died in said county, on the 27th day of August, 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is one of the Executors named in said Last Will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Cleophas Asselin and Onizime Asselin.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and the said petition be heard before this Court at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, on Monday, the second day of October, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument.

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 6th day of September, A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRENT,
Judge of Probate.

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The
New Bakery....
announces the following special prices on fruit:

Apples per pk.	*35c*
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The Gain From Others.

A man is strong in proportion to the quantity, the quality and the variety of forces which he absorbs from others. He is a power in proportion to the extent of his contact—socially, mentally and morally—with his kind and a weakling just in proportion as he cuts himself off from others.—Success.

After the Defalcation.

Junior Partner—I never suspected him at all. Senior Partner—Neither did I, although it did seem a little singular to me that he should be able to pay $2,000 a year rent out of a salary of $1,500.—New York Press.

No man will be found who does not sometimes hope or fear beyond the limits of sober probability.—Johnson.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten; in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at all drug stores.

The Era of Noise.

What an age of noise this is! Do you know any single human being who is capable of being silent for an hour at a stretch? I know two, and I value them according to their rarity. Not only does everybody talk, but almost everybody talks loud. I went into a shop the other day, and the clatter of conversation sounded as though the place were full of people. Yet all the noise was produced by three individuals. Why should they shout?—London Truth.

The Classes In England.

In England the upper class gambles, but does not drink; the middle class drinks, but does not gamble, and the lower class both drinks and gambles. It is a characteristic circumstance that the upper class makes laws to prevent the lower class from gambling and that the lower class is in favor of legislation to prevent the upper class from drinking.

Great Inducements.

Gyer—Fitzem, the clothier, is advertising a silk umbrella with each twenty dollar overcoat he sells. Mrs. Gyer—That's nothing. Bloom, the florist, is giving away the earth with each plant he sells.—Chicago News.

Papa's Own Idea.

She—Darling, we must elope. He—But surely your father has no objections to— She—None whatever. He suggested it, in fact. He says it will be cheaper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

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He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and sure cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at all drug stores; guaranteed.

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Do you honestly believe, that coffee sold loose (in bulk), exposed to dust, germs and insects, passing through many hands (some of them not over-clean), "blended," you don't know how or by whom, is fit for your use? Of course you don't. But

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Stilwater Binder Twine

I have just received a carload which I will sell at the following low prices for cash:

Standard	10c
Manilla	12c

One-half cent more on twine untill fall. This twine is guaranteed by the state to be first class as to length, strength and working quality. Get in your orders before it is all gone as it will not last long. We sell Deering, Champion and Milwaukee binders and the repairs for same.

Wm. FINDEISEN
RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

The Courier Stationery Store has some new Box Papers that are the proper thing.

Boiling Water in a Reservoir

It's something that's hard to do when the reservoir is on the right hand side because it's too far from the fire, takes too much fuel to do it. But, when the reservoir is right next to the fire pot, it's a mighty easy job and don't take much fuel either. Then on the Majestic we have a lever that by turning throws the reservoir away from the fire so that there is never any danger of the water boiling all away and spoiling your reservoir.

If you are going to need a range, don't look too much at the price, the Majestic is not the cheapest, but the least expensive.

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POPULATION INCREASING.

The Stork Has Visited Several Homes in and About the City this Week.

The census man will have to do his work over again if he wants the correct figures of the population of Red Lake Falls at the present time. The stork has been exceedingly kind to several families in this vicinity the past two or three days. Below is given a partial list of late arrivals—there may be more.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Germo, on Saturday, Sept. 9, a girl;

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zaiser, Saturday, a girl;

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolf, Saturday, a boy;

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clearwater, Badger, Saturday, a boy;

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere, Sunday, a girl;

Mr. and Mrs. Goyette, Sunday, a girl;

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller, Monday, a boy;

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Remick, Monday, a girl;

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amoit, Gentilly, Tuesday, a girl.

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Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson.

BAND CONCERT.

Weekly Out door Concert to Be Given Friday Evening.

The weekly outdoor concert was not given last week on account of so many of the members of the organization being out town. The boys have all returned home and the concerts will be resumed, Friday evening's concert to begin promptly at 7:15. Below is the program:

Heart of Rome March	Brooks
Hearts Courageous, waltz	Blanke
Twilight Whispers	Laurendeau
Two Thoughts, clarinet duet	Strong
Maritana	Wallace
Old Folks at Home	Dalbey
March, Our Director	Bigelow

Saloons May Be Closed.

A recent decision by Judge Morris is apt to close the saloons in Bemidji, Cass Lake and many other towns located on former Indian lands unless the decision is reversed by the supreme court. In 1855 the government entered into an agreement with Chippewas not to permit the sale of liquors on ceded lands, and Judge Morris holds that the presence of saloons on such lands is a violation of the treaty.

This question may develop into one of great importance if it stands and is enforced.

It now appears that the treaty referred to covers all lands in Northwestern Minnesota "north of the Wild Rice River in Norman county" and Ada, Crookston, East Grand Forks and many other places are in the prohibited territory. It is the opinion of good lawyers that the terms of the treaty are still binding and will be until congress legislates on the matter, which it has power to do under the treaty. In 1883 there was a conviction at Crookston for violation of the law.

School supplies of all kinds can be found at Reichert's drug store.

INSTANT DEATH.

Six-Year-Old Boy Killed by Pitchfork in Brother's Hands.

Plummer Pioneer: On last Sunday forenoon Herman, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs John Seede, who reside about two miles northwest from here, was instantly killed by his brother Iver, aged 14.

It seems that Iver was engaged in cleaning out his father's barn and was throughing some manure through the door at the moment when his brother stepped into the doorway. The fork struck little Herman in the head, one of the tines penetrating the left temple and causing instant death.

The unfortunate affair is regarded here as purely an accident in which no blame can possibly attach to the older boy. We understand the coroner was not notified and the funeral was held on Tuesday.

Mind vs. Digestion.

That a mental image may have a real and immediate effect on the secretory glands is known to everyone who has felt his mouth "water" at the thought of food when hungry. In several recent investigations of this subject it has been shown that the sight of food may provoke even a more abundant flow of saliva than when it is actually taken into the mouth, and that the secretion is adapted to the kind of food perceived. We should therefore train our minds to aid digestion and with the aid of golden grain belt beer you will insure health and happiness. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to any one who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

MAD RUSH FOR THE CITY

President Hill Says the Farmer Can Be a Prince.

Probably the most conspicuous thing in modern civilization is the desertion of the farm for the city, says the Chicago Chronicle. The proportion of the population of every country on the globe that lives in cities has been increasing at a great rate for the last twenty-five years.

As the movement is worldwide and is not founded on reason, it is almost useless to reason against it, and yet it is as dangerous and deplorable as it is phenomenal. The wisest men in the world regret it and condemn it, and among these is the railroad magnate J. J. Hill, who recently addressed the Old Settlers' association of North Dakota and who in referring to the desertion of the farms said:

"A good farm of 160 or 320 acres a comfortable happy home. A man can be a prince on his own farm. You rob your children of this heritage when you sell your farm. Keep the boys on the farm."

It is easy enough to point out how this hegira began. It is the result of the progress in machinery and manufacturers. The articles of human comfort and enjoyment which were at one time manufactured on every farm are now manufactured in factories. Almost all of these factories are in the cities, and the labor which formerly produced them on the farm has now followed these industries to the city.

This was the beginning of the movement, but it has greatly degenerated since it began. It has now become a mad rush to the city for the sake of the excitement and fancied enjoyments of city life. The farm is considered a dull place and the city is regarded as the abode of fun, amusement, society and comfort.

There never was a time since Adam delved and Eve spun when this was more of a delusion. There never was a time when there were more hardship, poverty and misery in the city than now, and there never was a time when farm life could be made so delightful and profitable as now. The best products of the city are now laid down on the farm at incredibly low prices, and the good things of the farm can not for any conceivable amount of money be furnished in the city.

People who live in cities and are millionaires are compeled to keep country establishments in order to enjoy real luxury. They not only go to the country for pleasure but when they have done so their greatest pleasures are in nature and are such as fall to the lot of the poorest farmer. Pure air, pure food, pure water, quiet sleep and the beauties of sky and land are not always to be had in the city, and yet all these may be enjoyed by a man in the country who lives in a shack.

The time was when the man in the shack had nothing else, but now he has the rural delivery, the telephone, the trolley car, the pianola, the newspaper and the magazine, the phonograph, the telescope, the microscope, the bath, the fine groceries and the fine library. He has, too, the rich milk, the fresh eggs, the fat poultry, the luxurious quiet, the bright dome of heaven and the smiling face of nature, which Croesus in a city can not have.

How it is that he prefers to come to a city, live in a stuffy flat, breathe smoke and smudge, drink mean coffee, eat stale eggs and spend one-half of his life in a strike is something we can not understand.

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For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

NEW FACTORY.

North Side to Have a Cement Block Factory—Herman Linder, Prop.

Herman Linder is preparing to manufacture cement blocks at his place on the North Side, and work will begin as soon as the necessary material arrives. He proposes to turn out a block that will be used for sidewalk building and has no doubts as to being able to manufacture a first class article. He understands the business thoroughly and will guarantee his product in every particular. As soon as a car of cement arrives operations will begin at the new factory and it is to be hoped Mr. Linder will receive the necessary encouragement to make the venture a permanent one for the city.

ST. HILAIRE.

Miss Etta Zaiser was in town Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Elchoff went to Crookston Wednesday evening for a short visit.

Mrs. W. A. Arthur went out to their claim Wednesday, returning Saturday.

Miss Cathrine Pirath went to Red Lake Falls Friday evening to visit her parents.

Miss Lydia Anderson left last Monday evening for the Moorhead normal school.

Mrs. John Peterson is confined to her home with another severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. L. T. Bergh and children spent several days in town last week visiting relatives and friends.

The ladies aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. J. K. Hannay next Thursday afternoon, Sept. 14.

R. H. Aimer had the misfortune to have a felon and boil on the same thumb, which causes him much suffering.

Isaac Sorsoleil, who has been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks, has returned to his home in Stilwater.

Dr. Dummings, Dan Patterson and J. O. O'Brien drove to Thief River Falls Monday evening to attend the Masonic lodge.

Fred Gebott has returned from Frazee where he went some time ago to work in the mill, and has taken his old position as filer in the saw mill here.

Mrs. E. R. Evans and children arrived from Bemidji Monday so as to start the children to school. They expect to make St. Hilaire their home in the future.

Miss Clara Hoff returned from Tacoma and the Portland fair Saturday. She failed to make connections at Red Lake Falls so drove home from that place Saturday afternoon.

George L. Austin received a telegram stating that the butter which he had sent to the state fair scored 94 per cent. Mr. Austin was well satisfied as the tub was sent out of a large churning and some of the cream was several days old.

Lost.

Some weeks ago, a black and white English setter bird dog. Any information as to the dog's whereabouts will be rewarded at the Bank of Red Lake Falls. P. O. FLOAN.

—The Courier Stationery Store.

A GREAT AWAKENING.

Auditor Iverson Believes Great Results will Come from Present Campaign

State Auditor S. G. Iverson believes that one of the greatest results of the present campaign of publicity for Minnesota state lands will be the awakening of Minnesota farmers to the value of their property.

"Owners of northern Minnesota land who have been willing to sell during the past two or three years, said Mr. Iverson, have practically withdrawn their land from the market during the past two months. The great publicity given the resources and prospects of the northern part of the state has opened the eyes of land holders of the possibilities of that section of the country.

Purchasers of state lands next fall will find themselves settled in communities where everyone believes in the future of the state. The education of Minnesota farmers to the value of the land will be as good a result as could be desired by the state land department."

Minnesota lands are receiving columns of complimentary notices in the papers over the west. Minnesota papers are devoting space each week to notices of the land to be sold and a number of papers are issuing supplements containing the exact description of the land to be sold in their counties and the Wadena Commercial Club and other commercial organizations are sending land descriptions broadcast.

The auditor's office is flooded with inquiries about the land and every effort is being made by Auditor Iverson to get proper information into the hands of prospective settlers and land buyers. The state sales will start on October 23d and about 300,000 acres of land will be disposed of.

Hill to the Farmers.

James J. Hill attended the meeting of the Old Settlers association of North Dakota at Grand Forks and made an address, saying:

"A good farm of 160 or 320 acres is a comfortable happy home. A man can be a prince on his own farm. You rob your children of this heritage when you sell your farm. Keep the boys on the farm. The state of North Dakota could not raise grain enough to bake ten biscuit per capita for the inhabitants of China. Now ten biscuits would be short for a year's supply and I don't know that you could raise enough grain—you certainly don't raise enough grain—to make two biscuits per capita. That is a market that seems to me to be unlimited.

"I want to see better farming, because if in the state of Minnesota they got the same annual return per acre of cultivated land that they get in Iowa the state of Minnesota would have $80,000,000 a year more money and that is too much to waste. The agricultural people of the United States find in Russia their greatest competitor. Russia raises what we raise; she exports what we export. In the transcaspian country she is operating through irrigation great areas of country where she can raise cotton in competition with us, and she will."

The Citizens bank has been organized at Oslo—the Soo-Red river town—with a capital of $20,000.

Berthon & Armstrong
Mens and Boys Leading Clothing Outfitters

500 Boys Wanted
To Fill Positions in Our Excellent Suits

BOYS!
WATCH THIS SPACE

BOYS SHOES & HOSIERY

Closing Out Sale

Having found a most desirable location in the West I have decided to close out my business in Red Lake Falls. All goods will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Special Inducements Saturdays

The New Bakery
Wm. Biteman, Prop.

The Wind and the Valley

A wild wind roamed the world,
  Rebellious, strong, and free;
It howled its discords long and loud,
  O'er mountain, plain, and sea.

Through spaces vast it swept,
  Nor paused as on it flew,
And chaos dire e'er marked its track,
  But still it onward blew.

A valley sweet it found,
  With peaceful sunshine filled.
It swept between the circling slopes,
  With joy its heart was thrilled.

The valley spurned it not,
  But loving greeting gave.
No longer wild, rebellious, sweeps
  That wind o'er land and wave.

The valley sweet art thou,
  Who greeting gave to me.
The wild wind; now no longer wild—
  Content to rest in thee.

—Ethel L. Preble, in Sunset Magazine.

THE WAYS OF FATE

BY LULU J. POWERS

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"Ten o'clock," said Emogene Gray, glancing at her watch as she impatiently walked up and down the little platform in front of the dingy country station. "What perverse fate sent me here to this out of the way place anyhow? This extension cuts off forty miles, but then it would have been better to have gone around, as the trains are so irregular that one is liable to come at any moment or it might not come until night. In that case I shall miss the connection and be too late for the wedding." She looked at the track which wound down a sandy bottom and up a hill slope and lost itself among the green of the pines, and then at the straggling village houses, turning at length with a sigh of impatience and entered the bare little waiting room. The only other passengers was a deaf old minister and his partly blind wife.

The former sat upon one of the long benches which were tacked to the wall, his hands folded before him, the picture of patience while his old wife dozed in the corner. Everything was still and quiet, and at length the old minister spread his handkerchief over his bald head and was soon snoring lustily.

Emogene went outside and walked up and down. After a time she sat down upon the edge of the platform, and had just given herself up to reflection when a firm step upon the platform aroused her and she looked up. The tall handsome man who had just stepped up on the platform was in the act of opening a letter, as their eyes met; he crumpled the letter and pushed it into his pocket.

"Emogene!—Can it be possible!" he exclaimed, going up to her and taking her hand in his.

A flood of crimson swept over her face and left it pale. "Why, Robert!" she exclaimed, a glad light leaping into her eyes. For an instance they were both silent. It has been said that people forget—that hearts grow cold—even learn to hate; but when kindred soul meets soul, no matter how deep the gulf between the wild sweet joy of the heart springs to the eye. "Your husband!" he at length found voice to ask, "where is he?"

"Dead," drawing her hand from his and turning her eyes away.

He took her hand and drew it through his arm as they strolled out under the trees which overshadowed the road. The old minister who had roused from his nap and looked out the door. "Humph!" he muttered, "a meeting of old lovers—but it is the way of youth," and humming the air of an old love song he went and sat beside his wife, and drawing her white head over upon his shoulder kissed her.

"Your coming into my life, Emogene' was an inspiration—a vista of joy, followed by deep misery and anguish. We cannot guide our hearts; they spring from us without our will or consent. I knew from the first that you were the promised wife of another, and yet my heart went out to you, and I fancied at times that you cared for me also. My uncle and aunt had no tenderness in their natures, and cared for little but making money. I had been left an orphan upon their bounty, and my life was never a happy one. You went away with the rest of my aunt's summer boarders, and after a time I heard of your marriage. My aunt's keen eyes read my secret, and she taunted me, telling me that you had but amused yourself at my expense. My heart could not bear her taunts, for it was full to bursting, so I left the farm and went out into the world. It was a tough old battle, and many times I was on the verge of despair, but I thought of you and held on, even though I knew that you were dead to me. A year ago both my aunt and uncle died and as they could not take their money with them they willed it to me. Now, sweetheart, tell me of yourself."

Walked up and down.

"You know," she said sadly, "that I too was an orphan and owed everything to my husband—that man I married. He was years older than I, but he was a noble man. Two years after we married he had some financial reverses and the worry preyed upon him and in less than a year he left me, and since that time I have acted as governess in numerous families. Now I am on my way to attend the marriage of an old school friend."

"Quite a coincidence," he said, his face growing white. "I too am on my way to attend a marriage."

"Well, that is singular," she said.

"You must marry me at once."

"What worries me, though, is that if I am not in time I shall offend an old friend. Sarah wanted me to come last week, and if this train makes me lose my connection she will hardly forgive me. I must confess, however, that I am a little curious to know who the bridegroom will be, as she writes me such strange letters, and has never told me the name of the chosen one yet, although she has written a lot about him. But then Sarah Ashton is always somewhat frivolous, though always good-hearted."

"Sarah Ashton!" exclaimed Robert Halladay, trembling so that he caught the post of a fence to steady himself. "Good God, Emogene! I am the expected bridegroom!" he groaned. "I can never keep my vows now that I know you are free. Until this hour I thought you were dead to me—another man's wife. Now you shall be mine!" He caught her hand in his.

She pushed him away from her, her face as white as his own. "Your honor and duty demand that you keep your word, that you hasten to Sarah Ashton and make her your wife."

"Darling, can you send me from you when I love you so," holding out his arms to her, "when I long for you—dream of you and want you always."

"Good-bye!" though her face was trembling and her very heart bursting, she turned away from him and walked over to the hotel. She could not continue her journey, her soul would not bear it; she must have rest.

Half an hour passed. Along in the seclusion of the little dingy room she gave vent to her feelings and great bursting sobs shook her frame. After a time she grew calmer and sank upon her knees. "Great God!" she prayed, "give me strength to do my duty, and help me to forget this day."

Just then a rap sounded upon the door.

Emogene arose and bathed her face before she opened the door. As she opened it Robert Halladay stepped into the room and took her in his arms. "Good news, darling," he said, kissing her again and again. "Read this," holding a letter before her astonished eyes.

It was but a few lines in Sarah Ashton's irregular, well known scrawly hand as follows:

Dear Friend:—Doubtless you will be greatly surprised, but I hope not greatly grieved when you learn that I have eloped and am happily married this morning to Mr. Smith. We were engaged and loved each other years ago, but paternal authority separated us, etc. etc. Yours in friendship,

SARAH SMITH.

"Now, sweetheart, as I cannot be a jilted lover, you must marry me at once."

"Why, How—"

He stopped her [illegible] later the old minister performed the ceremony in the hotel parlor, and when the delayed train pulled out from the platform it bore two happy, satisfied hearts away upon their bridal tour.

HIS EDITORIAL QUICKLY READY

New York Paper Tells Good Story on Southern Journalist.

A certain editorial writer on the staff of a Southern newspaper was inclined to dilatoriness during certain periods of conviviality, and caused thereby much concern in the breast of the foreman of the composing room just prior to the moment when the forms must go to press. But the writer was a part owner of the paper and could not well be discharged, since he occupied the position of managing editor. Many times the editorials were late and the paper delayed in going to press, but the delinquent writer always made good after a fashion. Finally he hit upon a scheme when he was called upon at the last moment for "copy" that may, in all justice to expediency, be called the art of genius.

The hour was very late and no leading editorial had gone to the composing room. In frantic haste the foreman sent for the editorial writer, and only after half an hour was he located—in a near-by saloon and much the worse for his dalliance there. He grasped the intelligence that he had forgotten his leading column, and made his way as fast as he could to his office. Snatching a piece of copy paper in one hand, he caught up a copy of the New York Times with the other, and from it clipped a leading editorial, which he pasted on the paper. Then he wrote:

"We cannot agree with the New York Times when it says:"

The editorial of the Times was copied, the paper went to press, and the editor back to the saloon.—New York Times.

Cheat the Elephants.

"Billiardists who have been afraid the scarcity of ivory would kill the game have another guess coming," said an old player, as he chalked his cue the other day. "I've been playing with billiard balls made of artificial ivory, which was so nearly like the kind the elephants furnish that you wold not notice the difference. Elephants are getting pretty scarce, you know, and elephant tusks are now almost as rare as genuine Navajo blankets. You know it is only the choicest of tusk ivory that can be used for billiard balls. One year ago regulation two and three-eighth inch ivory balls could be purchased for $8. Now they cost $16 apiece. The advance in the price of ivory was simultaneous with and strikingly similar to the constantly growing value of diamonds. Billiardists have maintained that only with ivory balls could the delights of the game be realized. This meant that within a few years only millionaires, kings, or princes could hope to indulge in the game which dates back to the time of the Pharaohs.

"Yes, sir, they are now making ivory balls that won't catch cold, and they are practically indestructible. They are celluloid and bone and hard rubber and are then sandpapered and polished."

Where Oil Was Needed.

He was dying, so the schoolbook says,
  dying in Algiers;
There was lack of antiseptics and dearth
  of woman's tears;
But a Red Cross man approached him
  and he murmured soft and low
That up upon his cistern some oil would
  have to go.
Now, this soldier of the legion knew English words a few,
And to him the sound of "cistern" was
  not exactly new,
Still the word conveyed but little to his
  unreceptive mind,
And he asked in simple language for a
  plain reply in kind.
Then they spoke in accents soothing,
  how this oil the germs would kill,
And the wicked stegomyia would become
  the same as nil.
But still they had to tell him and make
  it to him plain
That he had been mistaken and that no
  one who was sane
Could ever think that "cistern" the same
  as "system" meant—
That never oil—excepting cod—was on
  the "system" spent.
And so he died a peaceful death and
  never was dismayed
When ward clubs came in his back yard
  and kerosene was sprayed.
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Copper Exported to China.

More than 22,000 tons of copper have been exported to China from America this year. The unusual quantity has excited attention, and inquiries of the trade have elicited two explanations. One is that a new coinage is necessary in China, because the old has been gradually melted down for the manufacture of cartridges. The other is that the process of smelting the metal is so imperfect that the smelted copper contains small quantities of gold, and this the astute Chinese contrive to extract. Vast quantities of copper disappear constantly in China from one cause or another.

Distinguished College President.

Rev. David H. Buel, the new president of Georgetown University, is a son of Col. David H. Buel, U. S. A. He was graduated from Yale in 1883 and has been successively instructor in classics at Holy Cross college, classics and higher mathematics at St. Francis Xavier college, professor of physics at St. John's college and of physics and mechanics at Georgetown university.

Suspicious.

The following item appeared in the Bacon Ridge Banner:

"One night last June the editor heard someone prowling about in his chicken coop. Not having any shot handy he loaded the gun with quinine pills and blazed away. The intruder was peppered but managed to get away. [illegible]

Japanese Hydrographers Make New Map

Recent Chart of the Waters About Sakhalin Island—Part of Earth Was Long Thought a Peninsula.

Japan has already begun to make its changes on the map of the world. A new chart of the waters about Sakhalin island has just been issued by the Japanese hydrographic bureau, concerning which a Tokyo newspaper says: "On this map the Strait of Tartary, which divides Sakhalin from the main land, is marked 'Mamiya Kaikyo' (Strait of Mamiya) and the Amur gulf, northward of the strait, is marked 'Mamiya Kaikyo Hokubu' (northern part of Mamiya strait). This name, 'Mamiya,' recalls a remarkable historical event hitherto not known outside of Japan. Mamiya Rinzo was a Japanese subject, who had associated himself with researches in Sakhalin. The Tokugawa government sent him in 1808 with another official, Matsuda Denjuro, to investigate the conditions in this northern quarter. The little party traveled in a boat sixty feet long with four feet beam. They suffered many hardships, but they succeeded in making the important discovery that Sakhalin was an island, separated from the continent by a narrow strip of sea. Thenceforth this water was known as 'Mamiya-no-umi' (the Sea of Mamiya).

"Foreign nations, however, had no cognizance of Mamiya's discovery, and when Muravieff commenced his celebrated exploits in the Amur in the middle of the nineteenth century Sakhalin was supposed to be a part of the mainland. Nevolskoy discovered the error in 1848, and thenceforth the strait was called the Strait of Tartary on Russian maps. But, as in Mamiya's case, so also in Nevolskoy's, outsiders remained ignorant until the extraordinary incident of the Elliott expedition in 1855.

"Sir Charles Elliott, with three strong ships, posted himself in the Gulf of Tartary, where, as he supposed, his squadron blockaded a Russian squadron lying in De Castries bay. But within a fortnight the ice broke up in the Strait of Tartary, whose existence Elliott did not suspect, and the Russians steamed away north, passed through the strait and left Elliott blockading an empty bay."

Capitalists to Monopolize the Earth

Time Seems to Be Near When the "Common People" Will Have No Share in World's Beautiful Sights.

The public must have read with something of a shock the other day that Mount Washington, in New Hampshire, has been sold to a Boston capitalist for over $500,000, observes Judge. This is one of the choicest bits of natural scenery in the country, ranking next to Pike's Peak in point of scenic celebrity. Coming so close after the taking over of Niagara falls by a commercial company, the purchase of this central figure of the American Alps is well calculated to excite public alarm. These big outdoor landmarks hitherto have been regarded as a kind of continental asset belonging to the people at large and travelers felt at liberty to boast of them, and did so out of the pride of a fractional possession, as it were. Who has not stood beside Niagara and swelled a little at the thought that he was part proprietor of it? So with Pike's peak. Each one of us who has gone out to view this majestic spectacle was actuated by a desire to take a look at his own property and see how it was getting along. But if these things are to go to the auction block we shall lose interest in them and spend our money to go and see things that are still free. Next we shall hear that some fellow with a million or so has scooped in the Mississippi river and then a party from Chicago will go and buy the Alps and Vesuvius. Let the custom get started and there is no telling where it will end. The Morganization of the universe is at hand, we fear. There isn't going to be anything left that the poor common herd can look at with pride and say: "I am part owner of that." Some of these days, if this thing goes on, we are going to wake up and find signboards all over the Atlantic ocean lettered thus:

THIS FINE LARGE BODY OF
WATER FOR SALE OR
TO LET.
THE WHOLE, OR WILL DIVIDE
TO SUIT.
NO TRESPASSERS ALLOWED.

Captain Had Another Think Coming

Independent Cook Had No Intention of Allowing Him to Get Away—Was the Real Boss of the Ranch.

Florence Kelly, the Secretary of the National Consumers' League, is interested in the servant question. She said the other day:

"Public interest in this question improves the quality of our servants, raises their wages, and makes mistress and maid alike happier.

"Servants keep growing better all the time. What once happened in a New Bedford whaling captain's house could not happen there today.

"This captain, an old man, had retired from the sea and lived in a big house, along with many nautical treasures—curious corals, strange shells, stuffed fish from the tropics, whales' vertebrae and so on.

"His cook was a tyrannical old woman. Indeed, she was such a tyrant that she spoiled all the good captain's pleasure. But what was he to do? Cooks were rare in those days, and she cooked well.

"Still, he would have got rid of her if he could. Here is an instance of her staying qualities and of her impudence:

"The captain, entertaining in his dining room one night a half dozen brother skippers, told them how in his youth, on a wager, he had once drunk a gallon of brandy at a sitting without any ill effects.

"At the climax of his story the cook entered the room with the hot water and lemons. She looked at her master scornfully and said:

"'It's a lie. Ye never done it.'

"'Shiver my timbers, if that ain't going too far," the captain snorted. He rose from his chair. 'We must part at last,' he said sternly to the cook.

"But she pushed him back into his seat again.

"'Holty-toity,' she said. 'Where would you be better off than in your own home?'"

Belief That Sugar Confers Strength

Great Russian Wrestler Says the More Sweet Stuff One Eats the Stronger He Will Grow—Seems to Be True.

Various reasons have been assigned for the increase in stature and strength of the modern maiden, who has most certainly grown uncommonly tall and proportionately muscular during the past few years. It cannot be that outdoor sports, gymnastic exercises and so on, have stretched her out and made her as strong as she is, because her brothers have had precisely the same advantages, and they have not developed at the same rate. It seems to me, therefore, that the secret lies in the fact that of recent years girls have become far greater consumers of sweetmeats than ever were their mothers and grandmothers.

Time was when we should never have dreamed of having sweets on our luncheon, dinner and tea tables. Now it would be quite extraordinary were one not to offer these dainties. And, what is more, we are not merely content to eat sweetmeats at our meals, but we consume them at all times and in all places between meals. It was recently said that boxes of bonbons play a conspicuous part in modern lovemaking, "sweet to the sweet" being apparently the text by which every young man of the day guides himself through the devious paths of courtship.

The great Russian wrestler, who is shortly to enter again into contest with the Turk, Madrali, tells us that the more sweet stuff one eats the stronger one grows. Sugar is the secret of strength, he declares.

"Radiance from Within Must Shine"

"Its Harmony Express, the Aspirations of the Soul, the Power to Cheer and Bless."

The world is such a cheery place
  If we but see it so;
There's beauty everywhere we step
  To set the heart aglow.
The air is full of rhythmic joy,
  The blue sky throbs with love,
And every leaf and flower and bird
By pure delight in life is stirred
  Its ecstacy to prove.

The world is such a sorry place
  If we but see it so;
There's sadness in the skies above
  And on the earth below.
The children weep, the birds are mute,
  The flowers droop and die,
All sounds are tuned in minor key,
All sights but picture misery
  We wonder, wonder why.

How can we solve the problem—we
  Who fain the truth should know?
How can the earth be so beautiful
  And how so full of woe?
O human heart, give answer, for
  In thee that answer lies;
'Tis not for birds, or flowers, or air
To make life either dull or fair
  Or prove its mysteries.

Life's radiance from within must shine,
  Its harmony express
The aspirations of the soul,
  The power to cheer and bless.
'Tis love, love only, in the air,
  The sky, the birds, the flowers,
That glorifies the common life,
That triumphs over care and strife
  In this sweet world of ours.
—Emily Hartley, in Sunset Magazine.

A Whistler Witticism.

James McNeal Whistler, the artist, was appreciated among his friends as much for his trenchant wit and sarcastic sayings as for his genius.

A young lady on one occasion, her first meeting with Whistler, was [illegible] dently of the opinion that she possessed that requisite herself.

"It is wonderful," she said in conclusion, "what a difference there is between people."

"Yes," replied Whistler, [illegible]

Calumet
Baking
Powder

A wonderful powder of rare merit and unrivaled strength.

Addition or Subtraction.

"If you can't get along better with your work I will have to get another girl."

"Shure, mom, an' I wish that you would; there is enough work here for two."—Technical World.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Wrong in One Respect.

They were talking of many things over their cigars last night, and the East End resident finally broke out with:

"Do you believe retiring early makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise?"

Thoughtfully his neighbor pondered the question, and answered slowly:

"Well, I'm quite sure that if I had always retired early there are certain things I'd never got wise on."

DISFIGURED BY ECZEMA.

Wonderful Change in a Night—In a Month Face Was Clear as Ever—Another Cure by Cuticura.

"I had eczema on the face for five months, during which time I was in the care of physicians. My face was so disfigured I could not go out, and it was going from bad to worse. A friend recommended Cuticura. The first night after I washed my face with Cuticura Soap, and used Cuticura Ointment and Resolvent, it changed wonderfully. From that day I was able to go out, and in a month the treatment had removed all scales and scabs, and my face was as clear as ever. (Signed) T. J. Soth, 317 Stagg Street, Brooklyn, N. Y."

APPENDICITIS FROM RUBBER.

Moral, Says Dr. Pond, Is Don't Chew a Lot of Things.

Don't chew lead pencils.

Don't teeth on rubber rings.

Don't drink beer out of bottles corked with rubber-washer stoppers. If you do you are likely to be picked up and hustled off to a hospital and cut open for appendicitis.

This you may learn by reading London Lancet. But, of course, you won't read it, for it is a purely medical publication. Dr. Pond writes for it.

He has discovered that in most cases of appendicitis, including those in which the operation is successful but the patient dies, antimonial poisoning is found. This he traces largely to the general use these latter days of bottles corked with rubber-washered stoppers and fruit cans sealed with rubber rings.

PAINFUL PERIODS

AMERICAN WOMEN FIND RELIEF

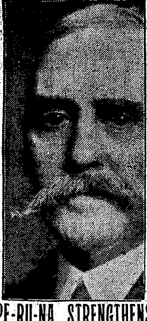
The Case of Miss Irene Crosby Is One of Thousands of Cures Made by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How many women realize that menstruation is the balance wheel of a woman's life, and while no woman is entirely free from periodical suffering, it is not the plan of nature that women should suffer so severely.

Miss Irene Crosby

Thousands of American women [illegible] have found relief from all such suffering by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, [illegible]

LIEUT. F. S. DAVIDSON.



PE-RU-NA STRENGTHENS THE ENTIRE SYSTEM.

F. S. Davidson, Ex-Lieut. U. S. Army, Washington, D. C., care U. S. Pension Office, writes:

"To my mind there is no remedy for catarrh comparable to Peruna. It not only strikes at the root of the malady, but it tones and strengthens the system in a truly wonderful way. That has been its history in my case. I cheerfully and unhesitatingly recommend it to those afflicted as I have been."—F. S. Davidson.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

One of His Lucid Intervals.

A visitor at a lunatic asylum noticed one of the inmates walking about the grounds pushing in front of him a wheelbarrow turned upside down.

The visitor stopped him and asked him the reason of the unusual performance.

"Why, you see," said the demented one, "if I turned it right side up they'd put bricks in it."—Harper's Weekly.

Fear.

Farmer Jonas—Is your hoss afraid of autos?

Farmer Heckbin—Wal, yes—he's had th' job of haulin' 'em to town so durned often when they break down that he fairly shudders when he sees one a-comin'.—Puck.

MARRIAGE MADE EASY.

Bostonian Relieves Brides' Families of All Responsibilities.

It appears that a wide-awake Bostonian is in a fair way to win wealth, if not fame, by a novel idea which she has in development. She undertakes, in consideration of a substantial sum, to supervise weddings and relieve the bride's family of all the responsibilities involved on such occasions, thus insuring them from nervous breakdown. Everything from the decoration of the house to the bridal trousseau is intrusted to her care, nor does the bride-to-be have to worry about even the packing of her trunks, for the wedding director sees that everything is put carefully in her trunks and a complete inventory is taken in a little book, so that every article may be easily located. Now that weddings are to be made easy, there no longer will be any excuse for a bride to look worried and worn, as so many do at the ceremony, for by this woman's scheme brides may rival the lilies of the field in idleness and step to the altar as fresh and brightly blushing as possible.—New York Press.

STRONGER THAN MEAT.

A Judge's Opinion of Grape-Nuts.

A gentleman who has acquired a judicial turn of mind from experience on the bench out in the Sunflower State, writes a carefully considered opinion as to the value of Grape-Nuts as food. He says:

"For the past 5 years Grape-Nuts has been a prominent feature in our bill of fare.

"The crisp food with the delicious nutty flavor has become an indispensable necessity in my family's everyday life.

"It has proved to be most healthful and beneficial, and has enabled us to practically abolish pastry and pies from our table, for the children prefer Grape-Nuts and do not crave rich and unwholesome food.

"Grape-Nuts keeps us all in perfect physical condition—as a preventive of disease it is beyond value. I have been particularly impressed by the beneficial effects of Grape-Nuts when used by ladies who are troubled with face blemishes, skin eruptions, etc. It clears up the complexion wonderfully.

"As to its nutritive qualities, my experience is that one small dish of Grape-Nuts is superior to a pound of meat for breakfast, which is an important consideration for anyone. It satisfies the appetite and strengthens the power of resisting fatigue, while its use involves none of the disagreeable consequences that sometimes follow a meat breakfast." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

DAIRY NOTES

Curing a Kicking Cow.

Every once in a while I see in an agricultural paper an article on how to cure kicking cows. With a kicking cow that has the habit well formed, no art will avail, at least when there is a new milker. I have handled a great many kicking cows, and am absolutely of the opinion that a cow must become acquainted with her milker before he can even hope to cure her of the propensity, and then the cure will exist only so long as the milker remains with her. Whenever a new milker appears the habit will revive. I have known of kicking cows that have been milked by the same milker for years and would not allow themselves to be milked by any other person unless they were so thoroughly tied up with ropes that they could not move. The best method of curing a cow of the kicking habit is to use gentleness. The milker must develop the power to hold his temper under all conditions. Even then, if the cow is like some that I have known, he will find it to his advantage to restrain her by a rope put, around her legs in the form of a figure "8." This should be placed around the legs just above the bend of the legs. The rope should be looped at one end and the loose end passed through the loop, completing the figure eight. The rest of the loose end can lie in the lap of the milker. The friction of the rope in the loop will hold the figure eight in place, and if the cow attempts to kick, it will give only so gradually that she cannot deliver a blow. If it is made fast she will feel herself under restraint and perhaps become excited and throw herself. I found this to be one of the best methods for saving the milker from the kick of the cow.—John Stinson, Bureau Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Apple Pomage as Silage.

When apples are abundant there are always a great many that are small and are used for cider. In small crop years the amount of apples usable for cider is very small, owing to the fact that there are few apples on the tree, and these apples develop into a salable fruit. But when the big fruit years come, the trees are loaded with apples, with the natural result that many of these are small, too small to be merchantable except in the form of cider or cider vinegar. In these full crop years a great deal of cider is made, and consequently a great deal of apple pomace accumulates. In many cases this pomace is thrown out into the streams, or is fed to cattle already well-fed on the pasture. We have seen it thrown into the barnyards in cakes, the cows eating what they could off the top, and trampling the rest under foot. Apple pomace has been found useful for silage. It makes first-class silage and keeps well from year to year. This is of interest to those farmers living near cider mills where they can obtain pomace at little cost. Cows fed on this silage are said to hold up their milk as well as those that are fed on corn silage. The milk does not seem to be in any way injured by the flavor of the pomace, but when it is fed it is well to begin its feeding slowly, a little at a time, as any change of food if very abrupt seems to influence the milk for a time. The usual practice in feeding it is to give about fifteen pounds a day to each cow.

Detecting Formaldehyde in Milk.

When men began to use preservatives in milk, they used various substances that could be easily detected by the chemists. Repressive laws, however, made it difficult to use some of these preservatives, and the manufacturers of preservatives set their chemists at work to find some substance that could not be detected by other chemists. They hit upon formalin, or formaldehyde, the latter being a combination of formalin and water. For a long time the chemists were unable to detect this in the milk as no means was known of showing the formalin. But by a large number of experiments things were at last discovered that would show the presence of formalin. The French have just hit upon a new way of detecting it at once and without any question. They first add acetic or lactic acid to the milk, and this precipitates the casein. This leaves a liquid that may be filtered. To this filtrate is added a few crystals of amidol. The water of the liquid then becomes a flowery green. The test is so accurate that if there is present in the milk only one part of formaldehyde to half a million parts of milk, the test will show it.

Cash for Cream.

Paying cash for cream is the way one creamery corporation in Nebraska is trying to get rid of bookkeeping. When the cream is taken the farmer is given a receipt, which is virtually a check, as it is negotiable. The bank takes these receipts for cash and they are afterward returned to the company for liquidation. This would appear to be a good plan to follow, but requires a good deal of capital on the part of the company putting it into operation, as they must pay for all goods some weeks before it is possible to get cash for them. Some such plan would be far better than having a great lot of bookkeeping to do, with monthy reports to make. Cash transactions are easy to handle and time is saved, as well as postage in rendering accounts.

POULTRY

Stocking Up with Fowls.

There are two times of year when we naturally increase our stock of fowls. One is the spring, the other is the fall. If we want to stock up in the way of purchasing eggs, we generally do so in the spring, unless we are using an incubator. When we have to depend on the hen for the incubating process, it is more necessary to do this in the spring, because the hen is not inclined to sit in the fall. Most farmers, however, have found it advisable to buy poultry rather than to buy the eggs, and the fall is the time when this should be done. This is the time of surplus stock. This is the time when the men that have good fowls have some on hand to sell, and the man that wants to increase the number of his breeding birds should purchase them as soon as possible, that he may have his pick, rather than take what is left after most of the surplus has been sent to market. There is another reason why the farmer should stock up early in the fall rather than late, and that is that the birds may be fed under his care long before the cold weather comes on. As a usual thing, the men that are raising fowls to sell are feeding them the cheapest possible food, with the idea of producing a fowl that will look well and sell well. Almost always this feeding in this part of the country will be found to be corn. It makes a fine-looking bird, but not one that will have an inclination to lay eggs early in the winter. If this feeding continues until December, there is nothing that the purchaser can do to offset it, but he may be sure that he will not get eggs from birds so fed until the latter part of January. If, however, he buys the birds early in the fall, he will not feed them with the same object in view as the man that wanted to sell them. He will feed them with the idea of having the bird in prime condition for the production of winter eggs. He will feed them meat scraps, cut bone, oats, and feeds that the other man has not bothered to feed. It is impossible to get winter eggs without proper feeding, and this proper feeding must prevail, not only during the laying season, but for several months before. The intelligent poultry raiser will therefore see that it is altogether to his advantage to stock up early in the fall.—Sophia Belknap, Allen Co., Ind., in Farmers' Review.

Moulting.

Moulting is a natural process that has for its object the furnishing of the fowl with a winter dress compact enough to protect her from the cold. Some might ask why moulting is necessary at all. It is because the Creator has prepared the fowl a suit of clothes that endures for a year. Under ordinary conditions, this suit is at its best when it is new. The barbs of the feathers lie so close together that they form an air-tight compartment under the feathers. I have been in a poultry house on a day in winter when the temperature was 20 degrees below zero. Every hen seemed to be puffed up, greatly enlarged in size. This was produced by the feathers being pushed away from the body and holding under them a layer of air. The feathers touched so firmly that there was no communication between the air inside and the air outside. This was a provision of nature for keeping the fowls warm. The feathers are made up of minute spaces, each one filled with air, and therefore a non-conductor of heat. The quill itself is hollow and the air space in it prevents the passage of heat. When these feathers are new, therefore, they are the warmest possible protection of the fowl. But when summer comes the conditions differ. The fowl needs the air from outside, and the feathers become thin, like a garment that is well worn. Nature might have provided for these feathers to renew themselves, but nature found it easier to grow new feathers for the new winter coat, and this is just what occurs. At moulting time the fowl needs to be fed with food that is rich in all the elements required for growth. The production of its winter suit is quite a tax on the fowl, and usually there is no production of eggs in the moulting season.

Food for Show Birds.

A man that is fattening his fowls for a show room and has only a limited time in which to do it, naturally wishes to feed them a food that will force growth. He will choose those foods that are rich in the fat-forming elements. Boiled rice is one of the best of these foods, as it is very digestible and has nearly the richness of corn meal. Boiled potatoes, also, when mixed with corn meal, will be eaten in considerable quantities by fowls, and potatoes are very rich in starch. Some corn should be fed them, and with it a goodly amount of grit. To get a gloss on the feathers, some men feed sunflower seed, some feed beef tallow, and some feed both. The drink advocated by some poultrymen is sweetened water. We do not know, however, that this is of any advantage to the fowls, or that they drink more of it because it is sweetened. The larger the amount of water used, the better.

Fall plowing should be so thorough that all the weeds will be turned under and none left between the furrows. Such weeds become a nuisance the following spring.

FRUITFUL FURNACES

INTENSE HEAT PRODUCES PRECIOUS STONES.

Scientists Have Succeeded in Plucking Real Diamonds and Rubies from the Crucible of the Furnace.

Recent advices from France state that Prof. Moissan, the eminent scientist and inventor, has actually succeeded in making genuine diamonds and rubies. He employs for this purpose the electric furnace, which has been so improved that a degree of heat can be produced, approaching the extreme temperatures, which were undoubtedly a factor in the formation of minerals and gems in the interior of the earth.

The rubies obtained are of large size, weighing 10 or 15 carats, and in quality and color equal and even surpass those found in the earth. The natural forces attending the formation of diamonds seem to have been more complicated, and so far the diamonds resulting from the efforts of the scientists have been very small, but still they are positively identified as the carbon crystal—the diamond. They are remarkably clear and bright, and on a small scale as fine specimens as nature's own product.

The electric furnace has enriched chemistry with a whole series of new compounds. Probably the one of most value to mankind at large is Calcium Carbide. The simple application of water to Calcium Carbide generates the gas Acetylene, which is now being commonly used for lighting.

The peculiar merits of Acetylene light are its brilliance and high candle power, ease of installation, economy and its adaptability for lighting buildings of every description, regardless of their location.

MAN STILL HAS THE CIGAR.

Woman Has Usurped Most of His Other Vices and Privileges.

The advancement of woman by leaps and bounds continues. First, we had the women's clubs; then the women's hotel, with bell girls and "lady" porters, and later the Woman's Downtown Lunching club. There is one young woman living in the vicinity of Madison square who is still ages ahead the rest of her sex in the race for equality with man. She wear's men's shoes, a four-in-hand tie, and a dress that is as near an approach to a suit of clothes as the laws of dressmaking will permit. She carries her umbrella as a man would his cane, and her walk is a close imitation of the Harvard strut. The other day one who passes constantly through the park on her way down town saw this concrete example of advanced womanhood sitting on a bench writing a letter instead of reading the paper, while she had her shoes shined. The passer-by looked by instinct, as it were, for the cigar in her left hand, but that, fortunately was reserved for a still more remote period of feminine development.—New York Post.

Howlers.

In his "Comic School Tales" H. J. Barker gives some amusing answers by children technically known in England as "Howlers." "A teacher was giving a lesson on the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, he said: 'Now boys, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it, and I should turn red in the face.' 'Yes, sir,' said the boys. 'Now,' continued the teacher, 'what I want to know is this: How is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?' And a little fellow shouted: 'Why, sir, because your feet ain't empty.'"—Technical World.

Cure to Stay Cured.

Wapello, Iowa, Sept. 11th (Special)—One of the most remarkable cures ever recorded in Louisa County is that of Mrs. Minnie Hart of this place. Mrs. Hart was in bed for eight months and when she was able to sit up she was all drawn up on one side and could not walk across the room. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her. Speaking of her cure, Mrs. Hart says:

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SONGBIRDS IN BERMUDAS.

Impression That They Are Tuneless Is a Mistake.

"There is a general impression that there are no song birds in the Bermudas," said Frank A. Meade of Los Angeles. "I spent an autumn there, and can give a few facts about some of the native birds. The native birds of Bermuda are the red bird (Cardinalis pubra), bluebird, mocking bird, ground dove, kingfisher and chick of the village. The redbird's song is between a warble and a shrill whistle. The chick of the village reminds one of the English wren. Its sprightly note may be heard at intervals through the year. The melody of the blue and mocking birds are too familiar in Wisconsin to need introduction. About fifty kinds of birds, including migrants, have been observed. The migrant birds leave the coast of America early in the autumn in large flocks to seek southern latitudes, and stop at islands on the way to rest. The most frequent visitors are golden plover, sandpipers, snipes, owls and eagles."—Milwaukee Free Press.

PICKED THE BEER BOTTLES.

Clubman Played Havoc in His Own Ice Box at Home.

He had been at his lodge and it was early in the morning before he returned. He was not strictly sober, maybe, but he had sense enough to go to the ice box. His wife heard him lift the lid of the box and let it fall with a bang against the wall. She fancied him groping about for the hammer and pick to break off a piece of the lump when suddenly the sound of a bombardment came to her ears.

Next morning she arose and went to the ice box and opened it to see what could have been the matter the night before. There she beheld a wreck. It appeared that her husband had taken the hammer and pick, and in the darkness had mistaken six beer bottles for lumps of ice.—New York Sun.

NOISES IN HER HEAD

Mrs. Reagan was a Nervous Wreck, But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Brought Sound Health.

"Before I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," said Mrs. Mary Reagan, of No. 86 Kilburn street, Fall River, Mass., recently, "I was in and out of bed all the time, but now I stay up all day and do all my own work.

"I was badly run down from overwork. One day noises began in my head and almost made me crazy. My head felt as if a tight band had been put around it, and the pressure and the sounds made me so uneasy that I often had to walk the floor all night.

"My stomach was in bad shape, and I had smothering sensations. At such times my body seemed bloodless, my hands were like chalk and my face turned yellow. The doctor said I had dyspepsia in the worst form. Then my nerves gave way and I was completely prostrated. I frequently suffered from smothering sensations.

"The first box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills that I used quieted my nerves so that I could get a good night's sleep, which was a new experience for me. Before I began to use them I was a nervous wreck and trembled at the slightest sound. I was so weak that I had to sit down and rest every few steps when I went up stairs. Now I can run up a whole flight at once. The smothering sensations have gone and the noises in my head have stopped entirely. My appearance has greatly improved, for friends who were alarmed on my account before, now say: 'How well you are looking!' My husband spent over a hundred dollars on treatment for me that was worthless, but a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills brought me sound health."

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"Sure!" replied thirsty Tim, "if yer gimme enough ter make de delay an' de exter walk wort' while."—Philadelphia Press.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 and 912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Peter Caesar and E. Schell, St. Paul, Minn., wheel; Christopher Carll, Stillwater, Minn., animal blanket; Charles Chapman, Berlin, N. D., wire stretcher; Fred Cooley, Minneapolis, Minn., pipe stem cleaner; Charles Jewett, Blackduck, Minn., fire box and grate; August Johnson, Alcester, S. D., hoof plane; Tolef Solberg, Crookston, Minn., manure spreader; Edwin M. Wheelock, Watertown, S. D., tender.

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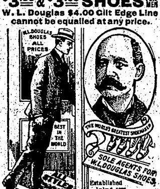

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CLAIMS against the United States arising out of the war with Spain have been approved by the auditor of the war department in the sum of $4,500,000.

THE country will be engaged for some time in benevolently assimilating the more than 1,000,000 immigrants who flocked to the United States during the last fiscal year.

IN the new Methodist marriage ceremony the bride promises to "keep" instead of "obey" her husband. In the day of rapid-fire divorces she may find it just as difficult to keep him as to obey him.

THE fact that Marshall Feld pays taxes on $40,000,000 in Chicago attracts less attention than his failure to send complaints of oppression to the assessors. He hasn't the New York-Newport habit.

THERE are entirely too many men in this country of the type of Hyde, Holmes, Benson, Mitchell, Depew and Burton; but there are also some 75,000,000 persons of a different class in the United States.

JUDGE U. S. KENDALL of West Virginia says that mother-in-laws cause nine-tenths of the divorces. This will interest those who have believed that the other woman whom he wants to marry is the usual cause.

JAPAN'S purchases from the United States in the fiscal year just closed amounted to $51,724,726, an increase of $27,000,000 over 1904; her sales to the United States aggregated $52,113.372, an increase of $5, 600,000.

THERE is no class of people in America that has a bigger-kick coming than the school teachers. The man that cares for the hogs and cattle in the country receives more pay than the woman who presides in the little school house on the hill.

THE state board of equalization will make an investigation of the methods of certain big lumber firms in listing their property for taxation. It is claimed that some of the companies have listed their property in sums up to $55,000 in the retail class because they believed that less attention would be paid to the retail class than to the manufacturers. It is believed that the majority of the companies have adopted this method of reducing their taxes.

THE close of the current fiscal year chronicled an inflow of 1,027,000 immigrants to the United States. The movement marks a new world's record for people seeking to establish new homes in a foreign country. The largest previous immigration to this country occurred in 1903, when 857,046 immigrants landed on our shores. The high monthly average of 85,583 foreigners added to our population is something unprecedented in the history of the nation.

IN the eleven months ending May, 1905, the Mexican people imported from this country half a million dollars' worth of sewing machines and one-quarter of a million dollars, worth of typewriters. The sewing machine penetrates to parts of the republic so hard to reach that the cost of the conveyance from the capital exceeds the import price of the article.

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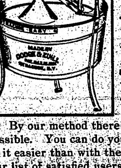

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A St. Louis colored man has invented an automobile that promises to fulfill the dream of the rural mail carrier. The first machine was sold at a price of $250, and it is claimed that they can soon be placed on the market at a price of $150 or less. It is claimed that this wonderful machine will be able to maintain speed of 35 miles an hour for four days without stopping.

GOOD HUSBANDS.

Formerly any man was a good husband who did not get drunk more than six days out of the week and only beat his wife semi-occasionally. In those days the burden of proof was upon the wives, so long as the good man was also a good provider, and they were expected to be able to spin the flax, weave the linsey-woolsey, clothe the family, and run the household.

All of this, an eastern editor declares, has been changed, however, and now, with our higher education for women folks, the scarcity of servants and the gradual enslavement of man, a good husband has come to mean something more than a fairly sober and industrious provider for the family. It means—one who by courtesy only wears the trousers; a man who can get breakfast and wash dishes when the cook is away; a gentle tempered and mild mannered male who can be trusted to tend the baby while wifey reads an essay on the rearing of children at the mothers' congress.

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of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten; in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns, Only 25c at all drug stores.

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FREE RUGS A neat little circular telling all about those fine fluffy Rugs made from your old Carpets. Mpls. Rug [illegible] Minneapolis, Minn.

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is hereby given, that on the seventh day of October, 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 22 of Red Lake county, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, by their order bearing date the eight day of September, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source, said sections being numbered from 0 to No. 195, both inclusive, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order: and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the Auditor of said county, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accure by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order estimates and profile are on file and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 36,024 cubic yards of earth, the seme to be placed along the north side of the ditch so as to form a turnpike or grade and the same to be left in a suitable condition for public traffic from Station No. 0 to 177 inclusive. From Station No. 178 to Station No. 195 inclusive the earth removed may be deposited on each side of the ditch in spoil banks as provided in the plans and specifications of the engineer. The estimated cost of the work is fourteen cents per yard. The estimated total cost of the work is Five Thousand Forty-three and 36-100 Dollars.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County for not less than ten per cent of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated September 12, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County Red Lake Co., Minn.
814-28

Order for Hearing Proof of Will.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake, } ss
IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term September 6, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Cyprien Asselin deceased, late of said county, has been delivered to this Court:

And whereas, Cleophas Asselin has filed, therewith his petition representing, among other things, that said Cyprien Asselin died in said county, on the 27th day of August, 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is one of the Executors named in said Last Will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Cleophas Asselin and Onizime Asselin.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and the said petition be heard before this Court at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, on Monday, the second day of October, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument:

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 6th day of September, A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARRENT,
Judge of probate.
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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Band concert Friday evening.

The whistle of the thresher engine is heard again.

Prof. A. Onstad went to St. Hilaire this morning.

Several cases of la grippe have been reported this week.

The band concert Friday evening will begin at 7:15 prompt.

Wm. Biteman, the bakery man, has a new adv. in this issue.

Chas. E. Boughton was a business visitor at Plummer Monday.

The first frost of the season made its appearance Monday night.

One of the hardest rains of the season visited this section to-day.

J. W. Bourdon and C. W. Cress were at Grand Forks the Monday.

Station Agent Mizen of the Northern Pacific spent Sunday at St. Paul.

The Kreuger saloon building is receiving a fresh coat of paint this week.

The Great Northern has been graveling their track at this place this week.

Theo. Garceau, Jr. is laid up with an injured knee. Too much football.

Mrs. Hennings, of the North Side, has been numbered among the sick this week.

At the last meeting of the band it was decided to purchase two new horns. The instruments will be first-class in every particular and will be the property of the band.

The Busy Store gives a timely talk on cloaks in this week's adv. Look it up.

Some oats have been threshed this week and the yield is reported as being good.

C. F. Hanson, of Fertile, was a business caller at this place the first of the week.

F. J. Parker, of Marshall, was in the city over Sunday with a party of land-seekers.

S. S. Swanson, of Wylie, was a business caller at this place Wednesday morning.

Marcus Johnson was in the city the first of the week looking after business matters.

A blind man and woman sang and played musical instruments on the streets Tuesday.

S. A. Swanson has been transacting business in the eastern part of the county this week.

A. O. Davison and family, of Wylie, were guests of the Tibbitts home in this city over Sunday.

Zeb Normandeau went out into Garnes township Sunday for a hunting trip of several days.

County Surveyor Wood has been in this vicinity this week doing work for local parties.

John and Will Taylor, of St. Paul, arrived in the city Monday for a visit with old friends.

Dr. Hills, the life insurance man, dropped off here Tuesday for a few days visit with old friends.

Mrs. J. B. Hamilton, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, arrived in the city this morning and will be a guest of her brother, P. B. Gaass, for a few weeks.

Ernest Buse, Harry Healy and Milt Converse left this morning for a hunting trip about Key West.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Keil moved into the Krueger house in the Klondike district the first of the week.

The Great Northern has authorized practically half tariff on cattle, boars and bulls for breeding purposes.

Otto Steinert returned home last week from Cannon Falls where he had been at work in a mill.

Albert Deforge has returned from the hospital at Fosston where one of his legs was amputated recently.

Mrs. A. J. LaPlante returned home Tuesday from Crookston where she visited her parents for several days.

Sam Allard came down from Grand Forks Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his family in this city.

Atty. Mabey, of Thief River Falls, passed through the city Tuesday morning on his way home from Crookston.

The number of school children for the first week of school is announced as 461. There are 71 pupils in the high school.

The weekly band concert was postponed last week on account of so many members of the band being out of the city.

Miss Cathrtne Pirath came down from St. Hilaire where she is teaching school Friday and visited with her parents for a day.

The N. P. Ry. will sell round trip tickets to Philadelphia, Penn., at one fare plus $2.00. Date of sale, Sept. 14 to 16, inclusive.

County Surveyor Wood was down from Thief River Falls several days last week attending the meeting of the county commissioners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson drove out to Popular River Saturday and remained over Sunday with Burt Wilkinson and family.

Preparations are being made to move the Hennings home on the North Side to lots in the block just north of the present location.

The Floan residence has been undergoing extensive repairs this week. A bath room and other improvements have been added.

The county commissoners met last Friday and Saturday and wrestled with the different ditch propositions that came before the meeting.

The quarantine was lifted from the Jos. Helm home yesterday. Two children have entirely recovered from an attack of scarlet fever.

Editor Latta of the Plummer Pioneer made the Courier a short visit last Thursday. He had just returned from a visit to the state fair.

Geo. Hennings was at Crookston Saturday evening consulting a contractor in regards to moving his mother's house on the North Side.

Jas. I. Wyer, president of the First State Bank, arrived in the city yesterday and will probably remain in the city for some weeks.

School Will Quit

next winter before Xmas some time. Between you and then the school children will need shoes—good shoes, as it will be too cold for children to go to school barefotted. Now we want to recommend you our Goodman & Budd Shoes. They are not only of good quality, the very best quality, but they are reasonable in price. We buy these from the largest shoe factory in the worfd and pay spot cash for them. You save from 10 to 26c a prir on them. We have a big stock of them in Kid or Velour Calf in single or double soles. The line ranges in price from **65c** to **$1.75** according to size. We run the Misses Shoe up to size 6 with low heels.

We carry a large line of these at $1.50, $1.75, $2.25 and $2.50 for fine dressy shoes, ½ heel or spring.

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Quality is the watchword in our Shoe Department. Nothing enters there without the password,

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Place your orders now for canning peaches. They tell us peaches will be high.

Special Sale on Towels

Fancy Dishes arriving daily.

See our cut glass (?.) The prices will surprise you.

It always pays to trade at

THE BIG STORE

Theo LaBissoniere, Proprietor

The Brunelle Bros. began work in their new cigar factory Monday morning. The new cigars will be ready for the market in about two weeks.

Work on the foundation of John Deutchman's new place of business on the North Side began Monday. John will have a neat building when completed.

The state board of investment Monday passed favorably on applications for loans from Lambert township for $3,000, and school district 76 for $800.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson, of Park River, North Dakota, arrived in the city last week and will visit several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin.

Mrs. Agnes Campbell is laid up with a sprained knee. While walking in the garden the first of the week she fell and injured one of her knees quite badly.

F. W. Broullett and family left last evening for Dugdale where Mr. Broulette will have charge of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company's elevator the coming year.

Mrs. Joseph Baudrey, of Portage, Ont., has been here visiting her brother, Eli Lasha, for several days. Mr. Lasha and Mrs. Baudrey made a trip to Grand Forks Monday.

Geo. Kronchnoble, of Fertile, was a business visitor here yesterday. He is a manufacturer of brick and tile and has sold considerable of his product at this place this season.

F. A. Grady, Dan Latondresse, Shhriff Linnihan, A. P. Toupin and Jas. Blake were at Key West Tuesday looking for ducks. They retuned in the evening with a nice string of birds.

Work on the North Side school house is progressing rapidly. The foundation is completed and the first story is about up. Contractor Johnson will push the work as fast as possible.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Sept 8 1905—Miss Metty Mason, O. Bruneau, Olsleou Boissomeau, and Julius E. Wieland.

Those who attended the state fair [illegible] returned home and all report one of the biggest fairs in the history of the state. The attendance was large, exceeding by far any previous year.

J. W. Lynch, of Equality, was a business caller at this place Monday. While in the city Mr. Lynch called at the Courier office. He says not more than half of the grain is cut in his neighborhood.

The Great Northern freight train ran down a young wolf Tuesday afternoon just north of the mill. The train was stopped and the pelt brought to town, the train crew claiming the bounty.

Mrs. I. D. Converse returned from Cass Lake yesterday. Her grand-daughter, Miss Vera Converse, who has been visiting her grand-parents at Cass Lake for a week, returned with her.

Mrs. W. A. McIntyre arrived in the city Monday morning for a brief visit with her parents. She reports that both Mr. McIntyre and herself are highly pleased with Fargo, and are nicely settled in their new home.

A number of Red Lake Falls citizens have been out gathering plums the past week. The yield is not large this year, but the fruit is said to be of a fine flavor, and the small quantity is made up for in good quality.

The Great Northern Ry. has had a force of men and teams working this week on the bridge over Botteneau's Ave. The grade has been removed several feet on each side of the bridge and there is now room for large loads to pass through.

The engine on the Great Northern passenger Monday morning was obliged to run to this city backwards owing to a wreck at Carmen that kept from using the turn table. The engine was turned on the turn table near the mill north of the city.

The work train that had been here for about forty days left Saturday evening, and the crew is now hauling gravel from Ives to Thief River Falls and points further north. Most of the men employed while the train was here are with it on the new work.

The Board of Audit has been in session at the court house the past two days checking over the books of County Treasurer Hansen. The board is composed of the County Auditor, Clerk of the Courts and the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners. The work will keep them busy for a day or two yet.

Mrs. John Close, mother of Mrs. John E. King, died last Saturday morning at her home at Laketon, Indiana, and was buried at that place, the funeral occuring Monday. Mrs. Close has been a sufferer from stomach tuberculosis for a number of years past, and for six months was almost a helpless invalid. Mrs. King and the children have been in Indiana for about three months past owing to Mrs. Close's critical illness.

Your Idea of a Cloak

If it is beautiful designs of style, perfect fit and finish the **Landesman** cloak is **that.** The line this year is positively the largest we have shown in the city.

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You must be thinking hard about that new suit. Probably the color is hard to choose. Drop in and see something that will tempt you.

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Our Savings Dep't. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us ranging from [illegible] to [illegible]. These are saving accounts and are continually growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. [illegible]

THE COURIER

KING & CHASE, Pubs.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Advice to those about to butt in: Don't.

The Japs took one look at Secretary Taft's physical proportions and ordered whale for dinner.

Possibly the man who sent mobs to the New York capitalists is merely another kind of reformer.

"Treat children like plants," says the Washington Post. That's right—straighten 'em with a stick.

Are we to understand that the professors have landed on the solar plexus of the nebular hypothesis?

If the Taggart's have to quit the army there will be nothing left for them but to enter New York society.

Russia's new legislative body is referred to by the czar as a gosudarstvennaia douma. Oh, but he must be mad!

It is significant that no person has succeeded in stealing John D. Rockefeller's socks while he is bathing in the morning dew.

Roy Knabenschue, the airship man, is described by a New York paper as "a married man with a family of little ones." Little airships?

Another aeronaut has succeeded in giving an entirely superfluous demonstration of the truth that the law of gravity is still working.

A Chicagoan who claims that he is "a perfect gentleman" has been fined $50 for flirting. Evidently the judge mistook him for a "gent."

Ethel Barrymore is to be married to a poet, but not solely, we are given to understand, because she desires to have a genius in the family.

Well, Jupiter has got another moon This makes the seventh. There is a race between him and Saturn now. One more and they will be even.

King Alfonso was mixed up in another automobile accident a day or two ago. He seems to have quit getting engaged to be married, though.

King Leopold and Capt. Putnam Bradlee Strong are both keeping out of print, so we must admit that things might be much worse than they are.

"Woe unto them," exclaimed Isaiah, "that trust in chariots, because they are many!" Even in Isaiah's time perhaps, the people had to dodge them.

Lord Curzon's resignation is reported to have increased Kitchener's prestige in India. Sir Redvers Buller is worrying along these days without any prestige.

"Can doctors know too much?" asks the New York Times. Perhaps they can, but most of them will be able without much trouble to establish their innocence.

The New York Tombs caterer is suing Nan Patterson for the return of a rabbit's foot. He will attempt to prove its value by showing that Nan escaped conviction by a hare.

It might be said of the Pegasus which Alfred Austin rides that it "also ran."—Charleston News and Courier.

Move to amend: "Also tried to fly."

Statistics show that 400,000,000 "Havana" cigars were manufactured in the United States last year. Something good—and cheap—must be provided for campaign smoking and election bets.

Railway companies are beginning to abolish the age limit in hiring men to work for them. They have found, oddly enough, that some of their employes become more valuable as they grow older.

While sympathizing with Mark Twain in his sufferings from the gout, it mitigates one's distress of mind to some extent to remember that Mark must have had a good time while he was getting it.

Injunctions have been secured to restrain roosters from crowing, dogs from barking and the tolling of bells and the tooting of locomotive whistles at night in Mount Vernon, N. Y. Why are the Mount Vernon cats thus favored?

A Chicago man and his wife have found their way into the divorce court because both wanted to occupy one chair. Before they were married one chair would have been—but isn't it strange that a few words by a preacher should make such a difference.

A Latrobe, Pa., church has been disrupted because the pastor kissed a pretty girl. The dispatches say the pretty girls of the congregation are standing by the preacher. Guess where the homely spinsters and the long-whiskered old elders are.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Arizona thinks it is too bad that its destiny should be locked up with that of the Greaser state of New Mexico. It is aggravating, but then Arizona wants to get in so bad that she can endure being put out.

The News of the Week

Washington.

Nearly one million names are on the pension rolls of the United States, according to the annual report of Col. Vespasian Warner, commissioner of pensions. Over $125,000,000 are paid out in pensions annually.

Consul General Rogers at Shanghai cabled the state department that the position there as to anti-American boycott was improving. The officials of the state department have come to the conclusion that the boycott has practically exhausted itself, the Chinese merchants finding that they themselves were the principal losers.

The secretary of agriculture has issued an order revoking in part the order issued last March by which a quarantine was placed again Far Western states on account of the prevalence of scabies among cattle in those states. The secretary's revocation applies to the states of Oregon and Washington, to the eastern part of Kansas, the western part of Colorado and parts of Texas, Oklahoma, Wyoming and New Mexico.

Crimes and Criminals.

A negro named Bees was lynched by a mob near the Leake plantation at Rosetta, Miss. The negro was charged with criminal assault on a white girl.

In a dispute at Belleville, Il., between Henry C. Lonk, a saloonkeeper, and John Trappe, over 10 cents. Lonk was shot dead. The police are searching for Trappe.

E. B. Ewing, claiming to be a brother-in-law of former Senator Cockrell of Missouri, shot himself through the head at a Butte hospital and died in a few minutes.

R. D. Chase, alias Russell, formerly of Cherokee, Iowa, shot and killed Allie Watson of Tonopah, Nev., and then fired a bullet int ohis own brain, inflicting a fatal wound.

It has developed at Cincinnati that forgeries of pay checks on the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad are more extensive than was first supposed, reports being that the aggregate amount will reach $40,000.

Ralph Holden of Union City, Mich., shot twice at his wife, twice at his wife's sister-in-law, Mrs. Byron W. Bray, and then attempted suicide. Mrs. Holden will probably die. Mrs. Bray was not dangerously wounded. Family troubles are assigned as the cause.

A petition from his neighbors that he be allowed to harvest his tobacco crop has resulted in the pardon by Acting Governor Davidson of Henry Rutter of Ferryville, Wis., sentenced to the county jail for assault and battery. He had served half of his time.

Paul Langren, foreman of the Milwaukee worsted mills, was shot and probably fatally wounded by a burglar. The burglar had forced open a window of the Langen home with a garden spade and was about to take his departure from the house when Mr. Langen grappled with him and the shooting followed. The burglar is still at large.

Foreign.

Two women, supposed to be Americans, fell over a precipice near Orta and were killed.

The town council of Maikop, Russia, has decided to name a street in honor of President Roosevelt.

The eruption of the ancient crater in the island of Stromboli, near Sicily, continues to cause anxiety.

The shah of Persia arrived at Peterhof recently. He was met at the station by Emperor Nicholas, several of the grand dukes and Count Lamsdorf.

Nippon Yusen Kaisha (Japanese steamship company), through the Japanese consul at Glasgow, is placing contracts for eighteen liners with shipbuilding firms.

The Simla correspondent of the London Daily Mail says it is rumored that Viceroy Curzon, who recently resigned may stay in India until March in order to entertain the prince and princess of Wales.

King Oscar has conferred the honor of knighthood of the order of the Royal Order of Vasa upon B. Lowenstein of Memphis, Tenn. Mr. Lowenstein has been a constant visitor to Sweden for twelve years.

It is rumored at Mexico City that on the expiration two years hence of the charter of the present public beneficial lottery it will not be renewed, and that probably all lotteries will then be prohibited.

As a result of the investigation of Count de Brazza, the African explorer, into the charges of brutality against natives of the French Congo, the government announced that the two chief colonial functionaries, MM. Gaud and Toque, have been sentenced to five years' imprisonment. The charges include compelling the natives to eat a dish made of the flesh of dead relatives and also exploding cartrides inserted in the bodies of the natives.

It is officially announced that the French government is not fully satisfied with the release alone of the Algerian subject Bouzain, who was arrested recently in Morocco. France will insist that the sultan apologize for the arrest and that an indemnity be paid for the indignity to which he was subjected.

Shanghai was visited by a typhoon and the entire city was flooded, the water rising to a height of three feet. This was the first flood which has occurred there within the last fifty years.

The authorities at Hamburg declare there are no new cases of cholera in Hamburg and they believe the further spread of the disease is impossible.

Information has reached London from Sofia that 800 Bulgarian-Macedonian insurgents, followers of Boris Sarafoff, have left Sofia and are expected to raid Turkish territory.

The fire which broke out at Adranople Saturday raged until Sunday, owing to lack of water. The greater part of each of the six quarters of the city was destroyed and the damage is estimated at $5,000,000.

The International Law association met at Christiania last week at the Nobel institute. There were forty foreign delegates in attendance, including Cephas Brainerd, of New York, B. F. Trueblood of Boston and James Crosby of Garnarville, Iowa.

St. Andrews university at Glasgow on Oct. 17 will confer the honorary degree of doctor of law on Mr. Andrew Carnegie, Whitelaw Reid, Charlemagne Tower and Bishop Potter of New York, and Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university.

A bomb exploded with terrific force on the marine parade at Barcelona, Spain, which was thronged with a holiday crowd. A panic followed and the air was rent with the shrieks and groans of the fifty or sixty victims, including one woman killed and five persons mortally wounded. The perpetrator of the outrage has not been found.

Accidental Happenings.

Fire at Calumet, Mich., destroyed the manual training building of the Calumet high school and the Miscowaubik club house. Loss, $100,000.

Five persons were injured and a score of others were shaken up in a rear-end collision on the Rockford & Freeport interurban railroad near Winnebago, Ill.

By the explosion of a peanut roaster at Evansville, Ind., at a labor picnic Fred Dillman, aged nine years, was instantly killed and Vincent Ameroso was probably fatally injured.

John H. Talem, son of B. H. Talem, assayer in charge of the United States assay office at Helena, is dead on the Cascade ranch from injuries sustained while rounding up cattle. His horse fell on him and he never regained consciousness.

Four young women, two of whom were returning from their father's funeral, were drowned in he Hudson river at Hudson, N. Y., when the small pleasure steamer Young America was run down and sunk by the ferry boat George H. Power.

Lightning struck a barn on Floyd Sparris' ranch on Clear creek, Carbon county, Mont., and rendered four children, who were playing in the barn unconscious. Ray Seaborough's clothes and shoes were torn from his body and he was severely bruised, but may live.

Fire has completely destroyed the Odd Fellows' Orphan home, located just south of Mason City, Iowa. No loss of life has been discovered. The inmates were mostly children and aged persons, between 400 and 500 in number. The loss is estimated at between $75,000 and $80,000.

General.

The Mexican Power company of New Jersey, capital $10,000,000 has been organized.

Application has been made for the appointment of a receiver for the First National bank of Oxford, Ohio.

Harry Cooley was struck by a North-Western passenger train in the yards at Eagle Grove, Iowa, and killed.

The Philadelphia Traction company has declared a semi-annual dividend of $2 per share, payable Oct. 2, the books to close Sept. 9.

The sixth annual convention of the chief car inspectors and car foremen of the railroads of the United States opened at Cleveland, with an attendance of 200 delegates.

William B. Gill, aged fifty-nine formerly a district superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company, with headquarters in Philadelphia, died at his home in Cheltenham, a suburb.

Thomas Fitchie, ex-commissioner of immigration of the port of New York and the original "McKinley man" of Kings county, is dead at his home in Brooklyn. He was seventy-two years old.

Francis B. Stevens, a member of the well known Stevens family of Hoboken and grandson of the late Commodore Stevens, committed suicide by shooting at his home, "The Cottage," at Westbury, L. I.

Adam Bryant of Marion, one of the best known horsemen in the state, was taken to a hospital at Cedar Rapids to undergo an operation for cancer. As the physicians were administering ether, Bryant died of hemorrhage of the brain.

Eddie Hanlon of San Francisco won from Willie Fitzgerald of Brooklyn on a foul in the seventh round. When the foul was committed Hanlon apparently had Fitzgerald beaten.

Conduct unbecoming an officer is the charge which has been made against Policeman James Kilgallon of Pittsburg before the police trial board and there is every reason to believe that Kilgallon will lose his job. According to the complaint, Kilgallon tried to kiss Mrs. Mary B. Dick and was so clumsy in his efforts that he bit her on the lip. Mrs. Dick is young, [illegible] and prominent socially.

HUNDREDS OF LIVES LOST IN EARTHQUAKE

PROVINCE OF CALABRIA, ITALY, AND SICILY VISITED BY AN EARTHQUAKE.

18 VILLAGES ARE DESTROYED

IMPOSSIBLE YET EVEN TO ESTIMATE THE EXTENT OF THE DAMAGE.

INHABITANTS IN A PANIC

SCENES OF INDESCRIBABLE TERROR FOLLOW THE AWFUL CATASTROPHE.

Rome, Sept. 10.—All Italy is suffering from terrible depression because of the news from the south, where one of the worst earthquakes ever experienced occurred yesterday. Although the earthquake was felt all over Calabria and to a certain extent in Sicily, the worst news came from Pizzo and Monteleone and from eighteen villages which are said to have been completely destroyed. According to the latest news received 370 persons have been killed and a great number injured. It is as yet impossible to even estimate the property losses.

Many Towns Are Shaken.

The shock was felt at 2:55 o'clock yesterday morning. It lasted for eighteen seconds at Catanzaro, and soon thereafter was felt at Messina, Reggio, Monteleone, Martirano, Stefacomi, Piscopio, Triparni, Zammaro, Cessaniti, Neida, Olivadi and other points.

Scenes of indescribable terror ensued. Women aroused from their sleep rushed half-clothed into the streets screaming with fright, carrying their babies and dragging along their other children, and

Calling for Help

on the madonna and the saints. The men escaped into the open with their families, all calling on their favorite saints for protection. The cafes were taken by assault by the strangely garbed crowd, but as daylight broke without a repetition of the earthquake the crowd gradually melted away until by 8 o'clock the streets had almost assumed their normal appearance except in the ruined villages, where the inhabitants had no homes to go to.

Prisoners in a Panic.

The general confusion was added to by dreadful cries from the jails where the prisoners were beside themselves with fright, and in some cases mutinied, but fortunately all the prisoners were kept within bounds.

Troops, engineers and doctors have been hurried to the scenes of disaster to assist in the work of rescue and salvage. The ministry of the interior sent $4,000 for the relief of the destitute, and Minister of Public Works Ferarls left for Calabria last evening.

BADGER ROBBED IN CHICAGO.

Held Up by Negroes, Who Take $325 and Gold Watch.

Chicago, Sept. 10.—Fred C. Well, employed by the Wisconsin Central railroad, was attacked by three colored men last night and robbed of $325 and a gold watch. Well, whose home is in Fond du Lac, Wis., had visited friends on the South side. He was returning home late when the three men accosted him. One struck him a blow upon the back. When this failed to knock him down he drew a revolver and held it to his head. After the robbery the victim was forced to march half a block away without turning about, on the threat of being killed. When he did turn the robbers had vanished.

TAKES OLD GROUND.

Turkey Refuses to Recognize Naturalization of Subjects in United States.

Constantinople, Sept. 10—The porte has replied to Minister Leishmann's protest in regard to the Armenian Ghirkis Vartanian, said to be an American citizen, who was condemned to death at Stamboul for murder, reiterating its old contention in regard to the status of naturalized Turks. The reply refers to article 4 of the naturalization laws, which declare that all Ottoman subjects obtaining foreign naturalization without the consent of the Turkish government will not be considered foreigners when they return to their country of origin.

BOAT UPSET; HUNTER SHOT.

Indian Killed by Accidental Discharge.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Sept. 10.—While duck shooting on Lake Andes, Joseph Kayukan, an Indian, was killed instantly while standing in a boat by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. The craft was capsized and the gun was accidentally discharged. [illegible]

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

The residence of Nicholas Weis at Hasting was entered by burglars and $27 in money was stolen.

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Buglars entered the home of J. W. Searles at Balaton through a screen door and secured $23 in money.

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Albert Gaston, a workman on the Challers farm, a few miles south of Winona, was instantly killed by lightning.

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A. Hoffman, a pioneer settler of Forest Lake, committed suicide by taking strychnine. A quarrel over a social game of cards was the cause. He was about sixty.

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The $15,000 worth of 5 per cent bonds, which Perham issued for a new hall and extending the water mains, were sold to F. E. Magraw of St. Paul at a premium of $375.

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Rev. J. G. Sjoquist of Dassel is minus his right ear. It was bitten off by one of a herd of bronchos that were being sold here. It is doubtful of the member can be saved.

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Samuel S. Johnson, a millionaire lumberman of Minneapolis, is dead at Berkeley, Cal., from Bright's disease, despite the efforts of the specialists brought from New York, Chicago and his home city. He was born in Canada in 1857.

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While at play the ten-year-old son of Judge Pool of Echo was hit in the eye with an apple thrown by his playmate, the blow rupturing a small blood vessel. Th elad was taken to Minneapolis for treatment.

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J. J. Mulligan, aged sixty-eight, a telegraph operator, fell from a third-story window of the Commercial hotel at St. Paul and was killed. It is believed that he sat in the window to get cool and lost his balance.

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William Burley, who conducts a bottling works establishment at Fergus Falls, was arrested on the charge of selling beer without a license. He pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs, amounting in all to $58.

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The corner stone of the new Norwegian Lutheran church at Akeley was laid Sunday. The ceremonies were conducted by Bishop K. B. Jorgo of Red Wing, assisted by Revs. G. A. Christianson of Cass Lake and J. C Gram of Shevlin.

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John Hildebrand, a miner, lost his footing while working at the surface of the shaft at the new Baltic mine at Eveleth, and fell two ladder lengths, or about twenty feet, sustaining injuries that may prove fatal. He is thirty-six and unmarried.

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Warren E. O'Meara, night manager for the Western Union Telegraph company at Duluth, was drawing a gun toward him in a boat when he hammer caught and was released, exploding the cartridge. Part of his left hand was shot away and the muscles of his shoulder lacerated.

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The proposed cutoff of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway from Good Thunder southwest, a complete survey of which has been made, seems to be an assured fact, and in view of this, Walter Redfern of Minneapolis is at Good Thunder contemplating the building of a large flouring mill.

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The Freeborn county fair for 1905 will be held on the grounds just north of Albert Lea Sept. 18, 19 and 20, and plans are being perfected for one of the finest exhibitions ever seen in that section. The race program will be a duplicate of a program pulled off at Osage, Iowa. Some new buildings are to be erected here in time for the fair this fall.

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Deputy Sheriff Leonard captured Anton and Joseph Bulik and Ed Aigner on the flats northwest of Fergus Falls. The three were busily engaged in hunting ducks, and their guns, which were all double-barreled shotguns, were seized and will be sent to the game and fish commission. As they were across the line in Wilkin county when captured, they were taken to Breckenridge for trial.

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The excitement over iron ore finds in the vicinity of Brainerd and other points in Crow Wing county has led to some prospecting in Cass county. In the past three weeks several prospectors have been working in the vicinity of Pine River, in the southern part of the county, and it is said that a desirable quality of ore has been discovered. The fact of the presence of ore has been carefully guarded until the land could be purchased. It is said that iron ore in paying quantities exists close to the village of Pine River.

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President O. H. Havill of St. Cloud recently announced the following division of the $250 reward offered by the Minnesota Bankers' Protective association for the capture of Charles E. Morgan, the Rice bank robber: A. L. Fox of Paynesville, who made the arrest, $95; Ferdinand Peters of Cold Spring, $75; Andrew Schneider of Cold Spring, $45; William Bowers of St. Cloud, $35.

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The Washington County Agricultural society has invited Gov. Johnson to deliver an address at the opening [illegible]

STATE LANDS TO BE IN DEMAND.

Iowa and Illinois Farmers Have Eyes for North.

According to real estate dealers who have returned from Iowa and Illinois in the last few days the bumper crop which is being harvested in those two states will mean much to Northern Minnesota in the line of immigration. The wealthy and prosperous farmers of the Iowa and Illinois soil will have an unusual surplus of ready cash, and the result will be a steady flow of currency into the northern portion of Minnesota for the purchase of lands as an investment. Lands in Iowa and Illinois are dirt cheap at $150 an acre, and when farmers from that section can find land equally as good as far as production is concerned, for $40 and $50 an acre, they immediately scent a good investment and are eager purchasers of Northern Minnesota soil.

The state land sales this fall will attract a large amount of Illinois and Iowa capital. Farmers who have well filled corn cribs, granaries and fat bank books and accounts have heard much of the wonderfu fertility of Northern Minnesota and the state during recent months and it has done much to promote the publicity of the coming sale of state lands. Already real estate dealers in the vicinity of Crookston are receiving queries as to the method of procedure adopted by the state in selling lands and of the qaulity of the soil to be offered. The land men are not particularly interested in the state sales because it means fewer sales for them if money from Illinois and Iowa is invested in the state's property. They, however, are willing to inform the southern farmers of the conditions governing the sale, and it is quite likely that the number of transfers made by the state to Iowa and Illinois parties will be large.

The promotion of the drainage idea by the State Drainage league has placed Northern Minnesota in the lime light of public gaze as it probably has never been before. The results will be more far reaching than any immigration campaign conducted in the eastern thickly settled districts. Publicity will do more for this section and for the state at large than any other known medium, and the interest aroused by the drainage convention, throughout the Middle West is significant of what results a little printer's ink will bring.

STATE BORROWS FROM BANKS.

Warrants No Longer Turned Over to State Treasurer.

Facing a steadily increasing deficit in the state revenue fund, a deficit which is now about $500,000, Gov. Johnson, the state auditor and state Treasurer Julius H. Block have passed a resolution authorizing the state treasurer to make arrangements with banks to pay overdrafts on the state rvenue fund.

This action was taken by the state officials a few days ago, and the plan is in actual operation. All warrants issued by the state auditor are turned over to th estate treasurer, who, insted of paying them, stamps across their faces: "Pay at ——— bank." The warrant is paid at the bank mentioned, and the state is charged with the amount with interest.

The three state officials are constituted a commisison by the appropriation bill of the last legislature to make such arrangements with the banks. Under the law the state cannot borrow from other funds for the use of the revenue fund more than $600,000. Almost this amount has been borrowed already, and it has been decided to take advantage of the provision in the appropriation bill whereby the state is authorized to borrow money from banks.

BUILD ROADS TO BELTRAMI.

Work Is in Progress on Four New Lines.

Three railways are now in Progress of construction in Beltrami county, while the survey for a fourth has begun. Two of these, the Wilton & Northern and the Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba, run from Bemidji to Red Lake. The former is being built by the Shevlin-Carpenter company and the latter by C. A. Smith interests. Each road is about thirty-five miles in length.

In addition to these the Minnesota & International is extending its line from Northome to Big Falls, thirty-three miles, while two crews of surveyors are laying out a line between Bemidji and Detroit.

Owing to the extreme wet weather this season, work on all these roads has been greatly delayed. Both roads to Red Lake will be finished and ready for traffic by Oct. 1, however, while the Minnesota and International extension will be completed this fall.

Ten Die in a Wreck.

Witham, Eng., Sept. 5.—As the express from London to Cromer on the Great Eastern railway was entering Witham station several cars left the track and crashed into the station, killing 10 persons and injuring 30.

Gold Harvest is Rich.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 5.—During the month of August the United States assayer's office in Helena bought gold bullion to the value of [illegible] of which $190,288 came from the [illegible] mines of Montana.

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Boston, Sept. [illegible]

In Far Northland

Tid-Bits of News for Scandinavians.

SWEDES IN NORWAY VOTED.

Cast Ballots for Dissolution—Object Lesson for Stockholm.

As Norway had officially informed Sweden that the union up to this time was to be considered as dissolved, after the common king had declared himself not capable to procure a Norwegian government, Sweden proposed as a condition since qua non that all the Norwegian people, through the voters, should give the Norwegian storthing its sympathy and approbation to the decision about the dissolution of the union. When such a declaration from the people was placed before her Sweden was ready for its own part to accept the dissolution of the union, if Norway and Sweden came to an agrement about the rest.

The Swedish government, moreover, was of that opinion, that a replace if, if, first, Norway permitted the Swedish Laplanders to let their reindeers graze on the Norwegian frontier hills; second, Norway consented to a common and mutual arrangement of both countries' transit trade, and if, third, Norway, together with Sweden, established a neutral zone along the southmost part of the frontier, between both countries, at which it was presupposed that two recently erected Norwegian frontier fortresses should be razed. The claim to the popular vote was immediately met in the most friendly way by Norway. Well, such election was decided to be held before the decision of the Swedish parliament was officially announced to the Norwegian storthing.

It was now decided that all Norwegian citizens who in 1903 had the right of voting (in this year the latest election of the members of parliament took place were to be called upon through their "aye" or "no," by letter, to speak their minds plainly whether they agreed or disagreed with the dissolution of the union, that had taken place.

The voting took place in like manner as during general election, by the parish. The general election committee conducted the election, and the voters went, one after another, into the voting booths, where they in private put their ballots marked "aye" or "no" into a sealed envelope. One citizen cannot possibly have any idea of the way in which another votes. It is quite secret.

The surprise and joy, therefore, was exceedingly great, because it became apparent that it was not only an overwhelming majority for the dissolution of the union, which was expected, but that the Norwegian people unanimously agreed with its government and storthing. About 430,000 have the right to vote, and 368,211 voted aye "and" and 184 "no." That means that all the people that were at home and had the right to vote appeared at the polls.

It is also to be remembered that there are 25,000 Swedish by birth who have the right to vote in Norway and they have acted in a manner to do themselves and their country great honor.

In those districts where the Swedes especially congregate not a single "no" was registered. They, too, have understood that the dissolution of the union was a necessity. It ought to give their countrymen something to think about.

Sunday, the 13th of August, was of course a festival day through all Norway. The churches were decorated with foliage, flowers and flags, and all clergymen prayed for the fatherland.

In the towns there was spirit and feast as never before.

But there was quiet and order everywhere, and that earnestness that proved that the people were conscious of the responsibility of their voting. For not without national giving up is it possible that the Norwegian people now can enter a way that leads back from the resolution of the 7th of June and of the 13th of August. And that will never happen.

VENICE OF THE NORTH.

Copenhagen Is Compared to Famous Italian City.

"How much Copenhagen is like Venice," said a bright American girl, belonging to a party sightseeing in Denmark. And indeed there are many points of similarity as to situation, territory and history, and now Copenhagen threatens to indulge in a falling Campanile, too.

The Campanile is the last remnant of Copenhagen's oldest church, St. Nicholas, finished in 1591 and burned down 204 years later. Only the great tower remained, and in the course of time became the center of the open meat market. The municipality rented out the tower interior to an employment agency, while the exterior is devoted to advertising purposes, bill posters and others using the old pile at so much a foot. The other day the employment agency's sign fell down, exposing a portion of the tower heretofore hidden, namely, the upperr part of the portals, done in the most beautiful late Gothic style. The fact attracted some attention and your correspondent, with other newspaper men, went to the square to have a look at the long-neglected monument of beautiful architecture. We found the tower in a most deplorable condition, threatening to fall to pieces. The ground all around is strewn with fragments of the sandstone ornamentations for which St. Nicholas church was once famous, and hundreds of bricks followed the falling balustrades and cornice. Experts say that a catastrophe is imminent, lest the municipality employ preventive measures. "If the architects and masons do not go to work soon there will be another Campanile catastrophe," said a well known master mason. And, strange to say, the reason is the same as in Venice. Both Copenhagen and Venice are built on sand and swamps, re-enforced by piles. Hence it may be prophesied that Stockholm will last longer than Copenhagen, as the latter city is founded on rocks.

NOVEL AQUATIC SPORTS.

Attract Famous Swimmers From Entire Globe.

During the past week there have been swimming, diving and water polo contests in Stockholm, which were attended by athletes from all parts of the world, mostly, however, by English swimmers. There was one professional who had come all the way from Australia, a Mr. Kieran, and he proved to be the most skillful of them all, especially in fast swimming, in which he greatly excelled all his competitors.

In a four-mile swimming contest arranged on the Djurgardsbrunsviken, a lagoon separating the park island Djurgarden from the mainland and just outside the city limits, Kieran left all his competitors far behind, and the smartest of them, Wennerstrom, had hardly finished the second mile when Kieran began the fourth or home stretch. On the last mile his strength gave out and he became bewildered and began to flounder about in the water and deviate from the course, and finally he made a lunge for the nearest boat, whose gunwale he grasped just as he fainted dead away. He was quickly hauled up into the boat, however, wrapped in a blanket and rubbed vigorously while being taken ashore, where a skillful physician had to work over him for some time before he could be brought to. The reason why he gave out so soon was that the water was very cold—about 60 degrees Fahrenheit—and there was a strong current from the river, which forms the outlet of Lake Malar. In the jumping and diving contests, the Englishmen did the best work, on the whole, but in water polo they met with rather more than thei match in the Swedish swimmers. This, it is claimed, was due to the fact that the Swedish polo players do not play by exactly the same rules as the English, and the little differences to which the Englishmen had to conform confused them.

One of the most interesting features of these swimming contests was the prize swimming of cavalry. The course laid across the lagoon aforesaid, and was taken part in by the officers of the Swedish cavalry in uniform, but without swords. Some of the horses became frightened in midstream and floundered and kicked viciously and shook off their rides, but most of the riders succeeded in clinging to their horses till they reached the opposite shore.

All competitors rode bareback. This is the first competition of this kind ever held in Sweden.

Labor conflicts are still raging in Sweden. It is estimated that 17,000 laborers are at the present without work on account of strikes. These men, together with 70,000 women and children who are dependent on them, making a total of 87,000 people, are now dependent on the assistance offered them by the labor organizations, which support amounts to 175,000 kr. a week, making 10 kr. a week per laborer.

Dying Made Easy.

One of the modern schemes of physical development that has won favor is a systematic method of breathing. A certain inquirer who was interested in the principles of this system recently wrote to one of its professors for a descriptive pamphlet. One of the rules on the first page read as follows:

"After the morning bath take a deep breath, retain it as long as possible, then slowly expire."

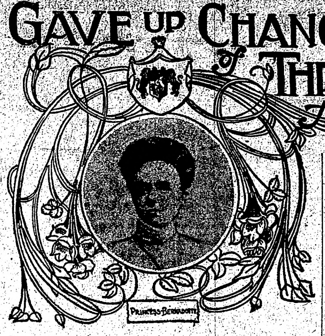
He decided not to try the system.—

DANCED AMID BLOCKS OF ICE.

London Hostess' Popular Function on a Hot Night.

There are few English hostesses who have such an eye to the comforts of their guests as has Mrs. Marshall Roberts, who introduced a novelty in the way of ball room decoration which the select gathering present heartily approved. The ball was on a torrid night, and Mrs. Roberts, whose inventive genius knows no limit, had great blocks of ice massed with palms and choice exotics, standing about in glass plates which had been provided especially for the occasion. Parti-colored electric lights surrounded the ice ice blocks, producing beautiful rainbow effects. This happy thought rendered the otherwise great heat of the evening bearable to the guests, and the immensely long, marble-paved, ice-blocked corridors along the vast oak paneled hall, where the dancing took place, formed retreats that cooled them most refreshingly.—New York Press.

GAVE UP CHANCE of THRONE for LOVE



PRINCESS BERNADOTTE

It was said at the recent marriage of Princess Margaret of Connaught to Prince Gustavus of Sweden that it was one of those rare exceptions—a royal love match. Perhaps so, but there is no such proof of it as was furnished by the marriage of another Swedish prince in England seventeen years ago and under very different circumstances. Just because that was nothing but a love match, entirely of Cupid's making, no ceremonious fuss was made over it, and the European sovereigns all held aloof from it and did not even send wedding presents to the bride and bridegroom. Prince Oscar Carl Auguste, Duke of Gotland, second son of the king and queen of Sweden, was 25 years old when he fell in love with his mother's prettiest and favorite maid of honor, Miss Ebba de Munck. She was a scion of one of the oldest and most distinguished of Swedish families and could claim to have more blue blood in her veins than the descendant of, the man whom Bonaparte had placed on the throne of Sweden. Prince Oscar told his father as much, but that did not soften the king's opposition. He insisted that his handsome son should wed only within the charmed circle of royalty, and be content with the pick of some half dozen pretty princesses. The course of true love never did run smooth for many a long day. Miss Munck herself refused to listen to the prince's suit and absolutely forbade him to make the sacrifice for her sake. She resigned her court appointment, and when she found that her royal lover was bent on following her to her father's house, she left home and entered a hospital to train as a nurse.

But Oscar would not give her up. Rather would he lay aside all his titles and privileges that his royal birth conferred upon him. In his despair he turned to his mother for comfort and aid. Queen Sophie, herself a princess of Nassau, had her own prejudice to conquer—but she was greatly attached to her favorite maid of honor, and still more deeply, of course, did she love her son. He convinced her that he could never be happy as the husband of any other woman. The mother in her triumphed over the queen. She sought out the hospital nurse and pleaded her son's cause—with success. To win the king's consent was more difficult task. Finally, when she was about to undergo a serious operation which she might not survive she induced him to yield to what she urged might be the last request she would ever make of him. And when she had recovered from the operation she went over to Bournemouth and herself gave away the bride. There was none other of Prince Oscar's relations present.

In a rose-covered house on the south coast the happy couple have lived since that day, occasionally visiting their native land, but making England their real home. Their boys go to English schools and they live the quiet life of English country gentlefolk. Of course, when he married the prince renounced his royal rights and all prospects of succeeding to the throne. The king granted him the title of Prince Bernadotte; and the Duke of Luxembourg, head of Queen Sophie's family, more recently created him Count of Wisborg, but it is little he cares for such dignities. He has never regretted cutting adrift from the throne, and Prince Bernadotte has long been satisfied that it was no sacrifice after all he made to marry her. The Norwegians would be glad to have him as their new monarch, but he has no desire to assume the responsibilities of a crowned head. Of stalwart figure, tall almost as his father, with clear, earnest eyes and a noble bearing, he would attract attention anywhere and in no company would he appear to greater advantage than in one composed of the scions of royalty. The princess has lost much of the beauty that first won his admiration, but she has gained the crown which only rests on the brows of happy wives and mothers, and his devotion to her is as fervid as ever.

He did not attend the royal wedding of his nephew, nor did his wife. His younger brother, Prince Eugene, was there, but as soon as the grand function was over he lost no time in making his way to the rose-clad house. Prince Eugene is still a bachelor. It is said he has declared that a bachelor he will remain unless fate brings in his way another woman like she who was Miss Ebba de Munck.

INSECT PEST OF MILLERS.

Over Forty Varieties of Moths and Beetles Bother Them.

"Millers have a good deal to contend with in modern times," said A. H. Hull of Kansas City, in the Milwaukee Free Press. "More than forty species of destructive moths and beetles infest granaries, some of which were only recently imported and some have been known as an enemy of stored grain ever since very ancient times. It takes a keen eye to detect in apparently sound wheat the presence of a 'granary weevil,' but if the grains have been stung by it, incalculable injury may be done in a short time. Another destructive insect that infests mills is the flour moth, known as the scourge of the flour mill. These insects excel in web-spinning, and sometimes mix up so much with the grain that the machinery is clogged and mills are stopped for long periods.

"The Indian meal moth excels in devouring the germs of wheat, injuring it for seed. A flat little beetle called the 'flour weevil' often makes its appearance in flour after it has been barreled or bagged. They are the worst pests in the milling world that I can think of now, and I sometimes wonder that the American public is blessed with such excellent flour in the face of all this insect opposition."

Don't Put Stings in Words.

The girl with laughter in her eyes, a pleasant smile for everybody, of kind words and gentle deeds, will be much more charming though far less beautiful than the girl of pretty face who is "stuck up," supercilious, disagreeable and has an exalted opinion of her own importance.

While there is a charm in the pretty face there must be back of it womanhood in its perfection. The art of being a woman is indeed a great one. There are women who always do things right and there are others who always do them wrong. How often do we see this in public?

A woman imagines, often without reason, that somebody is encroaching upon her rights. She cuts loose with a volley of angry words, making herself intensely disagreeable, whereas if she had spoken softly she would have accomplished far more and there would have been no sting in her words.—Chicago Journal.

Her Plan to Save.

The two women were talking about children's parties. "Yes," said the visitor, "I'm going to give Willie a party next week. About twenty-five children will be there. How much ice cream do you think I'll need?"

"You won't need more than a gallon if you work a scheme I always use," replied the other woman. "When the children all reach the house I pass around some cookies—the yellow sugar kind. I let them eat all they want. They always eat so many that when the ice cream is served one small dish is enough for each child. Nothing works so well as the sugar cookies and they are easily and cheaply made. If you don't use this scheme you'll have to buy at least three gallons of ice cream for the twenty-five children."—Kansas City Star.

TO SEE STARS IN DAYLIGHT.

No Trouble at All, If You Followed Professor's Advice.

The astronomer, who was to lecture in the town hall, rested contentedly after his noonday meal. His peace of mind, however, was soon disturbed by the reception committee, who had called to make the day pleasant for him.

This committee was handicapped by having on its membership a young man of the impressionistic class. He would talk deliberately and persistently on some deep subject; give utterance to long and complicated sentences, sprinkled with still longer words, and then conclude his unwieldy effort by convincing his hearers that he had said absolutely nothing.

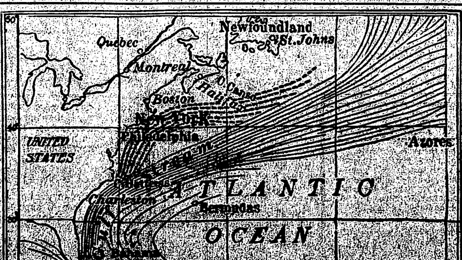
"Professor," observed this man severely, "it has been said and frequently reiterated in my presence that it is possible to see the glittering stars in their scintillating glory in daylight. Can you convince me of this unusual phenomenon?"

The astronomer's eyes twinkled mischievously. "Yes," he answered, chuckling merrily; "if you'll come to my office in New York with the price of two matinee tickets, I'll point out some of the leading stars of this country before dark."

Chauffeurs in Army Uniform.

Among the staff of the royal garages of Italy a semi-military system has been introduced. The director will wear the uniform of an army captain and the chauffeurs that of the ranks.

GULF STREAM CHANGING ITS COURSE



FABLE WITH A MORAL.

The Least Said, the Least Cause for Criticism.

The Magpie, the Owl and the Peacock met in the barnyard one day, and they had scarcely come together when the former said:

"I wish to tell you that I have learned a new song, and that the Mocking Bird is no longer in it with me. I don't want to make either of you jealous, but——"

"As to that," replied the Owl, "I have been practicing some new notes myself, and I think that certain folks will be surprised when next they hear me sing."

"And I have not been wasting my time," added the Peacock. "While I have always been called a sweet singer, I have felt that there was room for improvement, and have gone ahead."

"Oh, if you birds are on the brag we will have a test right here," observed the Magpie. "There is our master approaching, and we will all warble away and leave it to him to say which has the sweetest voice for song."

As the farmer drew nearer the three contestants began to utter their various notes. For a couple of minutes Uncle Reuben stood still in amazement. Then he threw down his pitchfork and hunted for clubs and cried out:

"You were all three bad enough as it was, but now that you think you can sing the noise is unbearable, and you've got to go or I'll break your necks."

Moral—He who says least furnishes least cause for criticism.

EXPLOIT WON MEDAL OF HONOR

Brave Act of Gen. J. Franklin Bell in the Philippines.

One of the few who earned the Medal of Honor in the Philippines is Gen J. Franklin Bell, and the story of how he did it is of the sort to stir the slowest pulse. On Sept. 8, 1899, Gen Bell, then Colonel of the Thirty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, encamped with his regiment near Porac, in the Island of Luzon. About 2 o'clock the following morning the regiment left camp and set out to head off a large body of insurgents which during the night had attacked the Ninth Infantry, stationed at Guagua and San Rita. Col. Bell was ahead of the regiment with a dozen company scouts. Just as day was breaking the advance scouts encountered the enemy's patrol, consisting of a captain, a lieutenant, and five privates. The scouts fired on them, and, as the insurgents started to run, gave chase. Col. Bell instantly spurred his horse to the front, and seeing that the insurgents were easily running away from the scouts, he pushed into a gallop. Then unmindful of the fact that he was far in advance of his men and wholly without support, he charged the seven insurgents with his pistol, scattered them, and compelled the surrender of the captain and two privates, this under a hot and close fire from the other insurgents concealed in a bamboo thicket by the side of the road. In the end the entire party were captured with their arms.

Stage Hand Saves an Actor.

"My monologue was not favorably received by the audience," said an actor in speaking of his career. "I had made up my mind to quit the stage and return to a clerkship in the auditing department of a water company. The night which I had determined to be my last upon the stage I was received by a chilly audience. The house attaches were cold; the other actors freezing.

"When I was about through with my monologue a malicious stage hand let down a piece of machinery, which hit me on the shoulders. The people laughed derisively. I turned indignantly and saw back of me a street scene. That saved me. Stepping forward, I said with an injured air:

"'Isn't it enough to have a house down on a fellow without letting the whole street down on him?'

"The people laughed the laugh that cheers, and I warmed up to the occasion, responded to an encore, and have enjoyed public favor ever since."

Cabman Was Not Literary.

The veteran circus actor threw his pink silk tights over a black velvet cushion.

"Barnum?" I said. "I knew Barnum well."

He took a brown book out of his pinewood chest.

"Barnum's reminiscences," he said. "Barnum's book. Never read it, eh? No, I expect not. It's out of print.

"When those reminiscences first were published Barnum was a proud and happy man. He gave away free copies to everybody he knew. One night, when I was with him, he thought he would give a copy to the cabman who was taking us home.

"'Like reminiscences?' he said to the man.

"'Thank ye,' the cabman answered. 'Thank ye, sir. But it's so late, I'm afeared the saloons is all closed.'"

As We Make It.

Oh, isn't it a glad world when she, for whom the sky
Puts on its softest azure, by tender look or sigh,
Confesses that the longing which you have dared to own
Is not a foolish madness nor left to you alone!

Oh, isn't it a good world when, after doubt and fear,
The goal at first so distant looms glorious and near—
When after what were dangers lie harmless in the past
The certainty of triumph is in your heart at last!

Away with him who idly sits down to [illegible]

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LOCAL NEWS.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

A. M. Anderson, one of our furniture dealers, went to Roseau the first of the week. He has many acquaintances in that section and went there to size up the business outlook of the town. Anderson & Wander may conclude to put in a branch furniture store at that place.

St. Hilaire Spectator: The business men of Wylie and the farmers of the surrounding country will meet the state railroad and warehouse commissioners and the Great Northern officials at St. Paul on Sept. 18th. and the future destiny of that village will be made a special order.

Ralph Wyer will shortly leave Red Lake Falls for Toronto, Canada, under a very flattering offer from Mr. Savage of the International Stock Food Co., owner of the famous "Dan Patch." His position as assistant cashier in the First State Bank will be taken by C. L. Hanson, who has purchased an interest in the bank, and who is already favorably known to our citizens.

"Her Double Life," presented at the Metropolitan opera house last Friday evening by Miss Laura Frankenfield and company, was pronounced by theatre-goers as being one of the best entertainments ever given at the local play house. While the company was small every memper was an actor of merit and the company has been most favorably commented upon since their departure.

Two hunting parties from this city were out at Key West last Sunday and bagged a large number of ducks. One party secured sixty-three while the other brought home fifty-seven. A pleasant day's hunting is reported but the coming home part of the trip was a hard proposition, one of the parties not getting here until nearly daylight Monday morning.

As a good many of the farmers in this vicinity are raising macaroni or durum wheat this year, a word of advice in regard to the handling of it at threshing time may not be amiss here. We have been informed that the state inspection department will lower the grade of spring wheat whenever it is ever so slightly mixed with macaroni wheat. It will therefore to the farmer's interests to be sure and keep each kind in separate bins and after having had macaroni wheat in sacks turn and shake them before using again for holding wheat. A little care will avoid lots of trouble when marketing the wheat.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS.

Staples is to have a street carnival.

Another bank is rumored at Brainerd.

St. Cloud will vote Oct. 24 on $30,000 filter bonds.

Fargo wants to pipe natural gas from Edgely, N. D.

Hinckley's turpentine factory pays $3 per cord for pine stumps.

Ada papers report Norman county crops as poor. Some threshing has been done and the yield is not as heavy as it was thought to be.

Capt. Rose Bulson, who was in command of the Salvation Army work at Bemidji about three years ago, has again taken charge of the Army work there.

William Walden, a boy living near Solway, yesterday received a bullet in the hand as a result of the accidental discharge of a 22 calibre rifle. The bullet lodged in his hand and he was taken to the St. Anthony hospital in Bemidji, where the bullet was extracted.

The Moorhead News suggests that the following harvest yell be adopted on the plains of the northwest:

Wahoo! Hallabaloo!
7—11—62
Muscle and meat
T'ell with the Heat!
Show us the Wheat! the Wheat!! the
Wheat!!! the Wheat!!!!

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

The dairymen around a little town in Wisconsin have over $100,000 in one little bank.

The investigators say that horses will gain flesh and muscle sooner if their oats and corn are ground than if fed whole.

Remember that the manure from a single animal is worth about $20 a year. Don't let it waste in the barnyard or under the eaves.

"If small details are not strictly attended to," once said the late William Cook, of England, "poultry farming will be an utter failure."

When worked a few days, mules are classed as broken, and are ready for market. They sell readily at from $125 to $300 each, according to size, style and quality, at the farm.

Don't overfeed the horse. When the horse has more than he needs the extra feed is wasted, and when the digestiue organs have more than they can do, it weakens them.

Kind words will often loosen up a crusty neighbor's friendship. But if a screw sticks it needs the application of a red hot iron to its head to make it obliging—it won't open its heart till it's warm.

A recent insect bulletin from the United States Ddpartment of Agriculture ends with this statement: "It costs thn American farmer more to feed his insect foes than it does to educate his children."

A local trade can be secured for poultry, eggs, etc., if there is a house-to-house canvas made. Have a neat circular printed describing your goods your methods, and your prices, and leave one at every house.

It is a scientific fact that diphtheria scarlet fever and even typhoid is frequently carried to children in milk. Knowing this, many milkers with a conscience fail to observe the most cleanly methods possible?

A man to have a model farm must have just enough land to keep him busy. It is not all in the number of acres; there is practically nothing in the number; it all lies in the management. A medium-sized farm is best.

There never was a man who was smart enough to cheat his calves and young stock. He may think he is doing it when he scrimps them on their rations, but he will find out when it comes to figuring it up in the fall that he is the one who has lost money.

An illustration of the way in which the immigration laws are being administered was shown when it was declared at New York that August Albert, a Michigan farmer, returning from a visit to Germany, could not land, as he is over 62 years. He had lived in the United States thirty years and voted for president, but could show no naturalization papers.

In central Pennsylvania a few miles from Shamokin, is a three hundred acre tract of land containing nearly ninety thousand chestnut trees. In 1904 this prolific grove bore one thousand bushels of nuts, bringing ten dollars a bushel, and the demand for them was much greater than the supply, and three times the amount the grove bears could be easily marketed at the same price. When the big grove reaches its full bearing capacity it will yield at least one-half more.

What are the possibilities of production of an acre of land? George M. Clark, the champion hay crop grower, of Connecticut, has produced 175,823 pounds of hay on eleven and one-eighth acres, over seven and three-fourths tons to the acre, in one season. A French market gardener on two and seven-eighths acres has raised in a single season the total of 250,000 pounds of fruits and vegetables Eight persons and one horse did the work and the manure cost $500.—New England Farmer.

Junius G. Graves of Edwardsville, Kan., is the most notable negro farmer in the United States—probably in the world. He is known as "the potato king" his right to that title resting on the fact that two years ago he sold 72,150 bushels of potatoes from his farm, 12,150 bushels more than ever were produced by any individual farmer. In addition he bought from white farmers and sold at a profit twenty-two car loads of potatoes. Graves was born a slave in Kentucky, but has been in Kansas since 1879.

Two hundred miles to a creamery is getting to be a common thing all through the west, the cream being shipped that distance to a central creamery plant, which converts it into butter. The cost of shipment is about a cent a pound for the butter it will make, which is as small a sum as it can be gathered for and delivered to a home creamery. This plan is opening up great possibilities for the dairy business in localities where cows have never heretofore been kept.

A western farmer came to the pastor of his congregation and asked that his name be taken off the church list. "What is the trouble, Brother Jones?" asked the surprised pastor. "I supposed you were a faithful follower of the Lamb." "Well I sorter believed that myself, but there is no use talking, a man can't serve the Lord when he has to milk four cows in fly time. After the first heavy frost I'll try this church business again, but just now I either have to sell the sows, give up the church, or be a durned hypocrite."

Why Do Americans Succeed?

Why do we lead all the nations of the earth in prosperity, happiness and individual contentment?

Why are we, as a people, regarded as an invincible power of impregnable strength?

And why do we compel the admiration of the whole world—at times grudgingly given, but given, anyhow?

It is because we are free and independent in the truest meaning of the words.

We think for ourselves, act for ourselves, govern ourselves more than the people of any other nation.

We are absolutely self-reliant, a national trait that renders us independent of all other nations. Independence is the keynote of our supremacy.

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Every up-to-date grocer knows perfectly well that for more than a quarter of a century Lion Coffee has been the leading package coffee, and a welcome drink at the tables of millions of American homes.

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Americans want the best, and they get the best and purest in Lion Coffee.

Given up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which causad much pain and worry. I lost much flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." A. L. Riechert.

The Courier stationery store is showing some unusually handsome box papers these days.

Boiling Water in a Reservoir

It's something that's hard to do when the reservoir is on the right hand side because it's too far from the fire, takes too much fuel to do it. But, when the reservoir is right next to the fire pot, it's a mighty easy job and don't take much fuel either. Then on the Majestic we have a lever that by turning throws the reservoir away from the fire so that there is never any danger of the water boiling all away and spoiling your reservoir.

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for
Impure Blood

ECZEMA A FLESH FIRE

Those afflicted with Eczema know more than can be told of the suffering imposed by this "flesh fire." It usually begins with a slight redness of the skin, which gradually spreads, followed by blisters and pustules discharging a thin, sticky fluid that dries and scales off, leaving an inflamed surface, and at times the itching and burning are almost unbearable. While any part of the body is liable to be attacked, the hands, feet, back, arms, face and legs are the parts most often afflicted. The cause of Eczema is a too acid condition of the blood. The circulation becomes loaded with fiery, acid poisons that are forced through the glands and pores of the skin which set the flesh aflame. Since the cause of the disease is in the blood it is a waste of time to try to cure it with local applications; the cause must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. has no equal as a remedy for Eczema; it enters the blood and forces out the poison through the natural channels, and builds up the entire system. The skin becomes smooth and soft again, and the Eczema is cured. Cases that have persistently refused to be cured under the ordinary treatment yield to its purifying, cooling effect on the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

Eczema made its appearance on my left limb the size of my thumb in 1893, and spread until it was large as my hand, burning, itching and paining me, and for which I could get no relief, until seeing the other cures advertised by you I wrote and secured the advise of your physicians, commenced S. S. S. and it cured me.
Mayetta, Kan. J. H. SPENCE.

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PETIT JURY DRAWN,

Jurors Summoned to Appear at Court November 13.

The petit jury for the October term of the district court was drawn Tuesday. The court commences October 23, but only the court cases will be heard the first week. Adjournment will be taken until November 13, on which date the jurors are summoned to appear. The petit jury will be composed as follows:

Gusteen Jorgensen, Equality;
Adolph Zutz, Louisville;
Chris Christianson, Gervais;
Ed. Garceau, Polk Center;
Theo. LaBissioniere, Red Lake Falls city;
Ernest Akerlund, Bray;
Chas. N. Bourdon, Red Lake Falls city;
W. J. Potts, Smiley;
Hans Frederickson, Rocksbury;
Geo. Marchildon, Lake Pleasant;
C. F. Stenhammer, Gervais;
Lawrence Hanson, Sanders;
W. T. Spillane, Red Lake Falls city;
Louis Toulouse, Lambert;
Henry Williams, North;
L. J. Parbst, Norden;
Paul I. D. Ostby, Emardville;
Michael Kees, Red Lake Falls township;
A. St. Michel, Louisville;
H. Hennemuth, Red Lake Falls city;
A. H. Hebert, Poplar River;
Alcide Perusse, Terrebonne.

Wylie Gets Half a Loaf.

The Minnesota railroad commissioners decided last Friday that the Great Northern was obligated to give Wylie a daily train service, and at present this order is in effect. The commission, however, failed to make a decision on the point as to whether or not the company could abandon and tear up the track between St. Hilaire and Wylie. It is a pretty stiff proposition to buck a railroad corporation, and the chances are the line will be abandoned within a few months.

Tiling His Farm.

Hon. L. C. Simons is preparing to tile his half-section farm west of town, and believes there will no further trouble from wet seasons. The cost of these drains is not very much, and they are sure to increase the value of the land a good many dollars per acre. The county ditches are doing a great deal to solve the problem of drainage, but these alone cannot do the work unless the individual farmer provides some kind of laterals. Mr. Simons' innovation will be watched with a great deal of interest.

Good advice to women. If you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35c, tea or tablets. A. L. Riechert.

The Courier Stationery Store has a line of new box papers.

MUSIC ACROSS THE RIVER.

Band Concert Friday Evening will be Given on the North Side.

The regular weekly outdoor concert by the band will be given Friday evening on the North Side. The band has several patrons on that side of the river, and the boys wish to show their appreciation by giving Northsiders one of their best programs. The following is the program:

1. Steel King, March........St. Clair
2. Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep, baritone solo,..............Robinson
3. The Seo—Gun..............Luders
4. Sourired' Avril, waltz.........Depret
5. The Romany Rye............Paull
6. Swedish Wedding March..Soderman
7. Traviata,................Meyerelles
8. Minneapolis Convention, March Romderme..............................

BADGER.

Miss Zelia Quesnell is visiting at Rev. Tapin's home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Damase Lachance spent Sunday at the Ducharme home at Perrault Station.

Mrs. Dona Laurent is visiting at her parent's home in Gentiliy, Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Frudeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martell, of Mentor, staid Monday night at Michel Quesnell's on their way to Red Lake Falls Tuesdgy.

Mrs. Edward St. Yoes and Eugene Perranteau left for North Dakota Friday and they will probably stay until the ploughing season is past.

Miss Alice Quesnell is visiting at her parent's home, Michel Quesnell, and intends to return Monday to the L. C. Cadieux home at Terrebonne.

Rheumatism, gout, backache, acid poison, are results of kidney trouble. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea goes directly to the seat of the disease and cures when all else fails. 35c. A. L. Reichert.

Mrs. Will St. Yoes, from Crookston, arrived at her parent's home last week, and will remain until spring. Will is threshing for John Lagassy in Dakota.

Aro You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided by keeping their digestions in good conditions with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, untill she lost her strength and vigor, and become a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." All druggists sell and guarantee them. 50c a bottle.

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CITY DADS MEET.

Proceedings of City Council at Regular Session, Sept. 14, 1905.

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall Sept. 14, 1905.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers. Roll called, aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge, street work	$ 19 80
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Julius Kuhle " "	17 25
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Lusien Philion, " "	1 50
Alphonse Roy " "	3 00
Seven Akenson, 62 loads of gravel	5 50
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., street lights for August 1905	111 66
A. L. Reichert, medecine, etc.	17 70
J. C. Wilkinson, services as health officer.	41 50
Sam Aliard, tending to fire engine 3 and 3, '05	5 00
King & Chase, city printing	9 05

Bill of Red Lake County for rent was on motion laid on the table.

Liquor bond of Latendresse Brothers with Frsucis Latendresse and Joseph Perrault as sureties was on motion approved.

Mayor Duffy and President Borchers were appointed a committee to look up and examine title of the City's real estate property.

Aldermrn Crompe and Brady were appointed a committee to confer with Mr. Krueger in regard to the erection of an under sewer on Main street.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Crompe:

Resolved, that the City attorney be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint an assistant city attorney, temporarily, to aid him in lagal matters and proceedings in which the interests of the City are now involved and the sum of $100 is hereby appropriated to pay said assistant, and the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized to draw their warrant upon the City Treasury, to pay such assistant as may be appointed upon his services.

Upon roll call the following Aldermen voted aye: Hennemuth, Crompe, Brady and Borchers.

Nays: None.

Whereupon the president declared the resolution adopted.

The City attorney reported that F. A. Grady was appointed assistant city attorney.

On motion meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 20th day of September, A. D. 1905.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

Court House Improvements.

The county commissioners were in town yesterday for the purpose of arranging for a number of needed improvements to the court house. The contract for a vault for the use of the auditor, treasurer and probate judge was let to James Brady for $342. This price is for the vault complete, except the iron door and lock, which will cost about $65 additional. The roof over the auditor's office will be reshingled, and the roof over the balance of the structure will be repaired. New double chimneys will be built on the court house and the jail repainted.

Are you lacking strength and vigor? Are you weak? Are you in pain? Do you feel all run down? The blessing of health and strength come to all who use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c, A. L. Reichert.

The Citizens bank has been organized at Oslo—the Sco-Red river town—with a capital of $20,000.

ST. HILAIRE.

Mrs. A. W. Kemp has returned from Minneapolis.

Henry Enderlie, of Plummer, spent Sunday in town.

Prof. Onstad made his regular visit here last Thursday.

O. F. Post made a short business trip to Crookston Monday.

Mrs. Carl Johnson went to Grand Forks Monday evening.

A blind man and woman gave a street concert last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Robt. Gebott returned from a two months visit at Portland last Tuesday.

J. K. Hannay returned from Duluth Saturday very much improved in health.

Mrs. P. S. Stranahan and daughter, Mrs. Jens Nelson, are visiting friends at Grand Forks.

Geo. L. Austin and James McAndress made a short business trip to Thief River Falls Thursday.

W. L. Chappell, of Fergus Falls, was in town Wednesday and Thursday writing life insurance.

Mrs. W. A. Sorsoleil returned home from Stillwater last Monday, where she had been visiting friends.

The ladies aid of the M. E. church will serve supper in the bowling alley building, Friday, Sept. 22. Everybody is invited.

A great many people from here went to Grand Forks Monday to consult the devine heale, Mr. Christmas, in hopes of getting their ailments cured.

The fourth and last quarterly conference of the M. E. church will convene at thh church next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. In the evening at 7:30 Rev. Dodds, the presiding elder, will deliver an address to which all are invited.

Schools are Growing.

Superintendent McAnulty started today on a visit to the various schools of the county, and he expects to get around to all of them before cold weather sets in. There are now a few more than ninety districts in the county, and before another year there will be a hundred. The work of the superintendent's office is increasing materially, and Mr. McAnulty says he does not have a great deal of spare time these days.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At all drug stores 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

This Year's Flour Good.

The Red Lake Falls Milling company has been grinding new wheat for the past two weeks, and the samples of flour we have seen are much better than last year's production. A good deal of wheat this year is light in weight and some of it is foul, but it is excellent for milling purposes. The mill has been sending out samples this week to its agencies in England, France, Norway and other European countries. Manager Sivertson says the mill will ship more flour to Europe this year than in any previous year, and the mills at this place and Crookston will be kept running night and day all winter.

Mail Service is Poor.

The mail service between the cities and Red Lake Falls has been "bum" for the past month, the evening papers and most of the letter mail failing to get through about half of the time. At present all of the twin city mail is sent over the Northern Pacific via Crookston, and this train has been late frequently. It is expected that an order will soon be issued to send the mail via the Great Northern. This will assure more regular service.

Death of Sylvester Helm.

Sylvester, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Helm, died early Monday morning from kidney trouble, caused by scarlet fever. The boy had but recently recovered from an attack of scarlet fever when he was taken ill with kidney trouble and his enfeebled condition could not withstand the shock. The funeral was held Tuesday from St. Mary's church. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their hour of sadness.

Bakery to Close.

William Biteman, the bakery man, will hold an auction sale at his place of business next Saturday and will offer for sale his stock of goods. He intends to leave about October 1 for Montana, where he has purchased a restaurant and bakery. Mr. Biteman says he has enjoyed a good business in this city, his only reason for leaving being able to get into a larger town. He says there is a good business here for his line and thinks someone will locate here after his departure.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

MUST GIVE CHECKS

Local Grain Buyers Advised of Requirements of New Law.

The local grain buyers have received notice from Henry Fieg, the supervising inspector of country elevators, that they will be expected to live up to the letter of the law passed by the legislature of 1904, which necessitates that the grain buyer must settle for each load of grain delivered at the elevator, either by check or storage receipt. This does not mean what is delivered each day, but each parcel or lot of grain marketed. Slips, memorandums and due bills won't go, you must have a check settling for the grain or a storage receipt as provided for in the law. The storage receipt states that the maximum charges for receiving, insuring, handling and storage fifteen days and delivering is two cents per bushel. After first fifteen days one-half cent per bushel for each fifteen days or part thereof for the first three months; after that one-half cent per bushel for each thirty days or part thereof. It also shows the name of the owner, the date the grain was received, the grade, gross weight, tare and net weight of each lot of grain mentioned in said receipt.

The law provides the same penalty and punishment for both buyer and seller in case the law is not lived up to, namely a fine not exceeding $100 or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding ninety days.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California

Via Chicago Great Western Railway, Kansas City and the Santa Fe Railway. Car leaves Minneapolis and St. Paul every Thursday, arriving at Los Angelos the following Monday at 8:35 a. m. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn. d31

Through Tourist Service

to California and Colorado via Chicago Great Western Ry., Omaha, and C. R. I. & P. Ry. to San Francisco, leaves Minneapolis 8:00 p. m, St. Paul 8:30 p m, every Tuesday. Arrives San Francisco 4:38 p m on Saturday. This car runs through the most beautiful scenery in the Rocky mountains. Low rates. For full information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn tf

Button's Business College, Crookston and Wadena, offers $100 to any one who can name a graduate of these schools who was not given a good paying position when their course was completed. Fall term begins Sept. 4th. Send for catalogue.

BERTHON & ARMSTRONG
MEN'S AND BOYS' LEADING CLOTHING OUTFITTERS

Boys, That's the Way to Do It!

Look at the ball of twine in our window. Guess how many feet of twine there is in the ball. Put down your guess on a piece of paper. Sign your name in full and put it in the ballot box inside the store.

WE WILL GIVE FREE a $5.00 suit for the nearest guess and a $3.00 suit for the second nearest guess as to the amount of feet of twine in the ball. Only one guess to each boy.

This Contest Is Limited to Boys Wearing Short Pants

Guesses received until Oct. 10th at 10 o'clock p. m. Twine measured at 4:30 p. m.

This is an entirely free contest, whether you buy or not.

For further information concerning the above ask

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Beware of using conscience as a mere expedient.

Russia does not pay a single kopeck much less a single kobushel.

It is too late to try to establish a quarantine against the Taggart trial.

Oyama can go back home and work at the trade of being a grand old man.

Maj. Taggart must have been almost as pleasant to live with as a mad dog.

The automobiles have come in time to make a dead letter of the Malthusian law.

As likely as not "The System" is to blame for the loss of Tom Lawson's $7,000 bull pup.

A Boston critic says "Austin's poems are getting worse." Then the end is not far off.

Now the Japanese soldier boys can go home and stand around where the girls can admire them.

After the rock-the-boat season is over the thought-it-was-a-deer season will open in the northern woods.

American flour has been hit by the boycott. If the Chinese prefer rats to good bread let them go their way.

New York has a bigamist who got married seven times in seven days. Evidently he didn't go much on honeymoons.

After it has been domesticated for a few generations perhaps the automobile will learn how to conduct itself in captivity.

Myra Kelly, author of "Little Citizens," has announced her marriage. The second edition of her story ought to be true to life.

It will be interesting to the patrons of free lunch counters to read that Chicago has 15,000 unlicensed dogs marked for slaughter.

The Washington Post says some men show their philanthropy under the guise of playing poker. Don't believe it; we are from Missouri.

Diamonds have increased 50 per cent in value during the last ten years, according to an expert—unless you want to sell yours.

Probably Charles Dickens, who wrote so lovingly of crickets, never attended a picnic that was broken up by an overwhelming visitation of them.

Some of the haughty princes who have been refusing the Norwegian crown in public have been breaking their necks in private to be first to get it.

While it is all right to swim the English channel if you choose to do so, the average man would prefer to save his money and buy a steamer ticket.

Somebody is sure to say that from a diplomatic standpoint the Japs were out-Witte-d, so we may as well start it along.

Gambling is dead in Chicago, according to Chief Collins. However, it will be just as well for the chief to sit up with the corpse for the rest of his term.

"Pawpaws are ripe," says the Indianapolis News, "but cheer up; you don't have to eat 'em." The lover of pawpaws, however, always feels a thrill of pity for anybody who doesn't like 'em.

If a man blows up his neighbor with dynamite he is called an assassin. But there are women who blow up their husbands, regularly, and for the most trivial causes, yet nobody ever says a word about it.

Some American husbands are inclined to envy the German officer who got only seventy-five days in prison for getting married. In this country the sentence is usually longer, despite the divorce courts.

It certainly would be a great sensation to sit down to dinner with a roast whale adorning the table and have the host ask if he would have a piece of the left fin or a chunk off the northwest corner.

An eastern woman who was making a collection of husbands and was stopped in her career when she had collected only eight or ten will have reason to think, in the light of recent events, that she has been discriminated against most unjustly.

Some of the New York millionaires are organizing a life insurance company, with a view to giving the people cheaper insurance. Most of the old companies could do this very nicely if they would only abandon the surplus habit.

In placing before the public a drama entitled "Love and War," doesn't the theater rather take chances? You remember what Gen. Sherman said war is, don't you? But, even at that, may be the title of the play is not so misleading after all.

The News of the Week

Accidental Happenings.

Three young civil engineers in the employ of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad were killed by a work train while returning to Cortland, N. Y., on a handcar.

Charles Low, wife and baby, residing near Derby, Iowa, were burned to death in their home. Low was starting the fire with kerosene when the can exploded and set the house on fire.

The body of William Timby, an old resident of Eagle Harbor, Mich., who had been missing from home for a number of days, wa sfound in Lake Superior by the lighthouse keeper at that point.

George Desimons, thirty-three years old, single, fell fro ma work train near Trevino, Wis., and was instantly killed. He was braking for Conductor Fox on the Chippewa valley division of the Milwaukee road.

M. M. McPherson, employed on the steamer Grandada, met death at Chicago while dragging Miss Delia Lennon of Bay City, Mich., from in front of a swiftly moving trai. Miss Lennon was seriously injured.

A party of seven women and children who started out to pick blueberries were tipped out of a small boat while crossing the bay near Grand Marais, Alger county, Mich., and two women and one little girl were drownd.

Sixty passengers were injured, nine seriously, by the overturning of a trailer attached to a traction car on the Pittsburg Railway company's line near the Glenwood bridge at Pittsburg. It is said the accident was caused by the failure of the brakes to work properly.

Two freight trons crashe dtogether on the Rock Island road, east of Neola, Iowa, and Engineer Ed Fick of Valley Junction was caught between the engines and crushed to death. His fireman had his leg borken in three places. Hundreds of cattle and hogs were killed in the wreck.

David M. McKay and wife were instantly killed and a team of horses and a wagon blown to atoms by the explosion of forty quarts of nitroglycerin near Clarksburg, W. Va. McKay, accompanied by his wife, was driving to the Salem oil field with the explosive to shoot a well. Only the axle of the wagon was found.

Six Italian laborers were buried by a cave-in at the bottom of a trench along the Fort Wayne railroad in Allegheny, Pa. The trench was about ten feet deep and a force of 100 men were necessary to dig them out. They were all seriously injured and were taken to the hospital, where it was stated no fatalities were expected.

Sinned and Sinners.

Burglars forced their way into the home of Larry Southard at Shenandoah, Iowa. The principal thing of value taken was Southard's wooden leg.

John Hancock, the murderer of Dr. Engelbrit and a man named Edmondson on the Nevada desert, was hanged at the state penitentiary at Carson, Nev.

Prof. Albert Wachenberger was cut to death at Athens, Tenn., by Ernest Powers, a pupil in his school. Wachenberger had attempted to chastise the boy.

George Hutts, fifty-two years old, was shot and killed by Mayor O. S. Jones in Attorney G. E. Lavengood's office at Covington, Ind. The mayor alleges that he killed Hutts in self-defense.

Robert Pittman will serve two years in the penitentiary at Anamosa, Iowa, for a peculiar offense. He was indicted and convicted in the district court for the crime of pouring kerosene over a dog and setting fire to the animal.

In a quarrel over the possession of a quantity of fish, Elliott Clark, seventy-five years old and a fisherman, was killed in a saloon at Clinton, Iowa. A blow in the mouth, said to be delivered by Fred Comstock, also a fisherman, broke the old man's neck. A posse took up the pursuit of Comstock, who is said to have escaped into Illinois.

For the first time in Iowa in many years, death warrants were issued from the governor's office for the execution of two murderers, Joseph Smith on Friday, April 13, 1906, and Louis Busz April 20, 1906. Busz murdered his wife. Smith killed the woman with whom he was boarding. The executions will take place in the state prison, where they are confined, unless the legislature intervenes.

While seeking a loan on a suit case in the pawnshop of Jesse James, Jr., son of the famous bandit, at Kansas City, a man took advantage of a clerk's momentary absence and robbed the cash drawer of $300. The thief has not been found by the police. James says he knows the thief, but refuses to say more concerning his identity than that he is a bartender out of work.

Henry Portwood, a wealthy and retired farmer at Moweaqua, Ill., killed his wife and himself with a razor. The two quarreled because of the presence of Portwood's child by a former wife in the household. The man had been married four times.

The dead body of Mrs. Alonzo E. Lewis was found with her throat cut in a park in Indianapolis. Her divorced husband was found near by in a dying condition, clasping a razor. He will die. The couple went driving the previous night, and neighbors say that Mrs. Lewis had been hopeful of a reconciliation.

From Other Shores.

It is reported that the stork will soon pa yanother visit to the czarina.

Rene Goblet, former presdient of the French council of ministers, died of acute asthma. He was born in 1828.

The Peruvian government has accepted an invitation to participate in the forthcoming international exposition at Milan, Italy.

The Spanish government addressed an eregetic protest to Morocco as the result of an attack made on a Spanish ship recently by Moroccan pirates.

Mme. Gadski sang "The Three Brunhildes," in an opera festival with such effect that Prince Regent Luitpold bestowed on her the royal Order for Art and Science.

A dispatch from Batavia, Island of Java, announces that the Dutch troops have captured Pelopo, th ecapital of Prince Loewoe of the island of Celebes, who has been causing the Dutch trouble.

The county council of Cork unanimously elected O'Donovan Rossa to a clerical position at a salary of $500 per annum and decided to cable immediately asking him to return to Ireland and take up his duties.

Exhaustive experiments with the use of oil as a fuel on battleships have proved so satisfactory that the British admiralty has ordered the erection of a great oil storing depot at Plymouth with jetties at which tank steamers can moor.

Baron Desiderius Banffy, formerly Hungarian prime minister, has issued an emphatic denial that he had any connection with the treasonable pamphlet written by a Budapest journalist, Julius Arpad Zigany, calling on Hungarians to depose the Hungarian dynasty and to elect as king the German emperor's second son, Prince Eitel Frederick.

It is officially announced that the treasury of Great Britain has agreed to provide additional funds amounting to $10,000,000 before the end of the year, together with such an amount of stock during the year 1906 as will produce $50,000,000 cash to facilitate the operations of the Irish land act to remedy the recent stoppage of sales of land through inability to advance the purchase money, owing to lack of funds.

Otherwise.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani celebrated her seventieth birthday on Sept. 1 at Honolulu. A reception, attended by natives, was held at her home.

The National Tobacco Growers association, representing Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina and Wisconsin, will meet in annual convention at Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 18.

The regular Republican candidates for office in the county of Philadelphia have all resigned, owing to the threat of the Weaver Republicans to defeat the ticket if it was not withdrawn.

Bud Rogan, the Tennessee negro giant, is dead at his home in Gallatin, Tenn. Rogan was eight feet nine inches tall. His hands were twelve inches in length and feet sixteen and a half inches.

Gov. Joseph W. Folk of Missouri was recommended for the Democratic nomination for the presidency by Former Congressman William H. King at a banquet at Salt Lake. The sentiment was warmly applauded.

The territorial la wforbidding the sale or giving away of cigarette papers in Oklahoma is rendered practically inoperative by the manufacturers of cigarette tobacco and cigarette paper. In the last few days they have sent thousands of packages of sample cigarette paper through the mails to persons in Oklahoma.

Gov. La Follette is in Chicago under the care of a throat specialist, according to information given out by one of his close friends. It is understood that during his recent campaign and Chautauqua lecture series he injured his throat and has been obliged to undergo a series of treatments. Just how serious is his ailment is not now known definitely.

Joy because of the return of her son after a year's absence caused the death at St. Louis of Mrs. Sophie Erlinger, aged sixty-three years. She was a widow, and Henry Erlinger, her only son, had been in the West a year. He returned Tuesday from the Portland exposition, where he had been playing in a band. She was overjoyed at seeing him and suffered paralysis, followed by her death.

Last Chance.

Some years ago Phillips Brooks was recovering from an illness and was denying himself to all visitors, when Robert Ingersoll called. The bishop received him at once. "I appreciate this very, very much," said Mr. Ingersoll, "but why do you see me when you deny yourself to your friends?" "I feel confident of seeing my friends in the next world, but this may be my last chance of seeing you."

Strange Place for Milk.

One of the children sent to Woodstock last week by the Fresh Air society witnessed the milking of a cow for the first time.

He had followed the farmer to the barnyard, and as the milk fell into the pail the child asked:

"Is that the milk we drink?"

The farmer said it was and then the youngster remarked:

"At home we keep the milk in a refrigerator. Do you keep yours in that thing?" pointing to the cow.—Baltimore Sun.

HAVOC DONE BY WIND AND RAIN

WESTERN IOWA AND EASTERN NEBRASKA VISITED BY WORST STORM OF YEARS.

ONE KILLED; MANY INJURED

DAMAGE AMOUNTING TO THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS IS WROUGHT.

HOTEL GUESTS IN A PANIC

ROOF OF BUILDING IS TORN AWAY—PART OF COUNCIL BLUFFS FLOODED.

Omaha, Sept. 17. — Western Iowa and Eastern Nebraska were visited last night by the worst wind and rain storm of the year. In Omaha and Council Bluffs great damage was done, and the loss by wind and flooded basements will be extensive, reaching many thousands of dollars. The storm reached the proportion of a tornado at Burwell, Neb., where one person was killed, six injured and $50,000 damage done to property.

In Omaha no less than a dozen large stores had plate glass windows blown in and stocks considerably damaged. The basement of the Daily News office was flooded and its entire stock of paper damaged. The roof of the Dodd hotel was torn away and the occupants of the building

Rushed Panic-Stricken

into the street. A negro porter was slightly injured. A fire which started was quickly extinguished. All the lower part of Council Bluffs is under water. The torrents of rain could not be carried away by the sewers, and Broadway, the principal street of the city, was covered for several hours by two feet of water. The lower part of the city in the vicinity of the railway yards is under from two to five feet of water. The North-Western and Illinois Central passenger stations are in the flooded district.

The damage to small buildings, trees and bill boards in both cities is very great.

Woman Is Killed.

Burwell, Neb., Sept. 17.—A tornado demolished five residences and six store buildings in Burwell yesterday. Mrs. M. B. McKinnon, aged sixey, was killed. Frank Hennich, Mrs. Leeper and Mrs. McDinnell are badly injured and several others are hurt. The path of the storm was not very wide and extended but a short distance. It is probably the worst storm that ever visited this section and the town is badly torn up.

FIVE BREAK JAIL AT OMAHA.

Harry De Lacy, Just Beginning Two-Year Term, Among Them.

Omaha, Sept. 17. — Five men confined in the county jail here succeeded in obtaining their liberty early yesterday by drilling out the bolts and breaking one of the bars of the steel lattice work inclosing their cells on the second floor of the jail. All of the prisoners except Harry De Lacey, who a few days ago was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary on the charge of swindling, were serving sentences on minor charges. De Lacey was arrested in Council Bluffs two months ago while on his wedding trip, and it is said he is of prominent family. Since their escape from jail no word has been heard of them.

OBJECT TO MARTIAL LAW.

Committee of the Japanese Diet Will Urge That It Be Abolished.

Tokio, Sept. 17.—The committee of the lower house of the diet which has been investigating the recent disturbances will have an interview with Premier Katsura to-day, on which occasion the committee will demand the abolition of martial law and will also organize a special committee of inquiry into police outrages. The bar association is memorializing the government for the abolition of martial law. The president and vice president of the lower house of the diet will go to Yokohama to meet Secretary Taft.

MINNESOTA FOR RICKETTS.

Majority of Congressional Delegation Indorse Him for Public Printer.

Washington, Sept. 17.—In speaking of the prospective new public printer, Congressman Bede said: "A majority of our delegation has indorsed Oscar J. Ricketts for the position. He is the best man for it, and has already gone to work to establish practical reforms. I have not heard of Minnesota having any candidate for public printer."

CHINESE WILL ATTEND.

Eminent Surgeons Arrive to Join in Conference at Detroit.

San Francisco, Sept. 17. — Three prominent Chinese surgeons have arrived here on their way to attend the conference of military surgeons at Detroit, Mich. They are Dr. Ho Kan Yuen of the navy, Dr. Wang Pang Chung of the South China army, and Dr. Ying Yong Tsui of the army. All of them are men of eminence in their profession, having been educated in Eng and and the United States.

YELLOW FEVER IN CHICAGO.

Infected Italians Succeed in Evading Health Authorities.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—Several Italians, supposed to be infected with yellow fever, arrived at the union passenger station in Chicago last night and succeeded in evading the health officer who was at the train to meet them. At a late hour they were still at large, although every effort is being made to locate them. The Italians came from Tallula, La., and were members of the party quarantined at Cincinnati, who wtre allowed to proceed.

Situation in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 17.—Report to 6 p. m. yesterday:

New cases	43
Total cases to date	2,503
Deaths yesterday	2
Total deaths to date	331
New foci	6
Cases under treatment	330
Cases discharged	1,844

The number of new cases continues larger than was hoped for but this has not had any dispiriting effect on the people. Country reports were a little more encouraging, there being fewer cases and fewer deaths reported than for some time.

THREATEN TO KILL CHIEF.

Angry Gamblers Seek Revenge Upon Head of Police Department.

Chicago, Sept. 17. — Gambling in Chicago is nearer extinction than it has been in many years. Public gambling in the city limits is dead. This is the declaration of the police, and the assertion seems to be borne out by the scattering and disappearance of the men who promote and give their time to the profession. The paraphernalia scattered and seized, members of the fraternity are said to have made one last desperate stand, which promises violence to the chief of police and members of his family if the gambling crusade continues. This takes the form of an anonymous letter sent to the officer and officer's house, which threaten dynamiting of his home or violence to himself or family. Chief Collins was at first inclined to denounce these warnings as "nonsense," but fearing for the safety of his family, he yesterday stationed a guard near his residence.

AUTO GOES DOWN BANK.

Governor's Party in Wreck — Four Are Injured.

Winchendon, Mass., Sept. 17. — An automobile containing members of the party accompanying Gov. R. B. Glenn of North Carolina plunged over a bridge on the road to Royalston here yesterday and landed at the bottom of a ditch, pinioning the occupants underneath. Four persons were injured. The motor car containing Gov. Glenn was directly behind the automobile which met with the accident and only the prompt action of the chauffeur avaided a collision.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Markets.

St. Paul, Sept. 18. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 82 1-2@83 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 76@81c; No. 3, 75@78c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 50 1-2@51c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26@26 1-2c.

Minneapolis, Sept. 18.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 85c; No. 1 Northern, 84c; No. 2 Northern, 81c. Oats—No. 3 white, 23 1-2@23 3-4c.

Duluth, Sept. 18. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 81c; flax, $1.10; rye, 59c.

Chicago, Sept. 18. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 84 1-2@85 1-8c; No. 2 hard, 83@89c; No. 3 hard, 82@85c; No. 1 Northern, 90c; No. 2 Northern, 86@88c. Corn—No. 2, 54 1-4c. Oats — No. 2, 27c.

Milwaukee, Sept. 18. — Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 87c; No. 2 Northern, 85c Rye—No. 1, 63c. Barley—No. 2, 53c Oats—Standard, 28@29c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 18.—Cattle—Beeves, $3.60@3.65; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.70; stockers and feeders, $3@4; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.25. Hogs—Bulk, $5.10@5.15.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, $3.75 @ 6.35; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.45; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.05@5.70; bulk, $5.25@5.55. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $4.60@5; native lambs, $5.25@7.25; Western lambs, $5.75@7.

South St. Paul, Sept. 18. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50@4; butcher bulls, $2.75@3.50; veals, $2@4.50; good to choice stock steers, $2.50@3.50; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs—Range price, $3.15 @ 5.40; bulk, $5.20@5.30. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good, $4@5; good to choice yearling wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.40.

Struck by Lightning.

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 17—Lightning struck the Hax-Smith Furniture company's wholesale house early yesterday, and it was totally destroyed. Loss $200,000, fully insured.

Rojestvensky Recovers.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 17.—A letter received here from Japan says Vice Admiral Rojestvensky has completely recovered from the wounds which he sustained at the battle of the Sea of Japan, but that he will not come home until the peace treaty is ratified.

Killed by Cave-In.

Menominee, Mich., Sept. 17.—While digging a sewer William H. Hinderletter was killed by a cave-in of earth. He was under ground but five minutes but was dead when removed.

NEW PEACE JOB FOR PRESIDENT

MAY BE ASKED TO AID IN ARBITRATION BETWEEN SWEDEN AND NORWAY.

TENSION GROWING GREATER

SWEDES INSIST THAT NORWEGIAN CONSCRIPTION HAS BEEN MOBILIZED.

HOPING FOR A COMPROMISE

CONVICTION PREVAILS THAT WAR WILL NOT BE PERMITTED BY THE POWERS.

London, Sept. 17. — Prof. Harald Hjarne, a member of the Swedish riksdag, in an interview yesterday regarding the Swedish-Norwegian situation, said he did not believe there would be war between the two countries. It was his opinion that Norway would agree to the demands of Sweden regarding the demolition of the fortifications on the Norwegian frontier, and that an arbitration treaty would be arranged. Should arbitration be resorted to, he said that Sweden would be willing to propose two members of the court of arbitration, that Norway would propose two, and that President Roosevelt would be asked to propose a fifth.

The Associated Press is officially informed that there is no truth in the report that Foreign Secretary Lansdowne has been asked to arbitrate the questions in dispute between Sweden and Norway.

Norsemen and Americans.

"I do not believe," said Prof. Hjarne, discussing the situation, "that any country stands so close to the people of Scandinavia as the people of the United States. The president of the United States is the chief of an altogether disinterested power, and if we ask the president of the United States to aid in the arbitration of the differences between Sweden and Norway no one could object, as he is looked upon as the universal peacemaker. If the present negotiations fail, there will be a deadlock for a time, but if the Norwegians cross the frontier of Sweden we must defend ourselves."

Tension Grows Greater.

Christiania, Sept. 17. — It is semi-officially announced that military movements now being conducted by the Norwegian government are merely the customary measures for relieving the garrisons of the fortifications and permanent camps.

The tension here is greater than ever. All during the day crowds filled the streets in front of the newspaper offices, eager for news from Karlstad. The fact that the conference has again adjourned is regarded as a good omen, and the feeling of pessimism, which has long prevailed, is giving way to a hope that war will be averted, especially as it is believed here that Norway has the moral support of the government of Great Britain.

A strong conviction also prevails that war will not be permitted by the powers.

Owing to the stand made by Norway, it is expected that an arbitration treaty will be secured and a compromise will be arranged regarding Sweden's demand for the dismantling of the fortresses. It is expected the negotiations to-day will be decisive and the result is looked forward to anxiously.

Sweden Is Convinced.

Stockholm, Sept. 17.—A semi-official statement issued yesterday states that, notwithstanding the denials from Christiania of the report published in the Dagblad of Sept. 13 that the second to the sixth year classes of the Norwegian conscription had been mobilized, the Swedish government regards the report as conforming to the facts.

KILLS SELF BY AGREEMENT.

Hoosier Girl Follows Chum's Example and Ends Life.

Marion, Ind., Sept. 16.—In carrying out her part of a suicide compact entered into with her chum, Cleo Baugher, who committed suicide at Muncie a month ago, Miss Chilo Thompson, seventeen years old, yesterday swallowed a large quantity of arsenic and died from the poisoning. Miss Thompson was at Muncie with the Baugher girl when she ended her life by taking arsenic. It is believed that Miss Thompson purchased the poison at that time and that she intended to die with her friend, but for some reason postponed her act until yesterday.

FAVOR SEA LEVEL CANAL.

Consulting Board May Decide Against Locks.

Washington, Sept. 17. — A majority of the foreign members of the consulting board of the isthmus canal commission favor a sea level canal. This may become of the greatest importance if their votes should be required to determine this question, which is the greatest question requiring determination at the hands of the board.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Great preparations are being made for the street fair to be held at Janesville the 27th and 28th.

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Herman Lattman, a young man twenty-two years old, was instantly killed by lightning at Winona.

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Anton Ellingson of Fergus Falls had all the fingers of his left hand cut off while at work in the plant of the Fergus Falls Manufacturing company.

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During a severe thunder storm lightning struck the tower on the public school building at Montivideo, tearing off the shingles and splitting some of the timbers.

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H. C. Peters was taken to Hastings from Mendota upon a bench warrant and lodged in jail. He was indicted for obstructing a public highway and forfeited his bail.

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B. C. Roberts of Minneapolis was struck by a South Stillwater car at Stillwater and so seriously injured that it is thought he will die. He was taken to the hospital.

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Augustus M. Brown, a clerk for the St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance company, fell three stories through a shaft in a new building at St. Paul and died a few hours later.

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Chief Kaychewaywedung, otherwise known as Cassoway, one of the old-line chiefs of the Mississippi band of Chippewas, died near Honsford, Minn., a few days ago, aged eighty years.

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Father Murphy, who has been pastor of St. Philip's Catholic church of Bemidji since it was founded, has been transferred to Carlton, Rev. Father Dwyer of Carlton taking his place.

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A big barn on the farm of John Wear, in Sugar Loaf valley, was burned recently. Hay and farm machinery were burned. It is not known how the fire started. Loss, $1,500; insurance, $1,000.

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Knute Knutson was taken to Fergus Falls to answer to the charge of criminally assaulting his little daughter. The case is a most revolting one. The child's mother is an inmate of the insane asylum here.

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A man who would suit President Roosevelt lives at Preston. He is M. O'Connor and just now is rejoicing over the birth of his seventy-seventh grand child, born to Mr. and Mrs. Triggs of Spring Valley last week.

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The accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Stephen Pasterick of Royalton may be the cause of Ralph Skinner losing his left arm. These two and another boy were hunting prairie chickens near Royalton when the accident occurred.

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In the Swedish Lutheran church of Red Wing recently celebrated its fiftieth anniversary. Dr. E. Norelius, who organized the church, preached the anniversary sermon from the same text he used in the first service in Red Wing. In the fifty years the church has had three pastors.

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Frank Taus, who shot Fac McLennon at Angus on the night of Aug. 9, was released from the Polk county jail upon the presentation to Judge Watts of a properly signed bond in the sum of $6,000 for his appearance at the December term of court to answer to the charge of first degree assault.

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The hay crop of North Central Minnesota will be comparatively small this year. Owing to continued rains most of the meadows are badly flooded, and as yet there has been little effort to cut the crop. Farmers from various parts of Beltrami county declare that nearly every meadow is flooded.

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Chief of Police Bailey of Bemidji arrested Jake Barrett, a widely known safecracker and notorious criminal, within a few hours of the man's arrival in Bemidji. Upon him was found a full kit of burglar tools. Barrett declares that his name is Barnes, but there is no doubt of his identity. He is wanted in several large cities for safecracking.

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The entire town of 147-35 has passed from the ownership of W. R. Tate to Charles S. Loveland. The land is located near the village of Solway, and consists of cut-over lands and is practically without improvements or clearings of any character. The tract includes nearly 23,000 acres and the purchase price was $43,266.62, or less than $2 per acre. There is a considerable quantity of hardwood on the land and it in time will become valuable for agricultural purposes.

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Relatives of Sillon D. Horner, a pioneer settler of Nicollet county, found his body in a pasture near his home. Coroner Merrill decided that death was due to heart disease. Mr. Horner had lived in Granby township since 1856, and for years was associated with Maj. Joseph Brown, the noted Indian trader and frontiersman.

Dominic Beluscci, seven years old and an orphan, living at the home of James Marra, at Eveleth, died of scalds received on Sunday. He upset a pan of hot water so that it fell upon him.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

PLAN BIG STATE PARK.

Game and Fish Preserve in Lake and St. Louis Counties.

A mammoth forestry and fish and game reserve, to be under the supervision of the state forestry board, is proposed to be established in the vicinity of Lake Le Croix and Crooked lake, in the northern part of St. Louis and Lake counties. The tract covers about 70,000 acres and contains some of the finest scenery in the Northwest.

On motion of Frederick Weyerhaeser of St. Paul the state forestry board passed unanimously a resolution calling for the drafting of a bill to be introduced in the next session of congress ceding the government vacant land in this vicinity which has been withdrawn from the market by the secretary of the interior at Washington. The land was withdrawn some time ago on the recommendation of Gen. C. C. Andrews, chief fire warden.

The forestry service at Washington will examine the land to see if it is suitable for forestry purposes. The resolution passed by the board proposes to cede to Minnesota only third and fourth-rate land, that which is too hilly, rocky and sandy for agricultural purposes.

Lake Le Croix and Crooked lake, two of the most picturesque lakes in Northern Minnesota, extend along the northern boundary of Minnesota about fifty miles. The lakes are four to six miles long, and are studded with little islands of almost solid rock and granite. Some of the islands are covered with pine, the growth of centuries. Curtain Falls, in Northern Minnesota, is located at the outlet of Crooked lake.

It is proposed to make this picturesque tract a great reserve, where fish and game may thrive and where the people of Minnesota may go in the hot days of summer for health and recreation.

State Lands to Be in Demand.

According to real estate dealers who have returned from Iowa and Illinois in the last few days, the bumper crop which is being harvested in those two states will mean much to Northern Minnesota in the line of immigration. The wealthy and prosperous farmers of the Iowa and Illinois soil will have an unusual surplus of ready cash, and the result will be a steady flow of currency into the northern portion of Minnesota for the purchase of lands as an investment. Lands in Iowa and Illinois are dirt cheap at $150 an acre, and when farmers from that section can find land equally as good as far as production is concerned, for $40 and $50 an acre, they immediately scent a good investment and are eager purchasers of Northern Minnesota soil.

The state land sales this fall will attract a large amount of Illinois and Iowa capital. Farmers who have well filled corn cribs, granaries and fat bank books and accounts have heard much of the wonderful fertility of Northern Minnesota and the state during recent months has done much to promote the publicity of the coming sale of all state lands. Already real estate dealers in this section are receiving queries as to the method of procedure adopted by the state in selling lands and of the quality of the soil to be offered. The land men are not particularly interested in the state sales because it means fewer sales for them, if money from Illinois and Iowa is invested in the state's property. They, however, are willing to inform the Southern farmers of the conditions governing the sale, and it is quite likely that the number of transfers made by the state to Iowa and Illinois parties will be large.

The promotion of the drainage idea by the State Drainage league has placed Northern Minnesota in the lime light of the public gaze as it probably has never been before. The results will be more far reaching than any immigration campaign conducted in the Eastern thickly settled districts. Publicity will do more for this section and for the state at large than any other known medium, and the interest aroused by the drainage convention, throughout the Middle West is significant of what results a little printer's ink will bring.—M.

Olmsteal Gets First Prize.

Olmstead county received the big end of the money for the best county exhibit at the state fair. The county was given a total of 1,106 points out of a possible 1,200. Huoston comes second with 1,043. In potatoes, culinary vegetables and fresh fruits Olmstead was far ahead of the others, while in tame grass, native grass and forage plants the county was tied with some of the others for first place. Wabasha got the greatest number of points for threshed grains, Houston first for grains in sheaf, the latter county being tied for first with Morrison on stock vegetables and also on arrangement. The score:

	Points.	Per Cent.
Olmstead	1,106	.922
Houston	1,043	.869
Wabasha	1,023	.844
Blue Earth	1,008	.840
Morrison	1,002	.835
Goodhue	995	.829
Aitkin	965	.804
Renville	950	.790
Dakota	930	.775
Itasca	685	.570

FAIR WAS GREAT SUCCESS.

Breaks All Records for Attendance and Comprehensiveness of Exhibits.

The great 1905 Minnesota state fair was closed Saturday night and the closing marked the breaking of all records for attendance, cash receipts and comprehensiveness of exhibits. The 1905 fair may set the pace for years to come, but this is not anticipated in view of the development of the fair during the past few years.

It is practically certain that the fair management will have a surplus of at least $75,000 to begin the next year. The exposition has been the best of its kind in the history of the Northwest. The agricultural, stock and other exhibits have been exceptionally meritorious, to say nothing of the other features of the fair. The race track programme has been exceptionally fine, and it may be years before the fair management will be able to attract such large fields of first-class horses.

The fair was a hummer up to the last minute. All of the exhibits were complete until the last "gun was fired." Very strict orders were issued by the management that no exhibits should be taken from the buildings until the fair of 1905 was actually a part of history.

In matter of attendance the popularity of the fair was maintained up to the last minute and the last act to be given before the grand stand was just as effective and complete as the evening blaze of glory presented on the initial night.

The following is the week's record:

	Attendance.	Receipts.
Monday	63,799	$31,590.85
Tuesday	47,591	19,838.45
Wednesday	46,267	17,013.50
Thursday	34,956	13,616.45
Friday	53,271	19,051.80
Saturday	40,000	12,583.15
Totals	285,884	$113,690.20

WOUL DRAIN INDIAN LANDS.

Congress to Be Asked to Make Appropriation.

As a means of further developing the resources of Northern Minnesota, the Minnesota State Drainage league will urge congress to provide for the draining of approximately 200,000 acres of land in the Indian reservations. At a meeting of the executive committee of the league it was decided to hold a grand drainage rally not later than Oct. 10, when the question will be discussed at a conference with the members of the Minnesota delegation.

"The United States government is the guardian of the Indians and is naturally interested in the financial welfare of its wards," said C. H. Warner, superintendent of the Minnesota immigration bureau, who attended the meeting of the drainage committee. "The members of the league believe that the value of the land in the reservation will be materially increased by drainage and that the Indians will get so much more for their land when it is sold. It has been demonstrated time and again that drainage increases the value of land more than the cost of building the ditches.

"But the Indians are not the only people that will be benefited by the drainage of their lands. It will be an important step in the development of Northern Minnesota; it will open the way for more settlers, and the more prosperous settlers there are in Minnesota, the greater the wealth of the state and the more prosperous is the average citizen."

It is possible that congress will be asked to drain other government lands in Northern Minnesota.

COWS WASTING THEIR TIME.

Result Is Loss of $30,000,000 a Year to Farmers.

E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, reckons that the farmers of Minnesota are losing approximately $30,000,000 a year just because they do not take proper care of their cows.

In a series of tests conducted by the state department it was learned that one Minnesota cow in 1903 produced 467.2 pounds of butter, as compared with 166 pounds produced by the average cow. If the 435,740 cows which furnished milk to Minnesota creameries in 1903 produced as much butter as the best cow, the total would have been 207,412,240, instead of 72,266,348. This was a loss of 135,145,892, or butter worth $27,029,178.40.

Mr. Slater estimates that the total production of butter this year will approximate 80,000,000 pounds, so that if all cows produce as much this year as the best cow did in 1903, the saving to Minnesota farmers will be about $30,000,000.

These facts are emphasized by the dairy and food commissioner to illustrate the importance of taking proper care of cows. If every cow in Minnesota were given the same care as to feed, shelter, sanitation, etc., as that received by the prize-winning cow of 1903, and if the same care were taken in the manufacture of butter, Mr. Slater says 476.2 would be the average production of Minnesota cows, now the output of the best cow.

The cow which produced 476.2 butter in 1903 is a Jersey Shorthorn cross, aged eight years, weight 1,000 pounds.

IN FAR NORTHLAND

Tid-Bits of News for Scandinavians.

AMERICAN EXPORTS WANTED.

Consul General Bordewich at Christiania Points the Way.

Consul General Henry Bordewich of Christiania furnishes an interesting report on Norway's crops and the importation of farming products into that country. The consul general says:

During the five-year period, 1900-1904, inclusive, Norway had only two fairly satisfactory crop returns. The years 1900, 1902 and 1904 were failures to such an extent that the loss to the country for the three years has been estimated at no less than $27,000,000. The present season gives promise of a much needed change for the better. An early spring, high temperature and frequent rainfall, which is essential to the generally light and sandy soil, have been the main factors in bringing about these favorable conditions. The hay crop is already secured in many tracts, and other crops will soon become ready for the reaper.

The average annual yield of the more important products in Norway are estimated as follows, stated in hectoliters: Wheat, 118,000; rye, 315,000; barley, 1,188,500; oats, 3,475,000; potatoes, 8,000,000; peas, 63,000; mixed grain, 264,400; hay (tons), 2,567,000. There is reason to believe that this year's crops will reach these figures. The aggregate value of the above-mentioned crops is estimated at $52,000,000.

The annual import of grain, flour even in the most propitious seasons and feedstuffs exceeds $12,000,000. Pork, beef, oleomargarine and vegetable oils for margarine factories are also largely imported, and the larger portion of these importations are of American origin. American wheat and flour would find a better market in that country if the import duty imposed on them could be reduced to correspond with the duty on other breadstuffs.

American exporters of cereals and flours are otherwise well represented in this country, several of the largest flour mills having well established connections.

Favorable weather conditions have improved the prospects for increased yield of vegetable and root crops. Small fruits have been plenty and cheap, and other fruits, such as apples, pears and plums, promise well. Norwegian small fruits and berries are of excellent quality, but the apples are much inferior to the better grades of American apples, of which the annual importations are quite large. The variety best known is the Baldwin. American exporters of green, as well as dried and canned fruits, should be able to increase their sales in this country. The shipping facilities are good from New York to Chrisiania, and the time is only nine or ten days.

WOMEN WANT TO VOTE.

Norway Urged to Extend Franchise to the Other Sex.

One of the curious features of the movement for independence from Sweden in Norway is the active, persistent and intelligent agitation by the women of Norway, says the New York Times. There is not any vote for the Norwegian women except in local affairs, but there seems to be an intense and quite general desire for it, and the agitation in favor of separation has probably been taken up so vigorously and systematically in order to establish a claim for participation in the management of the new order of things. Among the documents with which not only Norway and Sweden, but many foreign countries, were flooded during the discussion of the action of Norway, those published by the women's organization were notable for their earnestness and the care and skill with which they were prepared. It is generally conceded that the standard of education as well as that of social conduct is very high among Norwegians of either sex, and the movement for "equal rights for women" has not there been associated with those extreme notions that have unfortunately prevailed in live movements in other lands.

Vacancy in the Navy.

Sweden is short of naval officers, for one reason or another, and the situation has caused some inconvenience to the higher officers and impairment of the service. Councillor Lindman recently stated that there were forty-five vacant places among the commissioned officers and thirteen among the non-commisisoned. In order to meet the situation extra cadets have been appointed and given a course extending nearly three years and a half, after which they may take the examination as officers. All the graduates of the present senior class, some thirty in number, will go into service immediately on graduation.

Famous Artist Gone.

Albert Edelfelt, the noted artist, died on Aug. 18 at his villa at Haiko, Finland. He was modern and led this art cult into Finland in the early '80s. He painted Finland so that all understood, from the Finnish peasant to the Parisian critic. He was fully as well known in Sweden as in Finland, and the former will mourn the talented artist as one of her own children, for his Fanrik Stal drawings, his last great work, appeal as strongly to the people of Sweden as to those across the Baltic.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

BROWN GETS PLACE ON BENCH.

Governor Names Him to Succeed Judge Elliott.

St. Paul, Sept. 16. — Gov. Johnson yesterday made formal announcement of the appointment of Judge Charles B. Elliott to fill the vacancy on the supreme court bench caused by the resignation of Justice John A. Lovely, and he appointed Frederick V. Brown of Minneapolis to Judge Elliott's place on the Hennepin district bench. Justice Lovely's resignation takes effect Oct. 1, just before the opening of the October term of court. Judge Elliott will fill the unexpired term until Jan. 1, when he will take the seat for a term of six years by virtue of his election a year ago.

VANDALS RAID A CEMETERY.

Overturn or Deface Tombstones in Catholic Burial Place.

Oconto, Wis., Sept. 16.—That some cranks or insane persons are raiding all the Roman Catholic cemeteries in Oconto county was manifested yesterday when it was discovered that the cemetery in this city was visited Wednesday night and the monuments either disfigured or demolished. The work was begun two weeks ago at Gillett and Oconto Falls, both cemeteries being visited the same night. Since then the Roman Catholic cemeteries at Lena, Stiles and Spruce have been raided and monuments destroyed or disfigured. Large monuments, weighing several tons, were overturned and broken to pieces. Crosses were knocked off and smashed. Between sixty and seventy tombstones were either destroyed or disfigured in the cemetery here.

INDIAN FUNDS TAXABLE.

Court Says Title by Congress Makes Property Assessable.

Omaha, Sept. 16.—Judge Munger, in the United States circuit court yesterday handed down a decision in which he declared that the Indian trust funds or heirship lands to which congress has given a regular title, and funds deposited in banks to the credit of Indians coming from the sale of these lands, is taxable the same as the property of any other citizen. The decision is important, as it affects a great amount of Indian holdings all over the country.

SUGAR PREVENTS EXPLOSION.

Brakeman Puts Out Flames on Gasoline Tank.

Ada, Minn., Sept. 16. — What came near being a disastrous explosion occurred at Felton while the trainmen were unloading freight. One of the brakemen put his lantern on a tank of gasoline, and the escaping gas caught fire, enveloping the entire tank in a mass of flames. A brakeman extinguished the flames by throwing sugar over it. Agent Bras was severely burned.

LIGHTNING KILLS FOUR.

Bolt Strikes Crowd in Poultry Exhibit at Iowa County Fair.

Indianola, Iowa, Sept. 16.—Four men killed, six were seriously injured and a dozen more were stunned by a bolt of lightning which wrecked a crowded poultry exhibition tent at the county fair here yesterday. The tent was crowded at that time by people who had entered it to escape the rain. The lightning struck the tent pole, split it wide open, and radiated over the entire tent, tearing it into shreds. Thousands of chickens in the coops were killed.

ONLY FOREIGNERS DIE.

No Americans in Panama Have Perished of Yellow Fever This Month.

Washington, Sept. 16.—The official report of the yellow fever situation on the isthmus of Panama for the first two weeks of September, received by cable from Gov. Magoon yesterday, shows that there were during that period seven new cases of fever, one of which was an Italian employe at Panama. Of the seven cases four resulted fatally, all being non-employes and none of them an American.

GATHERS MINNESOTA SEED

To Be Used in Starting Pine Forest Nurseries by the Government.

Washington, Sept. 16. — J. M. Bond of the forest service, has been sent to Cass Lake, where he will collect large quantities of jack and red pine seeds. Most of the collecting will be done in the vicinity of Cass Lake and Brainerd. The seed will later be planted in forest nurseries.

BONFIRE FATAL TO CHILD.

Little Girl's Clothing Is Ignited by the Blaze.

Washburn, Wis., Sept. 16. — The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reitan of this city met with an awful accident which resulted in her death. She was playing about a bonfire when her clothing caught fire. Her mother and a boy were severely burned about the hands in putting out the flames.

Shot While Hunting.

Echo, Minn., Sept. 16.—While in a boat at Twin Lakes duck shooting Charles Knutson, a bartender here, accidentally shot himself, the charge tearing away a small portion of the palm of his left hand.

TRAGEDY STILL A MYSTERY.

Man Said to Have Been With Drowned Woman Not Found.

Watertown, Wis., Sept. 17. — The tragedy and mystery surrounding the death of Miss Emma Schultz here either Wednesday night or early Thursday morning in Rock river, have not been cleared; neither has any trace been found of Hans Traeumer, who is alleged to have accompanied Miss Schultz on her boating trip Wednesday night. There is not a trace, as far as the police will tell, on the body of the dead woman to indicate that she was murdered and then thrown into the water. It is believed that Traeumer is alive.

INDIANS FIGHT A BIG BLAZE.

Northern Cheyenne Agency Barracks Lost, but Fire Is Stopped.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 17.—All of the government buildings at Lame Deer, Northern Cheyenne agency, would have burned to the ground Thursday had it not been ration day. Many Indians were near when the fire broke out in the barracks occupied by the agency employes, and Indians fought the flames like veterans, preventing its spread to other buildings. There were no fire fighting appliances, and a bucket brigade was organized. The barracks burned down and some other buildings were scorched.

BABCOCK WON'T SERVE.

Says He Does Not Expect Re-Election to Chairmanship.

Milwaukee, Sept. 17.—Congressman J. W. Babcock, who as chairman of the Republican congressional committee has managed many important congressional campaigns, announced yesterday that he did not expect to be reelected as a member of the committee and that he would not accept the position of chairman if elected. "You may say," he declared, "that I do not expect the Wisconsin delegation to re-elect me to the committee. Even if elected, I would not serve as chairman."

FEVER IS JUST PLAIN MALARIA.

J. C. Wilson Is Not Suffering From Yellow Jack.

St. Paul, Sept. 17. — J. C. Wilson, the stranger who was taken from the union depot Thursday night and was thought to be suffering with yellow fever, improved considerably yesterday, and the physicians at the city hospital were able to make a thorough diagnosis of the case. It was concluded that he had an attack of malarial fever. His condition was such that the physicians allowed him to leave for Chicago.

BURNS MAY COST SIGHT.

Use of Match in Examining Gas Engine Ends Seriously.

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 19. — Charles Lundstrom of Ree Heights, while visiting the mill at this city yesterday, attempted to examine the interior workings of the gas engine with a lighted match, and was severely burned about the head. He may lose his sight from the effects of the burns.

Vicious Cow Hooks Girl.

Sisseton, S. D., Sept. 16.—The little five-year-old daughter of T. Martins, a farmer of Minnesota township, had a narrow escape from death by being hooked by a vicious cow. The little girl was forced through a wire fence by the animal. Her face and body were horribly lacerated and one arm was broken. She was brought to this city for treatment.

Kills Sweetheart and Self.

Muscatine, Iowa, Sept. 17.—Arthur Webb shot and killed Nettie Derby yesterday morning at the school house, where she was teaching, three and one-half miles south of Wilton. He had been refused a date with her for the county fair, and, entering the school house, shot her dead. He then went outside the building and shot himself.

Takes Carbolic Acid.

Minneapolis, Sept. 17.—Making the excuse to his wife that he was going for a short walk, John Wahlberg left his home Thursday night. He did not return, and in the morning his dead body was found lying in a vacant lot only a block distant. There is every evidence that he committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

Valuable Horse Burns.

Sisseton, S. D., Sept. 17. — T. A. Schumacker, living in Minnesota township, lost a big barn by fire, together with hay and feed and a registered Percheron stallion valued at $2,300. This is the third barn Mr. Schumacker has lost in the last few years.

Man Found on Tracks.

Tyler, Minn., Sept. 17.—A stranger was found on the railroad track by a farmer yesterday afternoon two miles east of town. It is thought he fell from a train. He probably will die.

Mangled Under Railway Train.

St. Paul, Sept. 17.—Samuel Peterson was ground to pieces yesterday morning under the wheels of a Minneapolis & St. Louis train in the Northern Pacific yards. The head was severed from the body.

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HOW SWEETLY HARMONIOUS.

Granite Falls Journal, (anti Dunn): If the Dunn supporters insist on saying who shall be our next Republican candidate for governor do you know what will happen? The re-election of the present incumbent of the office. Nothing could be more certain, not even taxes.

Anoka Free Press, (Dunn): Figure it as you please, it will be Dunn or Johnson next time. The selection by the Republican party of any other candidate than Dunn will mean the election of Johnson by the Democrats and the Dunn element combined. It is the other crowd's turn to laugh now. And those laugh best who laugh last.

THE Republican factions are showing their knives and bragging about the length of them.

IT'S tough luck for a fellow to find that he is in the "Indian country" just when he wants a drink the worst.

CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON is suspicious of "open switches." He does not propose to be sidetracked on a hopeless chase for the governorship in order to give Senator Stephens an opportunity to succeed to his congressional shoes.

JUDGE PARKER was right when in the closing days of the campaign he accused the life insurance companies and other corporations of contributing huge sums of money to the Republican national committee. The trouble was he couldn't prove it.

SEVERAL of the papers in this district are touting Representative Simons as a prospective candidate for state senator. Red Lake has never had the senatorship, and if our county is to be given its turn at holding this office there is good reason why Mr. Simons should be advanced to the post.

THE Bemidji Pioneer asserts that Congressman Buckman has disproved the "canards" that have been circulated against him. "Canards" is good. It's a shame that "Buck" should have been compelled to settle with the state for stolen timber simply because some mean old Democrat lied about him.

IF the Republicans want a governor who will not be deluged with invitations for public addresses Treasurer Block can be relied upon. Julius did not win his state-wide reputation by expressing opinions. It is easy to keep still, but it isn't everyone that can look wise. Therein Mr. Block has the vantage.

SINCE the Steenerson machine has become so solidly intrenched Senator Stephens' hopes of political preferment are suffering a bad case of blight. Crookston is hardly large enough to hold two big Republicans, and, anyway, the party is not likely to nominate for a state office any man from Halvor's baliwick unsatisfactory to the doughty congressman.

THE newspapers are already talking about the legislative re-apportionment by the 1907 session. Our own district—the 61st—has made the largest gain in population, and on the basis of representation established ten years ago is entitled to twice the number of legislators it has at present. The district as at present constituted is too large and diversified interests are represented. A better plan would be to detach Red Lake and Marshall from their present districts and combine them in a new district. Both are agricultural counties, and have common needs and interests.

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Poor Hair

IT cannot be denied that the crop situation is far from satisfactory. The Red River valley raised the most magnificent crop of wheat, oats and other cereals in its history, but the excessive rains of the past month have interfered seriously with the harvest, the ground being so wet that the machines cannot get into the fields. Thousands of acres of wheat that would yield twenty bushels or better will not be cut. This condition exists in Red Lake county and in practically every other county in the valley. Of course many farmers saved all their crop; others a liberal portion, but, unfortunately, many have scarcely no harvest to show for their summer's labor. But this misfortune will not check the growth and progress of northwestern Minnesota. We can live, and in five years we'll forget that 1905 did not produce a bumper crop. Nothing like being optimistic. It makes the world brighter and better.

FORMERLY any man was a good husband who did not get drunk more than six days in the week and only beat his wife semi-occasionally. In those days the burden of proof was upon the wives, so long as the good man was also a good provider, and they were expected to be able to spin the flax, weave the linsey-woolsey, clothe the family, and run the household. All of this, an eastern editor declares, has been chrnged however, and now, with our higher education for women folks, the scarcity of servants and the gradual enslavement of man, a good husband has come to mean something more than a fairly sober and industrious provider for the family. It means—one who by courtesy only wears the trousers; a man who can get breakfast and wash dishes when the cook is away; a gentle tempered and mild mannered male who can be trusted to tend the baby while wifey reads an essay on the rearing of children at the mothers' congress. We move fast in these days and man is being tamed rapidly—to his own benefit.

BRYAN STOPS CANDIDACY BOOM

William Jennings Bryan, who was tendered a banquet by the Jefferson club in Chicago, Monday night, prior to his departure on a trip around the world, administered a check to the enthusiasm which greeted the speech advocating his nomination for president for the third time. Mr. Bryan stated his position clearly when he said:

"I want to make my position perfectly clear; I want to say to you that not only am I not announcing a candidacy, but I am not permitting a candidacy.

"I am not now," said Mr. Bryan, "a candidate for any office. I have never said that I would never again be a candidate for office, but I want to say now that talk of candidacy for office does not effect me as it once did. I believe that my place in history will be determined not by what the people are able to do for me, but by what I am able to do for the people." (Applause and cheers.)

"I think it is now too soon to choose a candidate for president to make the race three years from now. It is too early to pledge ourselves to any one man. I trust that before the time comes to name a man for the next presidential race, light may be thrown upon our party's pathway that a man may be chosen who will be best able to do for the party more than I have yet been able to do."

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten; in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at all drug stores.

State Aid to Schools.

Owing to the increase in the number of high schools of Minnesota the past year the schools will receive only $1,200 state aid this year, compared with $1,325 in 1904. The number of schools entitled to state aid is 173, compared with 162 in 1904 and 155 in 1903.

The number of graded schools has increased from 145 in 1904 to 150 in 1905, and the amount of the aid has been reduced by the state high school board from $550, that named in the law, to $525.

The law provides that high schools shall receive $1,500, but as the appropriation has always been deficient the amount has been cut down by the state high school board. The 1905 legislature, however, passed a deficiency appropriation bill whereby the schools got the difference between the amount paid last year and $1,500.

Do Not Be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. A. L. Reichert.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson.

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The Youth's Companion, one of America's foremost publications, says that artists and architects are agreed that the new capitol of Minnesota at St. Paul is, next to the national capitol in Washington, the finest public building in America. The secretary of the American institute of architects expressed that opinion a while ago and in a recent number of the Architectural Record, Kenyon Cox, the painter, has declared that it is "one of the most imposing and beautiful of modern classical buildings, sumptuous yet severe, a model of good taste and restraint." He goes into raptures over the white marble dome when he writes, "It seems of the colors and almost of the sky into which it melts like a snow peak in the horizon." This architectural masterpiece, which has attracted much attention during its construction, stands in what was a wilderness two generations ago; but with all its beauty and majesty and grace, it splendidly illustrates the growth of the great west in all those refinements of taste which are ordinarily regarded as the product of generations of culture. Indeed this building is the product of generations of culture transplanted from the older to the newer parts of the world.

Given up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which causad much pain and worry. I lost much flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." A. L. Riechert.

In the Love League.

Clerk of Courts Perrault has issued marriage licenses as follows so far this mouth:

Anton Anderson and Miss Ellen W. Carlson, of St Hilaire;

A. K. Lochern, of Barnes county, North Dakota, and Miss Christine Aaseby, of Norden;

John Maaklud, St. Hilaire, and Miss Emma Engh, Wyandotte;

Fred Lessard and Miss Lucia Bernier, Lambert.

Cured of Bright's Disease.

Geo. A. Sherman, Lisbon Red Mills, Lawrence Co., N. Y., writes: "I had kidney disease for many years and had been treated by physicians for twelve years; had taken a well known kidney medecinc and remedies that were recommended but got no relief until I began using Foley's Kidney Cure. The first half bottle relieved me and four bottles have cured me of the terrible disease. Before I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure I had to make water about every fifteen minutes, day and night and passed a brick dust substance, and sometimes a slimy substance. I believe I would have died if I had not taken Foley's Kidney Cure." A. L. Reichert.

Pointer on Personal Beauty.

There is a saying that "every time a sheep bleats it loses a mouthful of hay." Every time a woman worries she loses a little of her attractiveness and takes on marks of old age. You cannot afford to worry. If you fret and worry and nag, you may make up your mind to lose some of your beauty and let go some of your magnetism. If you meet with the bitterest disappointment, don't fret, do not grieve; cheer up and have a glass of golden grain belt beer to quite your nerves and strengthen your mental and physical powers. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

Notice to Threshers.

Any owner or manager of traction engines crossing any bridge or culvert, in the township of Terrebonne who neglects to protect said bridge or culvert by planks as provided by law will be held responsible for all damage as provided by chap. 151, Law of 1895.

LOUIS PARENTEAU,
Chairman Supervisors.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

MINNESOTA FORESTS.

Acres of the State Being Rapidly Turned into Timber.

The renewal of the forest areas of Minnesota, under the provisions of the tree bounty laws which have been in force in the state since 1873, has thus far cost Minnesota $421,934.41, and about $20,000 more will be added to this amount with the payment of the 1905 bounties, late this fall.

Figures obtained from the office of the state auditor show that the farmers and settlers who have sought to establish forest areas, as the state has directed have been enriched by nearly a half-million dollars during the last quarter century. The laws now regulating the payment of tree bounties restrict the payment during any one year to $20,000, and this is divided proportionately according to the acreage of young forest reported for bounty. The payment is limited to a maximum of $2.50 per acre.

Claims are now being received for the bounty of 1905, and warrants will be sent out to nearly 3,000 farmers late in the fall. The amount for which any one settler can receive bounty is limited to ten acres. These bounty payments are highly acceptable to the farmers in the winter time, and the state is receiving the benefit of well planted and well cared for young forests, which will in the future be highly valuable.

A Cold Settled in His Kidneys.

A. J. Jennesse, 9201 Butler St., Chicago writes: "I am a switchman aud am out in all kinds of weather. I took a cold which settled in my kidneys and I was in bad shape. I tried several advertised remedies with no benefit, until I was recommended to try Foley's Kidney Cure. Two-thirds of a bottle cured me." A. L. Riechert.

A New Atlas

of the Northwestern, Western and Middle Western states with maps of the island possessions, Japan, China, United States, and the world, has just been issued by the Northern Pacific Railway jointly with the Burlington Route and the Great Northern Railway. It treats of boundaries, history, population, statistics, school population, state institutions, families, farm, manufactures, railway mileage, postoffices, minerals, and state goverments of each commonwealth traversed by the railways mentioned. A mine of valuable information for $1.00. A. M. Cleland, General Passenger Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, St. Paul, Minn.

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Shorthand Class.

I have decided to organize a class for the study of shorthand to begin about September 15th, 1905. My duties as Court Reporter necessitates my teaching evenings only and the class, consequently, must be limited, so if you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of learning shorthand from one who has had a practical knowledge of the art for over ten years, write or call on,

Chas. M. Lohn, Crookston, Minn.,
Official Court Reporter,
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GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TIME TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:35 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	Middle River	3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcoma	3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

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I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

The band concert Friday evening will be on the north side.

Little Miss Rozella Lemieux is reported quite sick this week.

Wanted—A young man to learn the barber trade. At the Miller shop.

The school house in district number 32, Lake Pleasant township, is undergoing repairs.

The Great Northern railway put in a new street crossing near the Boughton residence yesterday.

Ducks are plentiful this year, and hunters are coming in every evening with good bags of water fowl.

Ed. Trombly and family moved from the Belair house into the Cadieux house on Champagne avenue Monday.

It is said the Great Northern started a crew of men pulling up the track from Wylie to the junction north of Crookston the first of this week.

The Big Store has a new advertisement this week announcing the opening of the cloak and cape season. A nice variety of these goods is shown.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending September 16: Mrs. Andrew T. Nelson, and Frank Grife.

The band concert last Friday evening brought out a good sized crowd of people as usual. This month will probably finish the outdoor concerts.

Prof. Tonning, of the high school, has organized a choral union, to be composed of high school scholars. The first meeting of the new organization will be held Friday evening.

The crab apple crop is not affected by the excessive moisture. Nap. Pouliot reports having taken six bushels from one tree, and it isn't the biggest tree in the state, either.

The Study club held its first meeting last evening at the home of Dr. J. E. Argue. The club will hold weekly meetings during the fall and winter at the homes of the members.

There was a social dance at the K. P. hall last Friday evening given unded the auspices of the high school foot ball team. A good sized crowd enjoyed the occasion thoroughly.

Work on the north side school building is progressing rapidly, and it will be finished at the time the contract specifies—November 1—unless some unexpected incident prevents.

There will be an important business meeting of the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. F. E. Hunt on Wednesday, September 27, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Day laborers about Red Lake Falls have had no difficulty in securing work this year. The railroads have kept large numbers of men at work all summer and will continue to do so until cold weather sets in.

Samples of flour made of this season's wheat has been sent out by the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. the past week. Manager Sivertson says the quality of flour from this year's grain is of an exceedingly high grade.

Prof. Secord and his palace illusions did not show at the opera house Saturday evening as advertised on account of the professor's illness. The entertainment was given Monday evening, a fair sized audience being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Helm wish to extend thanks to the many kind friends who tendered assistance in their recent bereavement, especially for the many floral offerings, to the church choir and to the friends and neighbors generally.

The Bourdon Land company lately made a land deal whereby it became the owner of a livery stock in Marshall, Minn. Fourteen head of horses, several buggies, harness, etc. was included in the deal, and the stock all arrived in this city Monday.

The Study club met at the old saw mill last Friday night and indulged in a corn roast. A most bounteous supper was served and the party had a most delightful time. Roasting corn on a stick, frying your own bacon, etc., proved to be a heap of fun.

The Great Northern has had considerable trouble with its track north of the depot the past week. A large part of the grade just in the rear of the Kaus store has been sliding and it is with difficulty that the track is kept in place for the passing of trains.

The market price of grain has been taking an upward turn during the past few days. Yesterday the quotations at the Red Lake Falls Milling company were as follows: No. 1 hard, 73½c; No. 1 Northern, 72½; No. 2, 69c; No. 3, 66c; No. 4, 62c; rejected, 57c; flax, 87c; rejected flax, 83c.

The state board of equalization yesterday raised household goed in Red Lake county 100 per cent., office furniture 50 per cent., and farm machinery 75 per cent. At the rate the state board is doing business the assessment will be increased about 40 per cent. in this county.

Berthon & Armstrong have a display in their show window that will interest the boys. Two suits, valued at $5 and $3, are offered as prizes to the boys coming nearest to guessing the length of a ball of binder twine. Here is a good chance for the boys to do a little figuring.

There is only one automobile listed for taxation in Red Lake county. This is owned by Harry Ives, the millionaire publisher of the St. Hilaire Spectator. Harry will be interested in knowing that automobiles in Red Lake county have been raised 200 per cent. by the state board of equalization.

The foot ball boys are practicing these days, getting in shape for contests later in the season. The high school club has lost some of its last year's talent, but some of the new members are showing up in fine shape and our record as champions of northwestern Minnesota will doubtless be maintained.

Mrs. J. J. Carroll sent a sample of crab apples to Ed. Healy today which shows that this crop is magnificent. One little branch of the tree produced twenty perfectly formed apples, and they take up all of the room on the branch. Apples are a good price this fall, and farmers who have a few crab trees will net a nice profit.

County Auditor Ford is receiving a great many inquiries regarding the state land sale in October. Everybody seems to be deluded with the idea that the county auditor has charge of the sale, when as a matter of fact the state auditor conducts the sale and all inquiries should be directed to S. G. Iverson, at the state capital.

Mrs. Thomas Powers died last Saturday at her home in East Grand Forks, after an illness of several weeks from abscess of the lungs. She was thirty-three years of age, and leaves a husband and several children. Mrs. Powers was a sister of Edward Enright, who in company with his wife were over to attend the funeral Monday.

E. J. Reagan and family moved from Crookston to this city Tuesday and will make their home on the north side. Mr. Reagan is roadmaster of this division of the Great Northern and moves here for the purpose of being nearer his work. The COURIER welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Reagan to the city and hopes their residence here may prove pleasant to them.

The state board of equalization has boosted the values of stock in Red Lake county materially. The state board makes the same average value for stock in all the counties, and this is manifestly unjust to the newer counties of the state. Up this way, under present conditions, the cash price of horses and cattle is not much more than half what it is in the southern counties.

A wreck occurred near the Great Northern turntable just north of town as the freight was pulling out yesterday for St. Hilaire. A car jumped the track and fell down the high embankment, and another car left the rails. The force of men employed in taking care of the tracks succeeded in getting the track clear for the evening train, and fortunately no serious damage was done.

Harry Fritz went down to the Northern Pacific train yesterday to meet his father, who arrived from Minneapolis, and the old gentleman had a narrow escape from injury. The train backed into the buggy after Mr. Fritz senior had got into it, and but for the timely assistance of Harry he would have been thrown out. Fortunately no one was hurt, but the buggy was badly damaged.

Brunelle Bros. are getting their new cigar factory in running order, and will soon have sufficient stock on hand to supply the demand. Their ten-cent brand, "B. B.," is warranted to be one of the best smokes ever manufactured. Red Lake Falls people have always patronized local institutions liberally, and we have no doubt the boys will do a good business from the start.

Judge N. W. Tarrant is quite a horticulturalist when it comes to sunflowers. He has raised the Russian variety this year, and many of the flowers are sixteen inches in diameter. They make excellent feed for chickens. Some of the flowers shell out two quarts of seed each, and the chickens appear to get fat on this kind of food. Poultry raisers will do well to profit by the Judge's experience.

The stocks of merchandise displayed in the Red Lake Falls stores seem to be nearly, if not quite, as large as usual. The merchants figure on a fairly good business even though the crop prospect is not exactly encouraging. It goes without saying that prices are reasonable, and the people tributary to this territory will find plenty of good bargains by watching the advertising columns of the papers.

A family reunion was held last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Glass, south of town, the occasion being the fortieth marriage anniversary of this worthy couple. All of the children were present with the exception of the oldest son, Charles, who lives at Watertown, S. D., and was unable to get here. The COURIER trusts that Mr. and Mrs. Glass will be spared to enjoy many more anniversaries.

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Outing Flannels

They are high but ours were bought before the advance and with the two largest wholesale houses in the west bidding for our bill. will save you 1c a yard,

26 inch flannel, medium weight 5c.
28 " " heavy, regular 10c value, 9c.
28 " " extra nappy and soft, regular 12½c. our price 10c.

An immense line of fleeced flannels at 8, 9 and 10c.

Our School Shoes

are going like the proverbial hot cakes. Our values are so good that it does not take an expert to see it,

Fine boys school shoes, calf or kid, $1,75,
Misses $1,25 to $1,75,
Childrens, 6 to 8½, 60c to 90c,

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54 inch, salt and pepper design, very stylish, belted back..............	$10.00
7-8 length garment, Martin collar, crushed velvet lined price..............	$18.50
Childrens cloaks should be warm & strong, one dandy, it's long, has cape & only	$4.50

Special cotton blanket, note width 1¼, white or gray, only 95c.

Genuine Englis flannelettes, wash fine, are soft, regular 11½c, price 10c.

For Men: Choice of 75c and $1.00 Laundered white shirts, short bosoms, all sizes, yours for 49c

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Red Lake
IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term, September 20, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Andrew P. Hanson, administrator of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
s21-05

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Red Lake,

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.

E. O. HAGEN,
Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk
s21-026

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REMEDIES USED BY MILLIONS.

Truth About the Popular "Proprietary Medicines."

The recent campaign against the use of proprietary medicines, conducted in the columns of the Ladies' Home Journal and Collier's Weekly, has evoked an answer from the Committee on Legislation of the Proprietary Association. The committee says:

"In considering the question raised by recent attacks upon proprietary medicines, every reasonable man will admit that there is a wide and legitimate field for the manufacture and sale of medicines already prepared for general use and easily obtainable at all times and everywhere. . . . As a matter of fact these medicines are not patented at all, and the popular use of the word 'patent' in connection with them is a misnomer. Any pharmacist will tell you that practically the only 'patent' medicines in use to-day are those which are manufactured either by foreign or domestic pharmaceutical houses, and which are now almost exclusively dispensed by physicians or designated by them in their prescriptions.

"The medicines which are now the subject of wholesale attack by Mr. Bok and Editor Hapgood are the old-fashioned family remedies properly described as 'proprietary medicines.' They are the favorite remedies among millions of people all over the country; and, notwithstanding the constant effort of some physicians to create prejudice against them, no one ever yet heard of any of the millions of users of such remedies asking for legislation or other action averse to them."

WON'T BUY BONI A PAPER.

Anna Gould Can Burn Her Money In O ther Ways.

All in vain have been Count Boni de Castelline's pleadings for the purchase of the Paris Press. His wife, formerly Miss Anna Gould, still positively refuses to buy it for him and set him up as an editor. The countess is reported to have said that Boni has had too many expensive playthings to weary of and throw aside, and that she doesn't propose to risk any more of her money in what she feels is nothing more than a passing whim. The count, much upset by this direful state of things, will make no overtures to end the serious family quarrels it has caused. His wife, he says, is not only withholding shekels but immortal fame, for the Paris Press is a historic paper, which was founded by Emil Girardin, and many of Balzac's novels first appeared in it in serial form. The paper is to be sold because of the failure of its owner, who was caught in a recent sugar crash.—New York Press.

Could Get No Rest.

Freeborn, Minn., Sept. 18th (Special)—Mr. R. E. Goward, a well known man here, is rejoicing in the relief from suffering he has obtained through using Dodd's Kidney Pills. His experience is well worth repeating, as it should point the road to health to many another in a similar condition.

"I had an aggravating case of Kidney Trouble," says Mr. Goward, "that gave me no rest day or night but using a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills put new life in me and I feel like a new man.

"I am happy to state I have received great and wonderful benefit from Dodd's Kidney Pills. I would heartily recommend all sufferers from Kidney Trouble to give Dodd's Kidney Pills a fair trial as I have every reason to believe it would never be regretted."

Dodd's Kidney Pills make you feel like a new man or woman because they cure the Kidneys. Cured kidneys mean pure blood and pure blood means bounding health and energy in every part of the body.

Guess What.

"Now, Mabel," cautioned her mother, "you mustn't sit out on that damp beach to-night without anything around you."

"I won't, mother," promised the dutiful daughter. "George will attend to that all right."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

DISFIGURING HUMOR.

Brushed Scales From Face Like Powder—Doctor Said Lady Would Be Disfigured for Life—Cuticura Works Wonders.

"I suffered with eczema all over my body. My face was covered; my eyebrows came out. I had tried three doctors, but did not get any better. I then went to another doctor. He thought my face would be marked for life, but my brother-in-law told me to get Cuticura. I washed with Cuticura Soap, applied Cuticura Ointment, and took Cuticura Resolvent as directed. I could brush the scales off my face like powder. Now my face is just as clean as it ever was.—Mrs. Emma White, 641 Cherrier Place, Camden, N. J., April 25, '05."

A Forward Age.

"Back to the Soil" admonishes H. Rider Haggard. "Back to the people," says Brother Bryan. "Back to Baltimore," comes the hurdy-gurdy's refrain. This is a forward age, my masters.

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Useless Exertion.

Doctor—So you haven't coughed much to-day?

Patient—No; what was the use? There was nobody in the house to hear me.

The World of Trouble

Sich a world o' trouble—
  Sighin' drowns the song;
Never yit felt happy,
  But a cyclone comes along!

When the sky looks clearest,
  Comes a lightnin' flash;
When I feel like dancin',
  Fiddler calls for cash!

An' if I was in glory,
  An' walked outside the town,
Satan sure would git me
  An' levy on my crown!
—Atlanta Constitution.

AT PARTING

BY CATHARINE CRANMER.

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"When you are a man really worth while in other ways, I don't see why you persist in this impossible affair!"

"I persist, because it means everything to me, and I shall persist always, Jane, unless you marry another man."

"Now, don't say that, Wilton, for although I like men and get on admirably with them as friends, I never expect to love or marry any man!"

"It is impossible to believe that you will never love; such a woman is sure to love and love deeply. Such a life is rounded out only by love."

"But, Wilton, my life is full of other things; I have no place for love or marriage."

"Not now, perhaps, because your globe-trotting and your art studies have crowded it out for a time; but some time it will burst forth into every fibre of your being, and, Oh, Jane, if I might have the joy of calling it forth!"

"Really, Wilton, try to be practical in this, as you are in other matters. With my wandering foot and my distaste for home life what kind of a wife would I make? Go to some sweet and loving girl, lavish this beautiful love on her and let her make you happy."

"You ought to know how useless is advice like that. It is not that I simply want to marry. I want to marry you."

"If I felt worthy of such love I'd be less unhappy to hear you talk so; but here I am, lacking in the qualities which are the very essentials to married happiness."

"Not lacking; simply crowded out temporarily. Since I have known you I have asked you three times to marry me, and you never gave me this reason before. The first time you were too young, you said, you would answer me two years later; two years later you were afraid to trust yourself to live on a salary, and your trip to the Orient could not be put aside. The third time your mother's health took you to Switzerland with her for an indefinite time. Now, that all these things are out of the way, your career steps in."

"There was another reason in each case, Wilton. I did not love you well enough. Our friendship has meant so much to me; in fact, I have few if any friends with whom I have so much in common; yet have I ever sought to encourage anything more than friendship on your part?"

"You certainly have not; but the master passion of a man's life does not have to be nurtured and encouraged into growth; it grows in spite of everything."

"You sail for Europe, when?" asked Wilton.

"The 15th."

"And will remain how long?"

"One year."

"And then?"

"Magazine illustrating."

"Then what?"

"Why, success, I hope, what more could I ask?"

"You may not ask more; but far more than professional success will be necessary to make you content."

"I never expect to love or marry any man."

This attempt to undermine her professional air castle rather nettled Jane, and when the man had claimed his dance came, she gave him the sweetest of smiles, while to poor Wilton she gave only a cool nod as she walked away. He stood and watched her as one watches the fading of a beatuiful sunset, when all its gorgeous colors die into a somber gray. When she passed from his sight it seemed to him that all the color of his hopes had turned to this same gray. He left without again entering the ball room.

The next morning as Jane was at breakfast, she received a box of exquisite sunrise roses, and a brief note, which said:

"Jane: You leave Chicago to-day. I cannot trust myself to say good-bye. May your life be as full of color as these roses, but if the color ever fades and you have need of a friend, remember that I shall be faithful always. WILTON."

Jane looked first at these lovely roses, and then at some American Beauties, sent by another man. She pushed the latt r from her.

"Bah! You are like a common person, suddenly grown rich," and burying her face among the ones that Wilton sent, she added, "but you are genuine aristocracy."

"The widow Oagle."

Something like a dewdrop could be seen among these roses, and a match for it was in either of Jane's eyes. She had not thought that their parting on the veranda was to be their last for a year. She had been almost uncivil to Wilton, who was after all her best friend. Seized by an impulse she did not stop to define, she selected one of the most beautiful roses, and enclosed it in a box with her card, on the back of which she wrote:

"This rose brings my parting message. Thank you many times, dear friend——and good-bye. JANE."

By the time it reached Wilton Jane was aboard the Twentieth Century Limited, well on her way to New York.

Though Wilton had seldom written, he had kept her supplied with the latest American books, and the home newspapers. Of late, however, she had year was nearly over she met some received fewer of these. When her Chicago friends, who poured out all the home news and gossip.

"And, Oh, Jane," one of the girls said, "your old stand-by, Wilton Ellis, has joined the Widow Oagle's train, and they do say she means to rope him in."

Jane was conscious of being closely watched by all of the party when this was said, but no sign of such consciousness was visible as she asked, rather indifferently:

"Who is this Widow Oagle, I don't think she was there when I left?"

"Oh, no, she came in the winter. Half the men in town have been devoted to her. Her husband was an army officer, killed in the Philippines, which, Jack Gwinn says, is proof to him that there is luck in store for all men, even though it be late in coming."

When Jane sat down at her desk that evening, she did not seem to be interested in the illustration she had begun. She pushed it aside and drew a picture of a beautiful woman, surrounded by admirers, while Cupid dragged away a trunk, labeled "Widow's Weeds."

Two months later, when she arrived in Chicago, almost the first person she saw was Mrs. Dan Shelley, who said:

"Oh, you wandering Gypsy, how good to see you again! And I'm giving a dinner to-morrow evening. You can't say no; I won't listen. And wear your fetchiest Paris gown, for there is nothing new in this old town."

When Jane entered Mrs. Dan's drawing room there was a perceptible murmur of admiration. Around her bare white throat were beautiful strings of amber beads—her only ornaments. In harmony with all these autumn tints, Jane's changeful hazel eyes looked out from under their crown of copper colored hair.

Nearly all the guests were her old acquaintances, but among the strangers, the first she met was Mrs. Oagle, who had Wilton in tow.

It seemed of late that Mrs. Oagle's songs were a part of every function. When the guests were about to leave some one said:

"You leave us to-morrow for the east, Mrs. Oagle; you won't refuse us one song?"

Gracefully rising, she went to the piano.

"Just a little parting message," she said, sweetly.

Somehow this recalled another parting message to Jane and Wilton. Their eyes met and were held together as the rich voice sang:

"The sweetest flower that blows,
  I give thee, as we part;
To you it is a rose,
  To me it is my heart."

Jane loked away, but looking up again, Wilton's eyes were still on her's as the voice ended in a burst of passion:

"You think it but a rose,
  Ah, me! It is my heart."

Something in Jane's look brought Wilton to her side, instead of to Mrs Oagle's, where he was evidently expected, and the petals of the deep red rose which had been meant for him, were gracefully scattered among the guests as the widow departed.

Next morning Jane received another box of exquisite Sunrise roses.

BARROOMS IN THE BIG HOTELS

Are Being Driven From the Field by the Boudoir Buffet.

The magnificent hotel barrooms which were a feature of Broadway life a decade ago, are being driven from the field by the boudoir buffet. Old time hotels like the St. Nicholas, the New York, the Metropolitan, the Morton house, Union Square, Coleman and others that made New York barrooms something to talk about a few years ago almost have gone out of existence. Barkeepers and mixers of special drinks that made them famous either have gone to another sphere or into other business, and there are none to take their places. To cite the most conspicuous example the famous elliptical bar in the Hoffman house, which Edward S. Stokes made the talk of two continents, has been taken away. The collection of expensive paintings, so famous that a special view hour each morning was appointed for women, has been dispersed. What was once the most magnificent barroom in the world in now a very commonplace cafe in comparison with the more modern New York hotels. There is a small barroom in another part of the hotel which bears about the same relation to the sumptuous Stokes menage as a pushcart does to a pony carriage. This is true of all the big hotels. The waiter and small table have put the barkeeper out of business. In many of the new boudoir bars if a customer steps up to the small bar and orders a drink he is asked to take a seat at one of the tables and a waiter will carry the drink to him. This usually involves a tip to the waiter that approximates one-half the price of the drink. The old-time barkeeper complains bitterly at the innovation of the foreign waiter in the barroom or cafe.

Co-operation of English Farmers.

The Agricultural Organization society was formed four years ago to promote reciprocal aid among British farmers, and statements at the annual meeting recently held show that its object is being successfully carried out. The number of branch societies has largely increased and is now 113, embracing 33 counties, while the membership has advanced from 4,500 in 1904 to 6,500 now. One of the important aims of the society is the cheapening of freight rates, which have been excessively burdensome in England to the small shipper. This is being done with success by combining farm products in wholesale quantities. General working expenses have been reduced and in some cases the prices of products have been increased through the harmonious working of the society. It also enables members to buy in wholesale quantities from one central point instead of dribbling out small orders to a large number of producers. Farmers can buy their supplies and implements at wholesale prices, and this is considered so important that prophets are found who see in it the redemption of British agriculture from the low estate to which it has declined.

Death's Lullaby.

Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life
  Hush thee to sleep, to sleep.
Why should you long for the struggle and strife,
  Stay here and mourn and weep.
When you may sink in my arms and find rest,
Pillow your head on the earth's gentle breast
  Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life,

Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life,
  Close your weariful eyes.
Why should you linger in care and in strife
  Under these sorrowful skies
Come to my arms and win quiet and peace,
Let all your troubles and fretfulness cease,
Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life.

Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life.
  Briefly you spangled sun gleams.
Why should you love all this fanciful strife
  Chasing the phantom of dreams?
Flee from the quest of but vanishing mirth,
Come and lie down in the arms of the earth,
Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby life.
—Chicago Chronicle.

Is a British Princess.

The crown princess of Roumania, who is now staying with her children in the Isle of Wight, is a British princess, being the eldest daughter of the late duke of Saxe-Coburg—the duke of Edinburgh of olden days. The crown princess is a beautiful and accomplished woman, and one of the most attractive of King Edward's many nieces. She is very musical, and, like her late father, a finished violinist. She dresses perfectly and has many artistic tastes. In girlhood she was known in her home by the pet name of "Missy," a name which even now is not forgotten.

HORTICULTURE

The Cause of Pear Blight.

For ten years I have grown pears for market and have watched and studied the trees almost daily during that time, and I cannot agree with experiment station men and others as to the cause of pear blight. I cannot believe that pear blight is caused by bacteria or that a microbe has anything to do with it. An experiment station professor writing in "Country Life in America" recently went so far as to say that the pear blight microbe is in the nectar of the pear blossoms and is carried by bees from flower to flower. I think it is hardly possible for the nectar to be anything but pure when the blossoms open. I think pear blight is caused by conditions of soil and climate. On certain soils and elevations even in Illinois, pear trees are free from blight.

Frank Aikin.
Illinois.

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The cause of pear blight is now very well known. There is no question at all of its being a germ disease. The microscope has revealed its character and it has been isolated and examined. The spore of the fungus that causes pear blight is both heavy and sticky and cannot be blown by the wind from one place to another. It used to be supposed that it could be blown from one tree to another and that this would account for the sudden appearance of pear blight after a windy and wet period. The germ of pear blight lives over winter in the live wood adjoining dead wood that has been killed by blight. Insects, especially bees, sip the sap from wounds in infected trees and later visit the tips of trees where small leaves are being formed or blossoms are opening. The spores of the pear blight stick to the limbs of the insects just as pollen sticks to them. When the insects suck the nectar in the flowers, the spores are rubbed off and fall into the flower. From those spores, minute plants of a thread-like character develop. These plants grow through the sap wood and through the leaves and use up the life fluid that should go to feed the leaves. The leaves then wilt and turn color, and we say the tree has been blighted. There is much yet to be learned about pear blight, but the foundation has been well worked out.—Farmers' Review.

Fruit Exhibit at Fairs.

Societies having the control of the fruit exhibit at fairs should see to it that, so far as possible, every variety of fruit grown in the state shall be represented at each exhibition. Managers of agricultural societies should remember that these exhibitions are for the purpose of instruction and for the stimulation of fruit growing. They are not mere gambling devices by which a few men can make as much money as possible out of the premiums. Many of our exhibits are deficient in the number of varieties displayed. Certain orchardists are invited in, and these generally make a display of the fruit they grow themselves. Some of the varieties that are thriving best in the state are not shown at all. The managers of the exhibit could, by a very little work, bring in all the different varieties of fruit being grown in the locality represented by the fair. This should be done even if the management has to buy a few plates of good fruit, of varieties that would not otherwise be represented. The matter of instruction should be made much of, and every variety should be fully designated by lettered or printed labels that are large enough to be read by all. Very frequently the labels on the fruits are very badly written on slips of paper and are placed where they are weighed down by the fruit. This may be satisfactory to the judges, but would hardly do much in instructing the public.

Orchard Cover Crop.

At this season of the year a cover crop may be put into the orchard that has been cultivated, especially if this orchard is in the north. Experiments made with cover crops show that they very materially reduce the distance that the frost enters the ground. In some cases the common vetch has been planted in the orchard in midsummer, and has made a good growth during the fall, covering the orchard with a carpet of green. This plant freezes during the winter, but the carpet it makes reduces the power of the frost to pentrate the ground. In one test in Wisconsin, where the frost went twenty inches without this cover, it went only twelve inches with it. It is too late now to plant alfalfa or clover, but cow peas may yet be sown, as may also winter rye. These will both make a good cover crop by the time frost comes, and will serve the purpose intended. Where orchards have been in sod all the spring and summer, they should not be disturbed in the fall, but the sod should be left as a cover for the roots of the trees during the winter.

The so-called pedigreeing of plants is a misnomer, when such plants are not produced from seed. Selection is one thing, but it is not pedigreeing. A plant cannot be its own parent.

There should be a label on every package of fruit that is sold in the market showing where and by whom it was grown. This will tend to do away with dishonest packing.

GOOD BLOOD FOR BAD

Rheumatism and Other Blood Diseases are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"In the lead mines I was at work on my knees with my elbows pressed against rock walls, in dampness and extremes of cold," said Mr. J. G. Meukel, of 2975 Jackson avenue, Dubuque, Iowa, in describing his experience to a reporter, "and it is not surprising that I contracted rheumatism. For three years I had attacks affecting the joints of my ankles, knees and elbows. My ankles and knees became so swollen I could scarcely walk on uneven ground and a little pressure from a stone under my feet would cause me so much pain that I would nearly sink down. I was often obliged to lie in bed for several days at a time. My friends who were similarly troubled were getting no relief from doctors and I did not feel encouraged to throw money away for nothing. By chance I read the story of Robert Yates, of the Klauer Manufacturing Co., of Dubuque, who had a very bad case of rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the remedy he had used. In three or four weeks after beginning to use the pills, I was much better and in three months I was well. The swelling of the joints and the tenderness disappeared, I could work steadily and for eight years I have had no return of the trouble. My whole family believe in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Both my sons use them. We consider them a household remedy that we are sure about."

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WHEAT

The undertone of strength which has been noted in the Wheat market has led many otherwise well-informed persons to reach apparently false conclusions with regard to the course of the market. The fact that bull operators have emphasized the importance of disappointing yields in certain small localities is given a fictitious value by many country traders. On the basis of the latest government crop estimate, our former figures of an exportable surplus from the United States of at least 200 million bushels is supported and verified. When this one fact is taken into consideration in connection with the big Canadian yield and fair crops abroad, it will be seen that a tremendous supply of American Wheat must be marketed at the world's level. The best informed section of the trade believes that it will be difficult to maintain prices even at their present level when the new crop really begins to move to market. The foreigners watch our news very closely, and naturally enough are disposed to reduce bids when big supplies are available.

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Staylaight—You are the world to me, and I would die for you!

Miss Bordwun—Judging from how you dislike to bid the world farewell I imagine you won't die for some time to come yet!

She Had.

"Did you ever hear anything so idiotic as that talk of Mrs. Softer's when she is addressing her baby?" queried one woman of another onthe street car.

"Yes, I think I have," was the reply.

"Then, for heaven's sake, what was it?"

"I once heard a fat man talking to his canary bird."

PLAINLY HE WAS AN AMATEUR.

Real Golfer Would Never Have Said "Shoot!"

Two little street arabs had been pressed into service as caddies at the Northland Country club links during the recent sessions of the Minnesota Golf association. They toiled wearily over the course in the rear of their respective principals for the greater part of a day. As the sun wore westward looks of disgust settled darker and darker upon the small unwashed faces. Finally they met at a putting green. Each looked at the other as if something which he could in nowise comprehend was clouding his mind.

One of the players, after an elaborate preparation, let drive at the whited spheroid which lay upon the tiny anthill. He not only missed the ball, but his club was demolished. He stood perfectly still for a moment, regarding the havoc he had wrought with deep displeasure. Then he hissed, "Shoot!"

The lads could stand no more. "Aw, come on, Bill," said one. "Let's go down town where the men is!" And they went.—Duluth News-Tribune.

HONEST PHYSICIAN.

Works With Himself First.

It is a mistake to believe that physicians are always skeptical as to the curative properties of anything else than drugs.

Indeed, the best doctors are those who seek to heal with as little use of drugs as possible and by the use of correct food and drink. A physician writes from Calif. to tell how he made a well man of himself with Nature's remedy:

"Before I came from Europe, where I was born," he says, "it was my custom to take coffee with milk (cafe au lait) with my morning meal, a small cup (cafe noir) after my dinner and two or three additional small cups at my club during the evening.

"In time nervous symptoms developed, with pains in the cardiac region, and accompanied by great depression of spirits, despondency—in brief, 'the blues!' I at first tried medicines, but got no relief and at last realized that all my troubles were caused by coffee. I thereupon quit its use forthwith, substituting English Breakfast Tea.

"The tea seemed to help me at first, but in time the old distressing symptoms returned, and I quit it also, and tried to use milk for my table beverage. This I was compelled, however, to abandon speedily, for, while it relieved the nervousness somewhat, it brought on constipation. Then by a happy inspiration I was led to try the Postum Food Coffee. This was some months ago and I still use it. I am no longer nervous, nor do I suffer from the pains about the heart, while my 'blues' have left me and life is bright to me once more. I know that leaving off coffee and using Postum healed me, and I make it a rule to advise my patients to use it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Land for Poultry Raising.

In general, the farmer does not have to consider the matter of the best land for poultry raising. Whatever land he has, he needs the poultry to help him make a profit out of it. A great many farmers' boys are launching out and going into the poultry business for themselves, and now and then we find one looking for a location, and for land that is suitable for a poultry farm. Often he tries to locate one near a city, that he may be near the retail market. We find him invariably looking for a cheap place, and in some cases he has bought the cheap place only to find it a burden on his hands. The cheap places are cheap because they are poorly situated. Often they are so low and poorly drained that they are unsuited to any agricultural purpose, the owner imagining that the poultry will take care of itself where no crop will thrive. We have in mind such a location that has been in the hands of different men trying to raise poultry, and has always been an absolute failure. It is low, flat, and wet. The poultry are always subject to different kinds of diseases which seem to be more prevalent in damp situations than in others. In selecting a site for a small poultry farm, a high location should be chosen. If it is on sandy or loamy soil, so much the better; but, in any event, it should be able to produce good crops, for the poultry raiser must raise many grain crops for his poultry, both in his poultry runs and in his fields. No land should be selected that cannot be well drained, and it should be so arranged as to houses that the poultry house can be at the top of the slope and still be at no very great distance from the dwelling.—Peter Graham, Bourbon Co., Kan., in Farmers' Review.

Cost of Egg Production.

Ever since we can remember, there has been a constant controversy going on as to the cost of producing eggs. Some authorities are willing to agree that it costs 6 cents a dozen to produce eggs. We doubt very much if this is correct. We believe that the amount is very much larger, and we figure this out from the cost of keeping a hen a year. The 6 cents a dozen is ½ a cent an egg. At that rate, the hen that costs a dollar a year to keep must lay 200 eggs a year to make the cost 6 cents a dozen. As a matter of fact, our fowls will not average this by at least 60 eggs. The cost, therefore, must be in the vicinity of 8 or 10 cents a dozen where all the food except the green stuff has to be bought. Even at this price, there is a good profit in the production of eggs. Moreover, many of our farms are so situated that the eggs produced by the hens cost absolutely nothing, as the hens make their living mostly from the waste of the farm.

Keeping Beef Meals.

Beef meals are very valuable for poultry feeding, but often it is extremely difficult to keep them. They should not be placed in a warm building, either summer or winter. In the summer they should be placed in a refrigerator and kept tightly covered. In the winter they should be placed where it is always cold. These beef meals consist of meat that has been dried in kiln, and afterward ground to a meal. In that state they would keep indefinitely did not the moisture content of the meals increase, but as soon as they are taken out of kiln dried air, they begin to draw moisture to themselves. The moisture and heat soon produce a putrid condition of the meals. For this reason, some poultry houses do not ship these meals long distances in the summer, and in some cases the retail houses handle these meals only in the winter. Cold is essential to keep them in their natural condition.

Exhibit at the Poultry Shows.

Interest in poultry raising can be stimulated in no better way than by making an exhibit at some of the numerous poultry shows. Every year we have a very large number of these shows, both in connection with county and state fairs and under the auspices of poultry associations. The farmer that wants to get his boys interested in poultry can do no better than to encourage them to show the best fowls they have at the nearest poultry show. If they have no birds, he should buy a few. The rules of most poultry shows do not require that the birds shall be raised by the exhibitor, nor do they require that the exhibitor shall be a member of any poultry association.

Late or Early Moulting?

The time at which the hen begins to lay in the winter will depend largely upon the time at which she moults. The fowl that is so poorly fed that she will not moult until December will not begin laying eggs until about the first of March. The hen that moults in October will probably begin to lay about the middle of January. Therefore, mature hens should be very well fed at this time of year, so that they may moult as early as possible. They should have a very substantial food, including ground oats, wheat, bran, meat and ground bone. This matter should not be neglected by the man that has two-year-old hens that he wants to get to laying in the early winter.

LIVE STOCK

Fall Feeding of Stock.

Most of our farmers are learning that it pays to feed stock well during the fall that they may go into the winter in good condition. I find, however, that here and there among my neighbors is a man that continues to depend upon the pastures for most of the feed his stock receives during the fall months. This is not very bad during the years when there is abundant rain fall from the end of August to the time when the pastures freeze, but there have been a great many years when the falls were very dry, when there was almost no rain fall during September and October. The pastures of course had no chance to recover from the August drouth. The habits that these men had formed in the years when pasturage was abundant remained with them through the dry years, and more than once I have seen these farmers starting their stock into winter in a condition that could not be improved upon for months. There is an old saying that "well summered is half wintered." Generally, stock will look after itself during the first half of the summer, for food is almost always abundant in the spring and early summer, but it is far otherwise after mid-summer. The man that does not feed his stock all that they can use during the latter half of the growing season will find that it will cost a great deal more to winter them than it would otherwise cost. He will save money if he will use some of the surplus feed in the fall months when it is needed. I have known of men that did not feed their cattle a mouthful of hay until they were put up for the winter, and yet when spring came they had a great deal of hay left. That same hay could have been fed out in the fall months to very great advantage to the stock.—Joseph Bowler, Carroll Co., Ind., in Farmers' Review.

Sulphur and Cattle Ticks.

In regions where the cattle are subject to attacks of fever due to the presence of ticks, the opinion has gained ground among the cattlemen that if the cattle are fed large quantities of sulphur, this will prevent them from being attacked by the ticks, and if any ticks are on them, they will fall off. In South Africa a thorough test is being made of this theory. Young steers and colts were given sulphur in their food during a period of 40 days, receiving one and a half ounces of sulphur daily. At the end of this time the dose was increased to three ounces daily, and this was continued during the infestation. The steers were then infected with the ticks. These ticks reached maturity in the usual time and it was evident that the prolonged sulphur treatment did not produce the slightest effect upon the ticks.

The Horse's Teeth.

The teeth of the horse should receive attention and at the first indication that anything is wrong with the mouth of the horse a veterinarian that knows his business should be called. The graduating of so many competent veterinarians is a good thing for the horse, which in the past has suffered many things because his owner did not know that anything could be the matter with him. Horses have toothache as well as other animals and human beings, and sometimes the horse needs the dentist quite as badly as people do. Horse dentistry is a new feature of veterinary science, as it came in only with the advent of the qualified veterinarian.

Distribution of Blooded Hogs.

Probably pure-bred hogs are more widely distributed than any other class of farm animals. Go where we will in the United States it is not difficult to find hogs that bear the unmistakable signs of being well bred. There is no such impediment in the way of pure breeding of hogs as there is in the pure breeding of cattle and horses, namely, the expense of using a blooded sire of good conformation. Blooded hogs early began to be exported from one country to another, as we see by the records of the importation into England of the hogs of China and other parts of Asia, and the subsequent exportation from England of the new breeds that had been developed.

Meat of Tuberculosis Cattle.

A German investigator has been making experiments to determine if the meat of tuberculous cattle is filled with tubercle bacilli. His experiments gave most surprising results. The flesh of some of the animals that were so affected by tuberculosis that their meat was excluded from the market contained no tubercle bacilli. On the other hand, one of the animals tested had so many bacilli in its meat that 59 per cent of the experimental animals inoculated with this material became tuberculous. It will thus be seen that no rule can be laid down as to what meat of the tuberculous animals is or is not affected.

Private Slaughter Houses.

There is a movement on foot in Germany to do away with private slaughter houses. It is proposed to allow only public slaughter houses, and to have each one of these under the direction of a veterinarian who is a graduate of some reputable veterinary college. The movement is in the direction of obtaining for the people a meat product entirely free from disease.

He'd Want a Harp.

The craze for giving and accepting coupons for the purchases of merchandise, to be redeemed by prizes, was given a more or less merited rebuke by Nat C. Goodwin. He bought a bill of goods and the salesman offered him the coupons that the amount of the purchase called for. Mr. Goodwin shook his head. "I don't want 'em," he said. "You had better take them, sir," persisted the clerk; "we redeem them with very handsome prizes. If you can save up a thousand coupons we give you a grand piano." "Say, look here," replied Mr. Goodwin, "if I ever drank enough of your whisky or smoked enough of your cigars to get a thousand of those coupons I wouldn't want a piano. I'd want a harp."

Fine for the Chauffeur, Anyway.

The following incident occurred before Judge Tyler, judge of the municipal court, Norwich, Conn.: A chauffeur being brought before the judge on a charge of overspeeding his auto, swore that at the time of his arrest the machine was not traveling faster than three miles an hour.

"Very well," replied the judge, calmly. But rather than be beaten by the accused, he said: "I then charge you with obstructing the traffic."—Boston Herald.

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A Coincidence.

"How is your husband?"

Charley was very ill yesterday, but he is better this morning. It is a singular coincidence, but he always recovers when there is a prospect of a good ball game."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 and 912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Alfred Hovey, Cass Lake, Minn., mechanical fan; James Jessen, Minneapolis, Minn., register; John Le Duc, Mankato, Minn., steam boiler furnace; Claude Mentzer, Albert Lea, Minn., locomotive draw bar; Oscar Osmondson, Grand Forks, N. D., measuring tool; Charles Smith, Minneapolis, Minn., spirit level; Edwin Washburn, Minneapolis, Minn., car coupling.

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Dear Mrs, Pinkham:— (First Letter.)

"In looking over your book I see that your medicine cures Tumor of the Uterus. I have been to a doctor and he tells me I have a tumor. I will be more than grateful if you can help me, as I do so dread an operation." —Fannie D. Fox, 7 Chestnut St., Bradford, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (Second Letter.)

"I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine.

"Eighteen months ago my monthlies stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician, and was told that I had a tumor on the uterus and would have to undergo an operation.

"I soon after read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After taking five bottles as directed, the tumor is entirely gone. I have again been examined by the physician and he says I have no signs of a tumor now. It has also brought my monthlies around once more; and I am entirely well. I shall never be without a bottle of Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the house."—Fannie D. Fox, Bradford, Pa.

Another Case of Tumor Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"About three years ago I had intense pain in my stomach, with cramps and raging headaches. The doctor prescribed for me, but finding that I did not get any better he examined me and, to my surprise, declared I had a tumor in the uterus.

"I felt sure that it meant my death warrant, and was very disheartened. I spent hundreds of dollars in doctoring, but the tumor kept growing, till the doctor said that nothing but an operation would save me. Fortunately I corresponded with my aunt in the New England States, who advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before submitting to an operation, and I at once started taking a regular treatment, finding to my great relief that my general health began to improve, and after three months I noticed that the tumor had reduced in size. I kept on taking the Compound, and in ten months it had entirely disappeared without an operation, and using no medicine but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and words fail to express how grateful I am for the good it has done me."—Miss Luella Adams, Colonnade Hotel, Seattle, Wash.

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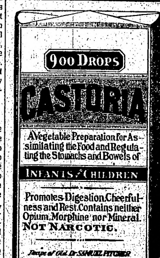
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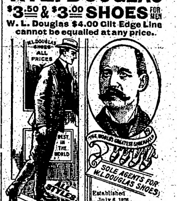
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PERSONAL.....

Eli Lasha spent Sunday at Crookston.

P. O. Floan was at Grand Forks Tuesday.

I. D. Converse, of Cass Lake, was in the city Monday.

S. M. Sivertson was at Greenbush between trains Monday.

T. G. Brunelle made a short business trip to Greenbush Saturday.

Harry Healy went over into Polk county Tuesday for a two days' hunt.

County Surveyor Wood was a county seat visitor the first of the week.

R. J. Cooper of Crookston was registered at the Grand View yesterday.

John E. King is up from St. Paul this week looking after his business interests.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman was down from Thief River Falls over Tuesday night.

Julius Pleth and Oscar Carlson, of Plummer, were business visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Ducharme, of Perrault Station, were at Red Lake Falls Monday.

A. M. Anderson was a business caller at Thief River Falls yesterday between trains.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser went to Crookston Monday evening for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Louis Seiff and Mrs. John Drier went to Grand Forks Tuesday to be absent a number of days.

Will Knight, of Thief River Falls, was in the city over Sunday visiting his father and brother, Vic.

Miss Lorain Longtin, who is teaching school south of town, came in to spend Sunday with her parents.

Emil Hennings returned today from North Dakota, where he has been working for the past month.

John Larson, one of the prominent farmers up St. Hilaire way, was a visitor at Red Lake Falls yesterday.

W. F. Witte, of Waseca, who owns considerable real estate in this vicinity, is here this week looking after his crops.

Rev. Father Ansgar went to Moorhead last evening to visit friends for a few days. He is expected home tomorrow.

W. J. Hemshrot, of Forest City, Ill., was in the city the first of the country over with a view of purchasing land.

John Martell, one of the prosperous farmers of Terrebonne township, was a business caller in the city Tuesday.

Hon. L. C. Simons was at Crookston Tuesday, where he was called on business before the commissioners of Polk county.

Ralph Wyer, Frank E. Hunt and Harry Healy composed a hunting party that enjoyed a day's sport near Dorothy Tuesday.

Miss Rose Dautremont expects to leave this week for Adrian, Minn., and Rock Rapids, Iowa. She will be absent several weeks.

Contractor Johnson went to Warren Saturday evening and remained over Sunday. Mr. Johnson is building an elevator at that place.

C. Newton, of Kent, Minn., was in the city last Saturday. He has a claim in the reservation country and was on his way to look after it.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brophy returned to their North Dakota home Monday after a two weeks' visit here with H. L. Veigel and family.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson left to-day for her home at Park River, N. D., after spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin.

Alvin Robertson, president of the Robertson Lumber company, was in the city Tuesday looking after business connected with the local yard.

Fremont Severson, who has been living on his half section farm in Polk Center, left Monday for Blue Earth county and will be absent about a year.

H. H. Zaiser left this evening for St. Paul and Chicago to purchase more fall and winter goods for the the Busy store. He will be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen went to Thief River Falls yesterday. Mr. Hansen returned in the evening but Mrs. Hansen remained for a visit with old friends.

J. P. Gonigam arrived today from Walnut, Ill., with a party of landseekers. He says there is every prospect of a lively influx of Illinois farmers this fall.

L. P. Berthon expects to go to St. Paul and Minneapolis next week to buy more winter goods for his clothing store. He will also visit his aunt in the latter city.

Miss Alice Higinbotham and clarence Fisher left Monday evening for their home at Forest City, Iowa, after a visit here of two weeks at the V. M. Higinbotham home.

Mrs. W. A. McIntyre left Monday evening for Warren to visit friends. She will return to Red Lake Falls Friday to remain a few days before returning to her home at Fargo.

Miss Katherine Campbell returned Sunday from Minneapolis, wher she has been clerking for the past year. She will remain here some time owing to the illness of her mother.

Chas. Moller returned from Bagley Monday where he has been visiting his parents the past summer. He will begin his duties as teacher of the Terrebonne school next week.

Mrs. J. K. Johnson and daughter left yesterday for an extended visit at Seattle and Portland. They expect to see the fair and also spend considerable time with friends and relatives.

Dr. N. J. Pinault, the well-known Minneapolis capitalist, weo is interested in Red Lake Falls, was here yesterday looking after business matters and visiting his nephew, L. P. Berthon.

Nap Miller and family will leave today for Grand Forks where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Miller has accepted a position in one of the leading barber shops in that city.

Chas. B. Dean, publisher of the Grant County News, at Twin Brooks, S. D., was a visitor to Red Lake Falls Saturday. Mr. Dean is an old friend and schoolmate of Hon. L. C. Simons.

Robert Monro, of Fergus, Ont., is here for a short visit with his cousin, Dr. N. M. Watson. Mr. Monro has been spending several weeks at different points in Minnesota and North Dakota.

Louis Berthiaume and daughter, Miss Blanche, went to St. Paul Satuarday. Mr. Berthiaume will remain a week while Miss Blanche will remain indefinitely, having secured a position in a dressmaking establishment.

Vic Knight was in the city a few days last week visiting old friends and acquaintances. He returned to his home near Big Fork this week, his father, Judge Knight, going with him. The Judge will make his home with his son hereafter.

W. A. McIntyre is expected here Saturday for an over-Sunday visit with his Red Lake Falls friends. Mac has been at Minot and other points in North Dakota this week looking after legal business for his firm. Mrs. McIntyre will accompany her husband to Fargo Monday or Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Bourdon returned the fore part of the week from a visit with relatives at Grand Forks. "Grandma," as she is familiarly known by the Red Lake Falls people, has been an invalid for nearly five years, but has recently been restored to health and is in excellent physical condition. This will be good news to her many friends.

Michael McAndress and wife were down from St. Hilaire over Monday night and visited at the home of J. B. Armstrong. Mr. McAndress is one of the best farmers in northern Red Lake county and has been fortunate enough to save practically all of his crop. All of his wheat and barley is in the stack, and he thinks there is no question but that all of his flax will be ready to cut next week.

Arthur Dautremont is expected here from Montana next week for a brief visit. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dautremont and made an extended visit with his parents here thaee years ago. Mr. Dautremont will go from here to Adrian, Minn., where he will be united in marriage with Miss Mary Eppers, one of the charming young ladies of that city. They will leave at once for the groom's home and commence housekeeping there.

Crookston Times: Will Heidt of this city is engaged at Red Lake Falls on the new school house which is being erected at that place to replace to replace the one destroyed by lightning some time ago. Contractor Cooper who has a large porion of the work on the new building came down yesterday for an over Sunday stay with home folks and friends in the city. Mr. Heidt will be located at the Falls until very nearly freezeup on the work.

F. C. Leppert was over from Wylie yesterday on business. In anticipation of the tearing up of the Great Northern tracks through Wylie Leppert Bros. and Romsos Bros. are preparing to move their stores to Sarles, N. D., one of the towns on the new Great Northern extension. Both of these firms have been in business at Wylie for a great many years, and their removal will occasion sincere regret on the part of a host of friends and patrons.

Crookston Times: Messrs. Frank Sutor and Fred Sutor of Chatham, Ont., made a brief visit here last week, going from here to Cass Lake, at which place they were guests of Sam Sutor and family. They passed through on their way home, by way of Winnipeg and Port Arthur, and were accompanied by Jas. Sutor, of Wylie, as far as this city. They have been making an extended tour through northwestern Canada, North Dakota and northern Minnesota, and had a very interesting trip. At Port Arthur they take the steamer for their home.

S. J. Swanson, who has been the buyer for the Red Lake Falls Milling company at Wylie and Thief River Falls for many years past, was in the city yesterday. He leaves shortly for Warren, where he will have charge of the elevator belonging to Red Lake Falls mill. Mr. Swanson is one of the best grain men and one of the best fellows in the state, and we can heartily commend him to the people of Warren. The ladies, especially, will be interested in knowing that he is heart whole and fancy free, and one of the most eligible bachelors in the valley.

Ralph E. Wyer expects to leave about the fifteenth of October for Toronto, Canada, where he will be associated with a new stock food manufacturing concern, of which M. W. Savage, the owner of Dan Patch and proprietor of the International stock food company, is the chief stockholder. This institution promises to be one of the big business concerns of Canada, and we feel sure that Ralph will win a business reputation and at the same time secure a goodly portion of the world's goods. The people of Red Lake Falls will all hope that Ralph's expectations will be more than realized.

C. L. Hansen arrived from Crookston Monday to assume his new duties as assistant cashier at the First State Bank, with which institution he has recently become interested by the purchase of a handsome bunch of stock. Mr. Hansen is known by practically everyone in Red Lake county, having for a number of years canvassed for the Watkins Medicine company. He is a good business man, upright, honorable and aggressive, and will prove a valuable addition to the commercial life of the city. Mr. Hansen takes Ralph Wyer's position, and while we are all sorry to hear of Ralph's prospective removal, it is a consolation to know that his place is to be filled by so good a man as Mr. Hansen.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term September 6, 1905.

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Whereas, an instrument in writing, purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of Cyprien Asselin deceased, late of said county, has been delivered to this Court;

And whereas, Cleophas Asselin has filed, therewith his petition representing, among other things, that said Cyprien Asselin died in said county, on the 27th day of August, 1905, testate, and that said petitioner is one of the Executors named in said Last Will and Testament, and praying that the said instrument may be admitted to probate, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Cleophas Asselin and Onizime Asselin.

It is ordered, that the proofs of said instrument and the said petition be heard before this Court at the Probate Office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, on Monday, the second day of October, A. D. 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when all persons interested may appear for or contest the probate of said instrument;

And it is further ordered, that notice of the time and place of said hearing be given to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 6th day of September, A. D. 1905.

N. W. TARKENT,
Judge of Probate.

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Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is hereby given, that on the seventh day of October, 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 22 of Red Lake county, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, by their order bearing date the eight day of September, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source, said sections being numbered from 0 to No. 195, both inclusive, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order; and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the Auditor of said county, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order estimates and profile are on file and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

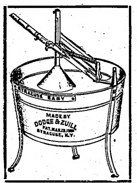
The excavation and removal of 36,024 cubic yards of earth, the seme to be placed along the north side of the ditch so as to form a turnpike or grade and the same to be left in a suitable condition for public traffic from Station No. 0 to 177 inclusive. From Station No. 178 to Station No. 195 inclusive the earth removed may be deposited on each side of the ditch in spoil banks as provided in the plans and specifications of the engineer. The estimated cost of the work is fourteen cents per yard. The estimated total cost of the work is Five Thousand Forty-three and 36-100 Dollars.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County for not less than ten per cent of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated September 12, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD,
County [illegible] Red Lake Co. Minn.



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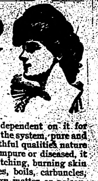

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GOOD WORDS FOR HANSEN.

Crookston Paper Gives New Assistant Cashier High Praises.

The Crookston Times, in Sunday's issue, says: C. L. Hansen of this city, who during the past six years has sold Watkins remedies from a wagon throughout Polk. Red Lake and Marshall counties has purchased an interest in the First State Bank at Red Lake Falls and will be assistant cashier of that institution. Mr. Hansen's entry into the work of finance in Northern Minnesota as a stockholder in one of Red Lake county's biggest banks will be gratifying news to his many friends in this city. He has always been a hard working devotee to business and during his half dozen years of business life in this section has made hosts of warm friends.

Mr. Hansen last winter enjoyed a tour of Europe and visited at his old home in Denmark. He has disposed of his medical business in this section and is now at Red Lake Falls getting in touch with the banking affairs of the First State Bank, with which he is to be identified. Starting into the patent medicine business a poor young man Mr. Hansen has by dint of his energetic and perserving qualities pushed himself forward up the ladder and his present indication of thrift is but an evidence of the frugality and hard work which has characterized his life here during the past six years.

Do Not Be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction, It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. A. L. Reichert.

Both Had Contract.

Plummer Pioneer: On Wednesday morning papers were served on the defendant here in an action brought by P. S. Medchill against E. Scheldrup to recover the sum of $300, which amount plaintiff alleges he is damaged by the defendant cutting the hay on the southeast forty of section 12, town of Emardville. It seems that both Medchill and Scheldrup purchased the right to cut the hay on that tract from different parties and Scheldrup cut the hay first. The case will come up for trial at the next term of the district court.

Death of Mrs. Hennings.

Mrs. M. A. Hennings died Tuesday afternoon at St. Vincent's hospital, Crookston, failing to survive a delicate surgical operation. The remains were brought to Red Lake Falls Wednesday morning and the funeral service is to be held from the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Hennings is an old resident of Red Lake Falls, coming here with her family a little more than twenty years ago. Her husband died in 1889, and three sons, William, Emil and George, survive her. She was a most estimable Christian lady, and leaves many friends to mourn her demise. She was about fifty years of age. We are without full particulars, but hope to have a complete obituary for next week.

Father Tapin Goes to Argyle.

Rev. Father Tapin, who has been pastor of the Terrebonne church for more than a year past, has been transferred to the charge at Argyle, Marshall county, for which place he left Tuesday. Rev. Father Barras, who has been rector at Argyle, will go to Terrebonne. It is an exchange of churches on the part of the reverend gentlemen, and we trust it will prove to the advantage of both congregations. Rev. Tapin is a scholarly gentleman, and made many warm friends and admirers during his residence in Red Lake county.

Advertising Registry System.

Hon. R. B. Mundell of Washington, D. C., was a distinguished visitor at the postoffice last Saturday. Mr. Mundell is a superintendent of the registry system, and is on a tour of the western states with a view to increasing the registry business at the presidential postoffices, and also instructing postmasters and the public generally in the advantages of this branch of the postoffice service. An important ruling lately by the department gives the public full insurance against loss by the dishonesty or carelessness of employes in the mail service on all first-class registered mail. Mr. Mundell is one of the oldest officials of the postoffice department, having been connected with this branch of the goverment service for twenty-five years.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten; in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at all drug stores.

FAITH HEALER COMING.

Rumored that Grafton Divine Will be in Red Lake Falls.

It is stated on good authority that Father Chrismas, the Grafton faith healer, is to be at Red Lake Falls in the near future, and the Kaufer building on south Main street has been rented for his office. Father Chrismas has certainly done a thriving business at Grafton. Almost every morning the sidewalk for two blocks is lined with people waiting for an interview. There are all sorts of stories as to miraculous cures, and of course a large percentage of people refuse to believe in his ability to heal. The faith doctor uses no medicines, and assumes to cure any disease or correct any injury by the laying on of hands. That he made some wonderful cures is evidenced by the testimony of many reputable citizens. Whether it is done by hypnotism or other occult power, or whether he is a fakir, preying upon the susceptibilities of the sick and halt and lame, is a question to be answered by each individual for himself.

Cure for "Longwindedness"

In the center of Africa lives a tribe whose governing assembly has adopted a strict rule that no member engaged in a debate is allowed to speak longer than he can stand on one foot. This might also apply to some of the "long winded" members that we find so tiresome; but as we have no aemedy for this weakness, the best thing we can do is to calm our nervs with a glass of golden grain belt beer. It is sure to comfort you and build up stronger nerves. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

Wylie People Pulling Out.

It looks as though Wylie would soon be eliminated from the map. This week all of the elevators are being torn down, and Romsos Bros. and Leppret Bros., the leading merchants, have torn down their buildings and moved the stocks of goods to Snarles, N. D., one of the new towns on the Great Northern extension. The rest of the business houses will doubtless pull up stakes before very long, as it is admittedly the intention of the Great Northern to discontinue train service on the Wylie line in the near future.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson.

ST. HILAIRE.

A. M. Edstrom of Hazel was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. E. L. Eickhoff is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

Herman Pettibonne made a short trip to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Norman Aimer, who is teaching west of town, spent Sunday with his parents.

The ladies' aid of the Methodist church took in $22 at their supper Friday evening.

Misses Josephine Gigstad and Mary Hoff visited friends at Steinert several days of last week.

Those who went to Grand Forks were very much disappointed in the divine healer and none returned cured.

The Epworth league of the Methodist church will give a box social at the church Friday evening, September 29, and everyone is invited.

A crippled man with a striking machine has taken his stand in front of the drug store and has been doing considerable business for several days past.

John Maakrud of St. Hilaire and Miss Emma Engh of Wyandotte were married at Crookston Friday evening. They arrived home Monday and will make St. Hilaire their home. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Julius Pleth bought the building and confectionery stock of George Casbon, who has been running the O. K. restaurant, and on Wednesday Mr. Pleth sold the property to Oscar Carlson of Plummer, who has taken possession. Mr. Casbon will devote his time to his farm. Mrs. Riggs will remain here for the present and will go south for the winter.

Foot Ball Season Here.

The foot ball season commences Saturday of this week with a game at Warren between the high school elevens of Red Lake Falls and that place. Games are being arranged by Manager Hunt with Crookston, Grand Forks, Fosston and Thief River Falls, and from now until winter weather sets in every Saturday will probably be taken up. The big game at Minneapolis between Minnesota and Wisconsin occurs November 4, and doubtless a dozen or more Red Lake Falls enthusiasts will go down to see the event.

Given up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which causad much pain and worry. I lost much flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." A. L. Riechert.

OUR RURAL FRIENDS.

Rub dry cement into the cracks of a leaky trough.

Dust air slacked lime into cuts. It keeps off flies, checks bleeding and heals.

One hand washes the other. We must all help one another. It is the best and happiest way.

The successful man is the fellow who gets his second wind when prospects are dark and discouraging.

A five foot vein of coal under a man's farm will net him about $400 per on the usual royalty basis.

To irrigate an acre of land requires more water than some folks think. About 22,645 gallons of water are necessary to apply one inch of moisture to an acre field.

As a means of regulating the speed of automobiles on the highways the device has been adopted in Massachuretts of making ridges in the road at short intervals.

If all the 14,995,000 tillable acres of Japan were merged into one field a man in an automobile, traveling at the rate of fifty miles an hour, could circle arable Japan in eleven hours.

Read your insurance policy over frequently. It is right for you to know and be sure just what is required of you by the company, and what the campay will really do for you if burnt out.

It is estimated, says the Ohio farmer, that if all, or nearly all, of our farmers could be induced to discard the scrubs and use only pure breeds, the increase in the value of poultry would be 100 per cent.

Give us the farmer who takes time to look up, now and then, to see what is going on about him in the world. Living is not all in bending the back over the hoe or in growing good crops. Life is more than a living.

A new method of cutting and curing timothy hay is to use a self binding machine, shock the bundles as you would grain, and after they are thoroughly dried put them in a stack or mow for future use. Hay thus prepared is easily handled.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At all drug stores 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

DON'T USE BIG WORDS.

In promulgating your esoteric cogitations and inarticulating your superficial sentimentalities and amicable philosophical or psychological observations beware of platitudinous pondersity. Let your conversational communication possess a clarified conciseness, a compacted comprehensibleness coalescent consistency and a contatenated sogency. Eschew all conglomerations of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement and asinine affections. Let your extemporaneous decanting and uncremeditated expatiations have intelligibility and veracious vivacity without rhodomontade or thasonical bombast.

And furthermore: Sedulously avoid all polysllabic profundity, pompous proclivity, psitliceous vacuity, ventriloquial verbocity and vaniloquent vapidity. Shun double ententes, prurient jocosity and pestiferous profanity, obscurant or apparent. In other words talk plainly. Don't use big words.—Ex.

Good advice to women, If you want a beautiful complexion, clear skin, bright eyes, red lips, good health, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. There is nothing like it. 35c, tea or tablets. A. L. Riechert.

W. I. Nolan Coming.

Hon. W. I. Nolan, the well-known Minneapolis statesman and entertainer, will "speak a piece" at the opera house next Tueseay evening, October 3. Mr. Nolan is one of the best all-'round humorists and reciters in the country, and his repertoire this year is replete with new stories and jokes. Mr. Nolan has been here a couple of time and has had good houses and gave splendid satisfaction.

Aro You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that, after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided by keeping their digestions in good conditions with Electric Bitters. S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, untill she lost her strength and vigor, and become a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once, and finally made her entirely well, She is now strong and healthy." All druggists sell and guarantee them. 50c a bottle.

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WE WILL GIVE FREE a $5.00 suit for the nearest guess and a $3.00 suit for the second nearest guess as to the amount of feet of twine in the ball. Only one guess to each boy.

This Contest Is Limited to Boys Wearing Short Pants

Guesses received until Oct. 10th at 10 o'clock p. m. Twine measured at 4:30 p. m.

This is an entirely free contest, whether you buy or not.

For further information concerning the above ask

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

A drama has been written around a pumpkin pie. Now let the toothbrush be dramatized.

King Cotton makes a new record, with 14,000,000 bales, and the South is $630,000,000 richer.

With a stanch cruiser at the head of the Venezuelan rowboat flotilla Castro will defy the earth.

"When does a woman look her best?" asks a London paper. Before the powder rubs off her nose.

Asks a magazine writer, "Do animals reason?" The groundhog seems to be able to draw an inference.

Cholera, yellow fever and bubonic plague continue to remind medical science that its work is not yet half done.

Senor Lizardo Garcia has taken his seat as the new president of Ecuador. Now who wants to carry a message to Garcia?

There's one thing that the numerous correspondence schools ought to teach and don't. Don't write mushy love letters.

Nevertheless, it is a good deal to expect that one will get up at sunrise to see a little old eclipse which doesn't eclipse.

Although receiving no larger salary than $600 a year, a bank clerk in Paris managed to steal $200,000. He almost earned promotion.

The oil hunters are now hopping to the new fields at Grasshopper, Pa. Here's hoping they have strength enough to hop back again.

An imperial edict in China has abolished the bow and arrow from the army. Presumably the gong will be retained as a panic producer.

Universal peace seems unattainable. Just as war ends in Manchuria hostilities break out with renewed virulence on the American football fields.

Those stone-deaf mutes in New York who complain of their neighbors' piano playing might make a compromise on the use of the soft pedal.

Russia might have paid the indemnity, if she had only asked Rockefeller for the money, but Dr. Harper would have had to economize a little.

A faker bunkoed M. Witte out of $3 at Portsmouth, N. H. He probably did it just to show the Japs how easy it was, and not because he needed the money.

M. Witte won a good deal of popularity over here, but he wasn't kissed by any of the enthusiastic girls of Portsmouth—perhaps, because they couldn't reach.

At Wilkesbarre, Pa., the other day, a man was cured of deafness by falling forty feet. But worse things than deafness have been cured by shorter falls than that.

The east African negroes have taken to snake worship since the white man introduced gin among them. No wonder. The savage worships what he fears.

A Minneapolis drug clerk was blown up by a soda fountain explosion, but it's no use for you to think that you can save any money by reading this item to your daughter.

The table used by the peace envoys has been sold for $140. Curio hunters should wait until the supply has increased, when two of this table may be had for the price of one.

A Chicago professor has made the discovery that women are increasing in numbers much faster than men. This tends to bear out the assertion that the world is getting better all the time.

In the town of Wakefield, Eng., the question of utilizing trolley poles for sewer ventilators is being considered by the town council. We should think the second and third story people might object.

The Pennsylvania man who prescribed matrimony as a cure for nervousness prescribed it for somebody else. Matrimony cures nervousness by taking all a man's nerve to commit it.—Exchange.

A huckleberry pie exploded on the table of a New Jersey boarding house and severely scalded a number of the boarders. The boarding house pie inspector of New Jersey has doubtless been neglecting his duties.

A Staten Island girl complains that she was forced to marry at the front end of a pistol. There's some question as to whether that is a worse way to capture a girl than by giving up smoking and drinking—until the knot is tied.

A few days ago a man was sentenced to two months in jail for pounding his horse on the head with a brick. This took place in Baltimore, but there is just as much pleasure in recording the incident as if it had happened nearer home.

The News of the Week

Washington.

The armored cruiser Colorado was given a screw standardizing test and in one of the 22 runs, attained a speed of 22.22 knots an hour. The big cruiser in a previous trial over the Cape Ann course made a sustained speed of 22.17 knots for four hours.

It is reported that former Consul General John Goodnow will be given a position by the Chinese government in connection with the management of the Hankow railroad recently purchased by that government from J. P. Morgan & Co. Goodnow has been connected with the road since last March, and it is understood that he reported in favor of its acquirment by China.

The department of commerce and labor has revoked the license of the captain of the steamer Oteri, formerly one of the United Fruit company's vessels plying between the West Indies and Baltimore, because of his alleged refusal to aid the president's yacht Sylph when she was disabled off the coast of North Carolina, April 12 last, after having conveyed Mrs. Roosevelt to Florida.

Casualty.

Lightning struck the Hax-Smith Furniture company's wholesale house in St. Joseph and it was totally destroyed. Loss $200,000; fully insured.

The fast passenger train for the Southwest over the Iron Mountain route was wrecked near Arcadia, Mo. Two trainmen were killed and fifteen passengers injured.

Almost the entire business section of La Porte, a town in the mountains, sixty miles east of Marysville, Cal., was destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000; partly insured.

Paddy Huitt and J. B. Blackburn, iron workers, were killed at Washington while walking on the track by being struck by an engine on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

While digging a sewer at Menomonee, Mich., William H. Hinderletter was killed by a cave-in of earth. He was underground but five minutes, but was dead when removed.

An explosion of gas in the basement started a fire in the dry goods store of D. M. Ogilvie & Co., at East Liverpool, Ohio, which resulted in almost a total loss. The stock was insured.

One fireman was killed, another seriously injured and two others slightly hurt in a fire that destroyed the Brown flour mills in Toronto, Ont. The total loss is estimated at $200,000.

An explosion at the Paris Compressed Air company's works in Paris resulted in the death of two men and the serious injury to four others. The elevators in the hotels and apartment houses are out of working order from the force of the explosion.

By the explosion of an alleged defective boiler in the stave mill of Edward Jennings at Pinconning, Mich., five men were killed and eight or ten injured. The explosion came without the slightest warning to the workmen and the destruction of the mill was complete. Portions of the wreck were scattered about for several hundred feet.

Foreign.

The Little Carmelite Sisters, having resisted expulsion, the doors of their convent in Paris were forced open and the institution closed, the Sisters taking trains for elsewhere.

Twenty-three bombs and twenty-two bottles containing explosives have been found in an English house in Peru, a suburb of Constantinople. The house porter is an Armenian. Several arrests were made.

The anniversary of the declaration of Chilian independence was celebrated throughout Chili with greater enthusiasm than usual. This is considered due to the great prosperity the republic is now enjoying.

The imperial Russian ukase abolishing the retaliatory duties on American imports has been gazetted and was placed in immediate effect at all the customs houses by telegraphic orders from the ministry of finance.

M. Weiner, French minister, has lodged a protest with the government at Caracas against its action in closing the station of the French Cable company and expelling the manager of the company, M. Brun.

While the Hamburg-American line steamer Prinz Oskar, from Genoa, bound to Naples and New York, was entering the harbor at Palermo, Sicily, William Renz, an American, jumped overboard and was drowned.

Turkey has yielded to the demands of the American legation by admitting the American consular authorities to see the Armenians, Vartanian and Afarian, and to investigate their claims to be entitled to American protection.

The German government has proposed to France and to the sultan of Morocco that the Moroccan conference be held at Algeciras, Spain, instead of Madrid, as Premier Rouvier desires, or at Tangier, as the sultan wishes. Algeciras is connected with Tangier by a good line of steamers.

The superior court of Prussia has rejected the appeal of Crown Prince Frederick William from the decision of the tax assessors of the Oels district, who levied $1,250 on an estate which the prince inherited from his grandfather.

Criminal.

Maximillian Weeks, seventeen years of age, wanted at Casper, Wyo., on the charge of embezzlement, was arrested at the Union stock yards in Chicago. He will be taken back to Wyoming.

Joseph Howell, a Bohemian farmer near Rogers, Wash., committed suicide by hanging after beating out the brains of his wife with a hammer. They quarreled over a division of property.

A negro assaulted Mrs. Lawrence, a white woman of Conway, Ark., killed her eldest son to prevent him giving an alarm, and badly cut her three-year-old son with a knife. The negro escaped.

Harry Homan, son of a wealthy brewer of Hammond, Ind., shot and killed Mrs. Jeanette, nee Ida Taylor, at Clear Lake and then committed suicide. Mrs. Jeanette's refusal to receive his attentions was the cause of the act.

John B. O'Meara, former lieutenant governor of Missouri, was held up and badly wounded on the front porch of his home in St. Louis. In his fight with the robbers Mr. O'Meara was stabbed in the face. The footpad escaped.

The Marquise de Angulo, mother of the secretary of the Spanish minister to France, who is stopping at the Hotel Continental in Paris, has just been robbed of $40,000 and a quantity of jewels. The police are actively searching for the thief.

Arthur Webb shot and killed Nettie Derby at the school house where she was teaching, three and one-half miles south of Wilton, Iowa. He had been refused a date with her for the county fair, and entering the school house, shot her dead. He then went outside the building and shot himself.

The home of Dr. W. W. Ordway at Los Angeles was set on fire, and while its occupants were fighting the flames the incendiaries stole a handbag containing $130,000 in government bonds and $500 in gold. They took the money, threw the bag and money into the fire and escaped. The bag was recovered before it had been destroyed, though many of the bonds were badly damaged.

Otherwise.

Mrs. Neill Burgess, wife of the actor and niece of J. H. Stoddard, died at her home in Highltnds, N. J.

The will of Joseph Jefferson, filed in Baltimore for record, bequeaths his "best Kentucky reel" to Grover Cleveland, who is famed as an angler.

Frank Riehl of Des Moines made the highest score at the shooting tournament of the Cincinnati Gun club for professionals. Riehl broke 184 out of a possible 200 targets.

Orders were given by the state health department of Texas to quarantine all vessels from Havana five days. No explanation was given. No other Cuban port is included.

Joseph Langdon, the last survivor of the company of cavalry which captured Jefferson Davis, is dead at his home in Tacoma, Wash. He lived for many years at St. Joseph, Mo.

Ellis Yarnall, one of the founders of the Union league of Philadelphia, died suddenly. He was eighty-seven years old. Only two of the founders of the Union league are now living.

Lockjaw, following vaccination caused the death in Chicago of Frankie Heish, seven years of age. Two days ago the child was vaccinated in preparation to entering school. Tetanus developed.

Hall Caine says that he had for a long time been making a study of the millionaire and the problems which beset him and that his next book would deal with the great commercial rulers of the United States.

John C. Linehan, state insurance commissioner, died at Concord, N. H. He was a native of Ireland and was at one time head of the Fenian Brotherhood. In 1888 he was elected junior vice commander of the G. A. R.

Miss Margaret Meade, aged sixty, daughter of Gen. Meade, who commanded the Union forces at Gettysburg, had a stroke of apoplexy when entering the Episcopal church at Atlantic City and died without recovering consciousness.

Romaine Dauragnic, brother of Mme. Therese Humbert, now serving sentenced in France on swindling charges in connection with the Crawford estate, was ordered deported from New York by the board of inquiry of the immigration department after a hearing on Ellis Island.

A deal has been concluded whereby the old Grant farm in St. Louis county, a short distance west of the city limits of St. Louis, for many years the home of President Ulysses S. Grant, will be converted into an amusement park next year. The tract comprises about 440 acres and the purchase price was $113,000.

Word has been received at Cody, Wyo., to the effect that Col. W. F. Cody's (Buffalo Bill) Wild West show had been quarantined in France and that all of the show horses, many of them worth over $1,000 each, have been shot under official orders on account of glanders.

Wolves and bears are numerous in the vicinity of Bridge's farm, near Iron Mountain, Mich. During the past week one cow and four hogs have been killed by wolves. Hunters were unsuccessful in running down the wolves, but saw half a dozen bears, one of which was shot.

BOY EXPLAINS.

Seven-Year-Old Lad, Who Chews and Smokes Tobacco, Not Penitent.

Marinette, Wis., Sept. 24.—"She wasn't no good, anyhow. I didn't like her, and ma had no business making me care for her. I told her I'd burn her, and I did."

These were the astonishing words that came from the lips of little Leon Crambeau, seven years old, who deliberately burned his baby sister a few days ago, when in court yesterday. The boy has pretty, bright blue eyes and chubby cheeks, and except for the remarkable expression of views on his terrible crime would not be taken for a maniac. He feels no contrition. He even glories in the crimes and past record of his father, who taught him much deviltry and who has a bad history, according to the police. Little Leon smokes and chews with the relish of a man who has been addicted to the habit for years. When he was arrested the boy had six cigar stubs in his pockets. He was sentenced to the Green Bay reformatory till he is twenty-one years old.

SELL LIQUOR TO MINORS.

Fergus Falls Authorities Begin Active Crusade Against Saloon Men.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Sept. 24.—Authorities here have begun a vigorous crusade against saloon men who have been selling liquors to minors. Four of them thus far have been arrested, John S. Olson and N. Nelson pleaded guilty and paid fines of $25 and costs. Barney Munson and Harry Tanner stood trial and both were convicted and fined $50 and costs. Joseph Miller was arrested yesterday for selling liquor without a license.

CIGARETTE STARTS FIRE.

Crops Are Burned and New Church Narrowly Escapes.

Miller, S. D., Sept. 24.—Another fire has occurred northeast of here in the fields and is supposed to have originated from a cigarette in a hay field It destroyed oats and spelts of Edgar Smith, grain stacks of James Stevens and no doubt would have consumed a new church had not a cornfield checked the flames so that they could be subdued before reaching it. The fire ran two and a half miles in Holden township.

TRAMPS WORST BRAKEMAN.

Pioneer Limited Trainman Probably Fatally Hurt.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 24.—As a result of being hurled from the Pioneer Limited by two tramps whom he attempted to eject from a train, Brakeman James Kelley of this city is probably fatally injured. Kelley was hurled into the ditch, where he remained unconscious until found several hours later. The train was traveling at high speed at the time of the struggle on the engine tender.

SHOOTS AND SURRENDERS.

Montana Murderer Kills Ranchman and Gives Himself Up.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 24. — Albert Wesley, who runs a store at Kirby, Rosebud county, shot and killed Hugh Redmond, a well known ranchman, in his store at Kirby. Wesley surrendered himself and was taken to Forsyth. The motive for the killing is not explained. Wesley is already under bonds on a charge of shooting at a Cheyenne Indian recently.

DANGER IN WATER FAMINE.

Eveleth Fears Clogged Sewers Will Breed Disease.

Eveleth, Minn., Sept. 24.—Although some temporary relief has been provided, Eveleth still suffers from the shortage in its water supply, due to a flood in the Spruce mine. For two days this week the city was without water, and as the sewers have become clogged, the danger of pestilence from the unsanitary conditions that exist is great.

RUN TRAINS BY JAN 1.

Northwestern Line From "Old Muddy" to Hills to Be Pushed.

Rapid City, S. D., Sept. 24.—Trains will be running between the Hills and the Missouri river by the first of the year, officials of the Northwestern railroad say. There is no doubt but that work will be begun by Oct. 1, as has been planned. Two grading outfits have arrived in the city and work will begin in a few days.

Horse Kills Woman.

Long Prairie, Minn., Sept. 24.—Mrs. Nels Jensen, wife of a prominent farmer living near Swanville, was knocked down and trampled to death by a runaway horse.

Murder Suspected.

Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 24. — The body of Anna Nevela, with her throat cut, was discovered at midnight in an outhouse. She is thought to have been murdered.

Short Fall Proves Fatal.

Montevideo, Minn., Sept. 24. — Roy Richards, eighteen years old, a carpenter at the Montevideo roller mills, fell from a scaffold, a distance of twenty feet. He struck on a stone in the river, killing him instantly.

Frost Damages Gardens.

Stewartville, Minn., Sept. 24.—The first frost of the season did some damage to garden stuff. Corn is beyond harm by frost, and will be the best [illegible] several years. [illegible] progressing slowly [illegible]

URGE MIKADO NOT TO SIGN IT

PEACE TREATY IS ASSAILED BY IMPERIAL UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS.

MANY MEMORIALS TO THRONE

TREATY PREGNANT WITH ELEMENTS OF HUMILIATION AND FUTURE DANGER.

CAUSES GREAT INDIGNATION

CLAUSE IN WHICH JAPAN AGREES NOT TO FORTIFY SOYA STRAIT.

Tokio, Sept. 24.—The number of direct memorials to the throne from different associations and individuals condemning the peace treaty and asking that it be not ratified exceeds forty, among which is an address signed by six professors of the imperial university, one of whom recently was placed on the retired list owing to his strongly worded anti-peace thesis.

This memorial strongly weighs the necessity of refusing to ratify the peace treaty and condemns it as entirely annulling the purpose of the war as set forth in the declaration of hostilities. It is also stated that indisputable reasons exist for

Refusing to Ratify

the treaty, which is deemed to be pregnant with elements of humiliation and future danger to the national interests. In conclusion the signers of this address say they humbly beg the throne to condescend to consider the spirit in which the address is presented.

In spite of the persistent editorials in the leading newspapers demanding the resignation of the cabinet, it is believed that the ministers will continue to hold office until after the adoption of the post-bellum measures, especially those regarding finance and the Chinese and Korean problems.

Causes Intense Indignation.

It transpires that, in spite of Premier Katsura's assurance to the contrary to the editors, there exists a clause in the peace treaty by which Japan undertakes not to fortify Soya strait. As a result, intense indignation is felt among the influential class, as this is deemed to be the greatest humiliation Japan has ever suffered. The restriction thus placed on her territorial liberty and as constituting the blackest record in the history of a country which has never experienced defeat at the hands of other nations. Not a few papers to-morrow are expected to print strongly worded editorials on this subject.

The constitutionalists are gradually assuming a firm attitude of opposition to the government.

To Raise Ban on Papers.

The editors of ten daily papers met yesterday and appointed a committee to make representations to the government on the subject of the unusually long suspension of the Asahi and four other evening newspapers. The committe had an interview with Gen. Sakuma, commander-in-chief of the Tokio garrison, who is in charge of the enforcement of martial law, and other authorities, and it is expected that the unfortunate newspapers soon will be allowed to resume publication.

PLAGUE FIGHTERS WRANGLE.

Rivalry Among Doctors Causes Trouble at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Sept. 24.—Difference of opinion and distruct among physicians engaged in eradicating yellow fever in various parts of the state is of such pronounced intensity that several clashes have occurred, especially between members of the parish health board. Cases diagnosed as genuine yellow fever were promptly denied and called another disease by the rival doctors, whose views differed so widely that disinterested experts had to be sent by the marine hospital service. Three members of the Lafayette parish board have resigned, and another physician declined an appointment owing to friction with the only remaining member.

The report to 6 p. m. yesterday: New cases, 37; total to date, 2,762; deaths yesterday, 4; total, 359; new foci, 15; cases under treatment, 313; discharged, 2,090.

Salt Water Gas Fatal to Two.

Muncie, Ind., Sept. 24. — Two dead and two others not expected to live is the result of salt water gas escaping in the cellar of the Williams family here late yesterday.

Berlin's Cholera Increases.

Berlin, Sept. 24.—The official bulletin issued yesterday announced that nine fresh cases of cholera were reported between noon Thursday and noon yesterday and that two deaths occurred in the same period.

Fast Train Kills a Girl.

Winnemac, Ind., Sept. 24.—A Pennsylvania road fast mail train yesterday struck a buggy and instantly killed [illegible]

OFFICIAL MAKES THREAT.

Says Canadians Will Build Another Vigilant Is Necessary.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 24—Raymond Prefontaine, Canadian minister of marine, with a party of Canadians, was a visitor at the yards of the American Shipbuilding company, in this city yesterday. In an interview relative to the recent firing upon American fish tugs by the Canadian cruiser Vigilant, Minister Prefontaine said that if it was necessary to protect the fishing rights of Canada in the Great Lakes, Canada would build a second Vigilant and put it in patrol service on the Great Lakes. He said that Canada was determined to break up the practice of American fishermen poaching in Canadian waters. The minister said that if it were necessary extreme measures would be resorted to. "The fact that the fish seem to have a preference for Canadian waters is our good fortune," said the minister.

AIM AT REBATE TAKERS.

Elkins Law Strikes Both Ways, Says District Attorney.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Prosecution of the railroads for violation of the Elkins law relating to rebates will follow the conviction of the four officials of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger for conspiracy to receive rebates in the conduct of the packing business of the company. District Attorney Morrison made the announcement yesterday. As the Elkins law makes no distinction in guilt between the party receiving a rebate and the one giving it, the government is now in a position to begin proceedings against the railroads mentioned in the indictment through a new investigation before another grand jury.

STUDENTS BATTLE; TWO HURT.

Annual Class Fight of University of Iowa Men.

Iowa City, Iowa, Sept. 24. — In the annual freshman-sophomore class scrap in the University of Iowa yesterday two were hurt. Willis Mercer of Iowa City, a sophomore and publisher of the Daily Iowa, was kicked in the head, and Ned Van Meter, a freshman from Tipton, was struck in the head with a stone. Both were made unconscious and are in the care of surgeons. President McLean at noon commanded a cessation of hostilities.

OIL PRICES GO HIGHER.

Pennsylvania and Tiona Grades Given Further Raise by Trust.

Pittsburg, Sept. 24. — The Standard Oil company yesterday advanced the price of Pennsylvania 10 cents and Tiona oil 5 cents. Within two weeks Pennsylvania oil has advanced 19 cents and Tiona 14 cents. The other grades of oil were not changed. The quotations follow:

Pennsylvania, $1.46; Tiona, $1.56; Corning, $1.03; New Castle, $1.28; Cabel, $1.11; North Lima, 92c; South Lima, 87c; Somerset, 81c, and Raglan 49c.

JEWELS ARE STOLEN.

Home of Wealthy Long Island Man Is Looted by Thieves.

New York, Sept. 24.—Jewels valued at several thousands of dollars, it was discovered yesterday, have been stolen from the home of H. Van Renn selaer Kennedy in Hempstead, L. I. The articles were taken within the last two or three days in the absence of the family. It is believed the jewels were taken while only two or three servants were in the house. Mrs Kennedy did not report her loss.

FATHER'S CARESS IS FATAL.

Grasps Little Daughter by Chin to Kiss Her and Breaks Her Neck.

Gravel Switch, Ky., Sept. 24.—Jason Chumbly, a resident of this county returned home yesterday to visit his wife and child. Upon his arrival he grasped his six-year-old daughter by the chin to kiss her, lifting her head back. The little one sank to the ground dead. A physician found that her neck had been broken by her father.

MITCHELL RECORDS FILED.

Certiorari Order in Oregon Lumbe Case Is Fulfilled.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The record in the case of Senator John H. Mitchell was filed in the United States supreme court yesterday. It is brought here on a writ of error from the United States district court of Oregon, in which Senator Mitchell was convicted of complicity in connection with the Oregon land fraud cases.

Ex-Governor Is Dead.

Richmond, Va., Sept. 24. — Charle O'Farrel, former congressman and former governor of Virginia, died yesterday. Gov. O'Farrel had been in failing health for over a year, but prior to his death had been confined to his bed for only a month. He died of nervous prostration.

Oldest Constable Is Dead.

Janesville, Wis., Sept. 24.—After having served continuously as constable since 1869, Alonzo K. Cutts, aged eighty-one, died suddenly yesterday He was the oldest constable in years and service in the state.

Crushed to Death.

Two Harbors, Minn., Sept. 24.—Jack Korber, a Finnish miner employed in the Commodore mine, [illegible]

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Gov. Johnson will attend Dassel's eleventh annual street fair and carnival Oct. 21, and address the people.

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The Union Fiber company of Ada has finished grinding last year's crop of flax straw. About 600 tons were handled.

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The horse barn of the Pine Tree Lumber comany at Little Falls was struck by lightning, burning to death nineteen, also many tons of hay.

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The Norman county Telephone company has increased its capital stock from $8,000 to $12,500, and raised the limit of indebtedness from $1,000 to $5,000.

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Senator Clapp has filed a petition for the appointment of Julius H. Brown of White Earth as scaler of logs under the provisions of the Morris act. The petition is signed by the Indians.

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An unidentified man was killed in the railroad yards at Pipestone. His neck was broken and his head was bruised in several places. How the accident occurred has not been ascertained.

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Fred Dahlmeier, one of the most prominent farmers in the vicinity of Pipestone, is dead as the result of a stroke of apoplexy. He was an early settler and owned several fine farms in the neighborhood.

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Thomas Torsling, a farm laborer, was fatally injured at Stillwater while digging a hole in which to bury a large stone. The dirt caved in and the stone fell on him. He lived only a short time after being taken out of the hole.

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United States Senator Knute Nelson and Maj. Carter of Ripon, Wis., were guests of honor at a pioneers' picnic held on the shore of Lake Osakis. Maj. Carter was in command of the regiment in which Senator Nelson served.

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Andrew Engstrom, a homesteader, was found dead two miles from Ten Strike. Engstrom left Ten Strike last whom were well known homesteaders. Nothing has been since seen of these night with four companions, all of men.

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Ole Tuft, Rushford's oldest pioneer, is dead. He was past eighty-four years of age and was the first white settler in the Root river valley, coming in the early '50s. He homesteaded a farm on the south side of the river and has resided there since.

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James Hill, an employe of the Swan River Logging company at Cass Lake, boarded the train for Sheely, and stepped off the train while it was in motion. He was brought back to the hospital, where he must remain until several of his bones reunite.

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Frederick Johnson of Benson, an aged and retired farmer, being partly deaf, did not notice an engine that was approaching him from the west. He was struck and his left shoulder was bruised and injured, and his left hand run over and so crushed that it had to be amputated.

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Mrs. William Ostrum was accidentally killed a short distance west of Hutchinson. Her son had just finished putting on a load of straw and asked his mother to hold the horses while he climbed the rack. She stepped before the team, which became frightened and threw her to the ground, the wagon passing over her body, crushing her ribs and killing her instantly.

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Charles Chortier, assistant engineer at the Duluth pumping station, recently shot three bears, one old one and two cubs. The three bears appeared near the pumping station, at the edge of a patch of woods at Lakeside, a suburb to Duluth, and Mr. Chortier killed all three in as many shots. These make a total of nine killed and one captured in Duluth or immediate vicinity since Sept. 1.

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George Weidemann, a Mankato hide merchant, was accidentally shot at Swan lake, but not seriously injured. He received thirty-eight No. 5 shot in his body, and the physician was able to get but two out. He must carry the remainder the rest of his life. The shot mostly entered his arm and chest. The load was fired by George Brooks at a tame fowl which he was trying to get for dinner, and in the brush he did not notice Mr. Wiedemann.

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C. H. Ohland, while engaged in threshing near Hutchinson, passed under the blower of the machine, when the props gave way and the great pipe, weighing several hundred pounds, fell directly on Mr. Ohland's head, crushing his skull and resulting in death in a short time.

Capt. Thomas Wexford of the steamer W. C. Richardson reported at the office of the Duluth vessel inspectors that his ship ran down the Canadian tug Shamrock just out of the Soo Sept. 5. The captain and engineer were drowned.

STATE MAKES LOANS.

Amount Let Out for the Year Now Amounts to $700,000.

The state board of investment, consisting of the governor, the state auditor and the state treasurer, at their monthly meeting approved loans to the amount of 173,960. Most of these were to school districts and a few villages, counties and townships. This makes a total of nearly $700,000 loaned by the state during the year.

Regarding the funds available for making the loans, the state auditor said that there is now on hand in the trust fund $192,000 available for this purpose, and in seven or eight weeks there will be $250,000 or $300,000 more.

The applications for loans which wert approved are:

School Districts—District No. 30, St. Louis, $50,000; No. 12, St. Louis, $3,500; No. 107, Murray, $900; No. 15, Roseau, $1,000; No. 3, Swift, $4,500; No. 73, Kittson, $1,500; No. 1, Mille Lacs, $2,000; No. 44, Nobles, $600; No. 35, Roseau, $800; No. 76, Red Lake, $800; No. 94, Norman, $600; No. 88, Faribault, $4,000; No. 40, Pine, $300; No. 83, Beltrami, $500; No. 43, Wilkin, $700; No. 97, Douglas, $1,400; No. 55, Roseau, $600; No. 46, Kanabec, $600; No. 5, Wadena, $6,000; No. 15, Waseca, $750; No. 9, Kittson, $2,500; No. 20, St. Louis, $1,000; No. 7, Aitkin, $50; No. 119, Morrison, $350; No. 123, Jackson, $1,000; No. 117, Stevens, $1,000; No. 83, Murray, $700; No. 9, Jackson, $800; No. 68, Roseau, $450; No. 99, Wright, $6,000; No. 112 Yellow Medicine, $800; No. 64, Sibley, $6,000; No. 14, Wright, $800; No. 43, Hubbard, $3,000; No. 12, Kittson, $3,500.

Villages—International Falls, Itasca county, $1,600.

Counties—Sibley, for ditches, $15,000; McLeod, for ditches, $13,100.

Townships — Lambert, Red Lake county, $3,000; Hougen, Aitkin, $3,000; Anthony, Norman, $500; Danforth, Pine, $2,000; Leota, Nobles, $1,200; Elkton, Clay, $1,000; Little Pine, Crow wing, $3,000; Grand Forks, Polk, $1,000; Hillman, Morrison, $4,000; Hersey, Nobles, $3,500; Kalevale, Carlton, $3,000.

Three applications were turned down by the board, being those of District No. 5, Lake county, $3,000; Emily township, Crow Wing county, $2,000; Richardson township, Morrison county, $4,000.

COMPLETE RAILROAD SURVEY.

Crews Finish Work Between Detroit and Bemidji.

The mysterious railroad survey which has been carried on by Engineer E. T. Abbott of Minneapolis with two crews of surveyors, one working out of Detroit and the other out of Bemidji, is now complete.

The two crews met south of Itasca Park in Clearwater county Saturday night, and Engineer Abbott is now in Minneapolis conferring with the officials of the company which sent him out, and a statement of which road this is with its intentions may be expected in a few days.

The survey has been made in nearly an air line from Detroit to Bemidji, and its total length is sixty-nine miles. Which road has caused the survey to be made is as much a mystery as ever. A prominent railroad conductor, who is at present making Bemidji his headquarters, declares, however, that the road is the Soo.

He claims that the specifications for the survey, which he has seen, are identical with those invariably sent out by the Soo. There is a popular belief that the road is the Soo, also, by reason of the fact that the Minneapolis, Red Lake & Manitoba railway, which is now almost completed from Bemidji to Red lake, a distance of thirty-four miles, is known to have been financed by men who are friendly to the Soo, and it is generally accepted that this road will ultimately become a part of the Soo line which must some day be built across Northern Minnesota to Duluth.

SHEEP RAISING PAYS.

L. W. Orr of Afton Says Industry in State Has Future.

Sheep raising is a profitable industry in Minnesota. Although not considered a sheep state, Minnesota breeders who have undertaken the raising of the woolly animal have become prosperous. Among the Minnesota exhibitors at the state fair was L. W. Orr of Afton, who captured many prizes.

"Sheep raising is a profitable industry," said Mr. Orr. "There is a great demand at present for pure breeding stock. At my sale here, the Oxfords brought better prices this year than ever before, and the outlook for good prices is exceedingly bright. I consider the Oxfords, for mutton and medium wool, the best type for Minnesota. At present the packers and breeders have to go to Canada to get what they want. There is in the West a greater demand for Oxfords than can be supplied."

Mrs. Orr has 136 pure-bred sheep on his farm at Afton, and from his flock he won the following prizes: First, two-year-old ram; first and second, yearling ram; first, ram lamb; first and second, two-year-old ewe; first and second, yearling ewe; first and second, ewe lamb; first, pen of lambs; first, flock; and five third prizes in the free-for-all show.

It seems a pity that the New York dentist who married fifty women never met up with and married the coy Philadelphia lady who took unto herself ten husky husbands before the men began to suspect anything.

FINNS TO WAR AGAINST CZAR

GREAT STRUGGLE TO SECURE INDEPENDENCE OF FINLAND IS IMMINENT.

ONLY AWAIT CALL TO ARMS

300,000 FINNS OFFICERED BY SWEDES AND A FUND OF $51,000,000 READY.

CZAR AND KAISER FEARED

SCANDINAVIAN NATIONS MAY UNITE AGAINST RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

Helsingfors, Sept. 22, via Stockholm, Sept. 24.—War against the authority of the czar in an effort to secure independence in Finland is believed to be imminent. It is asserted that 300,000 Finnish Turners, officered by Swedes, are ready at the first call to arms. Supposed charity societies are said to have collected a war fund of 100,000,000 roubles ($51,000,000). Eleven cargoes of ammunition have been landed and distributed. Guns for the revolutionists have been supplied and carefully concealed.

Nine hundred representatives of the Finnish people were to have met in Helsingfors within the last few days to proclaim the independence of Finland, but a shipwreck which occurred a fortnight ago disarranged the plans of the leaders and prevented the meeting. A prominent Finnish senator said yesterday:

"That shipwreck has only delayed our independence. The treaty of 1809, which united Finland to Russia, did not give the latter suzerainty over the former, but joined the two in a union similar to that between Sweden and Norway.

"The parties to the union were free to withdraw at will. If home rule is not granted us, and Russian encroachments are not stopped, we will secede.

Aided by Karlstad Conference.

"The Karlstad conference in settling the differences between Sweden and Norway has paved the way for a Scandinavian union. Denmark alone is unable to resist Prussian encroachments, nor can we resist the encroachments of Russia, but united Scandinavians, supported by England and France, could withstand the aggression of the kaiser and the czar."

A large increase in the number of Russian troops in Finland is expected soon. About 4,500 will be sent to Helsingfors, 900 will go to Viborg and 900 to Vasa. The troops will be quartered in private houses.

Vasa Governor Imperiled.

An explosion near the residence of the governor of Vasa created great excitement, but no damage was done beyond the shattering of the windows of a neighboring house.

BEAT CHILD TO DEATH.

Indian Territory Negro Brutally Murdered His Little Stepdaughter.

Ardmore, Ind. T., Sept. 24. — The crime for which Rufus Binyon, a negro, was sentenced to be executed here yesterday was most atrocious. Near Ran, Ind. T., in May, 1900, he whipped his eight-year-old stepdaughter, May Hawthorne, to death, then placed the body in the fireplace and made an effort to cremate it. The mother of the child discovered the crime in time to prevent the cremation. Binyon was brought to the federal jail here in chains and was quickly convicted. Bishop Arnett of Ohio made a direct appeal to the president to change Binyon's sentence to life imprisonment, but the president declined to interfere.

KOMURA WILL SAIL OCT. 7.

Physicians Say He Can Leave New York Next Wednesday.

New York, Sept. 24.—The condition of Baron Komura, the Japanese peace envoy, was reported last night to be greatly improved. His physicians are confident of his early recovery and hope that he will be able to leave for the West on Wednesday, Sept. 27. The baron and his party will remain in Vancouver until Oct. 7, when they will sail for Japan on the steamer Empress of India.

Panama Wants Spaniards.

Panama, Sept. 24. — It is reported that President Amador and the canal commission are endeavoring to attract Spanish immigrants from the famine-stricken districts of Galicia. They are considered to be the best workmen for Panama.

Killed by Fragment of Steel.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 24.—Charles Christianson was struck in the abdomen by a flying piece of steel from a sledge in the hands of a laborer driving a spike, and died from his injury. The steel was the size of a bean.

American Steamer Seized.

Tokio, Sept. 24. — The American steamer Barracouta, Capt. Curtis, last reported to have sailed from San Francisco for Nikolaievsk, has been seized by the Japanese north of the island of Sakhalin.

J. J. HILL'S NOTABLE ADDRESS

He Discusses Agriculture, National and World Affairs at a County Fair.

James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, delivered an address at the Fillmore county fair at Preston, Minn., on Sept. 20, which is perhaps the most notable public utterance of the many he has made. It is of national, even world-wide scope, and is attracting great attention. He began by expressing his pleasure at meeting a strictly agricultural community and then made this contrast between Southern Minnesota and Northern Iowa:

In your state here, and you will pardon me for making some comparisons, that may seem, as comparisons often are, a little odious, comparing Southern Minnesota with Northern Iowa, the tier of counties on the line of each state, with nothing but the conventional boundary between them, they have advanced a little beyond you. Curious enough your farms average exactly the same in acreage. You have about 180,000 acres more than they have and they have the advantage in the one item of live stock. Now, they have no advantage in soil or climate over you. But they probably gave up the raising of wheat a little earlier than you did. They probably took up the care of live stock, of cattle and hogs earlier than you did, and for that reason their yield per acre, and I am speaking from the United States census, the records show that they are $1 an acre ahead of you.

Comparing Southern Iowa with Northern Minnesota he said the Southern farms realized $2 an acre more than the northern and added:

There is no calling in the world where a man can be more independent or happier than he who cultivates the soil—a man on a farm is an independent prince and he ought to succeed. Your future will depend more upon the cultivation of the land in an intelligent way and the restoration of the qualities of the soil that give good returns. Live stock on the farm is worth more than the price you can get for the live stock because the manure as a fertilizer is worth one-third of the market value of the feed you give the animal.

Following along this line, Mr. Hill proceeded to say that if they could sell their grain, hay or roots, feed them to their live stock and they would get one-third more than the market price of the feed.

I want to say to you, cultivate your land. Take good care of it. Nothing will pay you as well. Stock raising means more to you and to the country.

Keep the Farm.

Keep your farms. Cultivate them; cultivate them well. Stand by your state agricultural farm. To-day I want to call your attention to this. I have taken ever since it was started the greatest interest in the state farm. There is but one change that I would make if I could, and I would make that in the interest of the school. I would separate it from the state university, because to-day it is only an attachment. It is strong enough and it is of more importance that the boys and girls of the State of Minnesota shall be educated to take advantage of and to intelligently cultivate the soil.

Everything that is of value in the world comes from four sources. The sea,—we have not got it. The forest,—our trees are counted, and in a very few years Minnesota will have no forests that are of any value. Theoretically we have twelve years of standing timber. Of course they won't cut it all in twelve years, but that will be because they reduce the rate at which it is cut each year.

Proceeding, he said the mines were next to the forest, but the farm in Minnesota produces more value, more gold every year than the mines of any state in the Union. When mines are dug out they cannot be reproduced, but crops can be reproduced indefinitely. The mines will not grow again, but the crops will. He urged them not to sell their farms, but keep them for their boys and girls.

He then related the circumstances of the great drouth in the northern part of the state in 1883, and how to encourage diversified farming he bought between 800 and 900 thoroughbred bulls and between 6,000 and 7,000 Berkshire pigs and scattered them throughout the northern part of the state and Dakota. Speaking of his recent visit to the North Dakota state fair, he said:

Practical Example.

I saw as fine cattle there as I ever saw in my life and I brought them over from Great Britain and had paid as much as $5,000 for a cow. I had more pride in seeing these cattle, because among the lot there was one animal that took the sweepstakes last year in the Dominion of Canada; in July he took the sweepstakes in Winnipeg in the province of Manitoba; in Grand Forks he took second prize, was beaten to a standstill by a North Dakota bull. I had a little feeling of pride creeping up my throat when the owner told me that he was a descendant of one of the animals I sent up there. They will get along prosperously together or will be poor together.

Mr. Hill continued at some length to expatiate upon the importance, advantages and independence of the farm life, and then took up general matters which might be termed national. Along this line he said in part:

Government Policies.

There are two main essentials to all successful and happy effort; industry and character in the man as a private individual, and honesty and intelligence in his acts and in the acts of those who are chosen to represent him in the life of the state. You cannot get along without either the one or the other. You are all affected, directly and permanently, by the quality and the acts and the policies of the government under which you live. If that is low or dishonest it will react upon you eventually just as surely as if you received into the intimacy of your family life some man of bad conversation and corrupt example. If that is unintelligent, mistaken or wilfully misdirected it will affect you just as certainly as if you continue to use a plough that merely scratches the surface of the soil instead of turning it over, or carry your products to the lowest instead of to the highest market. It is your place to keep just as sharp a guard set upon these public issues and the way in which they are met as you do upon your own personal expenses and the actions of those who work under your personal orders.

Are your representatives—I speak in the broadest and most general way, for your representatives will compare well with those of other states—of the highest moral quality and fiber, and are they doing those things which are most clearly conceived to benefit you, the people, and not some interest aside from and antagonistic to your own? It will profit us all to think seriously about these matters, for the responsibility for them cannot be evaded or shuffled off.

War on Graft.

And first as to honesty, which is the main thing. You all read the papers; and it is a chief stay and hope of this country that the diffusion of intelligence and an intimate acquaintance with what is happening elsewhere has become so general. For that reason the extension of the rural mail service is to be classed as one of the real achievements of our time; one fit to rank with the spread of education in our schools. As thus familiar with events, it is scarcely necessary that I should remind you that the effort of patriotic men almost everywhere is to establish and maintain a standard of honesty and decency in public life. There is no word more familiar, as there is none more ominous in America to-day, than the word "graft." It shoots from the mouth like the spit of a rifle ball and it is doing as deadly work as that weapon in the hands of a murderer. Great commonwealths are to-day as comparatively in the hands of mercenaries as a captive in the power of brig- [illegible]

Real Men in Office.

You can have, perhaps, no higher duty than that of stamping out every tendency toward this evil. Have you always tested the sincerity and the honor of the man who appealed to you for public support? Have you never given your aid to a man because he was supposed to be "smart" as a candidate for a place whom you would not for a moment trust to represent you in a business transaction? Have you never sent to office a man whose record was not what it should be? And have you never given your representatives, in state or nation, to understand that they would win your approval and a continuance of the honors they covet by getting the most numerous and the largest appropriations for unnecessary undertakings in your city or town or district? If you have, then remember that reform must begin at the fountain head, the people. And as a state or a city or a nation has no revenue, has no money except that which is taken out of the pockets of individuals through taxation, if you have winked at or tacitly rewarded this practice, then you have encouraged and promoted graft. No man and no nation ever was or ever will be rich enough to withstand the continuous attack of unrebuked peculation; and no national or individual character can be pure enough to remain unsullied by a toleration of a low standard of honesty.

Now we come to another particular in which it becomes you to test these gentlemen who serve you and to ask every politician for his credentials. Let us see what they have done for you. You, by your unaided efforts, by unremitting toil and saving and the brave venture to wrest a living from nature, have accumulated certain resources of which all these varied forms of wealth that we see about us to-day are typical. To what extent, if any, have you been hindered by the various measures that will be quoted, as they have been quoted, in evidence of the care that has been taken of your interests?

Two Main Needs.

Your main needs are two: an adequate market in which your products may be sold at a fair price, and an opportunity to purchase those things that you need which the farm does not supply. To what extent have these been furnished to you, and in what condition do you stand with reference to them?

As far as your grain is concerned, you must sell in the markets of the world. There is no escape from that. The wheat of Southern Minnesota and the wheat of every other country on the face of the earth will bring to the farmer the price that is fixed in the world's markets. The great consuming nations, with Great Britain at their head, must have bread. They purchase it where they can, seeking all who have wheat and flour to sell. And by the competition of all these sellers, India and Russia and the Argentine and Australia as well as the United States, the price is settled. Have you been helped there? Of a truth it is impossible to help you in any way but one, to which we will come presently. The average politician, who does not give you credit for the intelligence that you possess, will tell you that you have been helped, have been "protected," as he will call it, by placing a tariff on wheat and other products of the farm. But you know better. You know that a tariff on imports of an article which you do not wish to import, but which you have for sale in vast quantities, is as useless as a steam heating plant in August. In the year ended June 30, 1904, there were imported into the United States just 6,852 bushels of wheat in all. How did the protective tariff protect this? This last year there were imported 3,102,385 bushels. Either figure is totally insignificant in a country whose own wheat crop runs from 600,000,000 to 800,000,000 bushels. But the fluctuation itself shows, since the tariff remained unaltered, that the latter has nothing whatever to do with the matter. Your grain and your dairy products and your live stock are beyond the reach of all such assistance. The market in which your grain, cattle and hogs are sold is not affected by them at all. And consequently, whatever you may think or may say to the gentlemen who tell you that a tariff has been enacted for your benefit, you may reply with great confidence that, as far as sales of your products are concerned, it profits you no more than an edict against immigration from the moon.

There is one way, however, in which you may be helped, and that is by lessening the cost of transportation. What you get for the yield of your farms is the price where the consumer lives, less the cost of carrying the article from you to him. That cost you have to bear. Anything that diminishes it is money in your pocket; and when any one advises you that you are vitally interested in decreasing the cost of transportation he is telling you the truth. But how is this to be brought about?

No one can arbitrarily send out a proclamation that such a service shall be performed at such and such a charge. The business of transportation is like all other business in this: it must be conducted on a business basis. The cost of it can be lessened only by economies growing out of increased volume. So he does most for you in this respect who opens new markets, secures new customers and helps to swell the volume of products and of purchases. This is the way in which the diminution of the cost of carriage has been effected, and the change is greater than has occurred in the price of almost any other commodity. The average receipts per ton per one hundred miles of all the railroads in the United States were $1.99 in 1870, $1.17 in 1880, 91 cents in 1890, 74 cents in 1903, while in Great Britain it is $2.23 and on the continent of Europe from $2.10 to $1.70. The Great Northern railroad has been reducing its rates progressively for the last twenty-five years. The records of the company and of the state railway commission show that, if its freight tariffs had not been altered in that time, if it had charged throughout until to-day the rates that were then in force, it would have received more than $676,000,000 more than it has received during the twenty-five years, an average of over $27,000,000, and this a reduction on one road, and I am as proud of that as I am of being here with you. That is a measure of what has taken place as rapidly as the growth of the business permitted and made prudent. And I need not tell any of you who read the papers and keep in touch with the events of the day that this work is still going on, and that the crops raised this year in the Northwest will be sent to market on the lowest freight rate ever made in the whole history of the Northwest.

Railroad Rates.

How has this been accomplished? By seeking to build up the country, by studying how to develop its resources and its prosperity, by inducing settlers to come and till the vacant land and by taking care of those already here. By careful business management and by recognizing the essential partnership between the man on the soil and the railway which serves him. And I want to ask you as you study these figures to say whether these results, so beneficial to yourselves, could ever have been reached through a policy of antagonism and force. Some of the politicians will tell you that railroad rates must be fixed by order of the government, and that this is the reason why they must be kept in public life. It is an easy prophecy, because it is an obvious fact, that railroad rates in this country would decline more slowly under government control than if fixed by those who have intelligently managed the railways. No public body would dare to make reductions so sweeping as those that have been made voluntarily by the railways. Unless the people on its lines are prosperous the railway must be poor. They suffer together or prosper together, and this condition will always remain. Those who make the rates with full knowledge of all the facts entering into them will make them as low as possible because that means more people, more acres under cultivation, more business for the railroad company to carry, more earnings and more profits. It is the right and the duty of the government to secure fair treatment and to prevent discriminations, but when any man says that he is anxious to have political place in order that he may help place the rate-making power in the hands of the government and subject the fortunes of thirteen billions of capital, of millions of employes and tens of millions of customers to the caprice or the self-interest of politicians, then the history of railroad rates in this country as compared with those charged anywhere else in the world, and the history of rate reductions down to the present time, constitute a sufficient contradiction.

Mileage Tariff.

The government cannot discriminate between ports or places. It must deal with an absolutely equal and impartial hand with all. Therefore, it would be obliged, sooner or later, to ordain a strict distance tariff; that is, the charge for carrying commodities would have to be apportioned to the number of miles in the haul. The low charge for the long haul would disappear, and freight would pay a mileage tariff. Now to some that would make little difference; but you here in Minnesota, in the center of the continent, distant from 1,500 to 2,000 miles from all the great markets, about whom a big circle might be described and have its circumference sweep along the coasts of the Atlantic and the Pacific and the gulf of Mexico—you would be the most heavily tariffed people in the world. When men ask for your support or demand your praise on any such grounds as these, it will be well for you to bring them to the challenge of the facts and of common sense.

Then, as to the markets in which you buy. How are you situated there, and what advantage do you owe to those who have settled your conditions? It would seem evident to most people that a system which permits the same article that you must have for your household or your farm to be carried abroad over thousands of miles of ocean and sold in distant markets at a price anywhere frm 5 to 50 per cent less than the price that is charged to you is not in your interest. It is because of that system that we pay annually an unknown amount of unearned profit on a total of some twenty-five billions of dollars which is the estimated volume of our domestic trade; that is, the buying and selling that goes on among ourselves. It is because of that and in order that it may not be changed by the fraction of a hair that the treasury deficit grows and promises now to reach $50,000,000 annually, and to require the imposition of other taxes, such as you have never heretofore consented to pay save in time of war and as a part of the sacrifices that it imposes. Is this to your satisfaction, and is this the form of service that will call forth your gratitude and receive your continuing indorsement?

Panama Canal.

Mr. Hill took up the subject of the Panama canal, treating it at considerable length. He argued that it could not be relied on to supply new markets. He cited the opinion of an expert, Mr. Harold Boice of the treasury department, who had written an elaborate article taking the same view. His argument was fortified by statistics showing how small an amount of our products the South American states could possibly use. He quoted Mr. Boice as saying that if we could secure one-half the imports of Asia, that traffic in one year would pay the cost of the canal and leave a balance of $300,000,000. He expected the canal would be made, but it would not bring market results.

Scarcity of Lands and Irrigation.

He considered the growing scarcity of agricultural lands and the defects in our land laws which allowed speculators and great combinations to secure millions of acres, to the exclusion of farmers. He highly commended the national irrigation movement, saying the work now under way would redeem 60,000,000 acres, and he had no doubt in the end many times that amount.

Markets.

The final question of all was securing markets for our products, he said.

Our exports of commodities the product of agriculture for the year 1904 were valued at $853,643,073, and were 59.48 per cent of all our exports. Our exports of manufactured articles were valued at $452,415,921, or 31.52 per cent of the whole. The ratio is very nearly two to one. Moreover, the tendency is for the former to increase while the latter decreases. In the commercial war upon us which has already heard the firing of the first gun, it is the manufactured article that will be banned by the severest prohibition. But upon all that we have to sell the disadvantage will fall. Our statesmen assumed that we alone could use a protective tariff to advantage, overlooking the very simple process of other nations meeting one tariff with another. The rest of the world has been wonderfully patient. It has taken no notice until we began to be thought of not exactly as a dangerous competitor in manufactured commodities, for we are not yet, but as a possible one. Then it took counsel, and the new German tariff is the first step in a league where we shall find all Europe commercially banded against us. What are we going to do about it? Where are we going to find our markets; and especially the market for the immense product of our soil that will continue to be our main resource and dependence

There are enough people within direct reach of us in Asia to require our entire annual wheat crop if each person consumed only the trifling amount of two bushels per annum. We have studied that trade and prepared for it. We have helped to build it up, and put millions of money into the greatest steamships that ever sailed the seas to serve it. We did these things in order that we might be able to make a rate under which this Oriental trade could live. For these people cannot pay high transportation charges; they will buy in some other market; and you cannot send wheat from the interior of the United States across half the continent and the whole breadth of the Pacific ocean if you have a big or even a reasonable mileage charge.

Well, we have met with obstacles at every step; not the obstacles that busy men have a right to expect and know how to meet, such as the shrewdness of competitors or the difficulty of conquering material things, but interference with plans and regulations and rules and orders that can serve no purpose except to make impossible the maintenance of this new market. These customers are outraged by a policy that insults their national dignity and their personal self-respect until they determine to buy no more of us. These ships, instead of meeting with reasonable encouragement, are hampered and tied down by regulations which make it as costly as possible to operate them. These rates, which are the essential parts of the whole affair, are destroyed by laws that put us at the mercy of every foreign tramp that floats the seas. And this, mind you, not in behalf of any home interest that might suffer, for these ocean rates do not concern the domestic producer more than they must be low enough to admit him to outside markets, but only to the annoyance and detriment and discouragement of American foreign trade in the great staples that you help to produce and that must continue to enter increasingly into our dealings with other peoples. The total foreign commerce of Japan and China amounts to $750,000,000 a year in round numbers. It is destined to increase and multiply at a rate that will astonish the world, and we might have the lion's share of it if we only exercised common sense and business prudence and patriotic foresight.

Open Market.

This problem of the market is your problem. This fallacy that the United States is getting control of the markets of the world needs to be studied into and honestly answered. Because our highly protected manufacturers are able, by reason of the big prices they charge you, to send a certain portion of their output abroad and sell it for half what you pay, we are not conquering the commercial world. The market belongs to the man who makes the lowest price; and in the United States, where it is a matter of both pride and principle to pay labor well, the high wage rate stands like a wall across the way of ultimately successful competition with countries where hours are long and wages low, and prices correspondingly reduced. With the new adjustments and policies now in favor among the nations, we shall presently see this market severely restricted. It is for you to take care that you do not lose, at the same time, your markets abroad for the breadstuffs and provisions, the raw cotton, the great products of the soil out of which your wealth must come. It is for you to see that other markets, instead, are opened for the enterprise of yourselves and your children.

Mr. Hill concluded with another appeal to stand by the agricultural school and not continue it as an annex to the state university in order to secure appropriations to educate the sons and daughters of people who are able to pay for their education.

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THE Chicago man who has been fined $200 for speaking to a lady in the street will not be easily convinced that talk is cheap.

ONCE more the last of the outlaw chiefs in the Philippines has met his death and an end to the disturbances is again assured.

THE Duluth News-Tribune thinks the next legislature will be notable for new faces. There is room for improvement personell of both houses.

THE G. A. R. national encampment is to be held at Minneapolis next year. No city in the United States will give the old soldiers a more royal welcome.

THE life insurance investigation in New York is proving one thing at least, and that is that life insurance is the best thing that ever happened—for the officers of the companies.

RUSSIA lost $113,000,000 worth of ships during the war. Still it must be admitted that the Russian navy did its part toward supporting the theory that a large navy makes for peace.

A TEXAS girl advertised for a husband and got him. The total expense for advertising, wedding outfit, etc., were $11. Within a year he died, leaving her an insurance policy for $10,000. And yet some people say it doesn't pay to advertise.

A CHICAGO physician claims to have discovered a medicine which will cure deficiency in spelling. If he can get it patented, he has a better thing than Rockefeller's oil trust. There is only about one person in ten who is not afflicted.

THE banquet given to James J. Hill by the business men of Minneapolis last Saturday evening in honor of the great railroad magnate's sixty-seventh birthday was a notable occasion. Mr. Hill has been a great force in the upbuilding of Minnesota and her two great cities. Whether or not we all agree with his transportation ideas, we must admit his genius and his wonderful mastery of the problems with which he has contented. Hill is the giant of railroading, just as Edison is the wizard of electricity or as Rockefeller is the king of high finance.

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THE war clouds which overhung Norway and Sweden have disappeared, and there is to be a peaceful separation. The whole world will rejoice at this happy outcome of the difficulty. The Scandinavian countries are too near akin to indulge in a fratricidal war.

THE Iowa state census just completed shows a total population of 2,209,192, a loss of nearly 23,000 during the five-year period. Minnesota is only 250,000 behind Iowa, and in another five years will be considerably ahead, at the present rate of progress.

THE independent voter—once contemptuously referred to as a "mugwump"—can vote George Washington as saying: "If we mean to support the liberty and independence which have cost us so much treasure and blood to establish we must drive away the demon of party spirit."

GOVERNOR JOHNSON is lopping off a lot of petty grafts about the capitol. He has lately refused to allow a bill for cigars rendered by the secretary of the board of health. It would seem that a lot of things have been customary that are neither right nor popular with the people.

JUDGE JOHN A. LOVELY retires from the supreme court, October 1, and will return to Albert Lea to again commence the practice of law. The Austin Transcript voices the general sentiment in saying that "the way he was tricked out of the nomination after he had won it at the last state convention is a part of the disgraceful political history of the state."

ALBERT BERG, whilom secretary of state, who has been living at Warroad for the past five years, announces his intention of returning to his former home at Center City, and has resigned as a member of the village council and the board of education and as cashier of the Bank of Warroad. Center City's loss is Warroad's gain.

THE Sauk Center Herald remarks as follows: "Marshall Field aged 70, worth $120,000,000 recently mar- Delia Spencer Caton, aged 55, worth $70,000,000. How glad they would be if they could change places with Swan Olson and Hilda Peterson, aged 24 and 20, who were married last week and who had to pay the preacher with eggs because they had no money.

THE growth of civilization and the spread of popular intelligence have their drawbacks for monarchial governments. One of the main factors in the strength of Japan thus far has been the absolute submission of the people to the dictation of a sovereign believed by the masses to be of divine lineage. From the riotous demonstrations in opposition to the treaty of peace it is quite evident that the Japanese government, while educating its people in the arts and literature of the occident, has not been able to prevent them from doing independent thinking. The myth of divine right will not long survive in Japan.

THE Brooklyn Standard Union advocates some practice of the theory of reducing the tariff. It wants a beginning made somewhere and suggests the Philippines as excellent for that purpose. It says: Is the whole agitation to confine itself to a general denunciation of those who stand pat? The way to make a tariff lower is to begin somewhere; if imports in general ought to come in cheaper, the best method of getting at it is to name some particular imports which should be cheaper. The Philippines would make a fine starting place. Whatever we do with reciprocity, and if it is to our interest to hold the islands at all, anything that promotes their prosperity would be to our interest. If the tariff revisers really want the tariff revised, they should go right to congress next December with a demand for immediate reduction on imports from the Philippines."

THE Minneapolis Times gave notice of suspension in Sunday morning's issue, and the twin cities now have but two morning dailies, the Pioneer Press at St. Paul and the Tribune at Minneapolis. The Times has never been a paying newspaper, although it has always been a good newspaper and a credit to the city and the state. There has been a great change in newspaper conditions in the cities during the past fifteen years. Where formerly the morning papers held the greatest prestige and popularity, the evening papers now surpass them and gather in seventy-five per cent of the advertising and subscribers.

A GREAT many people dissipate more energy between the time when they leave their work at night and when they return to it in the morning than they expend all day in their vocations, though they would be shocked and offended if anyone were to tell them so. They think that physical dissipation is the only method of energy-snapping. But men and women of exemplary moral habits dissipate their vitality in a hundred ways. They indulge in wrong thinking; they worry; they fret; they fear this, that, and the other imaginary thing; and they carry their business home with them, and work as hard mentally after business hours as during them.

BADGER.

Mrs. Will St Yves visited at Mr. Louis St Yves Sunday.

Mrs, Ovide Moreau is visiting Badger friends this week,

Miss Alma Quesnell returned from Terrebonne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Champeau went to the Falls Sunday afternoon.

D. and Mrs. Lungvin of Crookston visited the Champeau home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Damase Lachance went to the county seat early Monday morning on business.

Miss Alice Quesnell returned to Mrs. L. C. Cadiex's home Sunday. After a weeks vacation.

Mr. Dolphis and Adelard Champeau and Louis Quesnell helped E. Quesnell stack his grain Monday.

The many friends of Zelia Quesnell gathered at her home Sunday afternoon and had a pleasant time.

The Mrs. O. Robbillard, O. Moreau, M. Quesnell, M Ducharme and Miss Alma Queenell visited at Joe Ducharmes Sunday.

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8:50 P. M.	Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M.	Lv.	Duluth	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.		Crookston		6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.		Dugdale		6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.		Red Lake Falls		5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.		St. Hilaire		4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.		Thief River		4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.		Steiner		4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.		Sandridge		3:58 P. M.
11:30 A. M.		Middle River		3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.		Strathcoma		3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M.	Ar.	Greenbush	Lv.	2:25 P. M.

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J. L. TRACY, Agent,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Keep Warm and Keep Cool

It's easy enough to KEEP WARM with a good Fur, but it's another thing to KEEP COOL in buying your Fur at a price meritful of style and quality. Take one of our Furs home, take one from another store, look them over, pull the fur out of them and see yourself why the

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SELL ON NAME and RE-SELL ON QUALITY—made since 1876.

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Black Belgian Fur Boas, 50c
Polaris Blacks, wide back, warm, $1.00 and $1.50
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Your Coat may be here; one you may like. Drop in, try it on, see how well it fits; take it home and see if it isn't worth every cent we ask for it. Snappy and stylish, at **$5.50, $8.50 and $12.50**

We boomed our Dress Goods trade this fall. Values did it, good values. Velvets are becoming and selling; good choice left. Changeable Velvets, only 60c per yd. Crushed Silk Velvets, only $1.00 per yd. Gloves and Trimmings to match.

THE BUSY STORE

Queen Quality Shoes | *GARCEAU & ZAISER* | McCall Patterns

Shorthand Class.

I have decided to organize a class for the study of shorthand to begin about September 15th, 1905. My duties as Court Reporter necessitates my teaching evenings only and the class, consequently, must be limited, so if you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of learning shorthand from one who has had a practical knowledge of the art for over ten years, write or call on,
Chas. M. Lohn, Crookston, Minn.,
Official Court Reporter,
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Up-to-Date Barber Shop and Bath Rooms

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FOR CONSUMPTION, COUGHS and COLDS Price 50c & $1.00 Free Trial.
Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

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The route for those who will spend the winter months in California. Rates are very low; magnificent scenery; comfortable trains.

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Write F. A. Mizen, Red Lake Falls, for detailed information or to A. M. Cleland, General Pass. Agt., St. Paul.

FARM MACHINERY

I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

Get My Prices---I Can Save You Money

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Absolutely Pure

HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

A Cream of Tartar Powder free from alum or phosphatic acid

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Remember W. I. Nolan is to be at the opera house Tuesday evening.

L. C. Simons was at St. Hilaire Saturday looking after his banking interests.

H. H. Zaiser returned yesterday from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

T. G. Brunelle, the harnessmaker, made a business trip to Crookston over Monday night.

Bemidji has asked for free delivery and an inspector is now making a preliminary investigation.

The teachers in the public schools enjoyed a picnic supper at the saw mill grounds last Saturday evening.

The wrecking car was here Sunday and got the car which was wrecked last week on the Great Northern out of the ditch.

Harry Ives, of the St. Hilaire Spectator, was down to the county-seat over Monday night paying taxes and visiting friends.

Ernest and Walter Buse and Harry Healy were at Goose Lake the fore part of the week and brought home an even two dozen ducks.

W. I. Nolan, the prince of entertainers, is billed for Tuesday evening, October 3, at the Metropolitan opera house. Reserved seats are now on sale at Anderson's jewelry store.

George D. Dayton, chief stockholder and manager of the Dayton Dry Goods company at Minneapolis, was the guest of Ed. L. Healy last Friday and Saturday. Mr. Dayton was accompanied by his son and is looking

The following from the Park Rapids Enterprise is respectfully referred to Harry Ives, editor of the St. Hilaire Spectator: "The state board of equalization has raised the assessed value of autos to $300. But this does not affect the publisher of the country paper."

Joseph Tschirhart desires the COURIER to extend the the thanks of himself and family for the many kindnesses received during the recent serious illness of Mrs. Tschirhart. The good offices of neighbors and friends under these circumstances are appreciated more than words can express.

W. A. McIntyre came in from Towner, N. D., Sunday morning and was the guest of Red Lake Falls friends until Monday evening. Mrs. McIntyre, who has been visiting her parents here for a couple of weeks, accompanied her husband to their home at Fargo. Mac is connected with one of the leading law firms of North Dakota, and we are glad to know that he is prospering.

Sam H. Clark, the new editor of the Thief River Press, paid his first visit to Red Lake Falls Monday night. Sam is getting out one of the best papers in northern Minnesota. He deserves to succeed, because he is a hustler and a genial gentleman. over a number of northwestern Minnesota counties for desirable land bargains. He has his eye on several sections of Red Lake county locality.

Our 25-cent tea can't be beat.—Spillane's.

Miss Pauline Nieland was the guest of friends at St. Hilaire last Saturday.

J. J. Padden and family are moving into the Altnow house on the north side.

Mrs. Karl M. Hansen returned Saturday evening from a visit with friends and relatives at Thief River.

Adam Schmitz has moved his family to Grand Forks, where Mr. Schmitz has secured employment in a harness shop.

J. W. Donahue of Fairfax, Minn., was here several days last week looking over the country with a view to buying a farm.

The auction of the Biteman bakery stock and fixtures last Saturday was fairly successful, a great deal of the goods being sold at good prices.

Louis Barrette and wife of Grand Fouks, who were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Albert Brunelle, left Tuesday evening for their home.

A. M. Anderson left Monday evening on a business trip to some of the new towns in North Dakota. Mr. Anderson is looking for a good opening for a branch furniture store.

The approach of the sere and yellow leaf is at hand, and the golden glow of the Indian summer is about the only star feature of this year's weather that will prvoke enthusiasm.

H. S. Johnson of Evanston, Ill., was here several days the fore part of the week to visit his nephew, S. L. Lewis. Mr. Johnson is a grocery merchant at Evanston, and a decade ago Mr. Lewis was one of his employes.

William Puschinsky wishes to announce to the public that he is prepared to do all kinds of gun repairing, and keeps on hand a full line of repairs. He has had 55 years' experience at this kind of work, and guarantees entird satisfaction.

J. M. Markham, proprietor of the Markham hotel at Bemidji, and for many years a prominent figure in northern Minnesota in business and politics, died Sunday night at Hot Springs of acute Bright's disease. Mr. Markham was for many years proprietor of the hotel at St. Hilrire which still bears his name.

A. M. Anderson has been at several of the towns north of here during the past couple of weeks with the view of finding a location for a branch furniture store. The Red Lake Falls institution is one of the largest furniture emporiums in the northwest, and the town which gets one of their stores will be fortunate.

The St. Hilaire creamery, managed by George L. Austin, is coming in for a liberal share of praise from the newspapers in the Red River valley. During the month of August the creamery had 143 patrons, and $3,470 was disbursed in cash. There are few creameries in the state with such a magnificent record.

Master George Bourdon decided to become a "broncho buster" Sunday morning by riding a new horse which his father had purchased the previous week. George was thrown to the ground, and sustained a broken arm and a dislocated elbow. He is doing very nicely at present and will be able to get around again in a couple of weeks.

A Word to the Little Folks

Work hard till you get a dollar. Then come to this bank and make your first deposit.

We will put your dollar on deposit drawing 5 per cent interest and lend you one of our little savings banks.

First State Bank Red Lake Falls, Minn.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held tomorrow evening.

Willie Eikhoff of Crookston is the guest of his sister, Mrs Arthur Zaiser this week.

Engineer George Ralph and wife are over from Crookston today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hennings.

Hon. Marcus Johnson came up from St. Paul Tuesday to spend several days looking after his milling interests.

Dr. Dunlop was over from Crookston Saturday in consultation with Dr. N. N. Watson over the case of Mrs. Aennings.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will meet with Miss Eilen Brady on Thursday afternoon, October 5. All are cordially invited.

Rev. Father Fayolle and L. P. Berthon went to Minneapolis Monday evening for a short visit with friends and relatives.

Mhomas A. Barbee of St. Paul, special agent of the Delaware Insurance company, was a business visitor to Red Lake Falls Monday.

Robinson & Co., the Plummer merchants, are moving their stock of goods to Thief River Falls, and will be ready for business at the new location within a couple of weeks.

Dr. J. A. Anderson of Fertile, one of the prominent veterinarians of this part of the state, was in Red Lake Falls on professional business yesterday.

Garceau & Zaiser call the attention of the public to their new line of furs this week. They have an unusually large line of goods of this nature and are making low prices on them.

Conrad Hirsch of Fairfax, Minn., has moved on the William Marleau farm on section 3, Red Lake Falls township. Mr. Hirsch and family arrived with their household goods last Friday.

P. B. Gaass, A. L. Reichert, Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and L. C. Sandtrock were at Goose Lake on a hunting expedition the fore part of the week. They report a bag of forty-three ducks and three geese.

The Red Lake Falls band has received four new horns from a well-known Chicago band instrument house. The band organization now owns fully half of the instruments used by the members, and it is expected that in time they will buy them all.

J. T. McKnight of Adrian, Minn., was in Red Lake Falls yesterday enroute to Poplar River township to look after the threshing on his farm there. Mr. McKnight is manager of the Farmers' Alliance Elevator company at Adrian and one of the prominent citizens of that community.

Jack Frost seems to have forgotten us this year, as he has not yet left his blighting touch. This is the latest advent of frost in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Ordinarily frost comes in the early days of September and a light touch sometimes comes in the last week of August.

The pastor of the Presbyterian church has begun a bible training class on Thursday evenings at 7:30, which will be the special feature of the church work for this year. It is not too late to enroll, and it is hoped that many more will use this opportunity to become better acquainted with the greatest book of the world.

Ralph E. Wyer will leave the employ of the First State Bank Saturday night, after a continuous service of more than five years in the capacity of assistant cashier. Ralph will be in town for a week or ten days, going to Minneapolis about the 7th of October for a visit at home before assuming his new work at Toronto, Ont.

O. G. Clay, right-of-way agent of the Great Northern, stopped off at Red Lake Falls last night on his way back from the Roseau country. Mr. Clay says the Greenbush extension is being built to Roseau as rapidly as possible. Just at present laborers are a scarse commodity, but as soon as the threshing season is over he anticipates there will be plenty of help.

The twelve-year-old son of Pierre Emard came near meeting with a serious accident east of town Tuesday. A shot-gun lying in a hayrack was accidentally discharged, and the charge grazed the arm of the boy. While the arm was badly burned, no serious injury occurred. Shot guns are dangerous weapons, and they have a habit of going off unexpectedly with serious results.

Chas. B. Dean of Twin Brooks, S. D., arrived this morning to assume the local editorship and business management of the COURIER. Mr. Deau is an experienced newspaper man snd a first-class business man, and under his charge we have every reason to believe the COURIER will be more than ever the leading newspaper of Red Lake county. We trust the public will understand some of the manifest difficulties a new man encounters in gathering news and give him whatever assistance is possible.

Got off Cheap.

He may well think, he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and sure cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at all drug stores; guaranteed.

Are you lacking strength and vigor? Are you weak? Are you in pain? Do you feel all run down? The blessing of health and strength come to all who use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. A. L. Reichert.

They Are All In

Our Palmer Cloaks and

Gordon Furs........

The Palmer GARMENT

For your own good, as well as ours, dont buy a cloak without first looking at a PALMER GARMENT. The Palmer is in a class of itself. Look them over, compare them with others and if you will notice the difference, it will appeal to your good taste. All styles, all qualities from $5.00 to $30.00. Plush, fur lined autos $20.00 to $30.00; cloth $5.00 to $25.00.

Misses Coats 1.50 to $10.00.

Our $5.00 Coats are bargains.

Every Palmer Coat has a written guarantee with it. If the coat goes wrong you can return it. This is "straight.

Furs

with the celebrated Gorden Ticket on, 50c up to $37.50.

Cloakings

for infants cloaks—a big line, Heavy figured cotton eider down, 25c to 40c. White and gray Astrakan, 54 inches wide and bearskin in red, blue, brown and white at $2.50.

Outing Flannels

They are high but ours were bought before the advance and with the two largest wholesale houses in the west bidding for our bill, will save you 1c a yard,

26 inch flannel, medium weight 5c.
28 " " heavy, regular 10c value, 9c.
28 " " extra nappy and soft, regular 12½c, our price 10c.

An immense line of fleeced flannels at 8, 9 and 10c.

Our School Shoes

are going like the proverbial hot cakes. Our values are so good that it does not take an expert to see it,

Fine boys school shoes, calf or kid, $1.75,
Misses $1.25 to $1.75,
Childrens, 6 to 8½, 60c to 90c,

We save you money shoes. Give us a chance to prove it.

All our Clothing is not in yet. Wait until it is. It will pay you.

More so than ever it pays to trade at

THE BIG STORE

Theo LaBissoniere, Proprietor

Our candies are fresh; no old stock.—Spillane's.

A boy baby came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank St. Martin last Sunday morning.

The M. A. Natten farm in Terrebonne township has been sold this week through the Healy agency.

Perl W. Mabey, the Thief River attorney, was down on business at the court house over Tuesday night.

Mrs. Lemieux, living on the Emard farm east of town, has been quite seriously ill during the past couple of week.

Miss Anna Sutter, who has been confined to the house most of the summer with a sprained ankle, is able to be around again.

Ab. Fletcher has resigned his position in the Barnesville depot, and is now brakeing on the Great Northern between Larimore and Devils Lake.

Next Sunday is rally day at the Presbyterian Sunday school, and the teachers and pupils have been busy practicing recitations and drills for the occasion.

M. O. Sortedahl returned Saturday from a land trip to the southern part of the state. He expects two parties of landseekers from Goodhue county the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Samuel Allard went to Grand Forks Tuesday morning to select a dwelling for the family. Sam is now employed at that city, and expects to move his family over in a few weeks.

It is rumored that Peter Hansel, the Wylie blacksmith, contemplates moving his shop to the north side in Red Lake Falls. He is an enterprising citizen and a thorough workman, and will doubtless find a good trade at the start.

The band concert is to be given on Thursday night this week owing to the fact that several members of the band belong to the foot ball team, which leaves for Warren Friday evening for the first game of the season.

Brunelle Bros. have their new five-cent cigar, "I Lead," on the market this week and they have been selling like hot cakes. This cigar possesses unusual merit and tastes as good as many of the higher-priced brands. The ten-cent brand, "B. B." will be on sale next week.

Judge Watts is over from Crookston today to hold a special term of the district court to hear the case of Ernest Buse vs. the First State Bank. Congressman Steenerson is here to represent Mr. Buse, and the bank's interests are being looked after by Messrs. Boughton and Miller.

For the best groceries go to Spillane's.

P. O. Floan is looking after the threshing on his farms in North Dakota this week.

Mrs. John Hoerning, of Oshkosh, Wis., mother of Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, arrived today for an extended visit.

Sheriff Linnihan made a trip to Warren Tuesday. He was accompanied by a Thief River man cited for contempt of court before Judge Grindeland.

The business meeting of the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church has been postponed until Saturday, September 30, at 3 o'clock p. m., at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Hunt.

L. Jensen, a former resident and business man of Red Lake Falls, but now in business at Fargo, came in on the Great Northern today for a visit with friends and look after business matters.

Chairman Ole J. Johnson and Clerk Perrault are comparing the tax receipts issued by Treasurer Hansen with the assessment book this week. This work is in pursuance of a recent order of the public examiner, and will hereafter be done every year in each county of the state.

The Northwestern Bridge company has commenced action against the city of Red Lake Falls in district court for $302, claiming this amount due above the contract price for erecting the Klondike bridge across the Clearwater River. The city maintains that it does not owe this or any amount—that the contract price was paid at the time the bridge was completed.

LAST OPEN AIR BAND CONCERT.

The last open air concert of the season will be given this evening at the First State Bank corner. The program will be as follows: March, "Soldiers in the Park"; "Lurtspul"; "Dance of the Fire Flies"; sextette from Lucia; "Bohemian Girl"; "Auf Wiedershin"; march, "Our Director."

School supplies of all kinds can be found at Reichert's drug store.

Charlie Akerlund came over from Crookston today to visit his friends for a day or two.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

Dr. Donald McDonald, field agent of the state live stock sanitary board, was up from St. Paul Monday looking after a case of glanders reported at the William Marleau place. The Doctor says that a number of horses at this farm are under suspicion and a rigid quarantine is being enforced. The utmost precaution against contagion is taken and there is no likelihood of a spread of the disease.

The Presbyterian church of this city will entertain the fall meeting of Adam presbytery on October 10 and 11. It is expected that from twenty to twenty-five delegates will be present representing the eight northwestern counties of Minnesota. There will be a conference on evangelistic work held in connection with this business session. It is hoped that the people of Red Lake Falls will show their well-known hospitality to our visitors.

Stationery at the Courier office.

A. P. TOUPIN, Pres. THEO. LA BISSONAIRE, Vice Pres. J. A. DUFFY, Cashier
P. F. POULIOT, Asst. Cashier.

Merchants State Bank

Of Red Lake Falls.

Do You Know That the Merchants State Bank is a strictly home institution. All our officers and stockholders live in Red Lake Falls and have established the Merchants State Bank with their own money. We do a regular banking business in every department. There is no transaction too large for us to handle and none too small for us to give our attention.

Our Savings Dep't. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us, ranging from $100 to $200. These are saving accounts and are continually growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. Don't put off any longer. Open a savings account with us.

LIGHTING LORE.

ACETYLENE EXCELS AS AN ILLUMINANT.

Gas for Lighting Formerly Confined to Cities and Large Towns, now in General Use in the Country.

The satisfactory lighting of suburban and country homes requires that the means used shall be convenient, safe, economical and furnish a brilliant, penetrating, effulgent light.

Everybody admits that these are not the characteristics of the candle or kerosene lamp, which, formerly, were the only feasible means of producing light for domestic use in the rural districts.

For generations there was a crying need, a yearning for something better, which was not satisfied. A few years ago deliverance came in the shape of the chemical compound, Calcium Carbide, from which, by the simple application of water, the gas Acetylene is derived. Acetylene meets all the requirements fully and admirably and is being generally used.

Common lime and carbon in the form of coke or coal are the raw materials which, fused in an intensely heated furnace, make Calcium Carbide, and there is no difficulty in obtaining it in any part of the country.

The machine into which the Calcium Carbide is fed and from which the Acetylene is distributed through the building to be lighted, is but little larger than a thirty-gallon milk can, and of the same general form. It is easily and cheaply installed, either in the cellar or in an out-building.

The light from burning Acetylene is exquisite, and lighting experts agree that it surpasses all other known illuminants. It does not taint the air nor strain the eyes and is not objectionable in any respect. Every up-to-date rural residence should be equipped with Acetylene light.

PROOF POSITIVE HE LIED.

Husband Had Money, So Couldn't Have Been at Races.

Hon. David Gensberger, who sways the gavel with such skill and ability as chairman of the lower board of the city council, says the average husband never knows when nor where to expect trouble.

"My friend, for instance," continued the chairman, "telephoned his wife that he was going to the races. Afterwards, some business matters arising, he was compelled to forego his pleasure trip. That night he reached home after supper. He was tired and worn out and when to sleep without indulging in much family conversation. Next morning he was awakened early by hearing his wife sobbing out her heart in the next room. Hastening to the weeping woman, my friend asked what the trouble was.

"Trouble!" exclaimed the tearful wife, "trouble! oh, you wretch! You have deceived me. You telephoned me that you were going to the races, and look, sir, look! I found all this money in your pocket."—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Six Doctors Failed.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 25th (Special)—After suffering from Kidney Disease for three years; after taking treatment from six different doctors without getting relief, Mr. J. O. Laudeman of this place found not only relief but a speedy and complete cure in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Speaking of his cure Mr. Laudeman says:

"Yes, I suffered from Kidney Trouble for three years and tried six doctors to no good. Then I took just two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they not only cured my kidneys, but gave me better health in general. Of course I recommended Dodd's Kidney Pills to others and I know a number now who are using them with good results."

Mr. Laudeman's case is not an exception. Thousands give similar experiences. For there never yet was a case of Kidney Trouble from Backache to Bright's Disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills could not cure. They are the only remedy that ever cured Bright's disease.

Desperate Deed.

Bess—Percy threatened to do something desperate when I refused him.

Nell—And did he?

Bess—Yes. He lit a cigarette.—Chicago News.

RESTORED HIS HAIR.

Scalp Humor Cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment—After All Else Had Failed.

"I was troubled with a severe scalp humor and loss of hair that gave me a great deal of annoyance and inconvenience. After unsuccessful efforts with many remedies and so-called hair tonics, a friend induced me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The humor was cured in a short time, my hair was restored as healthy as ever, and I can gladly say I have since been entirely free from any further annoyance. I shall always use Cuticura Soap, and I keep the Ointment on hand to use as a dressing for the hair and scalp. (Signed) Fred'k Busche, 213 East 57th St., New York City."

Some men will never agree that a statement they make is liable to be totally one-sided.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

The woman who knows how to tell a queer story with something like grace is so rare as to be noticeable.

A Tragedy of Nature

"Good-by"—
Low sinks the sun behind the mountain crest;
The firs like bayonets seem to pierce his breast;
The red blood dyes his pillow in the west;
"Good-by."

"Good-by"—
The lady moon far in the eastern sky
A cloud veil draws across her tear-dimmed eye
As though she mourned to see her lover die—
"Good-by."
—Phil H. Armstrong in Lippincott's Magazine.

CHUMS

BY ANNIE RUSS WILLIS

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Tom and Dick were two poor little waifs. From morning till night they roamed the streets of the great city. Tom was the older and always took the lead in everything. He was a bright-eyed, handsome boy, in spite of his dirty face and tattered clothes.

He had taken care of himself ever since he could remember. First he had begged, but having been born with a faculty for getting along in the world he sold a few matches, bought with his first savings. He knew he could polish shoes, but he never had a chance to try. He wished he could have a peanut stand, but he was only a little boy and that ambition seemed to him as lofty and unattainable as the stars. Meanwhile he plodded along, putting on as brave a face as he could when he was hungry, and whistling when bread was plenty.

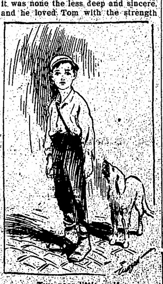
He believed a living was to be had for the asking if anybody would work, but when Dick's mother died and he was left all alone in the world, he wondered what would become of him, for Dick could not talk, consequently he was unable to ask for work. Then he was not so old as Tom and did not know how to do anything; added to this Tom loved Dick better than anything or anybody else in the world, so he opened his arms and said:

"Come, Dick, I'll take care of you, and we'll live together."

Now this was not a very munificent offer, for Tom lived nowhere or anywhere. Some nights he slept in an old box behind a great warehouse, or in a doorway if he could get in there unobserved. When the weather was warm, he lay down in one of the small parks where the grass was soft and the trees waved over his head. Next to Dick he loved the trees. If he had known anything about heaven he would have said it must be full of trees and that one might live under them forever. He would lie on his back watching the moon glide slowly upward, with the leaves dancing across its shining face, and dream of the village where he was born and which he only remembered as one recalls dimly a beautiful dream of a far off unknown country. However, such as he had he offered to Dick and it was joyfully accepted. Protection and love are gifts not to be despised.

Selling a few matches would hardly feed two, and Tom, with ready invention tried other means of livelihood. He bought a harmonica and learned a few of the popular airs he heard the hand organs play. He had often danced on the pavement in the evening with the other children to the music of those same hand organs, and he set to work to teach Dick to dance. The loss of one faculty often quickens the others and soon the two chums were able to do a little dance together, to the strains of the harmonica. Then Dick would take a little plate and pass it around, and often the pennies piled up.

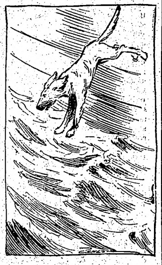
Dick had never been so happy in his life. Though he could not talk about his gratitude as many people do, it was none the less deep and sincere, and he loved Tom with the strength that grows and heaps up through lack of expression.



Two poor little waifs.

Tom found it was profitable to get on one of the excursion steamers which made a short run to the nearer resorts on the shore. He paid the fares a few times, but he managed to ingratiate himself with the mate, who took a great liking to Dick and so they often got a free sail under his care.

One day they started out for the boat. It was not what Tom wanted to do. He longed, with all his heart, not for the blue water rolling at his feet and splashing in his face, but for soft, green grass beneath him, clover and daisies gently waving as he walked, creaking, slippery pine needles sending up their fragrance at every step, the great bending ferns, whose sweet odor lulls and satisfies wearied brain and body, he longed intently for all this without ever having known it. The nearest he had come to it was an occasional hour in a city park, and his country birthplace claimed recognition in his heart. But it cost money to ride even in a trolley car, and the boat was free—to him—while there was a certainty that Dick would collect pennies, and they were hungry.



With a sudden spring he was over the side of the boat.

People almost always seemed attracted to Dick and the plate seldom came back empty when he carried it.

The two had a merry time racing, digging holes in the sand, as all boys love to do, now stopping before a group of children or a little picnic party for a dance or two, and more pennies. When the boat left they were tired out and Tom found a corner where they hid behind some boxes and both fell asleep. Later there was a commotion and a sudden rush. Tom, only half awake, jumped to his feet and was pushed along by the crowd. Dick saw him waver a moment on the edge of the boat and heard a shout, "Boy overboard!" With a sharp, piercing cry he sprang after Tom, but the crowd separated them. He could not understand all that happened for he was so short he could not see much, and he could not ask, but he knew that they were trying to save his friend. He looked piteously into the faces about him, uttering the shrill moan of the dumb. He heard a voice say:

"Of course, it was useless, the boat was moving so fast they could not find him. Poor little street beggar! he is better off as it is!"

The mate had tears in his eyes when, passing across the deck, he spied Dick.

"Poor little fellow, what is going to become of you?" and he lifted him up. Nobody ever wanted to touch Tom, but some way Dick never looked dirty and his hair was not so untidy.

"I'll take you home and you shall live with me," said the mate, putting his arm around him, but Dick kept up the same pitiful cry and his eyes were fastened on the dancing water that had seized his loved companion. He had nobody in the whole world but Tom, there was nobody else for him to love. Tom was there in the blue, lovely, shining water—his Tom, and that was where he wanted to be. Where his Tom was he could be happy again. Poor ignorant, untaught waif of the streets, but faithful unto death. He wrenched himself free from the mate and with a sudden spring he was over the side of the boat and the water closed over him. There was a stir and cry among the passengers, and the man who had spoken before said in a subdued voice:

"Well, I've seen a good many accidents in my life, and I've heard that men commit suicide for many reasons, but I never before to-day knew a dog to deliberately drown himself because that was the death his master died."

Steamers for Lake Titicaca.

A second steamer is about to be placed upon Lake Titicaca, which is 12,000 feet above sea level in the Andes of Peru. The first steamer, which was built in England, was sent out piecemeal, and is now being reconstructed upon the shores of the lake.

SAVED FROM CURTAIN LECTURE.

Husband Well Knew the Weak Point of His Loved One.

"I heard W. K. Vanderbilt talk the last time I was abroad," said a Pittsburg man. "It was at the Grand hotel in Rome, and Mr. Vanderbilt dined at the table next to mine. He had just returned from a long trip in a motor car and his talk, naturally dealt with motoring in the main.

"Mr. Vanderbilt said that there were a good many points and woes incidental to motoring. Most of them, though, could be avoided by good management. He said he knew a man who had started with a friend on a week's tour in a big car and they had stayed two weeks because they enjoyed themselves so much.

"When finally they got back to town it was a Monday night and very late. Mr. Vanderbilt's friend, timid about his reception, went home and his wife received him as coldly as he had expected she would do. What he dreaded, though, was an explosion—an hour's wild scolding and upbraiding. As he talked he tried to think of some way to escape this explosion and finally an idea came to him.

"'I am so glad to be back here with you, dear,' he said. 'But I pity Smith. Poor old Smith!'

"'What is the matter with Smith?' said the lady sharply.

"'Ah, poor fellow,' said her husband. 'At this moment his wife is giving him the very old deuce.'

"The lady's manner softened. That wily speech got her husband off. She would not show herself a common scold, like Mrs. Smith."

The Dog Stayed.

A young business man of Harlem, who didn't love dogs, surprised his wife the other night by bringing home a disreputable looking, half-starved mongrel.

"Now, it's all right," he told her. "This dog is going to stay here, and I think when you hear the circumstances you won't object. About three blocks away from the house this dog deliberately stopped in front of me. The beast looked as if he had not eaten for days, never had a home and had been kicked and cuffed by nearly everyone. He looked at me in such an appealing way that I couldn't help stooping down and patting him once or twice on the head.

"I thought no more about the matter and continued on my way home. When I had gone a block or so I suddenly felt something cold and wet against my hand, and turning around, I saw this poor beast, out of gratitude for my having just patted him on the head, licking my hand.

"After this dog gets a few meals and a wash he will look very different from the way he looks now. Anyway, I want him to stay."

The dog stayed.—New York Sun.

The Heaven-Born.

Not into these dark cities,
These sordid marts and streets,
That the sun in his rising pities,
And the moon with sadness greets,
Does she, with her dreams and flowers,
For whom our hearts are dumb,
Does she of the golden hours,
Earth's heaven-born Beauty come.

Afar 'mid the hills she tarries,
Beyond the farthest streams,
In a world where music marries,
With color that blooms and beams;
Where shadow and light are wedded,
Whose children people the Earth,
The fair, the fragrant-headed,
The pure, the wild of birth.

Where Morn with rosy kisses
Wakes ever the eyes of Day,
And, winds in her radiant tresses,
Haunts every wildwood way;
Where Eve, with her mouth's twin roses,
Her kisses sweet with balm,
The eyes of the glad Day closes
And, crowned with stars, sits calm.

There, lost in contemplation
Of things no mortal sees,
She dwells, the incarnation
Of idealities;
Of dreams, that long have fired
Man's heart with joy and pain,
The far, the dear-desired,
Whom none shall e'er attain.
—Madison Cawein, in The Reader.

"Strictly Fresh Eggs."

"These are strictly fresh eggs?" asked Hiram Hazleby.

"Strictly! Positively! No possible doubt of it!" declared the groceryman.

But what interested Hiram was that upon one of the eggs was neatly written the name and address of "Mamie Duesenberry," and an invitation to whomever received the egg to write to her. Hiram wrote to the postmaster of the small Pennsylvania town instead. What information could the postmaster give him?

"Dear Mr. Hazleby—Miss Duesenberry was a charming young woman who was very successful in the poultry and egg line. She married and went out of the egg business three or four years ago."

"Oh, positively! Every egg guaranteed!" said the groceryman.—Judge.

And He Did.

They had not gone far from shore when the canoe upset and the young man and the merry maiden found themselves standing neck deep in water.

"Just what I was hoping for," said the young man, contentedly.

"Hoping for?" queried she, indignantly.

"Yes," replied he. "I heard you were at this summer resort and I came way down here on the sole hope of falling in with you."—Houston Post.

Trade With Japan.

Japan's purchases from the United States in the fiscal year just closed amounted to $51,724,726, an increase of $27,000,000 over 1904; her sales to the United States aggregated $52,113,372, an increase of $5,600,000. In the three years 1903, 1904 and 1905 the United States bought $142,000,000 worth of goods from Japan and paid the bill with $97,000,000 worth of American goods and $45,000,000 of American gold.

HORTICULTURE

Fruit Trees and Mice.

Every winter in some parts of the country great losses are experienced in the orchards by the ravages of mice. It is not unusual to take up a report from a state of the United States, or province of Canada and find numerous reports of the great havoc wrought by mice. We noticed a while ago a report from the province of Ontario. Among the reports were these, which were characteristic: From Glengary: "Thousands of fruit trees have been ruined by mice." From Carleton: "Ol' fruit trees are in fine condition, but young orchards have been almost destroyed by field mice." From Parry Sound: "Mice were very destructive last winter and did a lot of damage to young fruit trees." From Dufferin: "Fruit trees were badly peeled by mice during the winter." We might repeat numerous other reports of the same general character. Reports secured from various northern states of the Union frequently have a like tenor.

Losses from mice always occur on young trees, generally trees that are one or two years old. These little creatures can do a very great amount of damage because it requires but a very small damage to any one tree to kill it. The mice simply gnaw entirely around a tree at the snow line. They are after the young bark to satisfy their hunger. The space gnawed may not be more than an inch wide, but it means the doom of the tree. It is no wonder then that a whole orchard is sometimes wiped out in a single year by these young rodents. They are especially dangerous where straw or corn stalks have been placed around trees, as this makes a hiding place for the mice. Corn stalks are frequently put around trees to protect them from sun-scald in winter. The trees are saved from this injury, but instead are destroyed by the mice. Where mice are troublesome, the best way is to destroy all their hiding places in the orchards and adjoining fields. In the west we have few stone walls to act as protectors of the mice, and it is easier to prevent their ravages than in the eastern states where every farm orchard is protected on some side by a stone wall. Where the hiding places cannot be destroyed, some kind of tree protector will have to be used. One of the best of these is a shield made of laths bound together by wire. This is sunk into the ground around the tree before the soil freezes hard in the fall. The wire lath shield is inexpensive, and any man can make it. The wires are simply crossed between each two laths, and the spaces between any two laths must not be large enough to permit the rodents to cut through. We would like to hear from our readers as to their methods of protecting their orchards against mice.

Transpiration of Trees.

The transpiration of trees is the process of the tree taking the water up by its roots, passing it up through the trunk and branches and into the leaves, and evaporating it into the atmosphere. The amount of water thus transpired by trees is very great. Even the ordinary tree thus uses several barrels of water every day. There are many problems connected with this process that are only being studied and have not been solved. One of these is the power of trees to resist drouth. It would naturally be assumed that the tree that uses the least water can stand drouth the best. The actual tests of the matter, however, do not carry out this theory. One Russian experimenter found that while a maple tree was transpiring 289 pounds of water, an ash tree, from the same surface, transpired 399 pounds, 110 pounds more than the other. This was approximately 30 per cent. It is known, however, that ash trees stand drouth far better than maples. Groves of ash trees and maple trees that came under the observation of this Russian experimenter were subjected to very severe drouth conditions in the fall of 1902 and the spring of 1903. Nearly all of the maples died, while the ash trees continued their existence and developed normally during the summer and fall of 1903. This is of great importance to people living in the semi-arid districts. For some reason the trees using the greater amount of water are able to get that water from greater depths in the soil, and are able to hold up the cellular structure of the leaf with a less amount of water than others.—James Gordon, Anderson Co., Kas.

Brooder Houses.

A person should hesitate for a considerable time before going into the construction of a brooder house. It is very easy to sink several hundred dollars in such an enterprise, and the interest on such a sum is a matter that will weigh heavily as the years go by, if the money is borrowed. In the neighborhood of Chicago there are several small poultry farms where from $700 to $1,000 has been put into brooder houses. In some cases the people have tried one year to do something with broilers and have given it up. If a big brooder house is built, the owner must keep on using it year after year till he finds out how to make a profit out of it. A little brooder house is hard to arrange for, as it has to be heated by steam, and the smaller it is the more expensive is the heating per cubic foot of space.

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Is Most Healthful, Wholesome and Economical

At Breakfast.

"Rather odd," remarked the fat border at breakfast.

"To what do you refer?" asked the landlady, suspiciously.

"This honey; I found a hair in it."

"It's strange," replied the landlady; "I purchased it for combed honey."—

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Food for Welsh Rabbits.

He was a recent recruit from Ireland's green turf and had secured his first position in a grocery store.

One day a customer approached the new clerk and inquired for some crumbled store cheese for a Welsh rabbit. After supplying the customer with the desired cheese, Pat inquired, "And, sure, is that Phawt yer feed them on?"—Lippincott's Magazine.

GOLD IN CEMETERIES.

Dentist Figures There Are Millions in Buried Fillings.

"I know where I could go, right here in this country, and dig up millions of dollars' worth of treasure," said a dentist.

"Where would I go? To our cemeteries. To the mouths of our dead. In the teeth of our dead enough gold is going to waste to enrich a small town.

"You have in your teeth $10 in gold. Your sister has $5. Your father and mother have each $7. And there are 90,000,000 people in America.

"Allow to each person's teeth a half dollar's worth of gold. You have then $45,000,000 hidden in our mouths. When we die this gold won't be extracted. It will be buried with us.

"To take the gold from the teeth of the dead before burial would be neither difficult nor gruesome. It would be a good idea to pass a law requiring all this gold, which does no good in the grave, to be removed after death and distributed in charity.—Chicago Chronicle.

GET POWER.

The Supply Comes From Food.

If we get power from food, why not strive to get all the power we can. That is only possible by use of skillfully selected food that exactly fits the requirements of the body.

Poor fuel makes a poor fire and a poor fire is not a good steam producer.

"From not knowing how to select the right food to fit my needs, I suffered grievously for a long time from stomach troubles," writes a lady from a little town in Missouri.

"It seemed as if I would never be able to find out the sort of food that was best for me. Hardly anything that I could eat would stay on my stomach. Every attempt gave me heart-burn and filled my stomach with gas. I got thinner and thinner until I literally became a living skeleton and in time was compelled to keep to my bed.

"A few months ago I was persuaded to try Grape-Nuts food, and it had such good effect from the very beginning that I have kept up its use ever since. I was surprised at the ease with which I digested it. It proved to be just what I needed. All my unpleasant symptoms, the heart-burn, the inflated feeling which gave me so much pain disappeared. My weight gradually increased from 98 to 116 lbs., my figure rounded out, my strength came back and I am now able to do my housework and enjoy it. The Grape-Nuts food did it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A ten days' trial will show anyone some [illegible]

IN THE BEST OF HEALTH SINCE TAKING PE-RU-NA.

MRS LENA SMITH

IN POOR HEALTH.
PAINS IN BACK.
SICK HEADACHES.
PE-RU-NA CURED.

Mrs. Lena Smith, N. Cherry street, cor. Line, Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"I have had poor health for the past four years, pains in the back and groins, and dull, sick headache, with bearing down pains.

"A friend, who was very enthusiastic about Peruna insisted that I try it.

"I took it for ten days and was surprised to find that I had so little pain.

"I therefore continued to use it and at the end of two months my pains had totally disappeared.

"I have been in the best of health since and feel ten years younger. I am very grateful to you."

Catarrh of the internal organs gradually saps away the strength, undermines the vitality and causes nervousness. Peruna is the remedy.

Appropriate.

"Why in the world did you name your car the Scandal Monger?"

"It's always running people down."—Fort Worth Record.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson Patent lawyers, 911 and 912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Henry Arneson, Ruthton, Minn., chain belt; Arthur Ilstrup and J. Hedlund, St. Cloud, Minn., eraser cleaner; Andrew Johnson, Detroit City, Minn., clinometrical gague; Nels Nelson, Pennock, Minn., hay elevator; Andrew Robbins, Robinsvale, Minn., eyeglass holder; Arthur Smith, Bemidji, Minn.; washing machine; Everett Walston, Sioux Falls, S. D., fruit and vegetable slicer.

Give Him Ten.

Teacher (to smallest boy in class)—What well known animal supplies you with food and clothing?

Smallest Boy (after some thought)—My father.—Judge.

Auction Sale—Farm Lands.

20,000 acres, the best selection in Otter Tail County, Minnesota, of the Saint Paul & Chicago Railway Company's land grant, will be sold at auction in 40-acre tracts to the highest bidders, at Perham, October 25th, and at Parker's Prairie, October 28th, on better terms than those offered by the State of Minnesota. For lists and terms send to

J. A. NOWELL & CO.,
200-205 Globe Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.

Cotton Assets.

Whitney has just invented the cotton gin.

"No," he sighed, "there's more money in the cotton leak."

WHEAT

The movement of spring wheat to market is now in full swing and materially exceeds that of last year. The Canadian crop is being shipped in large quantities and exerts a heavy pressure on the absorbing power of foreign markets. Under these circumstances one would naturally look for a lower price level, but in spite of the free movement buying by outsiders has been of sufficient strength to give the market a rather stiff undertone.

We are looking for, and for some time have expected, that the pressure of new wheat would cause some decline, and with this idea in view we believe traders should be prepared to take advantage of bulges and hard spots to make sales for moderate turns.

The Canadian wheat crop, while large, is not so great an item as to dominate the permanent course of prices, but before its influence is spent it will probably prove of enough importance to depress prices in American markets to a point where good purchases may be made for a long pull. Our idea in counseling the selling side lately is based merely on temporary conditions.

Edwards-Wood Co.
(Incorporated)—Dealers In
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Main Office—5th and Robert Sts.—St. Paul.

BEST BY TEST

"I have tried all kinds of waterproof clothing and have never found anything at any price to compare with your Fish Brand for protection from all kinds of weather."

(The name and address of the writer of this unsolicited letter may be had upon application)

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DAIRY NOTES

Covered Yards for Dairy Cows.

There have always been some dairymen in the country that have kept their cows in open yards through the whole winter, the yards, however, being covered. This method of keeping cows has not been generally advocated by scientific dairymen, yet it possibly may be a good way in all sections of the country where the winters are not severe. By this we would mean sections of the country south of the Great Lakes. This experiment has now been carried out at the University of Illinois for several years, and Professor Fraser expresses his approval of it. The barnyard there that is covered is 30 by 68 feet. In this are kept 22 cows, which are always loose. The two outside entrances are nearly always open, and even in the ordinarily severe weather of winter one of these is always open. The only time when both entrances are closed is during the time of excessively cold weather or very high winds from the south. This barnyard is kept covered with straw, so that the cows always have straw to lie upon. Professor Fraser told the writer that he had repeatedly been out to this barnyard when the thermometer was far below zero and had found the cows lying, not back in the corners away from the wind, but near the entrance where they could get a draft. These cows are tied up whenever they are milked, and the short time they are in the stables makes it possible to keep the dairy barn in almost perfect condition. This system results in saving labor, and the cows seem more healthy and contented. It also results in working up a large amount of straw and other roughage into a condition where it can be applied to the land. Other dairymen with whom Mr. Fraser corresponded had tried this method, and eighteen spoke favorably of it. We do not know that any condemned it. We would not advise our readers to conclude at once that this is the best system of handling cows. We merely call attention to the fact that it is on trial. It is not safe to assume that any one system has all the advantages on its side. We think, however, that if it be proved that this system is a fairly good one, it may greatly change our methods of handling dairy cows and performing dairy work.

Use of Preservatives by Australians.

While the United States and most European countries have been passing laws relative to the restriction of the use of boracic acid and other boron preservatives, as well as salicylic acids in butter, the Australians have been persistently using them and exporting their butter to foreign countries. England, perhaps, has the weakest laws regarding the use of these preservatives, and it has perhaps been fortunate for the Australians that nearly all of their butter went to England. But the English government has commenced to pass laws restricting the use of preservatives. A recent law there passed declares that butter is adulterated if it contains more than one-half per cent of boric acid. The government of Natal has passed a law prohibiting the use of boric acid in excess of 3-14 of one per cent. A batch of Australian butter was some months ago imported to the United States, but was refused entrance, as it contained boric acid. It should be clear to the Australians that they will have to learn some way of preserving their butter by cold while it is being transported to England rather than by the use of preservatives.

Ensilage Versus Turnips.

From some of our foreign exchanges we learn that in New Zealand a great many turnips are being grown and fed to the dairy cows. On some farms the cows are turned into the turnip patches and are allowed to graze the tops. This is a convenient way of "topping" the turnips, as it saves all expense. The turnips are then dug, are washed and saved for winter's use, that use being to feed dairy cattle. The result is a great deal of complaint from cheese factory men and butter makers in regard to the turnip flavor in the milk. In some parts of New Zealand the authorities are urging the dairy farmers to go into the production of silage to take the place of roots. There is no doubt that the use of the silo would do away with much of the trouble the New Zealanders are having, with their cheese especially. Silage, if properly made and used, never taints the milk.

Dairying with Silage.

The dairy farmer who undertakes to carry his operations through the winter without silage has uphill work all the time. The prosperous dairy farmer seeds down twenty or twenty-five acres every year, keeps his straw under cover and grows a good field of corn for silage every year. The solution of the question of making cheap milk lies in the silo, for good corn silage is undoubtedly the best and cheapest milk-producing food that has yet been grown. To get best results it must be made from well matured corn, and intelligently fed. The cutting is very important, more so than most people imagine. In the first place good, well-built cutters must be employed, for after the corn is cut in the field it should be put through the cutter and into the silo as rapidly as possible. The shorter the lengths are cut the closer they pack in the silo, hence use a machine which has ample capacity to do the cutting in short lengths and do it fast. Just keep in mind that you are handling green stuff, with the object of putting it up green. It is no trick to make good silage—here is the recipe: Cut the corn when the kernels are well glazed; fill the silo as rapidly as possible; cut the stalks into pieces, say an inch long—shorter would be better; tramp down the corners well; see that the silo is perfectly air-tight—then you have it.—L. C. Brown.

Dairy Butter Makers.

In a few localities there have been formed associations of farmers and farmers' wives engaged in the making of butter. More of these associations could be formed with great profit. The state of farm butter making does not change as rapidly as does creamery butter making, for less talk is being made about it and fewer improved utensils are used. The state dairy associations have nearly all of them become in reality associations of creamery butter makers. It is the interests of creamery butter that are discussed and not the interests of farm butter making. This is natural, as the farmers do not turn out to attend these conventions, while the creamery men do. The latter appreciate more than the others the advantages of conferring about their mutual interests. Local dairy associations should be formed, and they should be true to name.

Warm Stables.

We believe in warm stables, but we also believe in ventilated ones. Warmth and ventilation can go together just as cold and lack of ventilation can go together. The cold stable is not necessarily a well-ventilated one. Some of the coldest stables I have ever seen had almost no ventilation at all. The entrance of cold does not always mean the entrance of air. The stable may be built of very thin boards through which the cold would quickly pass, but through which no air could pass. Stables should be built with thick walls, with air spaces or double air spaces if possible, and then arrangements should be made by which there can be a continual supply of pure air and the foul airs constantly pushed out. Under a proper arrangement of ventilating tubes, the air that the cow breathes will be always pure.—Lemuel James, Bond Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Some Illinois Milk.

From some of the smaller towns of Illinois are coming complaints of the condition of the milk supply. The milk supplied to most of the larger cities is fairly good because each city has its milk inspectors who see that the milk produced and sold is fit for human consumption. Many of the smaller cities and towns do not feel able to support corps of officers for the purpose of enforcing the milk ordinances. As a result, not only is milk adulterated by water, but chemical preservatives are used. The most injurious of all these preservatives, formaldehyde, is being extensively used. As yet the dairy and food commission of Illinois has made little effort to improve the supply of this article of food. In some of the larger places, like Kankakee and Galesburg, companies are being organized for the purpose of securing a better milk supply.—Farmers' Review.

Creamery Sharks.

This is a term that has been used in this country for the last twenty years to signify men that go out and induce the farmers to put up creameries, buying the material from them and at double prices. The building of a $2,000 creamery for $4,000 is an easy matter and it leaves a good profit in their hands. The business is not so profitable as it used to be, for the farmers are becoming quite fully educated along the line of the cost of constructing creameries. Moreover, farmers are ceasing to believe that it is profitable to erect creameries in places where there are few cows. Another thing that is against the creamery shark is the fact that much of the ground has been worked over by other creamery sharks and the game spoiled. There is not the profit in this kind of work there was twenty years ago.

Fads in Poultry Raising.

The popularity of some birds is in the nature of a fad. By a fad we mean something that is carried on for itself, and not because it has any utility. Thus a certain strain of birds may be bred for a certain number of points in the comb. Now whether there are many or few points in the comb has no effect from any standpoint. It does not increase its value or its beauty. If it increased the beauty of the bird, it would not be a fad. If, however, one follows the production of certain colors merely because some one else has followed the same, he is following a fad. The value of some birds on the market depends upon the color of certain plumage. We believe, however, that the public is paying less attention to this than formerly, and that the future fancier will find less money in catering to fads than he has in the past. The poultry world seems gradually tending toward utilitarianism.

A Historical Carpet.

A curious carpet has lately been manufactured at Caesarea. It is a representation of the battle of Trafalgar, depicting that moment in the engagement when Nelson received his fatal wound. The carpet, which is entirely of silk, is 7 feet by 6 feet, and took two girls fourteen months to weave. It was sold for £400.

DEATH SEEMED NEAR.

How a Chicago Woman Found Help When Hope Was Fast Fading Away.

Mrs. E. T. Gould, 914 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills are all that saved me from death of Bright's Disease, that I know. I had eye trouble, backache, catches when lying abed or when bending over, was languid and often dizzy and had sick headaches and bearing-down pains. The kidney secretions were too copious and frequent, and very bad in appearance. It was in 1903 that Doan's Kidney Pills helped me so quickly and cured me of these troubles and I've been well ever since."

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists. Price, 50 cents per box.

That Photograph.

"What's the matter with my watch? It won't shut up!" said the customer.

"There's probably a woman in the case," was the jeweler's reply—Detroit Free Press.

THOUSANDS OF LIVES SAVED

By "Mother's Medicine Chest" and Patent Prescriptions.

Commenting on attacks made by certain Eastern publications on some of the best known and most valuable of the world's proprietary medicines, the Committee on Legislation of the Proprietary Association says:

"All through the country districts, in every state of the Union, you will find in the farm houses the old family remedies, sometimes called 'patent medicines,' many of which have been in use in the same household for generations. Among such people the old-fashioned proprietary medicine, always at hand with full printed instructions for use, is one of the necessities of life.

"To families in the country many miles from a doctor such remedies are invaluable. 'Mother's medicine chest' has saved many a life and met many a threatening sickness at the threshhold and turned it out of doors. So far from constituting self-prescription, as is often pretended, acquaintance with a 'patent medicine' often obviates the necessity of such a step; for here is a prescription already made up, the effect of which is well known. One of the greatest advantages of such medicine is that its constant formula gives it the character of a single drug, so far as uniformity of result is concerned, and the people who use it know from experience just what they can count on—which is more than can be said of many physician's prescriptions frequently obtained at a far greater cost and trouble."

No Two Ways About It.

"That's the Widow Clingly. Her husband couldn't live with her."

"Nonsense! They were a most devoted couple."

"He couldn't live with her, I tell you. If he could, he wouldn't be dead, would he?"

Perish the Thought.

He—Let's go into the conservatory.

She—Oh, dear, no.

He—Why not?

She—Among all those rubber plants? Not much.—Houston Chronicle.

CHRONIC ERYSIPELAS

Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Although Whole Body was Affected.

Erysipelas or St. Anthony's fire is a most uncomfortable disease on account of the burning, the pain and the disfigurement; it is also a very grave disorder, attended always by the danger of involving vital organs in its spread.

The case which follows will be read with great interest by all sufferers as it affected the whole body, and refused to yield to the remedies prescribed by the physician employed. Mrs. Ida A. Colbath, who was the victim of the attack, residing at No. 19 Winter street, Newburyport, Mass., says:

"In June of 1903 I was taken ill with what at first appeared to be a fever. I sent for a physician who pronounced my disease chronic erysipelas and said it would be a long time before I got well.

"Inflammation began on my face and spread all over my body. My eyes were swollen and seemed bulging out of their sockets. I was in a terrible plight and suffered the most intense pain throughout my body. The doctor said my case was a very severe one. Under his treatment, however, the inflammation did not diminish and the pains which shot through my body increased in severity. After being two months under his care, without any improvement, I dismissed him.

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OLD WOOD FOR VIOLINS.

Manufacturers Buy Wreckage From the Lippincott Mansion.

The old wood in the Lippincott mansion has been secured by musical instrument makers, who claim that they have found a treasure in that the wood is not only seasoned, but is of a kind that it is almost impossible to get nowadays. One of the foremost violin makers of this country made the discovery that the joists in the yellow mansion were of a quality of spruce wood, now extinct, that is of rare quality for the rim and back of violins. He got a monopoly on the old wood, and while the wreckers were tearing down the house he employed detectives to watch his prize. Other violin makers soon learned of the fine quality of the wood, and they endeavored to get some of it, only to learn that their alert competitor had purchased it all. The violin makers say that the joists are unusually thick and that the spruce is of the finest quality that has been found in this country. They claim that nothing to equal it for violin making has been found in America, and that with proper skill some high-priced instruments will be made of it.—Philadelphia Record.

Not a Case for Hanging.

During a celebrated murder trial in New York city two Irishmen were among the many interested spectators.

"Sure the evidence will convict the prisoner," remarked one.

"Not only convict him, but will hang him," returned the other.

"Man alive! They don't hang murderers in New York!"

"Well, what do they do with them?"

"Kill them with electrocution."—

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"But you are not always bothered with poor light, are you?" inquired the complaint clerk at the gas office.

"Oh, no, not always," replied the quiet citizen.

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"Yes; only after dark."—Philadelphia Ledger.

A girl is never satisfied until she draws her beau into a knot.

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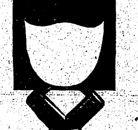

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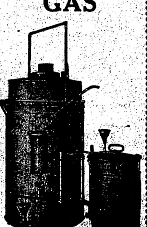

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., Sept. 8, 1905.

Pursuant to the call of the County Auditor dated August 19, 1905, the Board of County Commissioners met at the Court House at 9 o'clock a. m.

Present, Commisrioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

Absent, Commissioner Falardeau.

The petition of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Plummer for County Ditch No. 22 was read and the arguments of all persons interested or affected by the construction of said ditch were heard.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken till 1 o'clock p. m.

1 o'clock p. m. board reconvened.

Present Commissionors Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

The hearing on the petition for County Ditch No. 22 was resumed.

The report of the viewers in the matter was refered back to them for correction and they subbmitted a corrected report reducing the benefits to be derived from the construction of said ditch from $12,182.37 to $12,030.42. Their report was accepted by the board and on motion made by Commissioner Sutor and carried unanimously the ditch was ordered established and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake. } ss

In the matter of the petition of the petition of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Plummer, for a public ditce in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The above entitled matter came on duly to be heard by and before the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at a special meeting of said board duly called for the purpose of hearing and considering the petition for said ditch in the above entitled matter, on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1905 at nine o'clock a. m. of said day; and it appearing by proper evidence that due notice had been given of the pendency of said petition and of said time of hearing thereon and that J. K. Wood, the civil engineer appointed by this board to survey the the route of said ditch, has completed his wsrk and duly filed his report thereon in the office of the county auditor of said county and that the viewers appointed by said board to view and repsrt upon said work have duly completed their labors and made and filed their report in due form of law in the office of said county auditor, the said board of county commissioners did at the time above specified, proceed to hear said petitton and said viewers report thereon: and said board having duly considered said petition and heard all the parties interested for or against the construction of said ditch and all other maters pertaining thereto, find as follows to-wit:

First: That the said ciuil engineer has completed his work and made and filed his report thereon in all reseects according to law.

Second: That the said viewers appointed herein heve duly completed thier labors and have made and fied their report thereon according to law.

Third: That the estimated benefits to be derived from the construction of said work are greater than its total cost, including damages awarded.

Fourth: That the damages and benefits arising from the construction of said ditch have been duly awarded and assessed, and that said reports of said engineer and said viewers are complete and correct.

Fifth: That notice of this hearing of said petition of said viewers report and said engineer's report has been duly given, published and posted and mailed as by law required, and that proofs of said service have been duly made and filed in the office of the county auditer of said county.

Now therefore, as conclusions from the foregoing findings, we, the board of county commissioners of the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at said special session of said board held at the time above specified, being satisfied that the proposed ditch will be of public utility and conductive to public health and public benefit and convenience, and that the same is necessary for the reasons stated in the petition therefor, do hereby locate and establish the said ditch according to the report and the specifications of said civil engineer made and filed herein, and do hereby establish and confirm the report of the viewers made and filed herein.

It is further ordered, that the damages awarded to the persons and corporations named in the viewers report herein, in excess of benefits, be paid out of the county treasury of said county on warrants to be drawn and attested by the auditor of said county and signed by the chairman of this board of county commissioners; and that said warrant be issued at the expiration of the time for appeal from this order in favor of snch persons and corporrtionr as shall not have then appealed and shall be dated and become due and payable immediately after the letting of the contracts for the construction of the ditch herein referred to: and that in case of appeal from this order, or in case of any postponement or delay in determining the amount of damaffes due to any persons or corporations, the warrant in favor of such persons or corporations shall not be issued until the final determination thereof.

Given under our hrnds this 8th day of September, A. D. 1905.

By the board.

O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Board of Counto Commissioners.

(Seal)

Attest: JAMES E. FGRD.
Co. Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

The petition of Aug. Konikson and others praying for the construction of a drainage ditch along the following route;

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 12 in township 151, range 43, thence running north on the section line to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 12 in said town, thence running west on the quartar line to about the center of section 11, thence south to the southeast corner of section 22 in said town and range, was placed before the board and on motion carried unanimousiy the following resolution appointing an engineer to survey the route of said proposed ditch was adopted:

In the matter of the petition of Aug. Konikson and others for locating and coustructing county ditch No. 23, in the county of Red Lrke, state of Minnesota,

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Whereas, a petition, bearing date the seventh day of August 1905, signed by Aug. Konikson, John Westerland, Andrew Ydstie, Christ Christensen, Sjur Mikklkson and Sophia Christopherson, praying for the establishment of a certain drainage ditch in said county, designated and numbered by the county auditor as county ditch No. 23, the route of which is more fully described in said petition, and a proper bond accompaning the same, have been filed with the county and itor of said county as by law required.

And whereas, it appears by satisfactory proof to the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, that due notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place at which the same would be heard, has been given as required by law:

Now, therefore, we, the board of county commistioners of said county at a special session held this day, do herebp appoint James K. Wood as a competent and experienced engineer to make an accurate survey of the line of said drainage ditch from its source to its outlet, as provided and specified in and by Chapter 230 of the general laws of 1905, and after completing his duties as such engineer to make and file his report with the county auditor of said county on or before the thirtieth day of September, 1905.

By the Board.

(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Clm. Board Co. Com'rs. of Red Lake Co.

Atthst: JAMEL E. FORD,
County Auditor

The petition of A. T. Gorden and others praying for the construction of a drainage ditch along the following described route:

Commencing at or near the southwest corner of section 6 in township 151, range 42, running thence north on the range line between ranges 42 and 43, to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152, range 43, thence west on the quarter section line through sections 36, 35, 34, 33 and 32 in township 152, range 43 to a point near the center of said section 32 where the Red Lake River crosses the said quarter section line.

Also a branch ditch, commencing at the northeast corner of section 36 in township 152, range 43, running thence south on the range line to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36 in said town and rangs and terminating at the main ditch as its outlet, was placed before the board and on motion carried unanimously the following resolution appointing an engineer to survey the ronte of said proposed ditch was adopted:

In the matter of the petition of A. T. Gorden and others for locating and constructing county ditch No. 24 in the state of Minnesota, county of Red Lake.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Whereas, a petition beasing date, the fourth day of August, 1905, signed by A. T. Gorden, C.C. Bergan, C. A. Swadson, Andrew Johnson, John G. Anderson, Peter Hogquist, Nick Holten, F. A Satterberg, Adolph Satterberg, Anna Fangstrom, A. Gorden and Sulius Pleth, praying for the establishment of a certain drainage ditch in said county, designated and numbered by the county auditor of said county as county ditch No. 24, the route of which is more fully described in said petition, and a proper bond accompanying the same, have been filed with the county auditer as by law required.

And, whereas, it appears by satisfactory proof to the boare of county commissioners of Red Lake county, that due notice of the pendency of said petition and the time and place at which the same would be heard, has been given as required by law.

Now, therefore, we the board of county commissioners of said county at a special session held this day do hereby appoint James K. Wood as a competent add experienced engineer to make an accurate survey of said drainage ditch from its source to its outlet as provided and specified in and by Chapter 230 of the seneral laws of 1905, and after completing his duties ss such engineer to make and ole his report with the county auditor of said county on or before the 30th day of September, 1905.

By the Board.

Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Boerd Co. Com'rs. of Red Lake Co.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

On motion made and carried unanimously the board proceeded to appoint viewers to view the proposed route of county ditch No. 23 and the following order was made:

In the matter of the petition of Aug. Konikson and otheas for county ditch No. 23 in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

Whereas, a petition bearing date the seventh day of August, 1905, signed by Aug. Konikson, John Westerlund, Andrew Ydstie, Christ Christensen, Sjur Mikkleson and Sophia Christopherson, praying for the establishment of a ditch in said county, designated and numbered by the county auditor as county ditch No. 23 the route of which is fully described in said petition, together with a proper bond accompanying the same, has been filed with the county auditor of said county, and the county auditor has given due notice of the pendency of said petition, and the said notice has been published and served as by law required; and hearing had on said petition pursuant to said notice; and the said county commissioners of said county have heretofore appointed a compatent engineer to-wi James K. Wood to make a survey of said ditch.

Now, therefore, we, the board of county commissioners of said county, at a special session held this day, do hereby appoint Gilbert Haavi and Otto Zaiser and Daniel Peterson, three resident frehholders of said county, who are not interested in the construction of said proposed work and not of kin to any of the parties known to be interested therein, to be viewers of the said proposed work and of the route thereof. The said viewers shall first take an oath to faithfully perform their duties as such viewers; and thereafter having received a certified copy of the petition for said ditch and of the order appointing them such viewers and of the order of the county auditor of said county designating the time and place of the first meeting of said viewers, shall meet and at the time and place specified, in the order of the county auditor aforesaid and shall proceed to view said proposed work, and the land damaged or benefitted thereby; and having completed said view and examination of said work, shall make and file their report thereof with said county auditor of said county within thirty days from the date of their first meeting. In said report they shall in tabular form give the names of the owners of each tract of land to be benefitted or damaged by said proposed work, the description of each tract of land to be benefitted or damaged (said names of owners to be the same as appear on the county tax duplicates of said county, and the description to be given in legal form) and the total number of acres in each of said tracts, the (etimated number of acres in each tract of land to be benefitted or damaged (as the case may be), the number of acres added to any tract by the totul or partial drainage of any meandered lake, or the change of any water course and the location and value of such added land; the damage if any, to reparain rights pertaining to any tract, and the amount that each tract of land will be benefitted or damaged by the construction of said work. In case said ditch drains, either in whole or in part, any public or corporate road or railroad, or benefits any such road so that the roadbed or traveled track of any such road will be made better by the construction of said ditch, said viewers shall estimare the benefits arising therefrom to said roads, roadbeds, or railroads and report said benefits, together with the names of roads and other particulars necessary to identify the corporations, private or public, to be benefitted thereby, and amounts of benefits to each; they shall report as such part of such tabular statement the damages awarded to each municipal or other corporation for injury to any road, or roadbed ann from the necessary construction and maintainance of any bridge, culverts or other works rendered necessary by the establishment of such ditch, stating the same seperately. They shall also report the total estimated benefits in respects to said ditch entire, and branches thereof, if any, and also whether or not, in their opinion, the estimated expense of the construction of said ditch including the damages assessed therefor, is greater than the utility of said proposed ditch; and whether or not said proposed ditch is impractible for any reason, and, if so, stating the reason why it should not be constructed. In making said view and survey of said proposed work and their report thereon, the said viewers shall proceed according to chapter 230 of the general laws of 1905.

The board of county commissioners of Red Luke cotnty, Minnesota.

(Seal] By O. J. JOHNSON, Chairman.

Dated this 8th day of September, A. D. 1905.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD, County Auditor.

The board proceeded to appoint viewers to view the proposed route of county ditch No. 24 and on motion carried unanimously the following order was made:

In the matter of the petition of A. T. Gorden and others for county ditch No. 24 in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Loke, } ss

Whereas, a petition bearing date the fourth day of August A. D. 1905 signed by A. T. Gorden, C. C. Bergen, C. A. Swanson, Andrew Johnson, John G. Anderson, Peter Hogquist, Nick Holten, P. A Satterberg, Anna Fangstrom, A. Gorden and Julius Pleth praying for the establishment of a ditch in soid county, designated and numbered by th ecounty auditor as county ditch No 24 the route of which is fully described in said petition, together with a proper bond accompanying the same, has beed filed with the county auditor of said county: and said county auditor has given due notice of the pendency of said petition, ond the said notice has been published and served as required by law; and hearing had on said petition pursuant to said notice; and the said county commissioners of said county have duly appoinfed a competent engineer, towit Jas. K. Wood, to make a survey of said ditch.

Now therefore, we, the board of county commissioners of said county, at a special session held this day, do hereby appoint Gilbert Haavi, and Otto Zeiser and Daniel Peterson, three resident freehoiders of said county, who are not interested in the construction of said proposed work, and not of kin to any of the parties known to be interested therein, to be viewers of said proposed work and of the route thereof. The said viewers shall first take an oath to faithfully perform their duties as such qiewers; and therefore, having received a certified copy of the petition of said ditch and of the order appointing them such viewers and of the order of the county auditor of said county designating the time and place of the first meeting of said viewers, shall meet, at the time and place specified, in the order, of the county auditor aforesaid and shall proceed to view said proposed wopk, and the land benefitted or damaged thereby; and having completed said view and examination of said work, shall make and file their report thereof with said county auditor of said county within thirty days from the date of their first meeting. In said report they shall in tabular form gives the names of the owners of each tract of land so benefitted or damaged by said proposed work, the description of each tract so benefitteh or damaged (said names of owners to be the same as appear on the county tax duplicates of said county, and the description to be given in legal form), and the total number of acres in each of said tracts, the estimated number of acres in each tract of land to he benefitted or damaged (as the case may be), the number of acres added to any taact by the total or partail drainage of any meandered lake, or the change of any water course and the location and value of such added land; the damage if any, to riparain rights pertaining to any tract, and the amount that each tract of land will be benefitted or damaged by the construction of said work. In case said ditch drains, either in whole or in part, any public or corporate road or railroad, or benefits any such road so that the roadbed or traveled track of any such track will be made better by the construction of said ditch, said viewers shall estimate the behefits arising therefrom to said road, roadbeds or railroads and report satd benefits, together with the names of roads and other particulars necessary to identify the corporations, private or public, to be benefitted thereby and amounts of benefits to each; they shall reporr as part of such tabular statemont the damages awarded to each municipal or other corporation for injurp to any road or roaebed, and from the necessary construction and maintainance of any bridge, culverts, or other works rendered necessary for the establishment of such a ditch, stating the same separately. They shall also report the total estimated benefits in respect to said ditch entire, and brancees thereof, if any, and also whether or not in their opinion, the estimated expense of the construction of said ditch including the damages assessed therefor, is greater than the utility of said proposed ditoh; and whether or not said proposed ditch is impractible for any reason, and if so, stating the reason why why it should not be coastructed. In making srid view and survey of said proposed work and their report thereon, the said viewers shall proceed according to Chapter 230 of the general laws of 1905.

The board of county commissoners of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

(Seal) By O. J. JOHNSON, Chairman.

Dated this eighth day of September, 1955.

Attest: JAMES E. FORD, Counry Auditor.

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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }
IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term, September 20, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Andrew P. Hanson, administrator of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.

(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
s21-05 Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, }

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.

E. O. HAGEN,
s21-026 Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is hereby given, that on the seventh day of October, 1905, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 22 of Red Lake county, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, by their order bearing date the eight day of September, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of tqe constructien jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source, said sections being numbered from 0 to No. 195, both inclusive, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent, over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order: and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the Auditor of said county, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accure by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order estimates and profile are on file and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 36,024 cubic yards of earth, the seme to be placed along the north side of the ditch so as to form a turnpike or, grade and the same to be left in a suitable condition for public traffic from Station No. 0 to 177 inclusive. From Station No. 178 to Station No. 195 inclusive the earth removed may be deposited on each side of the ditch in spoil banks as provided in the plans and specifications of the engineer. The estimated cost of the work is fourteen cents per yard. The estimated total cost of the work is Five Thousand Forty-three and 36-100 Dollars.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County for not less than ten per cent of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated September 12, 1905.

(Seal) JAMES E. FORD.
s14-28 County Red Lake Co., Minn.

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The tainted blood of ancestors lays upon the shoulders of innocent offspring untold suffering, by transmitting to them, through the blood, that blighting disease, Scrofula; for in nearly every instance the disease can be traced to some family blood trouble, or blood-kin marriage which is contrary to the laws of nature. Swelling, ulcerating glands of the neck, catarrh, weak eyes, sores, abscesses, skin eruptions, white swelling, hip disease and other deformities, with a wasting of the natural strength and vitality, are some of the ways this miserable disease manifests itself. The poison transmitted through the blood pollutes and weakens that health-sustaining fluid and in place of its nutritive qualities fills the circulation with scrofulous matter and tubercular deposits, often resulting in consumption. A disease which has been in the family blood for generations, perhaps, or at least since the birth of the sufferer, requires constitutional treatment. S. S. S. is the remedy best fitted for this. It cleanses the blood of all scrofulous and tuberculous poisons, makes it rich and pure and under the tonic effects of this great blood medicine the general health improves, the symptoms all pass away, there is a sure return to health, the disease is cured permanently while posterity is protected. Book on the blood and any advice wished, furnished by our physicians, without charge.

Scrofula appeared on the head of my little grandchild when only 18 months old, and spread rapidly over her body. The disease next attacked the eyes and we feared she would lose her sight. It was then that we decided to try S. S. S. That medicine at once made a speedy and complete cure. She is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease to return.
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If you are going to need a range, don't look too much at the price, the Majestic is not the cheapest, but the least expensive.

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Popular Hardware Dealers
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TAXES ARE EQUALIZED.

State Board Takes a Parting Shot at the Tax-payer.

The state board of equalization completed its work Tuesday, and the result as affecting Red Lake county is given below. The figures given are are all increases, which means a raise in the assessment of about 25 per cent. over the figures as left by the county board of review.

Horses and Mules, one year old—25 per cent.,
Horses and Mules, two years old—20 per cent.
Horses and Mules, three years old—25 per cent.
Horses and Mules, over three years old—100 per cent.
Cattle, one year old—125 per cent.
Cattle, two years old—50 per cent.
Cattle, three years old and over—500 per cent.
Cows—75 per cent.
Sheep—50 per cent.
Hogs—25 per cent.
Wagons and carriages, 75 per cent,
Automibiles, 200 per cent.
Sewing machines, 20 per cent.
Watches and clocks, 175 per cent.
Melodeons and organs, 25 per cent.
Pianofortes, 10 per cent,
Household furniture, 100 per cent.
Office furniture, 50 per cent.
Agricultural tools and implements, 75 per cent.
Gold and silver plate, 100 per cent.
Diamonds and jewelry, 100 per cent.
Steamboats. 50 per cent.
Goods and merchandise, wholesale and retail, 10 per cent.
Stocks and furniture of saloons and eating houses—10 per cent.
All other property not included in preceding items, 10 per cent.
Dogs, 200 per cent.

The only special raises were those affecting the First National Bank of Thief River and the Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls. The shares of stock of each of these banks was raised 5 per cent.

"Resolutions of Condolence"

Resolutions of respect and condolence adopted by Evergreen Camp, No. 958, of Red Lake Falls, Minn, Sept. 29, 1905.

Whereas, The angel of death has visited our ranks and has summoned from our midst for the first time a charter member our esteemed neighbor, Mary Hennings: Therefore be it.

Resolved, That while we bow our heads in submission to the will of one who doeth all things well, we mourn the loss of a neighbor and unite in extending our heart felt sympathies to the members of this bereaved family: and be it further.

Resolved, That as a tribute of respect we drapeour charter in mourning for a period of forty days, and that copies of these resolutions be sent to the sorrowing family, and a copy be published in each of the Red Lake Falls papers, and that a copy be spread on the memorial record of our camp.

One by one they go before us,
Only left us by the way;
And another link is broken,
As our neighbor passed away.

Committee { Rose Spillane,
Louisia Armstrong,
Mary V. Hall.

The Study Club.

The Study club of this city has just begun their winter's work. The line of study this year will be "The Development of English Literature to the Seventeeth Century." The membership of the club now numbers twenty-three, and there is still opportunity for those desiring to join, to present applications for memoership. This club meets Wednesday evenings in the homes of the members. The officers of the club elected last spring are: Rev. H. W. Knox, president; Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, vice presdent; Mrs. Emma F. Marshall, secretary; Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain, treasurer, and Miss Ella Hanson, chairman of program committee.

The Club has secured from the State Library commission a "free traveling library" of 50 volumes of books for general reading. This library will be kept at Reichert's drug store, where it will be open to the public without charge under suitable regulations. A new library will be secured by exchange every six months or oftener. The club has also secured a special reference library on English literture which will be at the same place and like wise open to the public. These libraries will soon be here and the book lists will be distributed and also printed in this paper.

"Largest Bond Contract in the World"

"Mr. J. A. Duffy, the Agent of the National Surety Company, in this city, gives us the interesting information that his Company has just closed a contract with the Modern Woodmen of America for guaranteeing the honesty of over twenty-two thousand local lodge officers covered by one bond. It is the largest bond in the World and is a very bulky document, the entire bond weighing approximately fifty pounds."

ST. HILAIRE.

Mrs. Peter Deinart is very sick with stomach trouble.

Arthur Hendrickson has returned to the school for the blind at Faribault.

Mrs. Wm. Olson and daughter are visiting relatives at Fosston this week.

L. L. Remington will be the janitor at the school house for the coming year.

A. T. Anderson, the Red Lake furniture dealer was in town last Saturday.

Miss Selina Hoff spent several days visiting friends at Thief River Falls last week.

L. T. Bergh, came up from Crookston Saturday and drove out to his claim to spend Sunday with his family.

Miss Etta Zaiser, of Red Lake Falls meets her classes in music on Saturdays instead of Thursdays as formerly.

Mrs. John Peterson has given up housekeeping for the winter and has rented her house on Water street to Alfred Sanmoen.

Mr. J. K. Hannay and son Will left for Seattle Saturday. Mr. Hannay will visit his sons and Will will remain for the winter.

The Band boys rendered a most delightful open air concert on the street Friday. They are making marked improvement.

The box social given Friday evening by the Epworth League was very well attended and the young people took in twelve dollars.

The past few days of dry weather have been a boon to the farmers in this section. They took advantage and made hay while the sun shone.

A party of young people drove down from Thief River Falls Tuesday and enjoyed a very pleasant evening at the home of Herman Pettibone.

Rev. B. A. Barker left Monday evening for the M. E. conference at Eveleth Minn. He takes one of the best financial reports that this charge has had for some years past.

J. M. Markham, the builder of the Markham hotel in this village but later of Bemidji died at Hot Springs Ark. Sept. 23 of Brights, disease. The funeral took place at Bemidji on Friday Sept. 28. Mr. Markham has a large number of friends here.

Mrs. Fred Case and Mrs. M. McAndress entertained their lady friends at a quilting bee, Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McAndress. Quilting, debating, songs and music followed by supper and a delightful ride home in the evening made a social event long to be remembered by those present.

CITY COUNCIL MET

On Thursday Night of Last Week. No Business or Importance Before the Meeting.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the City hall, Sept. 28, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers, president.

Roll called: Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Peter Martell, blacksmith account	$ 3 50
A. P. Toupin, insurance	85 40
Arthur Lizee, tending to fire engine	6 00
John Deforge, street work	18 15
do burying carcesses	3 00
Julius Keihe, street work	16 50
John Deforge, burying a carcess	2 00
Robertson Lbr Co., lumber	340 60

The following bills were laid on the table:

Red Lake County, for rent	42 00

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hennemuth and seconded by Alderman Crompe:

Resolved, that the sum of $196.97 be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of paying taxes now due on city property.

Upon roll call the following Aldermen voted aye: Hennemuth, Crompe, Brady and Borchers.

Nays: None.

Whereupon the president declared the resolution duly adopted.

Aldermen Brady and Hennemuth were appointed a committee to examine the Clearwater bridge and report as to the necessary repairs needed thereon.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 4th day of Oct., 1905. J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin, Clerk.

For Sale.

$500 worth of beesand hives which I will sell at half price $250 if taken this month. Also 800 pounds of comb honey and 70 gallons of extracted honey. Call on Oliver Caron.

October School Money.

The October apportionment of the state school fund, announced Tuesday by State Superintendent Olsen, amounts to $862,881.80, divided on the basis of 374,166 pupils, or $2.30 per capita. This is ten cents more for each pupil than the apportionment of last October. The school apportionment is made on the basis of the number of pupils who attended school forty days or more during the preceeding year, and is made in March and October of each year. Red Lake county has 3,509 and will receive $8070.70. Polk county, with 8,477 pupils, will get $19,497.10; Marshall county, 3,432 pupils, $7,893.60; Kittson county, 1,870 pupils, $4,301.10; Beltrami county, 2,008 pupils, $4,218.40; Clearwater county, 1,573 pupils, $3,157.90.

A Motor Sleigh.

A novel 4-horse power, high speed motor is being mounted on sleighs with pushers instead of wheels in such a way that the machine will travel at a good speed over either ice or snow. As yet none of these machines have been used in the West but the coming winter will probably see several of this type in the Twin Cities. An improvement of this kind in autos excites comment while an improvement in beer such as is represented by golden grain belt creates little comment. Just think how important this beer is that it means health, strength and happiness to thousands and you in particular. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson Crookston.

Forfeited Tax Sale.

The state auditor has decided upon November 6 as the date for the sale of lands in Red Lake county forfeited to the state for non-payment of taxes. The sale of lands forfeited under the laws of 1894 will be conducted by County Auditor Ford at his office, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of November 6 and continue each afternoon until all are sold. The lands acquired by the law of 1902 will be sold at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that date and continue each morning until all are sold.

The instructions require that every tract be sold for cash on the highest bid, which must not be less that the taxes, penalties, interest and costs. The old law permits sale for the bare amount of taxes, exclud- other, charges. Under either law the owner may redeem any time within sixty days after the county auditor has filed proof of service of the notice of expiration. The owner must pay all charges and 12 per cent. interest on the sale price.

Rather Tough on Crookston.

That the contest in Fergus Falls for city ownership of the waterworks plant waxed somewhat warm, may be inferred from the following from H. E. Boen's paper last week: "Only in this God forsaken Fergus Falls that from the start has had a greater proportion of rascals and fools in its population than any other town of its size except, possibly, Crookston, is the water service plant privately owned."

Stationery at the Courier office.

A Word to the Little Folks

Work hard till you get a dollar. Then come to this bank and make your first deposit. . . . . , . .

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BOYS

Conte,t closes Tuesday October 10th. Don't fail to guess as to number of feet in ball of twine in window. Nearest guess $5.00 Suit. Second nearest guess $3.00.

AT HOME OR ABROAD

Wherever you go, if your clothes are our clothes, you,ll be a credit to yourself and youa community, so far as appearances go. All you need to do then is to make your actions as good as your apparel, and your all right.

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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

An American has duped some British girls. He was trying to get even with a few dukes.

A New York girl had her brain cut out, and nobody noticed any difference—in New York.

Get-rich-quick schemes ensnare their thousands; get-married-quick their tens of thousands.

Marshall Field justly says that it is hard to stand prosperity. But every one is willing to try to stand it.

Lord Curzon, no doubt, hesitated long before condemning India to barbarism by resigning as its viceroy.

Newport's millionaires are naturally aggrieved at having to pay taxes. They need the money for monkey dinners.

Gold is reported to have been found in Ireland. And, sure, why not? Don't we always see an emerald in a gold setting?

Is Judge Steinert's sentence that a woman be exiled from New York city to be regarded in the light of a punishment?

Men are not good judges of millinery or they would know that the feature of alluring beauty in a $150 hat is its price tag.

As they are Philadelphia men, there is no mystery about how that girl married twelve of them. She caught them napping.

Now that the war is over, we may admit that it has taught many of us a good deal of geography—American as well as Asiatic.

In order to convince the world that there is no truth in the story that his feet had been amputated, Mark Twain has got the gout.

It is as natural for a girl to make herself pretty as it is for a bee to gather honey. Who would stop either in so sweet an occupation?

It is hardly possible that there is a shortage of chorus girls. There are chorus girls in plenty. There is only a shortage of girls who can sing.

The family of our northern sister is growing. This time it's twins, and Saskatchewan and Alberta are lusty youngsters of which Canada is proud.

With commendable foresight the envoys used several pens in signing the treaty, so that the great demand for souvenirs will be to some extent supplied.

The Houston (Tex.) council has officially declared that "goo-goo" eyes—if made by men are a misdemeanor. Girls are not mentioned. They make their own law.

When manufacturers get to selling automobiles for $400 apiece next year, as they are now planning to do, the millionaires will give theirs away and go in for airships.

A girl in New York state faints whenever the band of her village begins to play. Is this the press agent's way of advertising "the most extreme limit" in conducting?

It is only fair to Mr. Morgan to explain that the portion of the earth now known as the moon got away before the title to this planet had passed into his possession.

Now that the experimenters have sent a kite up more than two and a half miles in the air, it is obvious that anything that is knocked higher than a kite must go up pretty high.

A woman cashier in a Chicago restaurant put two holdup men to flight recently by throwing cigar boxes at them. The name of the brand is not given, but the cigars must have been fierce.

Charles R. Flint, just back from Russia, says that the czar is a man of high intelligence and strength of character and that the grand dukes are all right. Mr. Flint must have got his contract.

The telescope reveals the fact that the landscapes on Mars are subject to sudden and frequent changes of the most extensive character. Map making must be the most profitable employment on that planet.

Capt. Sir Ernest Cochrane of Dublin and Belfast promptly denies that he has any design whatever on the America cup. He must have been reading the papers since Sir Thomas Lipton started out to "lift" it.

Mr. Rockefeller said to the humorists who visited him: "I am one of you now," and wore proudly a badge they gave him. Still, he should not compete with them by sending jokes to the comic papers even "at space rates."

A Brooklyn justice has sentenced a man to talk to his wife two hours every Sunday. That means that the wife must keep quiet two hours. Evidently somebody is about to suffer a cruel and unusual punishment contrary to the constitution. Guess who.

RESUME OF THE NEWS

Fresh — Reliable — Brief

Washington.

President Roosevelt signed an order creating the Dixie forest reserve in Utah. The new reserve imbraces 465,900 acres, 94 per cent of which is public lands.

Charges have been preferred against several western roads for giving discriminating rates to the Standard Oil company in Iowa. The Marshall Oil company of that state has preferred a complaint with the interstate commerce commission. The Burlington line, the St. Paul and subsidiary roads are interested in the case.

Consul General Rogers at Shanghai, cabled the state department as follows: "There is no longer any evidence of boycott conditions in or about Shanghai, and American trade is active, particularly with the northern part of China, and there has been no stamping of goods (boycott marks) as was reported. On the whole the condition of affairs seems to be satisfactory."

Foreign.

Russia has ordered 60,000 tons of the best steam coal at Cardiff to be delivered at Kronstadt within a month.

Another tornado caused enormous damage in Calabria, Italy. A clearance of the debris caused by the recent earthquake shows the number of persons who perished was greater than thought.

Reports from the famine districts in Spain show that the workmen threaten to burn and sack if they are not furnished with food. Appeals have been sent to the government to distribute rations.

It is reported that President Amador and the canal commission are endeavoring to attract Spanish immigrants from the famine-stricken districts of Galacia. They are considered to be the best workmen for Panama.

During the naval maneuvers at Cherbourg two torpedo boats collided and remained interlocked until they were towed to port, where they were separated by tugs. Investigation showed that the boats had suffered serious damage.

Mr. C. Miller, the Minneapolis man who has promoted the Guadalajara-Chamela, in Mexico, has been granted another federal concession for a line extending east from Guadalajara to San Miguel Allende, a station on the National road.

Twelve thousand spectators of a bull fight at Nimes, France, broke up the chairs and set fire to the barristers surrounding the arena because the matadors refused to kill another bull as another encore after they had dispatched five.

The London Daily Telegraph's Tokio correspondent says that the British Far Eastern squadron will assemble in Tokio early in October, after the ratification of the Russo-Japanese treaty, and that the Japanese fleet will also assemble at the same place.

Large forces of troops have already been drafted into Finland. Over 1,200 men arrived at Helsingfors to reinforce the garrison of Sveaborg, which is adjacent to Helsingfors, and garrisons at other points have also been reinforced by 700 to 1,000 men.

Criminal.

John A. Norton, once a candidate for governor of Connecticut on the Socialist ticket, committed suicide by inhaling gas through a tube.

James P. Hennessy, a clerk who recently confessed to stealing $40,000 from the estate of D. Percy Morgan, was sentenced to seven years.

Capt. G. M. Godfrey, assistant surgeon in the United States army, stationed at Fort McPherson, shot himself through the brain. The cause of the suicide is not known.

A double murder occurred at Lockport, La., near Lake Charles, R. B. Holloway of that place and Tom Bowman of Orange, Tex., being the victims. No clue to the assassin.

John M. Koch, a well-known educator, was found dead in his house at Mount Prennborough, Pa., where he was formerly principal of the high school. He had shot himself through the heart.

Private Lee of Company E, Eleventh infantry, shot and killed Private King of Company L of the same regiment, in a saloon at Cheyenne, Wyo. Squads are scouring the streets and a lynching is possible if Lee is captured.

A battle between Mexican desperadoes and Texas rangers resulted in the killing of one of the bad men and the wounding of two. The fight was on La Portia creek, near Minerva, a small border town in Wilson county.

After an all-day drinking bout, Dammin Guise killed his friend, Rocco Fenar, at Bloomington, Ind. Guise caught Fenar by the neck and held him while he blew out his brains with a revolver. Guise was arrested.

Henry Edwards was shot and killed by Clarence Turner at a dance at Maysville, Ky., because he insisted upon dancing with a girl with whom Turner had been dancing. Edwards drew a gun upon Turner, the fight being in the nature of a duel.

Edna Mullison, a thirteen-year-old girl, was arrested at Shenandoah, Iowa, on a charge of placing poison in her father's lunch. The warrant was sworn out by Mullison, who can give no reason for the attempt on his life. The girl refuses to talk of the crime. She was unable to give bond.

Casualty.

Walter C. Calkins, [illegible] demonstrator, ran his [illegible] wagon at Chicago and [illegible].

More than a dozen [illegible] an explosion in a firewo[illegible] the Green Point sectio[illegible] Some of them are fata[illegible].

Fire destroyed the [illegible] store, damaged the N[illegible]ment store and the carpet [illegible] Elmendorf at Evansville, Ind. [illegible] estimated at $50,000.

One motorman was inst[illegible] and the other escaped de[illegible]ing when two trolley c[illegible] head-on collision near [illegible] No passengers were inju[illegible].

A peach train was de[illegible] going at the rate of tw[illegible] miles an hour, near Lawrence[illegible] the engine and three ca[illegible] a bank. The engineer [illegible].

Dredge No. 4, own[illegible] Lake Erie Dredging compa[illegible] foundered in a gale off [illegible]kirk, N. Y. Capt. Miller and crew [illegible] rescued. The dredge was value[illegible]0,000.

An extra work train [illegible] Cairo division of the Big Fo[illegible] railroad ran into the rear end of an extra freight train at Swango Hill, five miles south of Paris, Ill. Four trainmen were injured, one fatally.

Frank Carpenter, [illegible]-year-old son of Orville Carpente[illegible] farmer living in Ellis township, ne[illegible] Iowa Falls, Iowa, fell into a corn [illegible]ter and was instantly killed, the [illegible] being literally cut to pieces.

The Meteor, the fast [illegible]sco line passenger train, bound f[illegible] St. Louis, was wrecked near Catoosa, I. T. The engine, tender and four coaches jumped the track and were demolished. Several persons were inj[illegible].

Thomas Johnson, age[illegible] was sawed in two while at wor[illegible] Bucyrus, Ohio. He was running [illegible] saw and stooped down to remov[illegible] piece of bark. The saw caught [illegible] on the shoulder and drew hi[illegible]inst the teeth and literally sawed [illegible] in two.

With a crash that could be heard for blocks, a three-story building under course of construction on West Ferry street, Buffalo, N. Y., collapsed, carrying down with it thirty bricklayers and carpenters who were at work in and on top of the structure. A score of men were injured, eight of them seriously.

Asa Bullock, a prominent attorney of Northern Indiana, is dead at his home in Hobart, and his daughter, Jessie, is seriously injured as the result of an automobile accident. While driving on a country road near Hammond the horse became frightened at an automobile and plunged down an embankment. Bullock was extricated from beneath the horse and lived only a short time. The girl's body was badly crushed.

While returning from the ball game between Newark and the Columbus American association team at Newark, Ohio, three street cars loaded with players and spectators were in collision. Eleven people were injured, several seriously. A half-dozen cars were running close together. One car stopped and the car behind crashed into it and the third car hit the second, creating a panic among the passengers.

General.

Mayor Augustus S. Miller of Providence, R. I., dropped dead at the Hope club from heart disease. He was born in 1847.

Henry Howard, formerly governor of Rhode Island, and a leading manufacturer, died at his home in Harris, R. I., aged 78.

Eli Jordan, 107 years old, is dead in the eastern part of Pike county, Ala., his demise being due to the infirmaties of old age.

President Roosevelt will be asked to visit Fort Worth during his October trip to the South. He will also be invited to visit the state fair at Dallas.

At the Democratic city and county convention Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland was renominated for a third term. The Johnson adherents controlled the convention with practically no opposition.

The Western Negro Press association has adopted resolutions opposing statehood for the two territories (Indian territory and Oklahoma), unless an absolute guarantee can be given that no "Jim Crow" laws discriminating between the races in public places shall be passed.

The enormous sum that the Standard Oil company pays in dividends yearly is not widely realized. This year the company will pay about $37,000,000. The question as to what amount John D. Rockefeller receives of this amount has often been asked, and though there is no official figures for his holdings of Standard Oil stock, it is thought that he owns at least one-third of the capital.

Capt. David H. Cadotte, a well known master of lake vessels, died at his home in Detroit from a paralytic stroke sustained aboard his ship on Sept. 14. He was born in Algonac, Mich., in 1851.

Wife desertion on the East side in New York has become so common that a movement has been started among leading Hebrews of that quarter to check the evil. Organizations with this end in view are to be formed and a system of following up and causing the arrest of the men who desert their wives and families will be established.

MAY NOT GO TO NEW ORLEANS.

Uncertainty Regarding President's Visit Still Exists.

New Orleans, Oct. 1. — With the steady improvement in the yellow fever [illegible] there is expected to be a [illegible] reaction beginning next [illegible] forces now employed under [illegible]es of the government in [illegible] eradicate the disease. [illegible] of uncertainty regarding [illegible] President Roosevelt [illegible] there is some appre[illegible] decision of the American [illegible] Health association to have [illegible]ommittee communicate to the president its sentiments of opposition to the visit at this time may cause the cutting out of New Orleans from the present trip.

[illegible]ellow fever report to 6 p. m. yes[illegible]: New cases, 28; total to date, [illegible] deaths, 2; total to date, 386; [illegible] foci, 5; cases under treatment, [illegible] discharged, 2,340.

[illegible]TCH POSTAL CARDS.

Order Is Issued to Postmasters to Enforce Rules Strictly.

Washington, Oct. 1. — Acting Postmaster General Hitchcock in a circular mailed yesterday to all postmasters has renewed the campaign started recently against objectionable post cards. He had called attention to the rules, which bar from the mails every card that bears a picture or language that is indecent, obscene or improperly suggestive, and constituted every postmaster the judge of this kind of art. The use of the mails for pictorial cards has become so extensive that the department says it has extended the comic valentine season over the entire year. Most of the complaints come from persons who have been the recipients of vulgar cards mailed anonymously.

MAY USE KNIFE YET AGAIN.

Physicians Will Operate on Dr. Harper If He Proves Strong Enough.

Chicago, Oct. 1. — President William R. Harper of the University of Chicago, it was said yesterday, faces the possibility of another operation should his condition continue to improve sufficiently to make him strong enough to bear one. The operation performed last week did not accomplish all that the physicians wished, and they are now contemplating the entire removal of the larger intestine. At present the patient's stomach is drained through [illegible] rubber tube attached to the [illegible]ll intestine. Dr. Harper passe[illegible]d night and sat up for a whil[illegible]y morning.

[illegible] HOLDS TRAIN.

[illegible] Refuses to Leave Train Sans Culotte.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 1. — E. D. Hall of Omaha delayed passenger traffic half an hour yesterday by the row he raised over the loss of his only pair of trousers, which had been stolen from him in a Pullman sleeper. He was in the through car, and when an attempt was made to get him out so the car could proceed west he refused to budge. The officials, in despair, finally rushed down town and secured him a makeshift covering for his extremities.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Oct. 2. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-8@86 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 80@83 1-2c; No. 3, 78@81c. Corn — No. 3 yellow, 51@51 1-2c. Oats — No. 3 white, 27@27 1-2c.

Duluth, Oct. 2. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 81 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 78 3-4c; flax, 98 1-4c; rye, 64c.

Minneapolis, Oct. 2. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 83 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 82 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 80c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26c.

Milwaukee, Oct. 2. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 87@88c; No. 2 Northern, 83@86c. Rye—No. 1, 68@69c. Barley—No. 2, 54c. Oats—Standard, 28 1-4@29 1-4c.

Chicago, Oct. 2. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 86@86 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 84 1-2@89c; No. 3 hard, 83 1-4@86c; No. 1 Northern, 90c; No. 2 Northern, 86@89c. Corn—No. 2, 51 3-4@52c. Oats—No. 2, 27@27 1-2c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 2.—Cattle — Beeves, $4.50 @ 5.70; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.70; stockers and feeders, $3@4; calves and yearlings, $2.50 @3.25. Hogs—Bulk, $5.15@5.20.

Chicago, Oct. 2. — Cattle—Good to prime steers, $3.60 @ 6.15; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.45; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.15@5.85; bulk, $4.40@5.75. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $4.60 @ 5; native lambs, $5.25@7.25; Western lambs, $5.75@7.

South St. Paul, Oct. 2. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50 @4; butcher bulls, $2.75@3.50; veals, $2@4.50; good to choice stock steers, $2.50@3.50; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs—Range price, $5.25 @ 5.50; bulk, $5.30@5.40. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good, $4@5; good to choice yearling wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.40.

Elevator Burned.

West Concord, Minn., Oct. 1. — Fire broke out last night at 8 o'clock in Wagner & Son's elevator and the building and contents were totally destroyed. The building was an old frame structure and only a small amount of grain was in the building.

Many Die of Cholera.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 1. — It is officially announced that fifty cases of cholera, of which twenty-eight resulted fatally, occurred in Poland between Sept. 20 and Sept. [illegible]

POOLED TO FIX LEGISLATION

NEW YORK LIFE, EQUITABLE AND MUTUAL PUT UP MONEY TO MOLD LAWS.

LOOK AFTER STATE LAW MILLS

MEN EMPLOYED BY THREE COMPANIES TO KEEP TAB ON LEGISLATURES.

REPLETE WITH SENSATIONS

JACOB SCHIFF ACCUSES HYDE OF TRYING TO SHIELD HIMSELF.

New York, Oct. 1. — When the legislative committee on the insurance investigation adjourned yesterday until next Wednesday it concluded a week in which greater progress had been made than in any week since the investigation was begun. The testimony of witnesses that have been called during the week has been replete with sensations and that taken yesterday was no exception to the rule.

It was during the afternoon session yesterday when Alfred W. Maine, an associate auditor of the Equitable Life Assurance society, was called to the stand that it was disclosed that the Equitable Life, the Mutual Life and the New York Life companies had formed a pool to

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before the various state legislatures. Andrew Hamilton, to whom President McCall of the New York Life paid several checks, the purpose of which the counsel for the committee, Mr. Hughes, has not yet brought to light, was one of the chief members of the legal staff for these companies and was employed and received money for services from the Equitable. Witness presented vouchers for moneys paid by his company to Mr. Hamilton, and these showed that in eight years, from 1895 to 1903, the sum of $65,596 was paid to Mr. Hamilton for legal services. Mr. Maine could not give any details of the duties performed by Mr. Hamilton nor of the committees he appeared before beyond the fact that Mr. Hamilton looked after legislative matters for all three companies in the states west of Ohio.

Valuation Cut in Half.

He was followed in the afternoon session by Edward Devlin, the real estate manager of the New York Life for the United States and Canada. Mr. Devlin was called to testify as to the cost of the building in Paris. He had only the transcripts of the reports this department made to the home office, but it was brought out that the Paris building was carried on the books of the company at a valuation of $1,102,604, whereas, with the original cost and improvements on the building, actual money to the amount of $2,533,104 was paid, over one million being charged off the valuation on the books of the company.

Mr. Devlin was on the stand when adjournment was taken, but he will be called again to submit transcripts of the records to supply further information.

Schiff on the Stand.

Not the least important development of the day was the appearance on the stand of Jacob Schiff, head of the banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Mr. Schiff was the first witness of the day, and he remained on the stand until 2 o'clock.

Most of the time Mr. Schiff reclined leisurely in the chair on the witness stand, but as one point after another was brought out he grew excited and vigorously defended his attitude while a director of the Equitable society, and claimed his firm had acted in a conscientious manner in all its dealings with the society. At the conclusion of his testimony, and before the committee could adjourn, Mr. Schiff asked to be allowed to make a statement. He was permitted, and made

An Impassioned Attack

on the state superintendent of insurance and statements he had made concerning Kuhn, Loeb & Co. during the investigation of the Equitable. During his testimony, regarding the power of the finance committee of the Equitable society, Mr. Schiff waxed warm in his explanation and said that the entire committee was at the mercy of one man. "It was all Hyde," said Mr. Schiff, "all Hyde and Alexander." Mr. Schiff hotly accused Mr. Hyde of trying to shield himself.

ACQUIT BANK OFFICIAL.

Charge of Grand Larceny Is Not Sustained.

Caldwell, Ohio, Oct. 1. — Herbert O. Barber, former vice president of the defunct Commercial Bank of Cambridge, Ohio, was acquitted last night by a jury of the charge of grand larceny in connection with the alleged misappropriation of securities intrusted to the bank. The trial was held here under a change of venue, Barber claiming he could not secure a fair trial in Cambridge.

TELL OF JAIL [illegible]

Sensational Testimony Offered in the Trial of Turnkey Childers.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 1. — Testimony yesterday in the case of J. M. Childers, charged with assisting the United States postoffice robbers, Trainor and Cunningham, of the Eddie Fay gang, to escape from the county jail, was more sensational than had been expected. Prisoners at the county jail, including William Crane, the third member of the Trainor gang, testified that Childers deliberately planned with Trainor, Cunningham and Crane to aid them in their escape and that he permitted the tw oformer to get away after receiving $400 from each of them. William Aird, and alleged horse thief, who was in the same cell with Cunningham, testified that chinders brought in a blanket to Cunningham, and in it were found a stone hammer, a chisel and an auger with which he loosened the cement and cut a hole through the stone floor of his cell. He then stripped, greased himself with soap and slid through the narrow hole in the floor.

MAY TAKE ROSE'S DARE.

Milwaukee Expectantly Awaiting Report of Grand Jury.

Milwaukee, Oct. 1. — Milwaukee was agog all day yesterday and late into the night awaiting the expected final report of the grand jury which is finishing up four months of work investigating boodle in city, county and state affairs. The expectation that there would be indictments was, however, not fulfilled, for it is said that the bundle of indictments which the grand jury intends to return was so big that all could not be prepared last night, and the district attorney's force was obliged to spend the night preparing the necessary papers for presentation to-day. When the jury reports every ear will expect the indictment of Mayor Rose.

BADLY HURT IN EXPLOSION.

Man Carries Light Into Well Where Gasoline Has Soaked In.

Ada, Minn., Oct. 1. — A terrific gas explosion occurred at Twin Valley at the Northern Pacific pumping station. Alfred Hawkins, who is in charge of the pump house, descended with a lantern into the well over which the house is built. As he proceeded he detected the presence of gas and he hurriedly retreated up the ladder, not soon enough, however, to prevent a terrific explosion, which completely wrecked the pump house. Mr. Hawkins was seriously burned, but it is thought he will recover. A barrel of gasoline had been emptied near the well and some of it had soaked into the ground and thence to the water.

ELOPED WITH YOUNG WOMAN.

Farm Hand Runs Away With Sixteen-Year-Old Girl.

Ortonville, Minn., Oct. 1. — John Nelson, a farm hand, eloped with the sixteen-year-old daughter of a prominent farmer living seven miles northeast of this city. Nelson came to Ortonville and secured a livery team in the night and took the girl from a second-story window of her home and drove north about twenty miles and tied the team in the yard of a farmer named Sol Peters. No further trace of the couple has been found.

PROPOSED NEW COUNTY.

Norman May Be Divided and Mahnomen Made the Seat.

Ada, Minn., Oct. 1. — A project is on foot to divide Norman county, forming a new county of the sixteen townships in the reservation which at present belong to this county. Popular sentiment here seems to be in favor of the division and a petition asking for separation will be circulated in the near future. Mahnomen, the thriving new town on the Soo, would be the county seat.

Smothered to Death.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 1. — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sackett of this city were horror-stricken yesterday morning upon awakening to discover that their six-months-old baby girl, lying between them, was dead. The coroner was summoned, and after an investigation, declared that the child had simply got tangled in the bed clothing and smothered to death.

Mob Eager for Lynching.

Janesville, Wis., Oct. 1. — Henry King, aged thirty years, was brought into this city last night to prevent his lynching by a mob of farmers which wanted revenge for the alleged assault of the nine-year-old daughter of George Nichols of the town of Porter, eight miles from here.

Albert Scheffer Dead.

St. Paul, Oct. 1. — Albert Scheffer, pioneer resident of St. Paul, and for many years prominent in city and state politics, died at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. He was sixty-three years old. Mr. Scheffer was afflicted with tumor of the spleen.

Thresher and Grain Burn.

Spring Valley, Minn., Oct. 1. — A separator owned by Nelson & Degroadt was burned yesterday and with it seven large stacks of oats owned by Jonas McNee, about four miles from this place.

Drowned in a Cistern.

St. Paul, Oct. 1. — Gertrude Butler, a domestic, fell into a cistern in the basement of the Kittson house, Summit and Selby avennes last night and was drowned before she could be rescued.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Antonson's threshing machine was burned near Perham, the fire being the work of an incendiary.

The new canning factory at Chaska is a great success. It turns out about 30,000 cans of corn a day.

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John Schwarz has been appointed postmaster of Welcome. There were five candidates for the position.

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Former Sheriff Fredrich Hecklin died at the home of his son, Hugo Hecklin of Chaska, of heart trouble, aged 78.

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Two Northern Pacific freight trains collided in the yards at Perham. An engine and a caboose were damaged.

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A. G. Armstrong of Hudson, Wis., has bought the Deuel Hardware company's stock at Leroy, which was recently traded to a land company.

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Bishop Van Buren of Porto Rico is the guest of Rev. C. C. Rollit of Red Wing. He is in the United States in the interest of his work on the island.

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Charles McKissic, 27 years old, from Atlantic, Iowa, committed suicide in Morgan by hanging, after having cut himself with a razor. He was a threshing hand.

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Jack Korber, a Finnish miner, employed at the Commodore mine at Two Harbors, was caught in the ship road and was crushed to death. He was a single man.

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Howard P. Bell of New York has purchased a building lot and will construct a two-story business and hotel block at Little Falls. It will be completed by Jan. 1.

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Judge Williston of Red Wing has filed an order granting Anna Elizabeth Smith a divorce from John C. Smith. She charges desertion. They were married at Oronoco, Minn., in 1872.

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Mrs. Nels Jenson, wife of a prominent farmer living near Swanville, was knocked down and trampled by a runaway horse. Despite all that medical aid could do, she died after a few hours.

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At a meeting of the village council of Winnebago City a franchise was granted to John Sharp, P. J. McGuggan and R. G. Reynolds to put in a sewer system at a cost of $5,000.

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Miss Ruby Gustafson, an employe in the Cokato canning factory, got her head too near the shafting rod, her hair became caught in the machinery, and she was completely scalped.

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The Pitman hotel at Stillwater has changed management. Mr. and Mrs. James McNavin, who owned and conducted it, have gone to New Albany, Ind., to reside. The hotel was purchased by John P. Halvorson, a ranch owner of South Dakota.

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The thriving new town of Mahnomen has a $5,000 new school building in process of erection. The town boards of Viding, Lee, Kragnes, Morken and Georgetown will hold a joint meeting to discuss drainage plans and to cooperate in their execution.

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Des Moines men are at Zumbrota, looking over the clay deposits with the view of developing them. Samples stood the test well. Pressed brick and building tile are to be manufactured, as well as pottery of all kinds. A stock company will be incorporated.

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John Kral, aged about twenty-three, son of John F. Kral, a farmer, was found dead on the railroad right of way about one and one-half miles south of Montgomery. He had been run over by a night train while he was on his way home in a state of intoxication.

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A "wheat extra" freight train, composed of Soo line cars, was wrecked one miles east of Westport. Eleven cars were derailed and thrown into the ditch. Other cars were piled promiscuously across the track and completely obstructed the road, delaying all traffic over thirty hours.

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The Fillmore county Agricultural society, which has been in straitened circumstances for several years, is rejoicing over the results of the fair just closed, because it will be able to pay all its premiums, lift its debt, and have a balance in the treasury. The recent fair was the most successful in years.

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A peculiar thing happened on the farm of Martin Peterson, near Renville, recently. On Aug. 17 Mr. Peterson lost a young dog while stacking wheat. While threshing last week the dog was found alive inside one of the stacks. It had eaten the heads off from four bundles of wheat. The animal was shut up for over four weeks without water.

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The will of the late Hiram T. King was admitted to probate at Stillwater. It was a brief one, and leaves all his real and personal property to his mother, Mrs. Dorothy S. King of Stillwater. William D. King of Minneapolis, a brother, was designated as administrator.

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The annual fair of the Cass county Agricultural association was held at Sylvian Lake. The premium list was a very liberal one and the exhibits far surpassed what was expected by the officers.

STATE NEWS OF INTEREST

STATE'S WEALTH INCREASED.

Personal Property Valuation Is $9,000,000 Higher.

According to the returns from the county board of equalization now in the hands of the state board, the assessed valuation of personal property in the state has increased nearly $9,000,000 during the year. The valuation in 1904 was $149,684,181 and the returns for 1905 show $158,307,416. As more increases than decreases are made by the board, the increase for the year will be greater than the present figures show.

Te board is about half through with its work, having finished most of the items of cattle, farm machinery and household goods. Manufacturers and dealers' goods, bank and other stocks and credits still remain to be considered.

The returns show a considerable falling off in the values of household furniture of different kinds. For furniture and wearing apparel there is a decrease from $17,771,259 last year to $13,925,313 this year. Gold and silverware shows a decrease of nearly a third, the valuation last year being $272,956 and this year $184,517. Diamonds and jewelry also show a decrease, the returns being $241,561, as compared with $379,473 last year. Office furniture, on the other hand, shows an increase from $1,262,198 last year to $1,443,132 in 1905.

Threshing machinery has increased during the year. The return this year is $1,451,959, and the valuation last year was $1,384,124. Other agricultural tools show a decrease, $4,548,246 this year, as against $5,272,602 a year ago.—M.

WITHDRAW TO SAVE TROUBLE.

Minnesota Grain Inspectors Quit Superior.

The state railroad and warehouse commission, in order to remove any ground for complaint and out of desire to prevent any possibility of violating the laws of Wisconsin, have decided to withdraw all grain inspectors at Wisconsin wharves or elevators. Commissioner C. F. Staples, while on a trip inspecting a crossing at State Line, near Duluth, took occasion to look into the grain inspection at Duluth, and the commission has sent a letter to Gov. Johnson, informing him of the complete withdrawal of inspection from the Superior wharves.

The governor had referred the matter to the commissioners when he received the letter from Gov. La Follette complaining of the action of the Minnesota inspectors. The commissioner states that he has looked up all the cases cited by the Wisconsin governor and found that they were on board vessels where he believed the Minnesota inspectors had jurisdiction, but since the Wisconsin authorities feel it a violation of the law he has instructed the Minnesota inspectors to see that grain loaded in Superior shall be steamed either into Duluth harbor or into neutral waters, where the inspectors may take samples of the grain.

TAKE FOODS ABOUT STATE.

Dairy Commission State Fair Exhibit to Be Shown at County Fairs.

The exhibit which the state dairy and food commission had at the dairy building of the state fair will be exhibited at several of the the county fairs this month. The exhibit will be shown at Blue Earth, Albert Lea and Fairmount this month. Several other counties have applied for the exhibit, but as there are conflicting dates it has not been decided which of them will get it.

Inspector E. B. Heilberg will have charge of the exhibit and will explain to the fair visitors what the department is doing for pure food. Commissioner E. K. Slater will accompany him part of the time.

The exhibit attracted much attention at the state fair. It consisted of about 100 samples of food which had been found illegal by the department. Many of the samples shown were found to contain matter dangerous to health and others were fraudulent because improperly labeled.

The exhibit to be shown at the county fairs will be practically the same as that shown at the state fair.

Railways Make Money.

Gross earnings of $55,745,273.17 for the entire system, and $2,843,441.48 for Minnesota were reported in the annual statement of the Chicago & North-Western Railway company to the state railway and warehouse commission. The operating expenses in the state amounted to $2,189,871.89 and over the system $36,561,234.83, giving gross earnings of $2,843,441.48 for Minnesota and $653,569.59 net income, while for the entire system the net earnings were $19,184,040.34.

The Duluth, Virginia & Rainy Lake Railway company, a logging road, showed gross earnings of $14,509.01, operating expenses of $6,315.36, and a net income of $8,193.65.

The Minneapolis Railway Transfer company of Minneapolis gave its gross earnings as $150,757.45, operating expenses $135,069.16 and net income $15,688.29.

The movement to increase the saloon licenses at Fond du Lac from $200 to $500 was defeated at the special election. Complete returns give 1,802 for the $200 license, 1,106 for $500 and 89 for $350.

STATE FAIR MADE BIG PROFIT.

Figures Are $39,643.33 Ahead of Fair of 1904.

This year's state fair has come out $39,643.33 ahead of the fair of 1904.

This is demonstrated by the financial statement made up at the meeting of the state fair directors at the fair grounds at Hamline. This year's total receipts were $238,200.05—$32,390.38 more than the receipts of 1904. The total disbursements this year were $149,876.62, which is $7,252.95 less than last year.

The following statement may be subject to slight changes in the auditing of $28,000 in unpaid accounts, but is otherwise right in every detail.

The treasurer's statement of the 1905 fair finances is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance Dec. 10, 1904	$48,680.10
State appropriation	4,000.00
Stall rent	1,120.75
Forage	1,627.27
Privileges	22,483.25
Races	15,763.90
Tickets	125,380.20
Rents	938.15
St. Louis expense refunded	322.88
State Breeders' association	188.50
Expense refunded	155.00
Street Railway company, repairs on barn	160.00
Checks returned	21.25
Berman judgment	34.35
Interest	972.91
Fruit sold	7.15
Cloth and evergreen sold	32.10
Desk sold	12.50
Sand and nails	1.85
Coal sold	28.75
Lumber sold	21.00
Allemania bank div.	.52
Special premium by Yorkshire club	40.00
Shorthorn Breeders' association	2,112.50
Butter sold	576.00
Cheese sold	194.17
Official program	2,704.25
Advertisements in premium list	559.00
Fines	614.00
Miscellaneous receipts	87.35
Total credits to date	$228,818.55
Railway tickets out for collection	9,381.50
Total	$238,200.05
1904 receipts	205,809.67
Excess receipts, 1905 over 1904	$32,390.38

DISBURSEMENTS.

Accounts of former years		$456.54
Attractions		19,234.74
Advertising		3,403.91
Forage, fuel, etc.		527.91
Labor, material		5,382.61
Officers		5,900.00
Postage, telegrams, etc.		682.80
Premiums		18,676.79
Races, suspensions, etc.		22,645.75
Superintendent's assistants, etc.		16,348.86
Permanent improvements		22,117.37
Expense		6,569.34
Unpaid accounts		28,000.00
	$149,876.62	$149,876.62
Balance	88,329.43	
1904 disbursements		$157,129.57
Excess of 1904 disbursements over 1905		7,252.95
Present ticket account		$125,380.20
Add railway tickets		9,381.50
		$134,761.70

The directors in the afternoon were occupied nearly the entire time with the consideration of propositions for plans of the new live stock pavilion which is to be erected before next year. The last legislature appropriated $50,000 for this building on the condition that the fair management expend from their funds $50,000 more, making $100,000 in all. The directors have practically decided to select the site near where the live stock judging tent stood during the last fair. The building will be brick, with steel frame, and have a seating capacity of 7,500.

The directors authorized Secretary Randall to next season employ two men, instead of one as was the case this year, in beautifying the grounds with flower beds and general park improvements. The secretary was also authorized to employ men for making general repairs on the various buildings which needed attention.

New Uniforms for Guardsmen.

Adjt. Gen. F. B. Wood will advertise for bids Oct. 2 for the new dress uniforms for the national guard, and the uniforms will be distributed to the guardsmen before the beginning of the new year.

This is the new dress uniform, patterned after the new dress uniforms of the regulars. The blouses have stand-up collars instead of the turn-down collars of the old uniforms, and will have the insignia of the rank and detail of the wearer. The infantry uniforms will be piped with blue trimmings, the artillery with red and the engineer corps with red and white. The caps have the bell crown instead of the straight up on the old style.

The problem of providing shoes will be taken up soon. Each member must purchase his own shoes, but they are purchased through the department. The shoes which the department will purchase are of two kinds, one a heavy shoe at $3.50 and the other lighter at $2.50, both tans.

BLIND PIGS WIPED OUT.

Itasca County Attorney's Report to the Governor.

Gov. Johnson recently wired County Attorney George H. Spears of Itasca county regarding alleged blind pigs in the county, and received a reply that the blind pigs had been practically exterminated. The governor had received numerous complaints that blind pigs were run in the vicinity of the logging camps and that they were to blame for many crimes.

LOOK FOR HOLES IN GAME LAW.

Hunters Want to Bring Home Big Strings.

Can a person who has been hunting ship twenty-five ducks by express and on the same train carry fifty with him? Are the ducks that he ships in the possession of the railroad company? These are among the interesting questions that are asked of the state game and fish commission.

The law requires that a hunter shall not have in his possession more than fifty ducks at one time. Some hunters are not satisfied with fifty, however, and they want to find out if one bunch of birds is not in possession of the railroad while being shipped. The attorney for the commission, however, advises hunters that to be on the safe side they would better not take chances, for even if the express shipment is technically in the possession of the company during shipment the hunter would have more than the allotted number as soon as he gets his shipment from the depot.

The license permits the hunter to make two shipments of twenty-five birds each and to carry as many as he pleases, provided he never has more than fifty in his possession at one time. Therefore the commission rules that it is perfectly legal for the hunter to ship his full number and carry more if he goes by another train. This cannot be done the same day, though, for then the hunter would have in his possession just before making the shipment more than the legal number. The shipment must be far enough away to permit him to make his string by shooting not more than fifteen per day.

One hunter reported that at one shot he killed seven chickens. If he had had ten before, would the shooting of the seven be a violation of law? Or if he had fourteen would two in the next shot be a violation of the law? The board gives as its advice: "Don't shoot!" but says that if he can prove that it was unintentional to hit more than one bird he will not be held liable.

The commission has thus far issued a total of ½45 licenses to hunters not residents of the state. To residents of Ramsey county 1,802 licenses have been issued to date, or nearly one for every hundred of population, and it is expected that the number will be greater before the close of the season. In Hennepin 1,271 have been issued.

PAY FOR THE TIMBER.

Firms Pay Double the Value, Less What They Have Paid.

Three state timber trespass cases were settled by the state timber board at a meeting in St. Paul. The cases were settled at double the damage as provided by law, minus what the companies had already paid into the treasury. The board has power to settle at double values, but the members are uncertain whether they had a right to make any reductions, and therefore the suits were not discussed and will not be until the action of the board is approved by the legislature. The dismissal will be recommended by the board to the legislature.

H. F. Brown of Minneapolis had three suits against him, two for alleged trespass and one for a rescale. Settlement was made for $4,108. C. A. Smith of Minneapolis agreed to pay a claim of $1,118, and the Nelson-Tenny Lumber Company of Minneapolis agreed to pay a claim of $693, both of these being for alleged violation of the law in cutting timber after the period of the permit had expired.

Food Is Better Now.

Considerable improvement in the food stuffs sold in Minnesota is shown by tests made during the last few weeks by the state dairy and food department. The list just issued contains the names of eighty-one samples examined by the commission, of which only twenty-four were found illegal. In some former lists half or more were found illegal.

The campaign against illegal blackberry brandy has evidently borne fruit, for in the list are mentioned more than a dozen brands and only one of them illegal. The other violations include several cases of strawberry jam, port wine, strawberry pop, lemon extract and preserves colored with coal tar dyes and a few containing glucose or preserved with salicylic acid. Several illegal species are mentioned, but the violation in most cases is not adulteration, but a failure to state the weight of the contents of the package.

White Earth Reds End Council.

Wednesday will go down as a red letter day in the history of the White Earth reservation.

After a three-day continuous council the great majority of the people of the reservation, together with four-fifths of their chiefs and head men, voted to have their reallotment of land as made by Agent Simon Michelet on April 24 last, and as provided by the Steenerson land measure, remain unchanged and undisturbed, and to have the balance of the allotments which are yet to be made continued under the same rules and regulations.

The people are well pleased at the sale and the impartial manner in which Inspector James M. McLaughlin conducted the several hearings. The action of the people completely exonerates Agent Michelet from censure for unfairness in the matter of reallotment, with which efforts had been made to reflect upon his official capacity in the matter.

IN FAR NORTHLAND

Tid-Bits of News for Scandinavians.

UNDER SWEDEN'S OPPRESSION.

Augustus Strindberg Writes on Scandinavian Situation.

The jingo press is much agitated about Strindberg's latest: "A Free Norway." The pamphlet appeared in Berlin a few days ago and since then the telegraph is kept busy with extracts and commentaries. The publication came a good deal as a surprise, as only recently Strindberg expressed himself to the effect that he was "not in politics," but took interest in literature only.

Really the most remarkable thing about the pamphlet is the preface, dated "Furusund, July 16th, 1905." It reads as follows:

"Even into our youthful world of ideas, my own and my schoolmates', crept the knowledge that Norway was an oppressed country, suffering injustice at the hands of Sweden. As a consequence, we boys dreamt of free Norway, and Bjoernson was the hero to bring about the freedom of the sister country.

"Though Norway's independence in the union had never been guaranteed, she had in the course of years become a vassal state, lorded over by Sweden. Swedish ministers of state had broken the constitution to hurt Norway. Norway was a victim of low trickery. The Swedish people recognized the fact and tried to make good by the sympathies extended to the Norwegians to the victims of the injustice.

"Then those Swedes who had retained their sense of justice were called traitors—those were hot times during the years 1880 to 1884.

"Today Norway is free, and I am glad and thankful that at least one of my youthful ideals is realized. That Bjoernson is not satisfied with things as they are, I am sorry to hear. It all happened, it seems, without his assistance. Peace to him!

"Meanwhile free Norway gives valuable lessons to the world. She exhibits before the world the spectacle of how a nation is governed by parliament and ministers without a monarch or president—just a provisional government. And everything goes well; the government machine works as smoothly, in fact more smoothly, than when a king was at the head of affairs. Norway shows the world how easy it is to govern a nation without a king, court president and a lot of obsolete ragamuffins of all sorts.

"That the Norwegians really want a Swedish prince for king—that is a good joke. They had their choice between an inspector of cavalry (Prince Charles), a landscape painter (Prince Eugene), and a sea cadet (Prince William). Just imagine old, unconquered Norway 'ruled' by a sea cadet!

"Yet Sweden took the joke in bloody earnest. It debated most seriously about the sea cadet.

"From my summer home floats the Swedish flag without the union sign. That mark of Cain has vanished, for the brother has ceased to injure his brother. At least let us hope that he has. —August Strindberg."

TO BOYCOTT NORWEGIANS.

Large Firm in Sweden Sends Out Interesting Letter.

Aftenposten of Christiania says that it has discovered a plan for a systematic boycott against Norwegian business men on the other side of Kjoelen. In support of this allegation, it republishes a letter received by an important house in England from a large firm in Sweden. The letter is dated Stockholm, Aug. 16, 1905, and is as follows:

"Referring to our pleasant business connection for years past, we are very sorry to inform you that we shall not see our way to continue same in case a natural-born Norwegian is to represent your valued firm in Sweden.

"The unendurable way in which the Norwegians have for many years past treated their neighbors, the phlegmatic and patient Swedes, which have been boycotted almost in every branch, and moreover, cut up in the Norwegian press, has finally had the result that we have lost the patience.

"In order to disprove all the mendacious statements which the Norwegians have been impudent enough to insert in your papers, we are sending you a pamphlet recently published by the Swedish parliament concerning the union affairs.

"Tendering you our thanks for the business connection we have had together during the past years, we remain, dear sir,"

Chicago Dentist Is a Professor.

Dr. John N. Sandblom, a Chicago dentist and a native of Sundsvall, Sweden, has been offered the position of dentistry and dental clinics at the University of Christiania. He has spent the past six months at the leading medical schools in Europe.

Reunion of the Magelssens.

An interesting family reunion took place at Christiania, Norway, on Sept. 1, when nine children of Dean Wilhelm Christian Magelssen of West Toten met for the first time in years. Of the eleven children in the family, the eldest, Claus F. Magelssen, of the Norwegian Lutheran synod in America, died last year, and Jens C. M. Magelssen, a farmer in America, was prevented from attending. It is noteworthy that four of five sons were clergymen, and five of the six daughters married clergymen.

REDS IN PERIL OF STARVATION

MAJ. SCOTT OF LEECH LAKE FEARS FOR LIVES OF AGED INDIANS.

SITUATION IS VERY GRAVE

WILD RICE AND HAY CROPS ON CHIPPEWA RESERVATIONS FAILURES.

HUNDREDS ARE IN DANGER

AGENT SAYS THAT 1,000 WILL BE FACE TO FACE WITH STARVATION.

Duluth, Oct. 1. — Unless the federal government intervenes, at least 1,000 Indians of the Leech Lake reservation will be face to face with the peril of death by starvation during the coming winter, declared Maj. George L. Scott. Maj. Scott, who is the Indian agent at Leech Lake, said yesterday:

"The wild rice and hay crops of the Indians are failures on the Chippewa reservations in my care, and I have given information of the situation to the commissioner of Indian affairs. The failure of these crops means a famine for the Indians and their ponies. They will not feel it for the present, but they will as soon as winter closes in. The young and middle-aged bucks can get plenty of work to do and take care of themselves with their earnings, but the older Indians will suffer great privations, if not actually starve to death, unless the government assists them to live through the winter.

Hunger for a Thousand.

"I estimate that one thousand will be face to face with starvation if assistance is not given them.

"Wild rice is a staple product for the Indians, the same as wheat for the white man. Utter failure of this crop and of the hay crop also have put the Indians in the worst possible shape for the winter. I have given the department early notice for fear of delays.

"The government has a legal right under its treaty with the Chippewas of the Mississippi to overflow their lands, and ten years ago paid them $150,000 for such possible emergency. The government is

Exempt From Responsibility

for the damage accruing to the lands, but this is a case where the wards of the nation may die of starvation, and the government will surely come to their assistance without splitting any hairs about responsibility for damage.

"The Chippewa Indians are more concerned, however, over the destruction of the graves of their ancesters by the high water than by the destruction of the rice and hay crops. The bones of chiefs dead for a century or so are being removed to higher land and the Indians are much displeased. They almost would rather see the graves submerged and destroyed than remove the bones.

Self-Selected Graves.

"These dead and gone but well remembered chiefs picked out their burial places before death, usually choosing some point of land overlooking a lake or river. Chief Flatmouth a few days ago informed me that Indian graves were in danger of being inundated at the old agency. The Indians are deeply moved by the destruction of their burial places."

FORGERY STILL IS A MYSTERY.

Securities Obtained From Bank Are Unfound.

New York, Oct. 1. — So far as could be ascertained yesterday no attempt has yet been made by the thief who got possession of $360,000 worth of securities by presenting a forged check for them at the National City bank, to dispose of them. Detectives and the financial men interested in the loss are making every effort to prevent the negotiation or sale of the securities and to find the young man who presented to the bank a forged check bearing what purported to be the signature of Pearl & Co., the owners of the securities.

JUSTIFIABLE KILLING.

Coroner's Jury Verdict Favors Father Who Killed Child's Assailant.

Detroit, Oct. 1. — A coroner's jury found a verdict that William R. Harrington committed justifiable homicide when he killed Charles M. Martin with a baseball bat Thursday. Martin was assaulting Harrington's sixteen-year-old daughter when Harrington attacked him with the bat. Coroner Parker ordered Harrington released from custody.

Find Body in River.

Winnipeg, Oct. 1. — The body of Albert W. Bagnall, who had been missing for five days, was found in Red river yesterday. He evidently committed suicide while despondent. A widow and seven children survive him.

Eagle Chokes on Smoke.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 1. — A eagle in its flight over this city yesterday halted to investigate a tall smoke stack, fell in and choked the chimney's air passage as well as his own.

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HONESTY is the best policy was not necessarily said of life insurance companies.

A STREAK of prosperity must have struck the Moorhead News office this fall, as they are installing a new Mercanthaler typesetting machine.

Now that R. C. Dunn has been vindicated in regard to the mineral land leases, how can he explain away the fact that he was a railroad candidate?

A NUMBER of the republican papers are booming Frank Eddy as a candidate for the nomination for Governor. Gee! won't this be a snap for John A.

A CALIFORNIA paper avers that bad water kills as many people as bad whisky. But, anyway, the latter commodity is cheaper, which is some satisfaction in hard times.

THE Red River valley editors meet at Crookston tomorrow evening for a business session. There is room in the valley for a live editorial association, and the boys can accomplish a great work for their district and themselves.

DR. George A. Koch, who was acquitted on the third trial for the murder of his friend at New Ulm, has decided to move to Minneapolis where he will continue to practice dentistry. Evidently the old town got a little too warm for him, after his acquittal.

THE Lakefield Standard criticizes Governor Johnson because he has praised President Roosevelt. It is hard to suit the Standard, and it is not likely that it would be satisfied even though the governor should censure the president. The standard is showing to what length insane partisanship will lead.

Gov. Sarles, of North Dakota, is out with the prediction that John A. Johnson will succeed himself as governor of Minnesota. Gov. Sarles is everywhere recognized as a shrewd and able politician but if the republicans in Minnesota nominate a good clean man next year he will miss his guess by about 25000 votes.—Wilkin County Gazette.

MINNESOTA PEOPLE may well be proud of the Minneapolis Sunday Journal. It seems to be everything a great Sunday newspaper should be. It has plenty of live news, snappy editorials and a lot of the better kind of general reading matter. There is room for the Sunday Journal, and it will be cordially welcomed in northwestern homes.

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Poor Health

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THE proposition to make a new legislative district out of Red Lake and Marshall counties, suggested by the COURIER, is meeting with a good deal of favorable comment among the newspapers of this vicinity. Norman county, however, objects to being left alone to take care of Beltrami, and the objetcion is well received. Norman has no more in common with its eastern neighbor than has Red Lake.

Is it a coincidence that every time we have a Democratic board of equalization the public service corporations, the lumber trusts, and the "big fellows" generally have their assessments boosted? Under the Lind administration a large number of reforms in assessment were accomplished, and now the first Johnson board closes its session by increasing the Twin City Street Railway company's assessment to $10,000,000 a raise of $2,200,000. The lumber barons, gaslight and packing companies and many other large concerns that have been evading a share of the burden of taxation come in for substantial increases. This may be a coincidence, but it is hardly likely. The solution the average citizen would give is that Governors Lind and Johnson appointed equalizers not afraid to perform their full duty.

Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn-out by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, billiousness, Bright's disease, and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, and your body will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At all drug stores. Price 50c. Guaranteed.

Marriage Licenses.

Issued by clerk of court since Sept 8th, 1905.

Sept 8.—Anton Andersen to Elen W. Carlson, both of St. Hilaire.

Sept 15.—A. K. Lochrein of Barnes Co. N. D. to Christina Aasceby of Norden township.

John Makind, of St. Hilaire, to Emma Engh, of Wyandotte township.

Sept. 16.—Fred Lessard to Lucy Bernier of Lambert township.

Sept. 21.—Julius Shoerge to Minnie Johnson, both of Plummer.

Oct. 2.—W. J. Powland, of Beltrami county, to Katie Olson.

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At all druggist; guaranteed; 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Notice to Threshers.

Any owner or manager of traction engines crossing any bridge or culvert, in the township of Terrebonne who neglects to protect said bridge or culvert by planks as provided by law will be held, responsible for all damage as provided by chap. 151, Law of 1895.

LOUIS PARENTEAU,
Chairman Supervisors.

Presidential election make no change.

No matter which candidate is elected Foleys Honey and Tar will remain the peoples favorite remedy for coughs, colds, and incipient consumption. It cures colds quickly and prevents pneumonia. A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foleys Honey and Tar and eight doses cured me."—A. L. Reichart.

PLUMMER
(From the Pioneer.)

Mrs. Matt Skala, Mrs. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rose drove out from Red Lake Falls last Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends here.

Last week Julis Pleth purchased the Ole Lee farm in Garnes township. This farm is a good one and nicely located adjoining the Garnes postoffice.

Thomas Vietch was in on Wednesday from his home in Equality after a load of supplies. He reports the crops in his vicinity as being unusually good and nearly all saved in good condition.

A special train bearing president Thos. Lowry and a number of the other high officials of the Soo railroad company passed through here on Wednesday. They were on their way home to Minneapolis from a visit to the Pacific coast and came by way of Winnipeg.

Martin Mattson will open up a butcher shop in the new Lanager building and expects to be ready for business the first of the week. He has fixed the place up in the proper shape to run a first class meat market. He has been in the business for about eleven years and has been working in one of the leading shops in Crookston for the past two years.

On last Monday a deal was closed whereby H. C. Selden, of Minneapolis, becomes the owner of all the Bovey Shute Lumber Co's yards in Minnesota. On Tuesday Mr. Selden and W. S. Day, auditor for the Bovey-Shute company, were here to take an inventory of the stock on hand in this yard. From here they went to the other yards to perform a similar duty and they expect to finish this work this week.

The Orignal.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

Fast Tourist Car Service to California

Via Chicago Great Western Railway, Kansas City and the Santa Fe Railway. Car leaves Minneapolis and St. Paul every Thursday, arriving at Los Angelos the following Monday at 8:35 a. m. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn. d31

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal conditton, heaaing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & Co. Sold by druggists, 75c. Toledo, O. Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

The Permanent Novel.

"The novel that has inherent and permanent value that will secure for it a place in literature," said a well known author a few days ago, "rarely exceeds an edition of ten or fifteen thousand copies, and more often the limit is 5,000, while the one that is ephemeral, but catches the public fancy, may have a sale of fifty or a hundred thousand. Books of the latter class put money into the pockets of both author and publisher, but it does not come from the most discriminating readers. Of the class in question the field is limited, and, while they establish the reputation and permanent value of the really literary production, they are not included in the clientele of the author who is willing to sacrifice quality and style to increase his revenues from royalties. The novel that attains a wide but brief popularity does not appeal to the literary class."

Order for Hearing Proof on Claims, etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake, }

IN PROBATE COURT.
Special Term October 3, 1905

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Letters of Testamentary of the estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Cleophas Asselin and Onezime Asselin,

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Furthered Ordered, That the 3rd day of January, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 3rd day of October A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
N. W. TARRENT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

WEALTHY PHILANTHROPIST STARTLES MINNEAPOLIS

City is Excited over the Remarkable Cures of a Mysterious Man Whose Eccentricities Are Startling.

Strange Stories are Told of a quiet Stranger who Distributes great quantities of food and clothing and cures disease without pay.

Minneapolis, Minn. Oct 4th [special.]—The people of this city are greatly excited over a number of remarkable cures which have been effected by a wealthy philanthropist, who is known as the Great Cooper.

His headquaters at Voegeli's Drug Store is besieged with crowds of men and women eager to be cured of their ills.

Cooper is a quiet, gentlemanly person, with the appearance of a student rather than a business man. He is apparently about thirty-one or two years of age. He first came into public notice by his philanthropic work among the poor. The large fortune he possesses has made it possible for him to distribute many wagon loads of food and clothing among those in indigent circumstances since his arrival in Minneapolis.

The first that was known of Cooper's power over disease was when Mr. E. Pomerleau, living at No. 554 Eighth Ave. N., a trusted employee of the Commutator Co. of No 121 First St. N., brought to Voegeli's Drug Store the largest parasite or, tape-worm ever seen in this city, which he claimed had been removed from his system by the Philanthropist. The parasite measured 90 feet in length, and when exhibited to the astonished druggist was still alive and squirming in the glass dish which contained it.

Mr. Pomereau was greatly excited and told the following remarkable story; I have been ill for a long time. Sometimes I had a voracious appetite, and then there would be days when I could eat scarcely anything, and the smell of food nauseated me, I felt tired all the time, and when coming down town to my work felt as though I hardly had the strength to get back home again, although I was a strong, robust man before I was taken ill. I was irritable and had become so nervous and crabbed that I could not be agreeable or pleasant to any one around me, and I felt so tired and worn out all the time that I could not perform my daily labor without the greatest effort. I was weak and emaciated and my skin was sallow. I became moody and depressed in spirits and was greatly worried about myself.

My employer, Mr. Ben Boneau, had seen Mr. Cooper in the East and said he had effected many marvelous cures there and advised me to consult him. I followed his advice and have been taking Cooper's treatment less than one week. Two hours ago this tapeworm passed from my system; now I know what has been troubling me all this time.

Some people would not tell about a matter of this kind, but I beleive in giving credit wherever credit is due, and I want everyone to know what Cooper has done for me. I would do anything in my power for him, for I actually believe he has saved my life.

A few days after this Mr. W. H. McClurg, living at No. 2601 Newton Ave. N., reported that Cooper had cured him of a severe case of Rheumatism and stomache trouble. He said: I have had stomache trouble and Rheumatism for a long time. I heard of a man who had been cured of Rheumatism in one week by Cooper, I did not believe there was a medicine on earth that could cure me, but I decided to try him.

I have been under his treatment for less then two weeks and it has done for me just what it did for the other man. Every trace of Rheumatism and stomach trouble has dissappeared not a sign of it remains, and I feel as well to-day as I ever did in my life. I seem to have been made over. I am gaining rapidly in flesh, my appetite is good and I can eat and digest any kind of food. Cooper is a remarkable man,

This was followed by the still more remarkable cure of Mrs. Catherine Mulvihill, a prominent lady living at No. 2101, Twenty-sixth Ave. S. Mrs. Mulvihill has been sick for fifteen years with a complication of Kidney disease, Rheumatism and stomach trouble, with severe headaches. Physicians and various remedies had failed to benefit her and she had despaired of ever regaining her health. In one week after she began Cooper's treatment she was feeling as well as ever; ever trace of her trouble had disappeared

The report of these remarkable cures flew through the city like wildfire and Voegeli's Drug Store, where Cooper is making his headquarters, is besieged by people suffering from all manner of ailments.

The Physicians of the city are amazed at the work he is doing and have tried to shake the wonderful influence he has over the people; even going so far as to threaten prosecution, but as he does not accept any money for his service and does not give out any medicine himself, they have been powerless to interfere.

Cooper created considerable amusement at the expense of the doctors by asking them why they did not write their prescripions in English, so their patients would know what they were taking.

Since the interest has become so widespread that Cooper cannot meet the people personally, he is receiving an enormous mail and keeps a large force of stenographers employed in answering it. In the meantime stories of marvelous cures continue to pour in

Mr. Lawrence Tuscany, a prominent citizen living at No. 1112 Aldrich Ave. North, was confined to his bed with Rheumatism, stomach trouble and Kidney disease; he was a very sick man and had tried doctor after doctor and spent hundreds of dollars without releif. He had given up all hope of being cured when he heard of Cooper and wrote him a description of his case. The Philanthropist told him what remedies to use, and in three days Mr. Tuscany was out of bed and walking around. In a week he was apparently as well as ever.

In telling of his remarkable cure, Mr. Tuscany walked quickly up and down the room and kicked with his Rheumatic limb in every direction, saying: "I guess that's pretty good for a man who was confined to his bed one week ago. I can use my limbs as well as I ever could in my life. Every trace of my Rheumatism has disappeared and my stomach and Kidneys are in perfect condition. I don't believe there is another medicine on earth like the one Mr. Cooper told me to use, and if I could not get more of the remedy, I would buy fifty dollars' worth right now. It is the greatest medicine I ever heard of."

The Philanthropist claims to have received the formulas of the medicines he is using from an aged priest in a sleepy Spanish town in Old Mexico. The Mexicans believed that holy water or some supernatural element entered into their composition.

Cooper receives an enormous daily mail. Letters are coming from every part of the state, asking for his advice.

The Philanthropist reads every letter carefully and replies to each one, advising the remedy which is applicable to each individual case.

While his remarkable cures are the chief topic of conversation, many stories are heard on the streets and in business places of his goodness to the poor. His gifts of food, money and clothing have relieved a great amount of distress and have greatly endeared him to the people.

He is beginning to show the great strain he has been under the past few weeks, and it is understood that he will remain here only one more week.

Minnesota Baptist State Convention.

On account of the Minnesota Baptist State Convention to be held at Duluth, October 10-13, the Great Northern Railway will sell tickets at reduced rates. For full information regarding trains, and rates, call on your local agent.

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We boomed our Dress Goods trade this fall. Values did it, good values. Velvets are becoming and selling; good choice left. Changeable Velvets, only 60c per yd. Crushed Silk Velvets, only $1.00 per yd. Gloves and Trimmings to match.

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Royal Baking Powder helps the house wife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

C. L. Hanson spent Sunday with friends at Fertile.

Theo. Garceau made a drive over to Crookston on Sunday last.

Dr. and Mrs. Morley came over from Crookston in their touring car on Tuesday forenoon.

R. E. Wyer spent Friday and Saturday visiting with his friend Tom Green at Forest River, N. D.

Oscar F. Post, the St. Hilaire postmaster and merchant, drove down Saturday to look after business matters.

Simon Sinlon went to North Dakota the first of the week with four big teams where he will do some railroad grading.

Jos. Rose was over from Grand Forks the first of this week and took out a crew of carpenters on the Great Northern to repair the bridges.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Sept 30 1905: Jensine Banrud, David Palmer.

John S. Grady returned Saturday morning from Elkton, S. D., near which place he owns a farm, and has been looking after threshing operations.

The "B. B." and "I Lead" cigars, made by "Butch" and "Clem" Brunelle, are proving a success and the boys say that they can not keep up with the demand.

Adam Schmitz moved his household goods to Grand Forks the first of the week and followed with his family on Tuesday mornings train on the Northern Pacific.

Attend the Northwestern Business College, grand Forks, N. Dak. Thorough courses in bookkeeping, shorthand, telegraphy and the English branches. Students may begin any time. Write for catalogue. J 1

Ernest Gerlach who has been working at LaBissoniere store has accepted a similar position with one of the big stores out at Sisseton, South Dakota, and left for that place on Monday evenings train. His many friends here join with the Courier in wishing him unbounded success in his new location.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser is visiting at Crookston.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

Dr. Argue made his regular trip to St. Hilaire on Tuesday morning.

Lars Netterlim, of Roxbury was transacting business at the county seat the first of the week.

Oscar Post was down from St. Hilaire on Tuesday, transacting legal business with the probate Judge.

Mrs. Thos. Germo has been quarantined at her mothers home on account of her little daughter having a light attack of Scarlatina.

John E. King returned Saturday evening to St. Paul, after spending a couple of weeks looking after business matters in Red Lake Falls.

John Kortschever, of Tilden, spent several days of last week visiting with friends here. He returned to his home on Saturday night.

Ralph Wyer leaves tomorrow for Toronto, Ont., where he will be employed by a concern the head of which is M. W. Savage, the owner of the famous "Dan Patch"

Harry Healy, S. L. Lewis and Ernest Buse spent last Sunday out at Goose Lake and as a result bagged upwards of fifty ducks. Better look out boys, that you don't crowd the limit.

James I. Wyer, president of the First State Bank, left Saturday evening for his home at Excelsior, after spending several weeks looking after business matters in Red Lake Falls.

W. J. Harlow, teacher at the Patnode school was called to his home near Milwaukee Saturday by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother. He will probably be absent most of the week.

The storekeepers have decided to keep their places of business open until eight o'clock in the evening from now until after the first of January. This was decided upon and put into effect on Monday.

The case of Ernest Buse vs. the First State Bank was heard by Judge Watts Thursday and Friday, but the evidence was not all presented and the case has been adjourned until October 23—a few days before the regular term of court commences.

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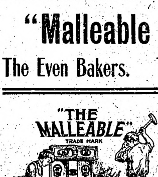
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ARE you going to buy a STEEL RANGE?

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Then the Malleable is very easily cleaned; its exterior is of Polished Steel, not of black painted iron. Surfaces all perfectly smooth, no corners to catch the dirt or grease.

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Established 1878 Gen'l Hardware

Louis Berthune was a St. Paul visitor for a few days last week.

George Frick was up from Fertile buying horses the first of this week.

Iza Tibbets commenced a term of school in the Louisville district Monday.

Adam Zeh made a business trip to Fargo on Monday evening passenger.

The walls of the new school house on the north-side will be finished this week.

Mrs. Oliver Blair will visit for the next two weeks with friends in Grand Forks.

October 1st is the first sign that Minnesota people have had of Jack Frost this fall.

Button's Business College Crookston, Minnesota, begins a new term October 9. Enroll now.

Groshong & Blake shipped a car load of cattle to the St. Paul market on Monday of this week.

Mrs. N. J. St. Aubin and little daughter are visiting with the home folks at Gentilley this week.

Wm. Biteman left Wednesday for Glasgow, Montana where he has purchased a saloon property.

Moses Allard went to Grand Forks Wednesday where he will work with a bridge carpentering crew.

John Grady returned from Mitchell, S. D., where he has spent some time looking after his farm property.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

Geo. L. Austin, the buttermaker at St. Hilaire, was transacting business at the county seat on Wednesday of this week.

H. F. Kruegar and wife returned from Crookston Monday and will make their home in this city for a short time at least.

A special train, containing the N. P. officials passed thru Red Lake Falls on Monday morning on an inspection trip of the road.

J. A. Duffy is to have a cement side walk placed in front of his residence on third street. Herman Lindner is to do the work.

The property next to J. N. Nimegarm's confectionery store on the north side has a cement side walk placed in front of it this week.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a bazar early in December. Watch for full particulars to be published later.

Girls, if you want red lips, laughing eyes, sweet breath and good looks use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea The greatest beautifier known. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

Nap Miller moved his family and household goods to Grand Forks the first of this week where they will make their home. Mr. Miller has accepted a position as barber in the Hotel Dakota shop.

Indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, kidney and liver disorders, and all stomach troubles positively cured by using Hollister's Rockey Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

Mrs. C. F. Johnson moved her household goods to Minneapolis the first of this week where she will join her husband and sons who are working there. They expect to make their home in the city.

Will Lachapelle who has been spending the past few months out in Washington and Oregon returned to Red Lake Falls on Monday morning of this week. He says that old Minnesota is good enough for him in the future.

Rev. Father Fayolle returned Friday morning from Minneapolis, where he went last week for a few days' recreation. While in the city he also looked after the purchase of books and supplies for St. Joseph's parochial school.

Herman Linder has received his concrete block making machinery and will soon be making concrete blocks to be used for foundations. These blocks are rapidly taking the place of stone foundations and this new industry will no doubt be a success.

The columns of the COURIER are not as well filled as usual this week owing to the fact that we are a stranger in a strange land and laboring under difficulties that are hard to overcome. As soon as we are able to secure a practical printer for the mechanical department we will issue a twelve page paper.

Is it exactly fair for a person, year after year, to read the COURIER or any other paper and never pay anything for it? Every type set in a printing office costs money, and people who read the papers are in honor bound to help pay for the work of making them. Don't you think so? Do those who read the COURIER belonging to their neighbor do exactly the fair thing?

New Cure For Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at all drug stores.

Our candies are fresh, no old stock.—Spillane's.

L. C. Simons went to St. Paul on Wednesday evenings train on land business.

Charles Bourdon made a business trip up into North Dakota on Monday morning.

Mrs. Marshall left last Friday for St. Paul to visit for a few days with her son who is attending school there.

Jos. Lachance returned the last of last week from his trip up into Canada where he visited with relatives for a short time.

Mrs. Anna Kretschzmar returned to her home at Thief River Wednesday after a short visit at the home of W. A. Scheriter.

The balance of the proceedings of the county commissioners meeting will be found on the last page of this issue of the Courier.

Otto Steinert went up to Thief River Wednesday where he will work for a month or so for the Hanson-Brazen Milling Co.

Supt. of Schools McAnulty is out on a round of visits to the schools of the county and will be absent from his office for about ten days.

County Attorney Germo returned last Sunday from Mapleton, Minn., where he was called earlier in the week to attend his mothers funeral.

On Friday evening of last week J. R. Pouliot left for Granite Falls Minn., where he has accepted a positon as clerk in the Bangs general store.

The dance held at the K. P. hall on Tuesday evening of this week was in honor of Ralph E. Wyer, who leaves on Friday evening for his new location.

W. I. Nolan spoke to a small but enthusiastic house here on Tuesday evening. He has many friends here who never tire of hearing him in his dry wit and humor.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson.

Contractor Brady has the new improvements at the court house well under way. The new roof is completed, and work on the new vault in the auditor's office is in progress.

On next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian church the Sunday School Rally Day services will be held. A nice program has been arranged which will interest all who attend.

Word was received from T. Robillard that while Geo. LaBissioniere and himself were driving over to the formers place the team ran a way but that they both escaped with a few bruises.

A brakeman on the Great Northern was quite badly hurt Tuesday at St. Hilaire by getting his hand caught between the bumpers, smashing the thumb and two fingers so bad that he will probably lose them.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents.

The brick masons have quit work on Mr. Deutschmans new brick building on the north side of the river in order to complete the brick work on the new school house house as early as possible, which will be in about two weeks.

Here is a chance for Roosevelt to bestow his blessing:—Mrs. John Jackson, wife of a Rock Island railway employe of Fort Worth, Texas, gave birth last Thursday to five girl babies, all of whom are living. The mother is 17 years old and the father 19.

L. C. Pearson who has acted as agent for the Thorpe Elevator Company left Tuesday for Thief River where he enters the employ of the Soo road. The Thorpe coal yards will be taken charge of by Frank Mizen, our genial N. P. station agent.

The foot ball game at Grand Forks next Saturday will undoubtedly be well attended by Red Lake people, as the N. P. train will be held until the finish of the game so as to accommodate those who wish to get back the same night. Let everybody go and "root."

The Duluth News-Tribune says: "Chas. W. Latta, editor of the Plummer Pioneer, is in the city on a sad errand. He raced against death to reach the side of his sister, who died yesterday at St. Luke's hospital, but arrived too late to take her last message. He is the only member of a widely scattered family to attend her funeral today."

Consumptives made Comfortable.

Incipient consumption is cured by Foleys Honey and Tar, but we do not hold out false hopes to consumptive by claiming that it will cure this dread disease in the advanced stages, but if the lungs are not too far gone Foleys Honey and Tar will effect a cure, as it stops the racking cough and soothes the inflamed air passages giving them a chance to heal, and even in the advanced stages it always gives comfort and relief. A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes "Foleys Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages.—A. L. Reichert.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly assisted us during the recent illness and death of our mother.

Wm. Hennings,
E. A. Hennings,
G. F. Hennings.

A Prominent Trainman.

The many friends of G. H. Hansan, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He says: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure which I recommend to all people. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:35 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	Middle River	3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcoma	3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

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Of Red Lake Falls.

Do You Know That the Merchants State Bank is a strictly home institution. All our officers and stockholders live in Red Lake Falls and have established the Merchants State Bank with their own money. We do a regular banking business in every department. There is no transaction too large for us to handle and none too small for us to give our attention.

Our Savings Dep't. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us, ranging from $100 to $200. These are saving accounts and are continually growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. Don't put off any longer. Open a savings account with us.

HOW THE FARMERS CAN MAKE MONEY

J. J. Hill Proves by Census Reports That Farmers Must Diversify Their Interests and Raise Live Stock to Compete With Earnings in the Older States.

It is remarkable that every time J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern road delivers an address he produces some facts of startling significance which are worth considering and reflecting upon. He spoke at a fair at Willmar, Kandiyohi county, a few days ago and as usual his remarks were pregnant with food for thought. A large portion of his address was devoted to showing the farmers of Minnesota and the Northwest how much more profitable they could make their labor and investment. He drew largely upon the late United States census report to show how much larger per acre earnings are in other states than in Minnesota asserting that the other states did not have any more if as many natural advantages as Minnesota. The contrast with the neighboring state of Iowa substantiated his argument with great force. Iowa was actually forced to abandon wheat raising and go into live stock with the result that she was acording to census report producing $8.20 per acre against Minnesota's $4.67. Thirty years ago the great reliance of Iowa farmers was raising a grade of wheat known as Amber Iowa and now only the older people remember that there ever was such a thing as Amber Iowa.

If the farmers of Minnesota realized the same per acre in dollars and cents as the farmers of Iowa, it would make a difference every year of over $75,000,000; and that is too much money to pass idly by and too large an amount not to be considered and to make an effort to redeem it.

Acre for acre, Minnesota farm lands are capable of producing as much or more wealth than the farm lands in any other division of the country; yet acre for acre, they are, with inconsequential exceptions, producing less, less in volume, less in value.

Agricultural states like Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin, are producing from $5.83 to $8.20 on each acre of their farm lands under cultivation. Minnesota is producing only $4.87.

Yet in walking from the hall where we had our lunch, Mr. Eddy, whom many of you know, told me that on a farm out here of about 500 acres he got an average of $10 an acre, and he got it from his cattle. I know when he told me he got it from his cattle, he told the truth, because in no other way under the sun could he get $10 per acre profit.

Minnesota Shy.

The agricultural workers of states like Kansas, Nebraska, New York, Illinois, North Dakota, Iowa, South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Washington and Oregon, are producing yearly from $656 to $1,043 each. Now, I speak of the agricultural workers, whether it is the man who owns the farm or the man who pays wages. The agricultural workers of Minnesota are producing only $625.

Illinois harvests a crop of grain and hay worth $155,000,000, with an expenditure of $9,700,000 for labor and the use of $21,000,000 worth of machinery. The other states in the agricultural column do approximately as well; some better. Minnesota expends $13,200,000 for hired labor, and uses machinery worth $22,600,000 to harvest a hay and grain crop worth only $119,000,000.

Labor in the United States averages 7.7 per cent of the value of the crop. In Minnesota it is 10.3 per cent, or almost 50 per cent more.

Minnesota Cattle.

The average value per head of cattle in Minnesota is only $19.37; the average for the United States is $21.77, and the average for the important agricultural states ranges from $27 to $24.05. Bulls in Minnesota have an average value of only $28.25. In the United States the average value of bulls is $34.49, and in the leading agricultural states the value runs from $47.32 in Iowa to $38.25 in Illinois.

For each agricultural worker within her borders Iowa is marketing live stock and meat products to the value of $228, as against an average of only $81 in Minnesota. In the other states the figures run from two and one-half times to four times as high as Minnesota's, acre for acre and man for man.

The value of live stock for each acre of farm land is $3.39 in Minnesota. In Iowa it is $8.06, and from this figure it runs down to $4.85 in the other important agricultural states.

With most exceptional advantages for sheep raising, Minnesota has only 594,000 sheep as against Michigan's 2,700,000.

In producing values the average in Minnesota is $22.05 per acre. In the other important agricultural states it averages about $30. In the dairy states, like New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, with which Minnesota has come to pit herself, the value of production averages over $35 per cow.

In Minnesota the average yearly production of milk for each cow is 403 gallons; in Michigan it is 549 gallons; in the United States it is 421 gallons; this general average including the product of all the low-grade and non-dairying states.

The dairy farms of Minnesota produced only $5.25 per acre. In the United States the average production on dairy farms was $6.50, or 25 per cent greater. In the important agricultural states the production per acre ran as high as $10.34. And your own neighbor, Mr. Eddy, makes $10 an acre here, and every man who will do the same as he does can make the same revenue.

Hay and Forage.

In hay and forage Minnesota is producing at the rate of $1.62 per acre on 3,457,680 acres of her farm area devoted to these crops. The average in the United States is $7.85, or almost twice as great as Minnesota'. The total value of her hay and forage crop is $14,585,281. Illinois, on practically the same area, raises a crop worth over $25,000,000, and Ohio, also on practically the same area, raises a crop worth $20,000,000. Michigan harvests a crop worth $21,000,000, or $7,000,000 greater than Minnesota, on an acreage less by three-quarters of a million. The strength of these figures lies in the fact that, with equal cultivation, Minnesota has demonstrated her capacity to produce more value per acre in hay and forage than almost any other state in the Union.

He told of his own Minnesota stock farm and how year after year he sent cattle to the Chicago fat stock show and won a hatful of gold medals. One steer from his farm competed with 70 head of cattle at Chicago and took seven prizes, including the sweepstakes.

Illinois, he said, took first rank as a wheat state in 1880. In 1900 she had dropped to fourteenth place. Ohio held third place in 1880, producing 10 per cent of the wheat of the country, while now she produces only 7.6 per cent of wheat. She has so thoroughly diversified her crops that she ranks well up in every class. As a result she produces $8.20 to the acre, as against $4.87 for Minnesota.

The net value of products per acre was $5.83 in Wisconsin for 1900, or about 20 per cent above Minnesota.

Wisconsin farmers reduced their wheat average from 1,900,000 in 1880 to 550,000 acres in 1900, while Minnesota increased hers from 3,300,000 to 6,500,000. Wisconsin fell from ninth place in the wheat row, with 5.4 per cent of the whole crop, to twenty-eighth place, with only 1.4 per cent. By intelligent diversification she now manages to extract $10.41 from every acre of improved land she farms, as against only $6.95 of improved land in Minnesota.

Of the farms in Minnesota 13.3 per cent range in area from 200 to 500 acres. Throughout the United States the average expended for hired labor on farms of this area is $166 per farm; in Minnesota it is $240 per farm, or 44.5 per cent greater.

Minnesota ranks only twenty-second among the states in the average production of milk per cow, with a record of 403 gallons per annum.

The states ahead of her are: California, 500 gallons; Connecticut, 545; District of Columbia, 680; Illinois, 454; Indiana, 459; Kentucky, 438; Maine, 474; Maryland, 435; Massachusetts, 572; Michigan, 549; New Hampshire, 582; New Jersey, 494; New York, 515; Ohio, 520; Pennsylvania, 516; Rhode Island, 546; Tennessee, 458; Vermont, 526; Washington, 408; West Virginia, 408; and finally, Wisconsin, 473.

The average value of dairy cows in the United States, which includes all the poor stock of Texas and the South, is $29.68, while the average value of the dairy cows of Minnesota is only $28.55.

In Illinois the average value is $34.02; in Iowa, $32.56; in New York, $32.43; in Indiana, $31.84; in Michigan, $30.65; in Missouri, $30.72; in North Dakota, $32.50; in Ohio, $30.22; in Pennsylvania, $30.88; in South Dakota, $31.04; in Wisconsin, $29.60; in Washington, $38.01, etc. It will be seen from these figures that Minnesota holds the lowest rank as to average value in the entire agricultural column. And this fact is traceable, of course, directly to the lack of care that has been exercised in breeding, as reflected in the average value of Minnesota bulls, which is $28.25, as against such average values of $44.77 in South Dakota, $46.10 in North Dakota, $44.20 in Missouri, $38 in Illinois and Indiana, etc.

The figures show that the Minnesota farmer gets an average of only $22.05 per year out of each cow.

Now, I want you to pay close attention to this because it means everything to you and it means everything to me, who wishes you well.

He cited the case of W. A. Brooks of Freeborn, who cleared an average of $58 per cow against the general average of $22, and A. L. Monen of Bancroft, who had a herd of Shorthorns producing an average of 765 gallons of milk per cow per year, or 85 gallons above the highest general average in the United States. These results showed what could be accomplished in Minnesota.

In the Wheat Counties.

For hired labor the wheat counties of Northern Minnesota show an expenditure of $1.14 for each acre of improved land, against only 75 cents in the southern counties. In live stock the northern counties show a valuation of only $78.59 per capita and $2.49 an acre, as against $98.11 per capita and $4.40 per acre in the southern section. The wheat growers of the Red river valley sold live stock to the value of $6.32 per capita, while the farmers in the southern tier realized $27.85 per capita.

The total dairy products in the wheat section were valued at $904,087, or an average of $9.04 for each inhabitant. In the southern tier the dairy products were worth $2,015,069, or an average of $17.54 per capita. The wheat farmers have only 47,795 cows, against 131,190 in the southern tier. The northern cows produced only 384.4 gallons each per annum, against 410.6. In value each cow in the north yielded only $18.93, as against $22.22 in the south.

He said they might wonder why he urged the raising of wheat when the railroad would get so much more tonnage in freight if wheat was raised. To this he replied that the railroad would get freight enough any way, and he wanted to see the farmers prosper. Besides if they continued raising wheat without diversification they would exhaust the soil and have only small crops for the railroad to carry. The prosperity of the railroad depended on the prosperity of the people.

Lower Freight Rates.

I want to call your attention to what has been done in twenty-five years in the way of railroad rates on the Great Northern railway. I want to show you that greater reductions have been made in the average rate on the Great Northern than have ever been made on any railroad in the United States. In 1881—or twenty-five years ago—our average rate, paid by the people who used the railroad, for hauling a ton of freight 100 miles was $2.88. For the year ending June 30 last it was 79 cents and 2 mills, less than one-third of what it was twenty-five years ago.

During that time, if we had made no reduction, if we had collected the rate of twenty-five years ago, we would have collected $677,000,000 more than we did collect. Think of it! The amount is appalling. We would have collected more than three times as much as we did collect. The average reduction for twenty-five years is $27,000,000,—and that is from the railroad and warehouse commission's report. These figures are correct.

The year closing June 30 at the rate of twenty-five years ago would have give us $87,000,000 more than we collected.

During that time we have had our dividends,—we have not gone without any; we have had our dividends regularly, and I have tried to give you your dividends. I want you to prosper with us. I want you to realize that your prosperity is ours, and if you are poor we will suffer with you.

With your great distance from the ultimate markets you would pay the highest rates of any people in the Union, and whomever else it might suit, whomever else it might benefit, it will never benefit the people of the West or the Northwest. You would be bearing the burdens of older and more populous states and you would be crushed into the earth. When any one urges that upon you, ask him the question how he will discriminate in your favor. If there was not discrimination in your favor these prairies would lose their population.

Railroad Taxes.

Now take our own road. We pay about $600,000 a year in taxes, or about what we get for hauling 12,000,000 bushels of wheat. That is about what we pay in taxes. Ours is not all profit, remember. After we have paid our men, after we have maintained the road, then the next charge is the tax. But that tax is not alone upon what is shipped from stations in the State of Minnesota. Every ton that passes through the state going to a neighboring or distant state, every ton that passes through going to a foreign country, swells the earnings and helps to form the sum upon which the percentage of taxation is based.

Possibly you may feel that you have no interest in the railroad's business beyond the rate that we charge. Now, you have, because every dollar of expense that we are at comes out of your pocket in proportion as you use the transportation of the railroad. If there is a loss, a wreck, a personal injury, or if we get before a jury and those on the jury feel that they want to be a little generous because the railroad has to pay it, they simply deceive themselves. You pay it. We are only the medium through which you pay it.

All we want is fair play. We want just the same measure of justice and the same measure of protection that you want for your property. If we have to pay $1,000 or $5,000 or $10,000 more than we ought to, it is simply charged up to expense,—we have no other account to charge it to; it is part of the cost of running the railroad, and you pay it.

Land Is Good.

I have seen the time when the company was glad to get $5 an acre for the land. Well, they hadn't any business holding land to speculate upon it, at even that price; as long as anybody wanted it, better let them open up a farm. But I suppose that land here is worth $40 or $50, at least will bring $40 or $50; but let me say to you that if you will get stock and summer fallow, and fertilize your land you can get 4 per cent or 5 per cent on $100 an acre in clear profit from every acre you cultivate. If that is the case, your land is worth $100 an acre, and you won't have to live very long before you will find people who are willing to pay you $100 an acre.

There is no better land in the entire West or in the Union for diversified farming than Minnesota. You can raise every animal that is raised with a profit in any state in the Union. You can make better butter and more of it, if you know how and will follow it up and have the right kind of cattle.

And for the reason that I desire to help every one of you and to help every man on land in the State of Minnesota, I have undertaken to call your attention to-day to some things which may not flatter us but at the same time are true.

The One and the Other

The one said no, when true love came,
And speaking gently, called her name,
"The world to conquer I shall try."
Then Love was dumb, and passed on by.

So through the world one went her way;
Men bowed before her day by day.
Yet at the last, when she was old,
Her heart was empty, aching, cold.

The other answered, "Yes, I'll come,
And strive with you to make a home."
Then hand in hand with Love she went,
And life was blessed with sweet content.

Within the walls of home she found
Rich joys which wrapped her being round.
And in the evening of her days
Her life was like a psalm of praise.

—Edwin Carlile Litsey, in Housekeeper.

ON EQUAL TERMS

BY
EDGAR WHITE

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No man in the camp could get quicker action on his shooting irons than Canada Jim. No man was slower to wrath, or greater in time of stress. Ever for the weak against the strong, the right against the wrong, according to his lights, the man from Canada was accepted by the miners and light-trigger gentlemen of Happy Land as a glittering municipal success, and a citizen of parts.

The thing called law had not yet reared its depressing head in the region dominated by Canada Jim, but it was headed that way. News of Jim's latest exploit had traveled across the border, and the federal authorities at that time being men of narrow discernment and enlarged indigestion, had classified the dynamiting of a tenderfoot's plant as a crime. The fact that the tenderfoot went skyward with the engine house was an unforeseen accident, for he had no business to be there in the night time, and you couldn't expect Jim to hunt all over creation for people who ought to be in bed.

The United States sent out a little, gimlet-eyed swashbuckler in command of the posse, a man Canada Jim "could have eat raw," to use his own expressive vernacular. The marshal's hunting knife was the only serious looking thing about him, and it rather reminded one of a patriotic youngster trailing his grandfather's sword.

When Canada Jim was informed by courier what was coming his way, he moved out to the edge of the camp, ascended the hill a ways and met a girl of the mountains coming to the spring with a bucket.

"What's up, Jim?" she asked.

"There's a little crowd coming over from the fort," he said, carelessly. "I don't feel like runnin' from 'em, but if you could stow me away somewheres, Kate, for a half hour or so I'd be obliged. I'd tackle any three—yes, any five of 'em—but my powder wouldn't hold out for fifty, you know."

The girl anxiously followed his remarks, and eagerly acted on his suggestion.

"Right you are, Jim," she said, looking out of a pair of dark brown eyes, which made no attempt to shield the affection she had for this brawny giant of the West; "I'll put you in a place they'll never think of looking."

Canada Jim looked reluctantly down the trail.

"Damn me if I'll hide from 'em!" he said, in a sudden burst of anger; "what right 've them tin soldiers ter come ter these diggin's an' tell us what's what! You go inside, girlie, an' I'll learn 'em!"

"Don't be foolish, Jim," said the girl, as she took his arm and endeavored to force him to accompany her; "they'd sure git you, and then what'd become o' me? Come on, there's a good boy."

The love-light in her eyes pleaded more eloquently than her words. The big man put his arms around her and kissed her.

"D—n me, if I'll hide from 'em!" he said, in a sudden burst of anger.

"I guess you are right, Susie," he said, mournfully; "but it makes me hot to think o' them ginger-bread riders making Canada Jim hunt his hole. Put me where I can hear what goes on, an' if they says an onpolite word to ye I'll be among 'em 'fore they knows the time o' day."

The tawny-haired maid of the mountains led the way to a rear addition made of plank, and pointed to some boards lying across near the roof. It was so dark that one could not be seen up there unless a light were carefully used in searching.

A company of horsemen approached the cabin. Susie met them, scornfully.

"Beg pardon, miss," said the leader, raising his hat, deferentially, "I'm Captain Jack Hobson from the fort, across the line. We're looking for one Canada Jim. Might he be in these parts?"

"He might and he mightn't," said the girl, saucily; "but if you're itchin' to know I'll say its lucky for you he ain't here."

The captain smiled and stroked his stub of a beard.

"Yes?" he said interrogatively.

"Yes!" she repeated, with fierce energy; "if Canada Jim was hereabouts he'd mix among you parlor sojers until yer uniforms wouldn't look smart any more."

"Hang him as quick as you want to for all me!"

"I presume by that you mean Canada Jim is a bad man?" suggested the captain.

"Bad! Well, I should hope so! Why, you wouldn't be enough to start his appetite."

The captain smiled tantalizingly as he dismounted. Then raising his voice slightly he said:

"Of course Canada Jim ain't here, and you don't know where he is. I'm sorry——"

"You ought to be glad," she interrupted.

"Well, I'm glad, then," he said, obligingly, "but what I started to say was that if Canada Jim was here it would save us the trouble of going out to his cabin and seizing his goods."

The girl listened intently, but there was no sound from the outer shanty. A shade of disappointment passed over the little captain's grizzled face.

"You are quite sure it would do no good to search here?" he asked.

"It would do you no good; I wish he was here."

"Yes, it's too bad; quite a disappointment," mused the captain, as with hand on revolver he entered the cabin and began looking around.

"Twenty men after one!" exclaimed the girl, scornfully.

"It is rather unfortunate odds," said the government's man, still looking around, perfunctorily, but evidently having learned what he desired to know; "now do you suppose it would make any difference if I were to send my men back to town and wait here for Jim by myself?"

A joyful look spread over the young woman's face.

"You wouldn't dare!" she cried.

"Well, I have dared things in my time," said the captain, still prying about, "though I guess Canada Jim would be quite a proposition for one man. But"—he suddenly stopped in the center of the room and raised his voice so that it easily reached the hidden man—"in order to start a little excitement I believe I'll do it. If you see Jim to-day you might tell him for me that I'll meet him alone anywhere he says with hunting knives, revolvers or rifles, and the best man wins."

"Just you?" said the girl eagerly.

"Just me. You can come and look on, if you like."

"Send your men back to town, then."

The captain went to the door.

"Fall in, boys," he said; "light out for Happy Land; nothing doing here. I'll meet you at sundown."

"Maybe you will," murmured the mountain pink.

Captain Hobson bowed to her logic and caressed the hilt of his hunting knife. The girl stood in the doorway and watched the posse as it galloped down the valley. Then she glanced into the shanty. All was silent in that section. A shade of vexation crossed her face.

"They're out of sight now," she said loudly.

"They're gone," acquiesced the captain.

Still no movement from the boards overhead. Susie looked steadily in that direction and frowned. With eyes gazing out the window, the little representative of the U. S. asked:

"Do you think it likely Jim'll be here to-day?"

"Be here?" returned the girl, hotly; "he's already here, hiding up there on them planks! You can get him easy if he ain't dead o' fright, and hang him quick as you want for all me!"

GIVEN AWAY BY THEIR SHOES.

Footwear Has Frequently Led to Capture of Criminals.

"Shoes have played an important part in the capture of criminals," said Detective William Barrett of Buffalo. "Had it not been for the footwear of certain thieves they would never have been caught. It is not so long ago that I and two others were detailed on a case, and before we caught our man, another shop had been burglarized.

"We looked at the marks about the windows and noticed they were scraped by nails. We went back to the other place and found the same conditions. Later we went into a well-known resort and found a man sitting in a chair. He had his feet encased in a neat fitting pair of shoes, but for some reason he had nails put in the heels. We 'jumped' him at once, and searching his rooms we discovered enough loot to start a store. He later explained that the nails were put in his shoes to aid in roof climbing.

"Squeaky shoes have caused the arrest of several thieves right in precinct. The other night a thief thief bought a pair of cheap shoes and they were very musical. The man got into a place and before he got anything his noisy shoes gave him away and he was caught. All clever criminals have a penchant for buying good, soft shoes. They pay a good price for them and they are repaid sometimes by getting off with the swag to pay up for what they spent."—Shoe Retailer.

Coom, Lassie, be Good to Me.

Coom, Lassie, be good to me. Winna ye, dear?
Ye've taen a' my hairt, ye shall hae a' my gear;
I wadna be gangin' aboot all alane
If the warld were a' siller, an' you not my ain.

The birds are a' matin', the flowers wed the grass,
An' you are my springtime, my ain bonnie lass;
Like kiss o' the sun to the life-springin' sod,
Put your lips to my ain; were I you I wad.

My hairt is a thumpin' like sticks on a drum,
Just rantin' wi' hunger; coom, gie it a crumb;
My eyes are a' thirstin' like night for the dew,
Let them drink, my ain darlin', in one look frae you.

Coom, fill up the crook o' my long waitin' airm,
I'll huddle ye close an' I'll shiel' ye frae hairm,
Put your han' in my ain; let me spier in your ear;
Coom, Lassie, be good to me. Winna ye, dear?

—Capt. Charles McIlvaine in McClure's Magazine.

The Dutiful Son.

The small boy was very obedient and dutiful.

Also very stupid.

Perhaps the second statement was superfluous.

But we did not intend to open a moral discussion.

His father had always taught him he should "take pains in small things," as only the people who did so ever amounted to anything.

The boy had pondered deeply over this advice, wondering duly what it meant.

Until one morning when the lad awoke with a severe ache in every tooth.

Then he was happy.

For, with every tooth handing him a separate bunch of agony, he knew that he had "taken pains in small things."

And he was happy.—Baltimore American.

Something to Be Gained.

"Moses," he said to the old colored man around the warehouse, "I hear that you have a son in Chicago."

"Yes, sah, my son Peter has done gone to college, sah," was the proud reply.

"Going to make a great man of him, eh?"

"I dunno how great Peter will done turn out, sah, but I reckon if he stays in dat college long 'nuff he'll come home and be able to tell a pullet from a rooster in de darkest night and not make so many mistakes."—Chicago News.

Her Secret.

"Would you," she asked, "rather be lucky in love and poor or have great wealth and be incapable of loving?"

"I think," he replied, "that I'd rather be lucky in love."

After a long silence she said:

"Well, I suppose one can't be lucky in love without making somebody else lucky in it at the same time."

Then he took her in his arms and wanted to know how she had guessed that he was yearning for her.

Had Use for Both Rolls.

A certain type of cheap restaurant is the same all the world over. In a Berlin eating house of the cheap grade one man dropping in observed a friend being well bestowed.

"What, you are not going to eat two of those enormous rolls, are you?" he inquired, with evident interest in his friend's welfare.

"Oh, no," replied his friend, carelessly, "I eat one and clean my knife and fork on the other."

LOSS OF APPETITE

Cold Sweats, Twitching Nerves and Weakness Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Nature punishes every infraction of her laws, and careless habits easily lead to the condition described by Mr. William Browne, of No. 1019 Lincoln street, St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Browne is an expert tinner in the employ of the National Biscuit Co. He gives the following account of a trying experience:

"In the spring of 1902," he says, "while I was regularly working at my trade, I grew somewhat careless in my habits of eating and drinking, and finally found that my appetite was fickle, a bad taste lingered in my mouth, my nerves twitched and were beyond my control, my kidneys were out of order and cold sweats would break out over my body at odd times. Perhaps, while I stood talking with some one, this trembling of the limbs, and profuse sweating, and a severe chill would seize me. I became alarmed at my condition and, having read an endorsement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I got a box and began to use them. They helped me at once. After I had used one box the twitching of the nerves, the trouble with the stomach and the cold sweats stopped and have not reappeared, and my appetite is good. I have told all my friends that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me and I recommend them to everybody."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured Mr. Browne because nothing can strengthen the nerves except good rich red blood—and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood. They don't act on the bowels. They don't bother with mere symptoms. They drive from the blood the cause of anæmia, indigestion, nervous disorders, general weakness and the troubles of growing girls and women.

The pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists, or by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

What Happened Afterward.

Tam O'Shanter tied his mare in the stable and went wearily up to the house to meet his sulky, sullen dame.

"Well," she said in a shrill, angry voice, "what tale hae ye noo?"

"Nane!" he said, taking her out to the stable and showing her poor Maggie's bleeding stump.

Then he told her a fairy story about his having been attacked by desperate highwaymen on the north shore, who had fired a volley at him that had missed him by a narrow margin and taken effect on the mare.—

Medicines Have Stood Test of Time.

"The leading proprietary medicines that have stood the test of time are of known therapeutic value," says a medical authority. "They are prepared in laboratories of the highest grade, under the care of skilled pharmacists, and they are made from approved formulas which, in many instances, have been the especial pride and specific of some successful physician. They have been tried in the crucible of public opinion and they have been found satisfactory by the people, for otherwise the people would discontinue using them."

Modern Social Demands.

One curious phase of taking ourselves so seriously is the enormously increased importance of the interesting. Society fairly bristles with the interesting. Sometimes one wonders where the uninteresting do. Modern society demands that you should be something or do something, or say something, or at least pretend to. It is understood that you must be celebrated or notorious, or well advertised, or cheeky and even dishonest, if it is on a magnificent scale. At any rate, you must take yourself seriously and get a swelled head.—Fortnightly Review.

Dolly More to Her Than Life.

Snatched by a timely bystander from instant death beneath the wheels of a trolley car in Trenton, N. J., little eight-year-old Alice Carlton, heedless of her own injuries and the fearful fate from which she had been rescued, begged piteously for her doll to be rescued, too. A car bound down town was approaching, and she waited for it to pass. A car going in the opposite direction struck the child, and still holding tightly to the doll, she was rolled intothe wire net in front of the car. The fender dragged and the little girl rolled out of it, directly in front of the car. John Elkins snatched her, just in time to save her life, but she was cut in several places, and her first words were: "Is dolly hurt?"—Boston Post.

NOTICED IT.

A Young Lady From New Jersey Put Her Wits to Work.

"Coffee gave me terrible spells of indigestion which, coming on every week or so, made my life wretched until someone told me that the coffee I drank was to blame. That seemed nonsense, but I noticed these attacks used to come on shortly after eating and were accompanied by such excruciating pains in the pit of the stomach that I could only find relief by loosening my clothing and lying down.

"If circumstances made it impossible for me to lie down I spent hours in great misery.

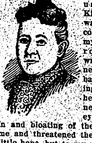
"I refused to really believe it was the coffee until finally I thought a trial would at least do no harm, so I quit coffee in 1901 and began on Postum. My troubles left entirely and convinced me of the cause.

"Postum brought no discomfort, nor did indigestion follow its use. I have had no return of the trouble since I began to drink Postum. It has built me up, restored my health and given me a new interest in life. It certainly is a joy to be well again." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

A DESPAIRING WOMAN.

Weak, Nervous and Wretched from Wasting Kidney Troubles.



Mrs. Henry A. Reamer, Main and Garst sts., South Bend, Ind., says: "When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was so weak I could hardly drag myself across the room. I was wretched and nervous, and had backache, bearing-down pain, headache, dizziness and weak eyes. Dropsy set in and bloating of the chest choked me and threatened the heart. I had little hope, but to my untold surprise, Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief and saved my life. I shall never forget it."

Sold by dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

All of a Class.

"He isn't qualified to sit in the senate," asserted the reformer.

"Oh, yes, he is," declared the pessimist.

"Nonsense. When and how did he qualify?"

"When he bought his seat."—Portland telegram.

BABY ONE SOLID SORE.

Could Not Shut Eyes to Sleep—Spent $100 on Doctors—Baby Grew Worse—Cured by Cuticura for $5.

"A scab formed on my baby's face, spreading until it completely covered her from head to foot, followed by boils, having forty on her head at one time, and more on her body. Then her skin started to dry up and it became so bad she could not shut her eyes to sleep. One month's treatment with Cuticura Soap and Ointment made a complete cure. Doctors and medicines had cost over $100, with baby growing worse. Then we spent less than $5 for Cuticura and cured her. (Signed) Mrs. G. H. Tucker, Jr., 335 Greenfield Ave., Milwaukee, Wis."

His Chance.

"Now," said the old doctor to the student. "I have a difficult operation to perform on a young stenographer this afternoon and you may come in as my assistant, and you'll get an opportunity to make some valuable notes."

"I have long wanted to take lessons on a typewriter," replied the flippant youth.—Fort Worth Record.

Auction Sale—Farm Lands.

20,000 acres, the best selection in Otter Tail County, Minnesota, of the Saint Paul & Chicago Railway Company's land grant, will be sold at auction in 40-acre tracts to the highest bidders, at Perham, October 25th, and at Parker's Prairie, October 28th, on better terms than those offered by the State of Minnesota. For lists and terms send to

J. A. NOWELL & CO.,
200-205 Globe Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.

Vegetables a Modern Luxury.

It is curious to think how comparatively modern is the use of most of our vegetables. When Good Queen Bess came to the throne, her lieges only ate two—cabbages and onions; and when the potato was introduced it was not much to boast of, being small and full of "eyes."—Sketch.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease

A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Really Staggered.

McJigger—You look weary this morning, old man.

Thingumbob—Yes, I made a discovery last night that staggered me.

McJiggers—Gracious! What was it?

Thingumbob—A quart bottle of ten-year-old that I didn't know I had.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 931 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

There is always some one around to say, "I told you so," when the unexpected happens.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

A loafer is a man who loafs and has no bank account.

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

A lovely widow is seldom a lone widow.

WHEAT

Weather conditions this fall have been ideal so far for shock threshing and movement of wheat to market. The occasional showers which have been experienced have helped rather than hurt the wheat itself, as in each case they were followed by clear, sunny weather. Country elevators all over the Northwest are jammed full of new wheat, and the volume of the crop is causing real embarrassment in many sections. Farmers are building cribs for temporary accommodation of their grain in several important districts, and instances are pointed out where the new wheat is allowed to remain on the ground just as it comes from the thresher because of the impossibility of handling it with present equipment. Providentially, the weather has been beautifully clear and no damage has resulted from this action. The shock threshing has been generally completed. While the country elevators are taxed to their capacity, the big grain storage houses at market centers are still able to handle all the grain the railroads can haul, but the roads are all swamped with the flood of grain, and miles of cars now loaded and ready are waiting power to pull them to market. We think that before all this grain is moved, prices will decline enough to make free purchases profitable.

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FARM

MISCELLANY

Soil Fertility in the Corn Belt.

Articles have recently appeared in several agricultural journals suggesting that the total plant food content of the soil is essentially permanent, a theory which is liable to mislead the farmer and injure the farm. For example, take the following statements quoted from a Delaware station bulletin:

"An average of the results of 49 analyses of the typical soils of the United States showed per acre for the first eight inches of surface 2,600 pounds of nitrogen, 2,100 pounds of phosphorus, and 11,100 pounds of potassium. The average yield of wheat in the United States is 14 bushels per acre. * * * Now if all the potential nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium could be rendered available there is present in such an average soil, in the first eight inches, enough nitrogen to last 90, enough phosphorus for 500, and enough potassium for 1,000 years."

Who wishes to raise only 14 bushels of wheat to the acre? Let us plan to raise 40 bushels and possibly we shall then get 30 bushels. The average yield of corn in Illinois is 33 bushels, but those who prepare to raise 100 succeed in getting 75 bushels per acre.

The average soil of the corn belt does not contain 2,100 pounds of phosphorus per acre in the surface eight inches, but only about 1,500 pounds of total phosphorus to that depth. A 100-bushel crop of corn requires 23 pounds of phosphorus; consequently the total phosphorus content of this surface soil, instead of being sufficient for 10,000 crops or for 500 crops, is, as a matter of fact, sufficient for only 70 crops of corn of 100 bushels each. On the other hand the nitrogen content of the Illinois soil, instead of being only 2,600 pounds, is about 6,000 pounds per acre to a depth of eight inches; and where clover or other legumes are being grown in rotation or as catch crops, the supply is being to some extent at least renewed.

The total potassium content of an acre of Illinois prairie soil to a depth of eight inches is more than three times 11,100 pounds. Thus, the commonest type of soil in the corn belt contains, in the first eight inches, enough nitrogen for 60 years, enough phosphorus for 90 years, and enough potassium for 2,000 years if 100-bushel crops of corn were the standard and if the stalks were all returned to the soil. If the entire crop, including both grain and stalks, were removed from the land and nothing returned, then the nitrogen would last 40 years, the phosphorus 70 years, and the potassium 500 years.

In 1904 the Illinois station harvested 59 bushels of corn per acre from a field which had been rotated in corn, oats and clover for 28 years. On another adjoining field which had been in pasture for at least 18 years previous to 1894 and in corn, oats and clover since 1894, a crop of 74 bushels was produced without soil treatment; but where lime and phosphorus had been applied to a part of the same field 96 bushels per acre were produced. The value of the 22 bushels increase is not only double the annual cost of the limestone and bone meal applied, but the phosphorus applied is more than would be removed in a 100-bushel crop of corn, so that this field is not only growing larger crops but at the same time it is being made richer and richer year by year, whereas the untreated land which produced 74 bushels per acre is poorer by the 17 pounds of phosphorus removed in the crop. The 17 pounds are more than 1 per cent. of the total phosphorus in the first eight inches.

If the phosphorus is continually sold from the farm in grain or in the bones of animals, it must also be brought back, either in corn, or in concentrated feeds (as bran or oil meal), or in bone meal (originally a farm product), or in rock phosphate from our great natural deposits, of which more than a million tons are now being shipped annually from the United States to foreign countries.

Briefly stated, "with the use of sufficient limestone to keep the soil sweet and abundant, use of legume crops and catch crops, and the addition to the soil of a ton of ground rock phosphate, or its equivalent, every six or eight years, in connection with all of the farm manure which can be made, the ordinary lands of the Central West can be made to grow large crops indefinitely."

Cyril G. Hopkins.
University of Illinois.

Variations in Tillage.

There is no one method of tillage that is best under all conditions. A man must learn what kinds of tillage are best suited to his needs and to his soil. It is impossible to lay down general principles that can be followed. A few years ago extensive plowing was done in the state of Illinois when the land was really too wet to plow. The result was that the land took the form of clods and all the harrowing that could be done did not pulverize them. Two men would stand on the harrow at once, and yet the harrow would slip over the heavy clods. The plowing had been done at the usual time and this was in that year just the wrong time for it. Had the plowmen waited two weeks until the soil was in a friable condition, a vast amount of work would have been saved. The kind of tillage should vary with the soil, the time of year when the plowing is done and the particular time when the crop is to be put in. There are some lands that can be tilled at almost any time when the frost is out of the ground. We know of large areas of rolling farm land where men can go on with the plow and the harrow an hour after a heavy rain has stopped. We know of other fields where land cannot be worked for weeks after a heavy rain, and where all work would make the soil worse instead of better.

Pollination of Kieffer Pears.

An experimentor in the east has been pollinating Kieffer pears. He has been using Kieffer pollen. Only four per cent of the crosses of Kieffer pollen started to grow, and the fruit dropped before it was a fourth developed. The few pears that did develop were much smaller and weaker than the Kieffers that had been cross-fertilized. Pollen was brought in from trees that were 50 miles away to see if the different localities would affect its efficacy. This pollen from a distance was found to be no more effective than pollen from the same tree. The same gentleman counted the blossoms per tree and estimated that if two blossoms in a hundred should produce pears, the branches would be so heavily loaded that they would be bent to the ground. He had found some orchards where Kieffer pears were planted in blocks, and the inside trees were generally unfruitful. The outside trees were evidently cross pollenized from other trees that were near enough to have their pollen carried by bees or other insects.

Dairy Schools.

The dairy schools at the various agricultural colleges should be largely patronized by our students, as there is no branch of farming that will pay greater returns than dairying, even on the farm where mixed farming is followed. The farm boy that will take a course in a dairy school, even though that course be comprised all in a single term of eight weeks will go back to his home with new ideas as to the cow and her possibility. Many of the terms begin in the early fall and the farm boy that is looking forward to a possible course should begin correspondence now, for he will have to inform himself as to cost of tuition, board, room and the like. At some of our agricultural colleges the total cost of a term including board, room, books and incidentals is less than $60. Certainly there is no way in which a father may invest $60 more profitably.

Growing Celery in Tents.

Some experimenters in the east have been trying the experiment of growing celery under tents. The cloth of which these tents were made was cheesecloth. This permitted the passage of a large amount of light. Some of the tents were entirely closed, while the others were left open on the north and east sides. The celery from the open tents was about 25 per cent taller than that grown on the open ground, while that in the closed tents was 40 per cent taller. The latter was better blanched than that grown in the other tents or out of doors. The celery in the tents escaped the frost out doors and was better in flavor than that grown in the open air.

Learn to Run the Separator.

The people that buy cream separators too often fail to inform themselves fully as to the speed at which they should be run. There is one best degree of speed, and the manufacturers generally know what it is. They publish implicit directions, and their agents also give instructions, and both of these are frequently neglected by the people that purchase the machines. There is always a great loss of cream when the machine is run too slowly, and if it is run too rapidly too much milk is incorporated with the cream. The speed of the machine should always be regular. Constantly changing the speed does not help the separation.

Green Corn in Winter.

It is not such a difficult matter to have green corn on cob in the middle of winter when the snow is flying. Scrub out a barrel, and put a layer of salt in the bottom of it. Place upon this a layer of sweet corn with the husks still on. When the barrel is full add a pickle of salt and water and put on a heavy stone for pressure. The corn will keep in good condition all winter. When you wish to use it soak it for twenty-four hours in cold water, then boil just as you do summer corn.—S. A. White.

The Feast of Dolls.

Every year in Japan there is a special holiday for little girls, called the Feast of Dolls. All day long the streets are full of demure and pretty little maidens going about with their mothers, buying and looking at dolls. As to the dolls, there are thousands of them, of all sizes and varieties. They are on sale, they are carried in children's arms—they are everywhere.

Peeling Sheep.

Mabel, who was visiting in the country, was sent to the barn, where the hired man was shearing sheep, to look for her grandpa. She soon returned and said: "Him ain't out there; ain't nobody there but a man peelin' sheeps."—Chicago News.

In laying drain tile see that it is below the frost line. The deeper it is the more thorough will be the work it can do.

RAILROAD TIE PROBLEM.

Not Enough Oak in Country to Replace Them in 1920.

"The railroads of North America will have a new problem confronting them about 1920," said an old contractor, who has built many miles of road. "It will be the difficulty of getting new ties. The life of an oak tree is fifteen years, and in 1920 all the ties in the country must be replaced. There is not enough material in North America to do it. An authority has figured out that the number of railroad ties employed in the railroad service amounts up to eighteen figures. Iron ties will not do. They are too rigid. It will be either import from Africa or South America, or invent some substitute for wood. The need of restoration will strike the railroads when it is too late."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Good Cause.

"Mary," said a lady to her new maid, "I must insist that you keep better hours and that you have less company in the kitchen in the evening. Last night I was kept awake by the uproarious laughter of one of your friends."

"Yes, mum, I know," Mary replied cheerfully, "but she couldn't help it. I was telling her how you tried to make a cake yesterday morning."

Different Views.

"Didn't you think there was a little too much brandy in the pudding sauce at that dinner?" said Mrs. Fussleigh.

"No," replied her husband. "I thought there was a little too much pudding in the brandy sauce."—Dallas News.

They Took It in Turns.

Lady Broome, who in her youthful days in New Zealand used to teach the shepherds reading and writing, tells in her "Colonial Memories" of two men living in a lonely and distant river gorge who used to attend Sunday afternoon service.

But they never came together, and their brand new suit of shepherd's plaid always had a strange effect.

"Why can you two not come together," she asked one day, "either to the lessons or the service?"

"There's difficulty about the clothes, mem."

"In what way?"

"Well, it's this way, mem. We've only got one suit, and we got it a between size on purpose. Joe, he's too tall, and I'm too short, so I turns it up, an' Joe he wears leggin's an' such like, an' so we makes it do till after shearin'."

Cured Her Rheumatism.

Deep Valley, Pa., Oct. 2d.—(Special.)—There is deep interest in Green county over the cure of the little daughter of I. N. Whipkey of Rheumatism. She was a great sufferer for five or six years and nothing seemed to do her any good till she tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. She began to improve almost at once and now she is cured and can run and play as other children do. Mr. Whipkey says:

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It Usually Does.

"They're both thinking of a divorce now."

"Why, I didn't even know they were married."

"Oh! yes they were married under the rose, you know!" "Aha! that accounts for the thorns."—Philadelphia Press.

Here Is Relief for Women.

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He—That's your new hat, eh?

She—Oh! my, it isn't trimmed yet.

He—Trimmed? Oh! I see, you've got to cut it down a bit. That's a good scheme.—Philadelphia Press.

WORKING WOMEN

Their Hard Struggle Made Easier—Interesting Statements by a Young Lady in Boston and One in Nashville, Tenn.

Miss Frankie Orser. Miss Pearl Ackers.

All women work; some in their homes, some in church, and some in the whirl of society. And in stores, mills and shops tens of thousands are on the never-ceasing treadmill, earning their daily bread.

All are subject to the same physical laws; all suffer alike from the same physical disturbance, and the nature of their duties, in many cases, quickly drifts them into the horrors of all kinds of female complaints, ovarian troubles, ulceration, falling and displacements of the womb, leucorrhœa, or perhaps irregularity or suppression of "monthly periods," causing backache, nervousness, irritability and lassitude.

Women who stand on their feet all day are more susceptible to these troubles than others.

They especially require an invigorating, sustaining medicine which will strengthen the female organism and enable them to bear easily the fatigues of the day, to sleep well at night, and to rise refreshed and cheerful.

How distressing to see a woman struggling to earn a livelihood or perform her household duties when her back and head are aching, she is so tired she can hardly drag about or stand up, and every movement causes pain, the origin of which is due to some derangement of the female organism.

Miss F. Orser of 14 Warrenton Street, Boston, tells women how to avoid such suffering; she writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I suffered misery for several years with irregular menstruation. My back ached; I had bearing down pains, and frequent headaches; I could not sleep and could hardly drag around. I consulted two physicians without relief, and as a last resort, I tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and to my surprise, every ache and pain left me. I gained ten pounds and am in perfect health."

Miss Pearl Ackers of 327 North Summer Street, Nashville, Tenn., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I suffered with painful periods, severe backache, bearing-down pains, pains across the abdomen; was very nervous and irritable, and my trouble grew worse every month.

"My physician failed to help me and I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I soon found it was doing me good. All my pains and aches disappeared, and I no longer fear my monthly periods."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the unfailing cure for all these troubles. It strengthens the proper muscles, and displacement with all its horrors will no more crush you.

Backache, dizziness, fainting, bearing down pains, disordered stomach, moodiness, dislike of friends and society—all symptoms of the one cause—will be quickly dispelled, and it will make you strong and well.

You can tell the story of your sufferings to a woman, and receive helpful advice free of cost. Address Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

It is always better to take things as they come than to attempt to catch them as they go.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 and 912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Placide Cote, Willow City, N. D., battleship; John Erickson, St. Paul, Minn., journal box; Harry Johnston, Detroit, Minn., saw set; Edward Mundale, Frost, Minn., corn harvester; Harry Reed, Minneapolis, Minn., weather strip; Rudolph C. Pleins, St. Paul, Minn., seal.

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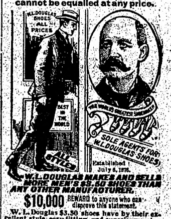

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ORDERS FOR FUTURE DELIVERY EXECUTED IN ALL MARKETS.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

The board of county commissioners of Red Lake county met in special session at the court house at 9 o'clock a. m.

Present Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

Absent, Commissioner Falardeau.

The minutes of the regular meeting held July 10, 11 and 12 and July 20, read and approved.

The petition of Otto L. Bakken to be set off with his land from Independent School District No. 18 to Common School District No. 135 was read and no one appearing to be heard for or against the same, on motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioner was granted and the following order was made:

Whereas, the petition of Otto L. Bakken a legal voter freeholder and resident of Independent School District No. 18 in this county representing that he is the owner of the lands hereinafter described, which are situate in said school district and adjoining School District No. 135, and asking that he with his said lands may be set off from said Independent School District No. 18 to adjoining School District No. 135 for the following reasons.

That the school of School District No. 135 is only three-fourths of a mile from his house, whereas that of Independent School District No. 18 is three miles, was presented to the board of county commissioners of this county at a session of said county held on the 11th day of July, A. D. 1905 for the action of said board thereon; and whereas, it was thereupon ordered by said board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said board commencing on the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905 at the county auditor's in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and whereas, it was further ordered in and by said order that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by posting a copy of said order in one public place in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition, and by handing to leaving with the clerk of each of said school districts, a copy of said order, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing and, whereas, at the said session of the board of county commissioners, commencing on said 9th day of September, A. D. 1905, due proof of the posting and service of said order of hearing as therein directed and required, more than ten days prior to last named date, having been made and filed, said petition was publicly read and considered by the board, with everything which was said by said interested parties for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner, and said board being of the opinion that said petition should be granted, it is hereby ordered and determined, that the said petitioner and the following described lands owned by him to-wit:

The east one half of the southwest quarter and lots No. 3 and 4 of section 31 in township 154 north, of range 45 west, be and the same are hereby set off from said Independent School District No. 18 to said adjoining School District No. 135, and the said lands are hereby made a part of said last named school district for all purposes whatever,

By order of the board of county commissioners,
Dated September 9, A. D. 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Board of Co. Com'rs., Red Lake Co., Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
Co. Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

The petition of W. G. Hunt and others for the formation of a new school district in Red Lake county on which a day of hearing has been set for Sept. 9, 1903, was read to the board and no one appearing to be heard for or against the granting of same, on motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake. } ss

The petition of W. G. Hunt and others who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described asking that the same be formed into a new school district, having been presented to the board of county commissioners of said Red Lake county and the county superintendent of schools having endorsed on said petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such districts to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age;

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said board of county commissioners, held on the 9th day of September, 1905, and it having been duly considered by said board;

It is by said board ordered, that a school district be, and the same is hereby formed within the Town of Highlanding in County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit;

All of sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 31, 32 and 33, in township 153 north, of range 40 west, in said county and state, the same to be School District No. 37 in said county.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county at a meeting held September 9, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County.

The petition of E. Miller and others for the formation of a new school district on which a day of hearing had been set for September 9, 1905, was read to the board and no one appearing to be for or against the granting of the same, on motion carried unanimously the prayer of the petitioners was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota. }
County of Red Lake. } ss

The petition of E. Miller and others who constitute a majority of the freeholders who are legal voters residing in the district hereinafter described, asking that the same be formed into a school district having been presented to the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county and the county superintendent of schools, having endorsed on such petition his written approval thereof; and it appearing that there are within such district so to be formed the required number of residents between five and twenty-one years of age.

Now, said petition having been publicly read at a meeting of said board of county commissioners held on the ninth day of September, A. D. 1905 and it having been duly considered by said board,

It is by said board ordered, that a school district be and the same is hereby formed within the town of Wyandotte and township 152, range 41 in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All of sections 1, 12 and 13 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, in said county and state, the same to be School District No. 35 in said county.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota at a meeting held September 9, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor of Red Lake County.

The petitions of P. O. Soroom and others and A. M. Edstrom and others for the formation of new school districts were presented to the board and on motion carried unanimously a day of hearing on said petition was set for the next meeting of the board and notices on hearing were ordered issued accordingly.

The applications of Russell E. Vance and L. A. Dautremont for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes were granted, rejected to the approval of the state auditor.

The petition of Anton Skog et al to have the name of the Town of Kratka changed to Oak Grove was presented to the board. There being a town in Anoka county, Minnesota, named Oak Grove, no action could be taken in the matter.

The action of Leroux & Hance and Zotique Bray for license to sell intoxicating liquors in the Townsite of Brooks, Town of Poylar River were presented to the board and on motion carried unanimously the same were granted and licenses ordered issued on payment of the fee and filing of the bond required by law.

The petition of W. J. Polbrook et al for the laying out of a county road in townships 152 and 153 north, of range 40 west, was on motion carried unanimously, rejected,

On motion carried unanimously, the county auditor was instructed to procure a set of plats and a description of all corners of the recently opened Red Lake Indian Reservation in Red Lake county.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Pioneer Press Co., tax receipts, text book records and blanks	$ 31 90
W. M. Welsh Co., 1 desk	11 52
Free Press Printing Co., blanks and blank books	26 28
McGill Warner Co., 1 loose leaf commissioners record	20 00
D. A. & J. A. McDonald, pulishing notices of summer school and teachers examination, $9.75, allowed at	1 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, publishing notice of teachers examination	1 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for county officers	7 50
King & Chase, publishing commissioners proceedings and legal notices	23 87
King & Chase, publishing ditch notices	11 88
King & Chase, stationery and blanks for county officers	15 95
Thos. Germo, amount paid for long distance telephone calls	2 50
D. Linnihan, amount paid for long distance telephone calls	2 85
James E. Ford, amount paid for 1000 government envelopes	21 85
Dr. I. Lemieux, services as medical witness in examination over the dead body of Mrs. Joseph Falardoau	17 00
Robertson Lumber Co., lumber for sidewalk	96
Frank Jeffers, recording town treasurer bonds and transcript of Polk county record	3 55
Town of Polk Center, expenses, contagious diseases	2 55
Red Lake Falls telephone exchange, rent of three phones, July, 1905	15 20
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., lights and fixtures July, 1905	15 20
Chas. Molier, assistant superintendent of schools 3 days	9 00
Luc. Dubuc, janitor, teachers training school, one month	25 00
W. A. Schrieter, medecine for prisoner	85
Joseph Perrault, clerk's fees, state cases	16 50
" drawing petit jury and issuing venire	4 00
Joseph Perrault, fees, coroner's inquests	6 90
Joseph Sally, moving safe in county treasurer's office	2 75
Adam Zeh, services as clerk in county treasurer's office	102 50
Erick Iverson, board of engineer and viewers on Co. ditch No. 22	35 50
Wm. E. Wood, rodman Co. ditch No. 22	10 00
Wm. McMichael, chainman, County Ditch No. 22	7 98
Benjamin Iverson, chainman, Co. Ditch No. 22	4 50
Lewis Sieff, livery for engineer and viewers Co. ditch No. 22	25 00
W. H. Krueger, board for engineer and viewers Co. ditch No. 22	11 25
W. E. Wood, viewer Co. ditch No. 22	31 00
Adam Zeh, viewer Co. ditch No. 22	22 00
Wm. M. Erb, viewer Co. ditch No. 22	27 00
James E. Ford, Auditor's fees Co. ditch No. 22	42 00
J. K. Wood, engineer fees Co. ditch No. 22	115 89
A. P. Toupin, Justice fees, State vs Aug. Neleon, Henry Belair and Phil Manley	8 45
D. Linnihan, amount paid for washing clothing in Co. jail	5 50
D. Linnihan, board of prisoners	49 02
D. Linnihan, Sheriff's fees, criminal cases	13 50
Arthur Lizee, Deputy Sheriff's fees, State vs. Percy Brown	9 67
Geo. Jarman, Deputy Sheriff's fees, State vs. Albert P. Murrie and Frank Lemere	72 96
Geo. Jarman, Deputy Sheriff's fees for posting notices of special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners	79 50
S. L. Lewis, Justice fees State vs Percy Brown	3 95
W. H. Krueger, board of Deputy Sheriff State vs Fred Rux	2 00
D. Linnihan, posting notices of hearing on petition for Co. ditch No. 22	7 00
D. Linnihan, serving notice on viewers Co ditch No. 22	9 20
D. Linnihan, posting notices of hearing on petition for Co. ditch No. 23	7 00
D. Linnihan, posting notices of hearing on petition for Co. ditch No. 24	12 00
Anton Meisen, serving P. P. tax citation on John C. Flaherty	1 40
Wm. McKinnon, serving P. P. tax citation on Theo. Schmitz	2 40
Alex B. Riddell, serving P. P. tax citation on May Joseph and I. D. Converse	10 80
D. Linnihan, fees and expenses in the matter of the insanity of Peter Knapper, a resident of Roseau county	22 30
Christie Lithograph & Printing Co., tax lists for 1905 and office supplies	86 80
H A Johnson, witness fees State vs Tollef S Thompson	2 44
D Linnihan, drawing petit jury	3 20
C C Hankey, serving p p citation on Thos Green	7 00
O J Johnson, attending ditch meeting one day and mileage	6 00
W C L Demann, same	4 40
James Sutor, same	5 00
Daniel Shaw, same	7 00
O J Johnson, attending special meeting of county board, one day	3 00
W C L Demann, same	3 00
James Sutor, same	3 00
Daniel Shaw, same	3 00
O J Schel & Co., supplies for Geo. Dorty, a non resident pauper	2 60
Thos S Doyle, board of Geo Dorty, a non resident pauper	31 42

On motion duly carried the following bills were rejected:

Red Lake Falls Gazette publishing summer school notice	13 05
Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., one No. 2 typewriter	98 87

On motion duly carried the board adjourned sine die.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minn.

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term, September 20, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Andrew P. Hanson, administrator of the estate of Matilda A. Hall, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1905.
By the Court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
s21-05 Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, }
In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.
E. O. HAGEN,
s21-026 Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Chapter 2, General Laws 1902.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake county to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Chapter Two (2) General Laws of Minnesota, 1902, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged against it. Immediate payment to the County Treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have been offered for sale. The County Auditor of Red Lake county is hereby authorized and directed to conduct sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor.

Dated St. Paul, Minn., September 30th, 1905.
S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Section 1616, General Statute Minnesota 1894.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the county auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land, sold for taxes, in Red Lake county, to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Section 1616, General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, and amendments thereof will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor: which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs due thereon, unless such amount exceeds the actual value of the property. Immediate payment to the county treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have have been offered for sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor. This sale will be held pursuant to directions from the Auditor of the State as provided by law.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., September 30th, 1905.
JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor Red Lake County.

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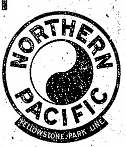

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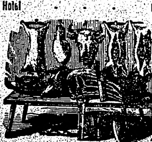

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BOYS LOSE TO GRAND FORKS.

In their Game Last Saturday owing to Greater Weight of Opponents.

The foot ball game between Red Lake Falls high school and Grand Forks high last Saturday resulted in a crushing defeat for the Red Lake boys mainly on account of their light weight. The Herald says: It was clearly demonstrated that as long as Grand Forks highs had the weight on their side they could win out very easily. The score of 12 to 0 was made in the first half in very close scrimmages, and was fairly won. In the second half neither side scored, but the whole time the ball was pushed back and forth in the center of the field. The chief gains made by Grand Forks were through the line and even then they worked for every yard that they gained. Red Lake Falls played a scientific game and only made one fumble, and it is believed that, if the difference in individual weight had not been so much, the Red Lake Falls boys would have at least tied the score. The game was interesting and gentlemanly from start to finish and the Grand Forks highs were in the game all the while and made some fine plays. The teams lined up as follows:

Grand Forks—Vonderlick c. Reilly rg, Filteau rt. McLoughlin re, Woods Duggan, le, Sullivan, Woods, it, McGraw le, Payne lhb. Roddy fb. Fawcett-Sullivan rbb, Vincent qb.

Red Lake Falls—Zaiser c, LaFreniere rt, H. Garceau re, J. Toupin lf, C Bourdon lt, E. Toupin le, R. Blake, lhb. W. Buse fb. P. Brunelle rhb, R. R. Healy qb.

Better Price for Wheat.

From all accounts wheat is likely to reach a much higher price than at present and it would doubtless pay those that can afford it to hold their wheat a little longer. It is always well to bear in mind that light wheat receipts cause advance. Reports from Russia indicate an enormous shortage of grains, compared with last year. Rye, Russia's leading crop, is said to be 352,000,000 bushels short; oats, 296,000,000, and wheat 178,000,000, an enormous and distressing total, even for a country as large as Russia. It is also reported that the wheat requirements of France will make necessary larger imports than were expected earlier in the season. Besides these factors it is becoming more and more apparent that the wheat yield of this country has been overestimated. Threshings in the Red River valley are disappointing, and there are predictions that the average yield of the valley will not be over 10 bushels to the acre, about 5 bushels less than earlier estimates. Rains of unprecedented volume, for the season, in the north and southwest, are cutting no small figure in fixing the ultimate quantity of secured wheat of good milling quality.

Football Saturday.

A game of ball will be played here on Saturday of this week betwoon our home boys and the team from the Law Department of the State University of North Dakota. If the Law Department team is as good as the High School team of Grand Forks the game Saturday will be well worth going to see.

To Change Inauguration Day.

After almost half a century of talk and agitation the movement to change the date of the presidential inauguration has at length assumed definite form, and is now making substantial headway. Forty-one governors have signified their willingness to serve on the committee which Commissioner Macfarl and has organized to induce congress to draw up and submit to the states the constitutional amondment which is necessary to be adopted before a change can be made. It is expected that the date will be changed from March 4 to April 30, to add to the length of the short session of congress, If we add Golden Grain Belt Beer to our regular diet there is but little danger of ill-health, Order a case for home use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

CONTEST CLOSES.

Guessing Contest at Berthon and Armstrongs Clothing store Decided on Wednesday.

The guessing contest at the "Jim and Paul" store for the boys was closed on Wednesday afternoon and the ball of twine measured and the guesses registered, some of which were very low, running all the way from 300 to 7000 feet. Frances Favero, whose guess was 2,300 feet won the first prize of any $5.00 suit in the house, and Halvie Toupin, the second prize of a $3.00 suit, his guess being 2,381. The number of feet of twine in the ball was 2320.

T'Was Ever Thus.

Today I observed a blind man and his wife thumming banjos and singing songs on the streets of Fairmont. As I watched and listened about twenty young fellows came along and dropped a nickle or a dime in the cup of charity and only two men of middle or old age "dug up" to help the unfortunates The young men were mostly clerks who barely earn the store clothes they wear. Among the elderly men who passed along trying not to see the poor old blind mendicants were several who could have "bought and sold" half the clerks in Fairmont and still had money enough left to build a hospital for your beautiful little city and not feel the loss. Sentinel.

California or Florida

It is time to plan your winter vacation. Early arrangements secure the best accommodations. Choice of routes via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to Californir or to Florida, combined with low rates make the trip to either resort a most attractive one. A postal will bring complete information about rates, train service and resorts, free and by return mail. Address W. B. Dixon, N. W. P. A., St. Paul, Minn. 9 Dec.

For Sale.

$500 worth of bees and hives which I will sell at half price $250 if taken this month. Also 800 pounds of comb honey and 70 gallons of extracted honey. Call on Oliver Caron.

Besiness Men Banquet.

The business circles of our town were changed last week by the removal of one of our most popular young men, and to express the high esteem in which he was held by his brother businessmen a banquet and smoker were held last Thursday in his honor, at the Grand View Hotel where upwards of forty of his associates gathered to make the last evening in Red Lake Falls a memorable one, and to wish him success in his new undertaking.

The toasts, as they were responded to, were, as follows:

President of the United States: F. A. Grady, P. B. Gaass, J. E. Ford.

Our guest: J. A. Duffy.

Commercial Industries: S. M. Sievertson, W. A. Sceeiter, F. E. Hunt, W. F. Spillane, Theo. LaBissionere.

Army and Navy: W. R. Rosse, C. E. Boughton, J. B. Armstrong, L. Kaufer, Fred Bourchers.

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Transportation: J. L. Tracy, F. A. Mizen, J. E. Blake.

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Ladies: H. W. Anderson, S. E. Hunt, John Grady, H. H. Zaiser.

Resolution Adopted by Adams Presbytery.

We have had a most helpful and inspiring meeting of Presbytery and we feel that this sucess has been due in no small part to the pleasant circumstances under which we have met. There fore be it.

Resolved, by a vote of the Presbytery we express our appreciation of and gratitude to the pastor of this church for his careful preparation for the meeting of the Presbytery; to those who so kindly received us into their homes; to the ladies who provided us the magnificent dinner, which we enjoyed in the church parlors, and to all who have helped to make our visit to Red Lake Falls so pleasant and profitable.

S. E. P. White,
E. M. Williams, Committee.

Open to Trafic.

A new extension from Munich to Sarles, which is an extension of the Dakota Line northward to the international boundary has been open for service. This new extension will serve the towns of Clyde, Calvin and Sarles, recently established, and bring into direct railway communication an additional vast area of the rich land in the northern part of North Dakota.

Ministers of the Gospel Here

An interesting meeting was held at the Presbyterian church here on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week of the Presbyterian ministers and Missionaries of this part of the state, there being present R. N. Adams, D. D. of Minneapolis, N. A. Gilchrist, Missonary at Crookston, D. K. Laurie, Sunday School Missionary, of Brainerd and pastors Wm. Best, of East Grand Forks, W. J. Hall, of Hallock, Ralph T. Fulton, of Warren, W. T. Williams, of Argyle, S. E. P. White, of Bemidji, R. L. Barrackman, of Black Duck, with elders Frank, of Warren, Davnie, of Hallock, and Ward of Crookston. Three addresses were delivered Tuesday afternoon, which were followed by reports from the different ministers and missionaries, and in the evening a sermon was preached by Rev. Barrackman, of Black Duck. The business of their meeting was finished on Wednesday afternoon, after which most of those in attendance left for Fergus Falls, to attend the Synod meetings.

A New Enterprise

The National Railway Training School, Suite 237 Boston Block, Minneapolis, Minn., whose advertisement will be found in this issue has recently been organized for the purpose of training young men by mail for the positions of Fireman & Brakeman on Railroads without having had any previous experience. Positions secured as soon as competent. This enterprise deserves the support of everybody.

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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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Would You?

Would you still, if he lost his money,
  Rush across the street
To grasp his hand and to let him see
That it made you happy that you and he
  Had happened to meet?

Would you still, if he lost his money
  In an honest way,
Take trouble to have it known
That he was your friend—your own—
  As you do to-day?

Would you still, if he lost his money,
  In deference bow
And never in deed or word or thought
Put the smallest slight upon him? If not
  You betray him now.
—S. E. Kiser.

A MERMAID NEMESIS

BY D. M. HENDERSON, JR.

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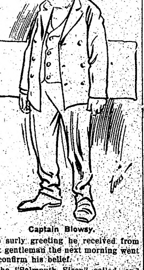
The apple of the Widow Stubb's eye was her boy Sam, a lean, freckled youngster. Perceiving this, Peter Blowsy and Silas Bliggs, captain and mate, respectively, of the "Salmouth Siren," vied with each other in making much of him. Over the bar of her tavern, "The Mariners' Rest," the widow remarked to the two that she was worried about Sam's health, whereupon the captain responded quickly that it was a shame to see such a bright, handsome face looking so peakish. The mate, outdone, energetically nodded his sympathy with this view. The captain, following up his advantage, recommended a certain tonic. Then the mate was seized by a great idea.

"What this dear little feller needs is an ocean trip!" he said, impressively. "I'll take him on our next un', Captain Blowsy willin', and I'll give him a father's care and bring him back with roses in his cheeks!"

"Delighted ter hev him!" the captain immediately responded, slapping his knee to show his appreciation of the plan, although he scowled darkly at his mate when that gentleman's back was towards him. Mrs. Stubbs, after hesitating long, consented, and the many warm glances she bestowed upon Silas convinced him that he had made a ten-strike.

As was their custom, the rival suitors met in the widow's parlor upon the Sunday evening following. Their vessel was to set sail the next morning, so each was anxious to unburden his heart to his hostess. When the clock's hands neared eleven, Silas, seeing that the captain had determined to sit him out, arose. With a malicious glance at his rival, he excused himself for not staying later. Since Samuel—whom he was to assume charge of that evening—was used to retiring early, he announced, he meant him while in his care to continue in the wise habit his good mother had taught him. As the wily mate had counted upon, the opportunity came while he was waiting at the door for the boy. Mrs. Stubbs was quite overcome when he stammered his petition, a condition which, while lamentable at the time, gave Silas blissful memories to carry with him, since during the moment of collapse the widow's plump form reposed in his arms. Recovering, she told Silas coyly that the memory of her dear Stubbs had not allowed her to contemplate a successor to him, but that she felt indeed honored at such an offer from such a person, and that she would try to see whether Stubbs' place in her heart might not be shared by another.

Silas, who had not expected a more favorable answer at that time, bade her adieu contentedly, feeling that the captain's persuasive powers could earn him no better answer than the one he secured, and that if he could retain possession of his trump card—Sam—he would have nothing to fear from the captain upon their return.



Captain Blowsy.

The surly greeting he received from that gentleman the next morning went to confirm his belief.

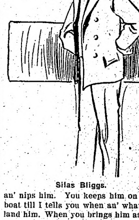
The "Salmouth Siren" sailed, and after an uneventful voyage reached her destination and discharged her cargo. As they were about to weigh anchor for the return trip a boat rowed hastily out to the ship. A rough-looking fellow came aboard and was ushered into the cabin. The curious Silas took his stand a few feet away from the open cabin skylight.

The stranger was speaking. "My boat's off Blimley Cove!" were the first words Silas heard.

"A day's trip this side o' Salmouth! Then you can look for us about the first o' next week," the captain replied.

"I don't want ter run agin' the law!" said the stranger, dubitably.

"Rot!" came from the captain. "Foller my directions an' you'll come out all right. The night after we reaches Blimley Cove I comes ashore with the mate and the kid. You foller us. The mate an' I goes in fer a drink at some 'longshore tavern, leavin' the kid outside, the company inside not being fit fer one of his innercense to 'sociate with. The place I picks out ter leave him is a lonely un', so you comes along



Silas Bliggs.

an' nips him. You keeps him on your boat till I tells you when an' whar' ter land him. When you brings him ashore I happens along, huntin' fer the lost Sammy! We has a leetle set-to an' I rescues the kid! It's simple!"

"I'm blowed if I likes the job!" the stranger answered.

"Pshaw!" responded the captain. "Taint nothin' but a leetle joke, an' I'm goin' ter pay you well for it!"

The two arose, haggling over a price for the job. Silas walked away. The mate was aghast at his rival's cunning plot. He trembled when he thought of the pinnacle the captain would reach and the depth to which he would sink in the widow's estimation if the plotters succeeded. He was seized with a wild desire to flee the vessel with Sam, but his charge was nowhere in sight and the sailors, the stranger having pulled off, were weighing the anchor. When he grew calm he set himself to plan a way to frustrate the rascally scheme, but although he spent many an hour in thinking over the situation, the only determination he arrived at was that when the "Salmouth Siren" reached Blimley Cove he would stick to Sam like a leech!

The boat was within a day's sail of Blimley Cove when a severe storm arose. In the evening, as great wind-driven sheets of rain beat the deck and vivid flashes of lightning lit up the plunging bark weirdly, the captain sought his mate's company for the first time during the trip. Silas, occupied by his troubles, seeing that the captain had been drinking, paid little heed to his maudlin talk. But as the captain, growing superstitious under the combined influences of the liquor and the storm, unfolded his pet belief that the destinies of ships were controlled by strange sea-folk, Silas grew interested and then agreed heartily with the captain. When they separated Silas was deep in thought.

About midnight, sobered by the storm, the captain had taken the wheel. Suddenly, above the noise of the gale, he heard a strange voice calling him. By the faint light from the cabin air-ports he made out, forward of the wheel, a prostrate figure. As he peered a continued flash of lightning disclosed a mermaid. A mass of long yellow hair half veiled her face and streamed over her shoulders and from her neck to the end of her long, fish-like tail, phosphorous radiated.

The captain shivered. "Who air you?" he gasped.

"The mermaid what looks after this here craft's fortune!" the creature hoarsely answered. "I hev come to warn ye, Peter Blowsy, that destruction waits the 'Siren' at Blimley Cove! It air a punishment fer yore evil doings!"

"I jest meant to hev a leetle joke, good mermaid!" bawled the captain, in his excitement, letting the mermaid's peculiar pronunciation escape him. No answer came. The mermaid was vanishing. The skipper remained transfixed with terror until the gleams of phosphorous shone no longer. Then he staggered to the companionway and bawled for the mate. When, after an exasperating delay, Silas appeared, the skipper with an oath instructed him to set a straight course for Salmouth and went below.

Two evenings later, shortly after his mate had gone ashore, Captain Blowsy entered his cabin, intending to don his shore clothes. He found upon the cabin table a huge bundle. Opening it curiously, he discovered a mass of unraveled hemp, fashioned into the shape of a woman's wig; a huge fish-tail, made from two pieces of old canvas cut to the required shape and basted together, with an opening at its largest end large enough to admit a man's body, and a box of wet sulphur matches, labeled "The fosforous you seed!" With these articles was enclosed a note stating that the remainder of the "mermaid what looked after the 'Siren's' fortunes" could be found that evening at the "Mariner's Rest," where a full account of why and how she appeared could be heard.

Silas had conquered; his discomfited rival sought liquid solace that evening in a strange tavern.

Silas, when Sam had been sent to bed, seeing that his highly-colored story of his rival's dastardly plot and its frustration had caused favoring winds, set sail for and reached the Port o' Love.

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A happy minded woman came from the West to take her place in the van with the girl who works—the girl with a purpose—an ambition beyond society. That she was in earnest there could be no doubt.

She began with stenography; she took a course in physical culture; she studied the work of book cover designing; she even spent a week as a cloak model; she tried to win success as an advertising agent. In nothing could she achieve any success. Yet she worked hard and was encouraged and aided by friends. But she failed to keep on at any of the many branches she adopted, says Success.

It is not always possible to see the stars beckoning us. A philosophic woman has written, we must dig to find our star. But we must keep on—blindly, sometimes—through the darkness, with nothing but the keeping on itself in view. Worry not over environment or lack of the immediate success that may be our due. Waste not time over small regrets or failures or small achievements.

These things only prove that you are alive and in the battle, just as the singing of a bullet tells a soldier that he is in the field. But when the tired time comes to you—the girl who works—and you look over untrodden fields where the daisies may glow alluringly and the star of success may perch low enough to reach without too much straining, just stick to your purpose, whatever it may be.

Leading Up to It.

"I wish you would look at this watch and see what's the matter with it," the man said, handing it over.

The jeweler examined it.

"I can't see anything wrong," he said. "What seems to be the trouble?"

"It has lost nearly a minute in the last three months."

"That isn't worth making a fuss over."

"I didn't know but one of the jewels might have broken, or something."

"None of 'em dropped out?"

"No, they're all right."

"It isn't full jeweled, anyhow, is it?"

"Yes, it's full jeweled."

"I've been suspecting lately that the case is only washed."

"You're wrong. It's solid gold."

"But it isn't a first class make, is it?"

"Yes, there's nothing better in the market."

"I'm glad to hear you say so. Perhaps you wouldn't mind letting me have a fifty on it?"—Chicago Tribune.

Couldn't Find It.

The neighbors having dropped in informally upon the Suthrons during the evening, Mrs. Suthron suggests that if her husband will gather some mint from the mint bed in the garden, she will mix for them a genuine Kentucky julep. Mr. Suthron, who has indulged in seven or eight genuine Kentucky juleps prior to the arrival of the guests, goes willingly in search of the desired garnishment for the drink. He remains in the garden quite a while, and finally the others go out to ascertain what causes the delay.

"Why don't you bring the mint in, dear?" his wife calls.

From somewhere in the darkness comes the testy response:

"Jane, I've eaten my way twice around this lot. I've chewed geranium leaves, grass, catnip, tulips, onions, sage and burdock, but blamed if I can find a sprig of mint anywhere!"—Pittsburg Dispatch.

He Had Already Won.

A young man who had been attentive to the other man's daughter, asked him for her hand in marriage.

"I'm sorry," said the father, "but I must refuse. I don't believe you are the kind of man for her."

"I'll have her anyway," said the youth, becoming bold.

"You won't," said the father, emphatically. "We'll just see who wins out in this matter."

"All right, I accept the challenge," said the other. "Is the fight on now?"

"It is."

"O, very well," said the youth, "then I've won. I married your daughter two weeks ago Thursday."—Kansas City Times.

THE BUMPER WHEAT CROP OF CANADA.

100,000,000 Bushels of Wheat from 4,000,000 Acres of Land.

In order to secure the attention of the reader to any special article that is brought before the public, it is often the custom to lead the reader on by the introduction of an interesting story until by one bold jump he is introduced to the subject that it is desired shall be brought to his notice. This is not fair to the reader, and it is not the intention to do that in this article. It will discuss in the briefest way "Western Canada" and its possibilities for settlement. For the past six or seven years the Government of the Dominion of Canada has talked of the resources of Western Canada to the readers of this and thousands of other papers throughout the United States. The quality of the soil was spoken of, the large area of fertile lands was discussed the possibilities of the country as a grain-growing district were talked of, and the story of the success of farmers from the United States was told. The story is not yet an old one. The two hundred thousand from the United States, who have made Western Canada their home, who have taken advantage of the 160 acres of land that the Government gives free to actual settlers are telling the story to-day to their friends. They have proven the statements made through these columns and by the Government Agents. They have produced from their lands, twenty, thirty, forty and more bushels of wheat to the acre, and netted profits ranging from three to ten and more dollars on every acre tilled. They have found the climate fully as good as they were told it would be, schools were convenient and easily organized, railways were not far distant, and markets close at hand. The social conditions were such as they chose to make them, and law and order were observed. Many of them bought land, because it was low-priced and good, and hundreds of cases could be cited where the purchase price of the land was paid out of the first crop. The writer knows of cases this year where the farmer, as a result of the yield on his farm, was put in a position that would enable him to increase his holdings three extra acres for every acre cropped and pay cash for it. Is it any wonder that one grows enthusiastic when speaking about Western Canada.

But what may be said of this year. We are now in a position to speak regarding it. The conditions throughout Manitoba and the new provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan have been remarkably favorable. Had conditions been no better than in past years there would have been every cause for congratulation. We find though all previous records broken, and that from a four million acre crop of wheat there will be one hundred million bushels of a yield—or 25 bushels to the acre. Could anything better be desired? Covering the entire country the same splendid reports are being received. The following dispatch was sent by Mr. F. W. Thompson, Vice President of the Ogilvie Milling Co., one of the most careful grain men in America:

"Have just returned from covering several hundred miles of the crop district. I never saw anything like it in this country before. The average yield and quality far exceeds our earlier expectations. It is an immense crop. The weather is extremely favorable."

Up to three weeks ago it was Mr. Thompson's opinion that the crop would not reach general expectations.

"F. W. Thompson sends another telegram from Winnipeg to-night, saying that his estimate of the wheat crop is now one hundred millions bushels. Before he went west he thought it would fall considerably short of that figure."

The moral of this story is that there should be no hesitation in making a decision if you wish to better your condition; or, if you have a family of boys that you wish to become settled on farms, it is a safe proposition to call upon the nearest authorized Canadian Government Agent, and get particulars as to most suitable districts and railway rates.

A Perfect Clod.

"Have you really broken your engagement to him?" asker the first summer girl.

"Yes," replied the other, "he was no fun at all. I simply couldn't make him jealous no matter how I tried."—Philadelphia Press.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Gaylord Beebe, Minneapolis, Minn., check protector; William Clifford, Duluth, Minn., dredge anchor; Edward Forkey, Minneapolis, Minn., horseshoe calk; Frank Higgins, Fargo, N. D., stamp case; Louis Marchessault, Minneapolis, Minn., boiler; Andrew Neudecker, Clements, Minn., horse-whipping mechanism; Henry Spaulding, Canastota, S. D., corn planter.

Renunciation.

Bessie—I simply refused to give him up, so papa stepped in and dragged me off to Europe.

Tessie—So you had to give him up after all?

Bessie—Mercy, yes. On the third day out I gave up everything.—Cleveland Leader.

The bachelor pays his money to go and hear lectures, the married man gets his at home for nothing, and yet some people can't see the advantage of matrimony.

INVENTIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS

Purify Water by Electricity.

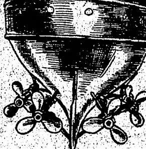
Philadelphia's notoriously bad water is now washed and made clean by ozone. Water from the Schuylkill river contains as much as 2,500,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter; but after a preliminary straining this noisome populace is reduced to 700,000 and after the ozone treatment to from 5 to 55, and these few survivors are said to be innocents. The water is also deodorized and freed from color. It is all done in this wise: A motor generator, producing a current of 100 alternations, is operated by a current taken from the city supply. The current from the generator is raised by transformers and condensers to a voltage of 10,000. Voltage arcs are prevented and sparks are limited by means of resistance coils and condensers, and the current in form of a pencil of blue light passes from each of some millions of metallic discharge points across a short air gap to nickel receivers. By means of a pump air is drawn across this gap, and in its passage is partially converted into ozone; it is then forced through a stand pipe in which it meets a current of water flowing in an opposite direction. The bacteria contained in the water are instantly destroyed by the ozone and the water is purified.

Catching Mail From Flyers.

Rapid delivery in mails is one of Iowa's blessings from a fast mail train that races over its prairies. The long vexed puzzle of discharging mail from moving trains without hazard to the mail, the train, and the bystanders is now solved by an automatic device operated by air from the brakes of the trains and the instantaneous action thus secured. A platform is arranged on the car door on which the sacks of mail to be delivered are placed. Contact between the crane on the station platform and a trigger on the mail catching arm on the car puts the mechanism in operation; the mail sacks are thus ejected into a receiving box placed at the side of the track so constructed that the air is forced into either end by the momentum of the pouch. This acts as a cushion, preventing damage to the pouch and its contents. The process is equally good for trains running at fifteen or those at seventy-two miles per hour.

Designed for Fast Ocean Travel.

One of the most interesting novelties in Earl's Court exhibition is the model of a passenger vessel designed by Mr. Richard Painton, an American inventor, who claims that the ship will be able to cross the Atlantic in three days. According to Mr. Painton's design, the present single or double propellers are replaced by rows of propellers, from sixteen to twenty in number, placed along the sides and stem of the vessel, and worked by independent motors connected by wires with the generating dynamos. As the engine will occupy considerably less space than the present type of engine, a much larger quantity of coal can be carried.—London Telegraph.



Some of the Propellers.

Zorene's Wonderful Property.

Zorene is the new chemical wonder, and it is a wonder. Hungaria has found it, and states through Prof. Brunn that a piece of ordinary and easily breakable slag, after immersion in the new liquid compound, defies the blow of a hammer. The same effect was produced on ordinary brick and on a block of red jarrah wood. When immersed in water for a long time none of the three when taken out shows the slightest increase of weight by the addition of moisture. Two pieces of steel which had been soaked in the liquid were submitted to an ammonia test equal to five years exposure to the air and emerged from the bath as they entered it. Prof. Brunn states that he can make roads germ, dust and waterproof from slag which is now useless, and that he can double the life of metals exposed to the air.

New Building Material.

The new building material known as "kremnite" is made in a factory near St. Petersburg and consists of powdered clay sand and fluorspar melted together at a high temperature. The molten mass may be used like iron for molded castings as well as blocks. The material can be colored in a variety of shades, may be ground or polished, takes glaze well, and gives a good imitation of colored marble or other natural stone. It may be cast in large pieces of any desired form. It is well adapted for architectural and artistic purposes, yielding such products as hollow bricks for buildings and stoves, fancy marble-like bricks, tiles for floors and sidewalks, and even thin corrugated plates for roofs.

There is no Rochelle Salts, Alum, Lime or Ammonia in food made with

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Across the Bloody Chasm.

He was up from the South for the first time and was seeing New York from a trolley car. In the lapel of his coat was a Confederate veteran's badge. The man next to him wore the bronze button of the G. A. R.

"Stranger," said the Southerner to his old-time foe, "there don't seem to be as much difference between you-all and we-all except that you-all say guess' and we-all say 'reckon.'"

"No," responded the other, "except that we could always guess a blamed sight better than you could reckon."

The car reached the end of the line just then and the two old soldiers entered a saloon arm in arm.—New York Sund.

A Good Baron Munchausen Story.

In connection with old Admiral Jaureguiberry, a writer remembers a curious incident. At the fight of St. Jean-sur-Erve, during the retreat on Laval, the admiral was galloping along the front, his tall, bony figure erect, his long gray side whiskers streaming in the wind, when some fragments of an exploding shell absolutely decapitated his horse, which, nevertheless, galloped on quite forty yards before it fell, the admiral meanwhile retaining his seat unmoved, though he profited by the respite to free his feet from the stirrups in such a way that as the horse collapsed he easily alighted. His only comment, in response to the congratulations he received on his escape was very characteristic. "Some people imagine," said he, "that sailors cannot ride."—Dundee Advertiser.

Best in the World.

Cream, Ark., Oct. 9th.—(Special.)—After eighteen months' suffering from Epilepsy, Backache and Kidney Complaint, Mr. W. H. Smith of this place is a well man again and those who have watched his return to health unhesitatingly give all the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills. In an interview regarding his cure, Mr. Smith says:

"I had been low for eighteen months with my back and kidneys, and also Epilepsy. I had taken everything I knew of and nothing seemed to do me any good till a friend of mine got me to send for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I find that they are the greatest medicine in the world, for now I am able to work and am in fact as stout and strong as before I took sick."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidneys. Cured Kidneys cleanse the blood of all impurities. Pure blood means good health.

Truly.

Elise—Mamma, what is a riding habit?

Mamma—A riding habit, dear, is what makes people too lazy to walk.—Judge.

Two-thirds of what people call principle is bull-headedness.

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KIDNEY TROUBLE DUE TO CATARRH.

The Curative Power of PE-RU-NA in Kidney Disease the Talk of the Continent.

Nicholas J. Hertz, Member of Ancient Order of Workmen, Capitol Lodge, No. 140, Pearl Street Hotel, Albany, N. Y., writes:

"A few months ago I contracted a heavy cold which settled in my kidneys, and each time I was exposed to inclement weather the trouble was aggravated until finally I was unable to work.

"After trying many of the advertised remedies for kidney trouble, I finally took Peruna.

"In a week the intense pains in my back were much relieved and in four weeks I was able to take up my work again.

"I still continued to use Peruna for another month and at the end of that time I was perfectly well.

"I now take a dose or two when I have been exposed and find that it is splendid to keep me well."

Hundreds of Cures.

Dr. Hartman is constantly in receipt of testimonials from people who have been cured of chronic and complicated kidney disease, by Peruna. For free medical advice, address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

He Told Her Why.

Peckem— I have been asked to join the Married Men's club, my dear.

Mrs. Peckem—Indeed! And what do married men want a club for, pray?

Peckem—Why, misery loves company, you know.—Chicago News.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Something in a Name.

First Butterfly—I wonder how we got our name. Did we ever have anything to do with butter?

Second Butterfly—Oh, stop grumbling. Suppose they had called us oleomargarine flies?—New York Press.

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Apply for information to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to authorized Canadian Government Agent—Charles Pilling, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota.
(Mention this paper.)

FARM MISCELLANY

Gastric Digestion.

The stomachs of our domestic animals vary greatly in size, that of the hog holding 7 to 9 quarts, the horse 17 to 19, and the ox over 300 quarts. Colin, who gives the above data, found 145 pounds of air-dry fodder in the first three compartments of the stomach of a cow that had fasted two days. The stomach of the ox is never without considerable content, even after long starvation. The digestion of the starchy matter of the food through action of the saliva continues in the stomach. After the food enters the stomach a churning motion is set up which causes it to travel from the place on entrance toward the exit. While this motion is going on, a fluid is being poured upon it from the lining of the stomach. This fluid is at first alkaline, but gradually becomes more and more acid.

The amount of gastric fluid poured out has not yet been definitely determined. Some writers place it as high as one-fourth the weight of the body daily, others a tenth, and others even less.

The constituents of the gastric juice which effect changes are pepsin, rennet, and acid. Pepsin is a soluble ferment which acts upon the food only in the presence of dilute acid. Rennet has the power of curdling milk, one part coagulating 400,000 parts of casein. Cane sugar is not fermentable and cannot be assimilated until it is changed to glucose and laevulose. Hydrochloric acid is present in considerable amount in the gastric juice. Cane sugar in the food is slowly changed by this acid into laevulose and glucose. The main action of the gastric juice is, however, in converting the albuminoids into peptones, leaving the fatty matter and cellulose to be attacked later. The stomach of the horse is so small that it cannot contain a full feed at one time, and consequently that portion which is first eaten is usually pushed on from the stomach into the small intestines before it has been long acted on by the gastric juice.—Prof. W. A. Henry, in Feeds and Feeding.

Feed and the Color of Butter.

Some of the dairy people are quite excited over the possibility of the use of butter color being prohibited, and are discussing the question of whether or not feed affects the color of butter. Evidently some of them wish to give the impression that feed does not under any conditions affect the color of butter, and that therefore the farmer should make a vigorous fight against any such law, as they would then be unable to have yellow butter. One of them heads an article, "Can't Feed for Color," and then quotes Professor Wing of Cornell, Professor Jordan of Geneva, and Professor Babcock of Wisconsin. What they say contradicts the heading, for they assert most emphatically that feed does modify the color of the butter. Professor Jordan says that the butter fat from the same individual cow is of higher color when she is on pasture than when she is on dry feed in the barn. Professor Wing says that certain feeds noticeably affect the fat in milk. Fresh pasture grass is famed for this, he says. Professor Babcock declares that green forage has the highest color, that succulent foods, as roots or silage, also improve the color in winter, and that corn meal gives a better color than wheat bran.

Every reader of the Farmers' Review that has had anything to do with the making of butter on the farm knows that when the pastures are green and luxuriant in June, the butter color is at its highest. There is no question that foods can be given the cows that will to a considerable extent affect the color of the milk, even in winter.—Farmers' Review.

Company Owned Threshers.

It has been pointed out in these columns that much loss is each year incurred by farmers from having to allow their grain to stand too long in the shock while waiting the arrival of the threshing outfit, which is too busy to promptly take care of all of the work desired to be done. Threshers are increasing in number in each community, but as two-thirds of the farmers in many districts prefer to thresh from the shock and could not otherwise dispose of their grain crop, many more machines are needed and should be furnished in order to put a stop to the serious loss or damage of grain. In Great Britain almost without exception the farms have individual threshing mills, most of which are run by water power, which necessitates having dams or ponds. Where modern buildings have recently been built, steam power runs the thresher, which is a fixture in a special building, says the Farmers' Review.

With us small threshers might be run by electric power where trolley lines pass near the farm, or by the old-fashioned horse power or even a steam engine, where the farm is large. These things will come some day. Meanwhile it would seem to be a good plan for farmers to band together in a community for the purchase of a threshing outfit of sufficient capacity to do the work required, and then each season stack the grain on each farm and thresh with the company machine just when most convenient or profitable.

A company machine could not well thresh from the shock quickly enough to suit all of the farmers owning stock in the outfit, hence it would be best to stack the grain, and that indeed is probably the best plan for all concerned in districts where the harvesting weather is not invariably dry and hot. While help is scarce shocking will still be as shockingly done as it is at present on most farms. The sheaves are bundled together any old way and take rain like a sponge, so that they soon commence to rot and sprout or at least become discolored. Discolored grain loses grade in the market and cuts down the value of a lot of grain in the country elevator. Better to stack the grain and thresh at the best time to conserve every good quality of the crop.

Soil Depletion Unnecessary.

A noted writer in a contemporary recently stated that "all soils will be depleted in time," a view of the matter which is so erroneous that already the author is being taken to task by other experienced agriculturists. The trend of what appears in the agricultural papers from month to month upon the subject of plant food in soils is perhaps the conclusion arrived at by the writer referred to, and it may be well for farmers to fear that soil will inevitably "play out" in time, but when all is considered it becomes apparent at least that there is no real need of such depleting taking place. It is a fact that soil cropped year after year for a long time with the same crop will gradually lose one or more of the foods or soil ingredients needed to the welfare of that particular crop, and for this reason that special crop will there fail to thrive, while other crops not dependent upon the presence of the special ingredient lacking may thrive fairly well for a time. A soil then becomes depleted for one crop, but may do well enough for some other crop, as has been seen in the history of the wheat fields of the country. Change of crop tends to renovate land, in that it gives the soil a chance to recuperate from its past trial and store up fresh hoards of that ingredient which was sapped in its assimilable form but not exhausted in its dormant form. By proper rotation of crops, by raising and feeding of live stock, by growing clover and legumes such as peas, beans, etc., no soil need become too depleted to raise profitable crops, and by additional use of artificial fertilizers any soil may become richer than it was originally although long used for the production of farm crops. Such is the history of wide areas of poor land in Europe and even in some of our eastern states. They ran down for a time by successive cropping without proper rotation, but after intelligent methods of cropping, stock feeding and soil fertilization were introduced they were renovated and now bear crops abundantly. Under the circumstances it is well to understand that soils may become depleted, but no one should conclude that depletion is inevitable in the future.—A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

Color of Clover Seed.

Those who have examined clover seed must have noticed that there are three general kinds into which the colors may be divided. There is the yellow seed, the variegated seed and the brown seed. The brown seeds are now known to be of low germinative capacity, and their peculiar color is given by the prolonged action of rain on the seeds. This has been established by taking yellow seeds and variegated seeds and wetting and drying them for a considerable time. Some agriculturists tested the germinative power of average lots of clover seed imported from Russia and also some purchased in the United States. In the Russian seed the germinations were: variegated seed, 87 per cent; yellow seed, 85.6 per cent; brown seed, 13.6 per cent. In the American seed, the germinations were: variegated, 94.7 per cent; yellow, 94.2 per cent; brown, 13 per cent. It will thus be seen that the value of the brown seed was very slight. Experiments in the actual use of this seed seemed to show that the yellow seed produces a slightly larger yield of hay. The seeds in the Russian clover were carefully separated and the proportions of each color were found to be as follows; variegated, 35.89 per cent; yellow, 18.77 per cent; brown, 15.91 per cent; intermediate, 26.84 per cent; weed seed, 1.35 per cent; dirt, 1.25 per cent. In the American seed the corresponding figures were: variegated, 32.9 per cent; yellow, 20.3 per cent; brown, 19.07 per cent; intermediate, 20.47 per cent; weed seed, 3.98 per cent; dirt, 3.98 per cent. It will thus be seen that in both kinds the per cent of fairly good germinable seed was only a little above 52 per cent.

Grease, the Lice Killer.

It would not seem necessary to buy insect powder for putting on hens when common lard may be cheaply had and is death to lice. Lice breathe through pores in their bodies. It does not take much grease to stop up these pores, when the lice perish for lack of the oxygen of the air. Lice may be killed by grease, both when they are found on chicks and when they are found on old hens. It is something of a task to doctor a lot of old hens with grease, but it is cheaper and better than having the lice about. It is not necessary to mix kerosene with the grease, as the grease itself is entirely effective.

Early maturity is the most important point in breeding animals for market and the chief thing to consider is to have stock that will make the most weight in the shortest time and on the least feed.

AWFUL NEURALGIA

Mr. Porter Thought He Should Go Mad But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cured Him.

"It seems like a miracle that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should have cured my neuralgia," said Mr. Porter. "They are certainly a marvelous medicine and I am always glad to recommend them.

"For two years," he continued, "I had suffered almost unendurable pains in my head. They would start over my eyes and shoot upward most frequently, but they often spread over my face, and at times every part of my head and face would be full of agony. Sometimes the pains were so intense that I actually feared they would drive me mad.

"My eyes ached constantly and there was always a burning sensation over my forehead, but the other pains varied, sometimes they were acute, and again they were dull and lingering. I could not sleep. My temper was irritable and I got no pleasure out of life.

"I tried remedy after remedy, but finding no help in any of them, I became a despairing man. Even when I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I had no great hope of a cure.

"That was in December of 1903. To my surprise, a change in my condition took place right away. The pains grew less intense and the acute attacks were further apart, as I kept on using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The improvement began with the first box, and when I had used six boxes I stopped. My cure was complete and has lasted ever since."

Mr. Charles H. Porter lives at Raymond, N. H. He is one of many grateful people who have found that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure diseases of the nerves that have stubbornly resisted every other remedy tried. Not only neuralgia, but sciatica, partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia yield to them. They are sold by all druggists, or may be obtained directly from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Where the Lines Were.

"When he proposed," said Miss Passay, coyly, "I tried hard not to let him see what my feeling towards him was."

"But you couldn't deceive him, eh?" asked Miss Pepprey.

"No; he said he saw his answer in my face."

"Ah! He read between the lines, I suppose."—Catholic Standard.

To Launder Colored Embroidered Linens.

To launder colored, embroidered linens with good results, the work should be done quickly and carefully. Wash through warm, Ivory Soap suds, rubbing with the hands; rinse through a clear water, then through another which is slightly blue. Dry in-doors; to iron, have the piece very damp and place it, right side down, on a soft blanket. Press with a hot iron.

ELEANOR R. PARKER.

Comparison.

Hiram Harix—A feller up our way is workin' on a flyin' macheen.

Owen Oatcake—Does he 'low it'll fly?

Hiram Harix—Yees; he sez he 'lows it'll go up an' down like th' price uv wheat.—Chicago News.

What She Desires.

"It may not be your intention," remarked Miss Gaddie, "but doesn't it occur to you that your treatment of me is rather calculated to make us bad friends?"

"No," replied Miss Kandor, coolly, "I had an idea it would make us good enemies."—Philadelphia Press.

AGAINST THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

Overzealous Reformers Work for Law Against Proprietary Medicines.

Schemes to diminish or destroy the sale of proprietary medicines are constantly being devised by interested parties. Every now and then some zealous reformer comes to the front with the demand for a law to require every package of proprietary medicine to be labeled with a printed statement of the "formula," showing just how it is manufactured. The millions of people who use proprietary medicines seem to be satisfied; but the man with a mania for regulating the affairs of other people or who has some personal interest to serve is the one who agitates the proposition. To a person who has never taken time to consider it, such a proposition may seem reasonable enough; yet it is in fact nothing more nor less than a scheme to compel the manufacturers to put their trade throughout the entire country at the mercy of every commercial pirate who might choose to flood the market with imitations of their goods.

"Under such conditions the incentive for the original manufacturer to advertise his goods would be practically destroyed, for the money spent on advertising would inure mainly to the benefit of the pirates and imitators. Without advertising, the public would receive little information in regard to the medicine, and all future sales would be greatly impaired if not wholly destroyed." It is mainly by judicious advertising that the knowledge of proprietary medicines is brought to the public. Nothing is more certain than that millions of people have found relief at a comparatively small expense by the use of some remedy first called to their notice through newspaper advertising. Why, then, should the manufacturer of a meritorious proprietary remedy be compelled by law to practically destroy his business as a condition of being allowed to carry it on? Yet that is exactly what these formula bills mean.—Exchange.

A man who pronounces marriage a failure either has had too much experience or else none at all.

A woman always thinks a man is afraid to argue with her.

WHEAT

A sharp break, such as we anticipated in our last review, has been experienced in the wheat market. Declines have been sharp and of sufficient size to clear the situation of much of its weight. The most powerful and aggressive interests are now purchasing on each material decline, and this in spite of the big crops. The demand is wide and insistent. The undertone in the market is distinctly strong and healthy. The true character of the market may be judged by the fact that, while there is an apparent difference in favor of Canadian wheat for export into several European states, liberal amounts of high grade American wheat have been sold to those countries. This proves while the public markets abroad may show prices below an import level, they need our fine wheat so badly that private prices are higher than the market. If thus early in the season Europe is willing to pay a liberal premium for the best milling grades, what will be the situation when the present source of supply, the Canadian fields, has become exhausted? We believe wheat will advance materially as soon as the situation is a little better understood. For a long pull, we favor purchases of May wheat.

Edwards-Wood Co.
(Incorporated)—Dealers In
STOCKS GRAIN PROVISIONS
Main Office—5th and Robert Sts.—St. Paul.

What is a Backache?

IT IS NATURE'S WARNING TO WOMEN

Diseases of Woman's Organism Cured and Consequent Pain Stopped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"It seems as though my back would break." Women utter these words over and over again, but continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, "bearing down" pains, nervousness and no ambition for any task.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson

They do not realize that the back is the mainspring of woman's organism, and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the womb or kidneys, and that the aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for twenty years has been the one and only effective remedy in such cases. It speedily cures all womb and kidney disorders and restores the female organs to a healthy condition.

Here is one case among thousands:

"I consider Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the most wonderful remedy in the world for sick women. For a long time I suffered with a severe backache and bearing-down pains; in fact, I had womb trouble. Reading of the remarkable cures your Compound had made I decided to try it, and I am happy to say that it not only cured me entirely of all my troubles but made me a strong, well woman."—Mrs. Elizabeth H. Thompson, Lily Dale, N. Y.

No other medicine holds such a record of cures of female ills as does Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

No other person can give such helpful advice to women who are sick as can Mrs. Pinkham, for none have had such a great experience. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice free.

CURES CONSTIPATION

Relief that comes from the use of pills or other cathartics is better than suffering from the results of constipation, but relief and cure combined may be had at the same price and more promptly, for

Lane's Family Medicine

is a cure for constipation, and the headache, backache, sideache and general debility that come from constipation stop when the bowels do their proper work.

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W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes have by their excellent style, easy fitting, and superior wearing qualities, achieved the largest sale of any $3.50 shoe in the world. They are just as good as those that cost you $5.00 to $7.00—the only difference is the price. If I could take you into my factory at Brockton, Mass., the largest in the world under one roof making men's fine shoes, and show you the care with which every pair of Douglas shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes are the best shoes produced in the world.

If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makes, you would understand why Douglas $3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other $3.50 shoe on the market to-day.

W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, $2.50, $2.00. Boys' School & Dress Shoes, $2.50, $2, $1.75, $1.50

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Fast Color Eyelets used; they will not wear brassy.

Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles.
W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

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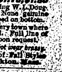

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Paxtine is in powder form to be dissolved in pure water, and is far more cleansing, healing, germicidal and economical than liquid antiseptics for all TOILET AND WOMEN'S SPECIAL USES.

For sale at druggists, 50 cents a box.
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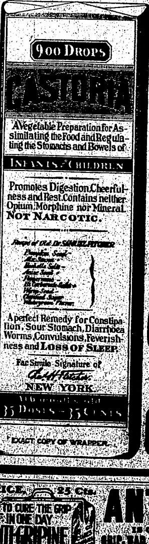

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IS GUARANTEED TO CURE GRIP, BAD COLD, HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA.

I won't sell Anti-Gripine to a dealer who won't Guarantee It. Call for your MONEY BACK IF IT DON'T CURE.
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$1.00 Per Year, in Advance.

IT is an open question whether the average insurance company has been run for the benefit of the heirs of the policy-holders or the heirs of the officials.

THE Windom Reporter says that a woman always wonders how her husband managed to keep out of the poorhouse before he had her to manage his pocketbook.

THE Lake Crystal Union (Republican and proud of it) predicts: "Our people will look back and wonder why they stood it so long with the cussedness of public officials in Washington."

THE Browns Valley Tribune is busily engaged in the task of chasing the gubernatorial bee back to Frank Eddy's bonnet. But, Frank, like other long-headed statesmen, is inclined to shy at the ghost of political oblivion.

MARY MCFADDEN, who knows a great deal about human nature from a woman's standpoint, tells us that "a woman can love a man after he ceases to be attractive. In fact, many women love men who have not begun to be attractive."

THE Alexandria Post-News has installed a Simplex type-setting machine, and appears this week much improved typographically. Bro. McCrea is demonstrating the fact that a wide-awake city newspaper man can soon become a leader in the country field.

IT is high time to frown upon nepotism. Public officials seem to think it quite the proper thing to employ sons and uncles and cousins and brothers, and ask the government to pay them handsome salaries for indifferent services, and it is no wonder the insurance officials caught the habit.

THE home merchants should quit grumbling about the encroachment of mail order houses and box-car dealers, and go after them in a business like manner, says the Browns Valley Tribune. The home dealer has the advantage, and the remedy is in his own hands if he will only use it. The country press, always loyal, has reserved its advertising columns for the home merchants. Therein is the means for successfully fighting the foreign concerns; if the home dealer don't take advantage of the opportunity, he alone is to blame.

Ayer's

If your blood is thin and impure, you are miserable all the time. It is pure, rich blood that invigorates, strengthens, refreshes. You certainly know

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the medicine that brings good health to the home, the only medicine tested and tried for 60 years. A doctor's medicine.

"I owe my life, without doubt, to Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the most wonderful medicine in the world for nervousness. My cure is permanent, and I cannot thank you enough."
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J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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Laxative doses of Ayer's Pills each night greatly aid the Sarsaparilla.

ROCKFELLER hasn't been giving much for education or religion recently, consequently the price of oil has remained stationary.

THE insurance companies are developing a low state of morals. Down in Tennessee an insurance company is made co-respondent in a divorce case.

NEW YORK's legislators are paid $1,500 a session, out of which sum several members are said to have laid by recently between $25,000 and $40,000.

SOMEHOW President Roosevelt has been rather silent of late about returning the $150,000 paid by the New York Life to the Republican national committee.

IF the state fair is a state institution it is high time it was placed under state supervision and control. At present the state erects the buildings and pays the deficits and only the lord knows where the profits go.

THE Minneapolis Tribune adjures the Republican party of Minnesota to "get back to the people." Its such a long way back, though, that the Tribune can hardly expect the politicians to get there for the next campaign.

GAS ADDICKS was removed from politics some months ago when he lost his money, but he took the trouble to kick the remnants to pieces a few days ago. In Delaware politics the rule is "if you haven't got the money you needn't come around.

THE Faribault Pilot says "a country weekly in the northern part of this state which is edited by a scribe that formerly lived in the Minnesota grain belt, speaks of the crop of iron ore harvested up there this summer as being above the average yield and of good quality."

THERE is talk of Hon. Cleve W. Van Dyke, the brainy and popular Alexandria Democrat again making the race against Buckman for congress in the Sixth district. Mr. Van Dyke made a remarkable showing in this strongly Republican district last year, cutting down Buckman's majority to 2,500, and in an off year many political prophets declare he can be elected.

SENATOR BOWER seems to be fighting shy of "open switches" as much as Congressman Steenerson. The Senator wants to run for congress, but Buckman's friends are dead anxious for him to make the race for governor and promise the St. Cloud man all kinds of support. Why not give Brower the congressional nomination and let Buckman make the run for governor?

CHANGES made by the state board of equalization bring the total valuation of the state to $855,000,000. Personal property is brought to about the same total as last year, the increase being found in improvements to real estate amounting to about $10,000,000. An attempt was made to put franchises on the same basis as other property, estimating the average as 30 per cent of the true value, which added considerably to the taxes of public service corporations.

CHARLES M. SCHWAB, the steel magnate and millionaire, says he is in favor of a readjustment of the tariff which will give to the American wage earner the largest pay. That makes us suspicious. A tariff revision such as will suit men like Schwab, who have made their millions from the sweat of labor, is hardly likely to appeal to the producing community which has to pay the price the steel trust asks for its products. With the men like Schwab dictating the way these things shall be done, and the farmers of western states like Minnesota voting an indorsement of them, things are already in about as dangerous a condition for the welfare of the people as we want to see them.

IF IT were not for the exposure of their frauds in the newspapers of the country those big insurance companies would not care a rap about all the investigating going on. It is so with the legislators, big and little, with the trusts, with the railroads, with everything which is perpetrating a wrong on the people. The wonder is that with so much rascality and graft going on there has not been a move before now to throttle the press and stop the circulation of newspapers. Every citizen of America should thank God that in this country the press is free and unhampered and that above all it does its duty in exposing fraud and corruption in public affairs. And every man should be a special guardian to insist that it shall never be otherwise. Publicity is much more feared by frauds than is the law.

PRAISES GOVERNOR JOHNSON.

Bro. Huntington, of the Windom Reporter who is a prominent and leading Republican of the state, before the last state election thought that John A. Johnson would make a good governor and the administration thus far given the state has been such that he has had no occasion to change his mind. Commenting upon the possible candidate for the Republican nomination for governor at the next convention, Editor Huntington in the last issue of his paper says:

"A few people people are talking about nominating Bob Dunn again next year. If we couldn't elect him in a presidential year how can we expect to elect him in an off year with such a fellow as John Johnson, now holding the office, against him? Republicans have several things to figure on. Johnson has thus far made an acceptable governor. His administration is thus far free from serious blunders, and the people like him regardless of party. He has a good machine back of him, and the Republicans have none. To defeat him will require a man of exceptional address, polish and record unquestioned, springing from among the people just as Johnson sprang a year ago. There is but one way for the Republicans to get back into the harness, and that is to pick new men with unblemished personality and close up to the people who do the voting. Twice we have learned in the recent past that it isn't necessary to have a Republican governor to save the state from ruin, and the people are getting into the habit of trying experiments with such good results that if the Republicans force another experiment the voters may stick to the one they chose last year."

Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn-out by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, billiousness, Bright's disease, and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, and your body will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At all drug stores. Price 50c. Guaranteed.

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases, prevents grip and pneumonia. At all druggist; guaranteed, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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MADE THE DEAF HEAR IN ONE MINUTE

Remarkable Demonstration Given by Minneapolis' Strange Philanthropist Before Great Throng.

Removes Immense Parasites from the system of well known citizens with a few doses of peculiar medicine. Refuses pay for services.

Minneapolis, Minn, Oct. 12 (Special.) Excitement over the marvelous cures of the Great Cooper continues unabated. One of the largest crowds that has yet called upon the noted Philanthropist visited him yesterday and a remarkable demonstration of his power was given before the entire audience. Selecting an elderly gentleman, whom he noticed carrying an ear trumpet, Cooper motioned for him to come forward. He poured a few drops of a peculiar liquid into the man's ears and then rubbed them softly for a moment. Stepping quickly backward to a distance of sixty feet, he said in an ordinary conversational tone, "Can you hear me?" A look of surprise and delight spread over the man's face as he answered, "Yes, I hear you perfectly."

How this remarkable work was accomplished would be difficult to say, but it seemed certain that there could have no subterfuge in the results accomplished, to those who were eye witnesses of the expressions on the faces of these people at the first sound of Cooper's voice.

One gentleman who was present during the demonstration said:

"I don't pretend to know how it was done, but I would swear that the old man I saw, heard and heard distinctly, for I talked with him myself before he left. He was as surprised as myself, and said he was going home to show his wife."

Mr. M. P. Kennedy, living at No. 2521 Fifteenth Street, S., a member of the Minneapolis police force for many years, was among the number who were treated.

Mr. Kennedy says that he has been troubled with deafness for a long time. He also had a bad case of stomach trouble and acute dyspepsia, and had called to see Mr. Cooper regarding the latter, with no thought of being treated for deafness. "When I understood that Cooper was treating deafness, I asked him to see what he could do for me. Two remedies of a peculiar nature were used, and in a few minutes he began asking me questions. I was dumfounded, as I heard everything he said plainly. I took some of the remedies home and kept on using them, and I now hear better than I have for years."

"I also have been taking his treatment for stomach trouble, and have improved wonderfully. My appetite has come back. I can eat anything without it distressing me and I am feeling better in every way."

Many of those who called had come to thank Mr. Cooper for what he had done for them, they having previously written him a statement of their condition and having followed his instructions, had returned to tell him of their cures.

A man by the name of William M. Sparrow exhibited a glass jar containing a parasite over fifty feet long, which he claimed had passed from his system after taking a few doses of Cooper's medicine. The paracite was alive and squirming, and Mr. Sparrow was anxious to know what it was.

When Cooper informed him that the cause of his ill health had been removed, he was greatly relieved and was profuse in his thanks to the Philanthrophist.

Thousands of people viewed the parasite and expressed surprise that such a thing could exist in the human system.

Mr. Sparrow is well known in this city. He is connected with the E. Q. Stone Ice Co., and lives at No. 1845 East Twenty-five and a half street.

In speaking of his experience he said: "For a long time I have had a very irregular appetite, and have been generally run down, although I seem to sleep fairly well, the least exertion would tire me and lost all ambition.

"If I stood for any length of time I would have a dull, heavy pain in the lower part of my back. I had trouble with my eyes; they were weak and watery, an dark specks appeared before them. If I walked rapidly or went up stairs, I would have palpitation of the heart. If I stooped over, I felt dizzy. My tongue was coated and after eating, my stomach would bloat and distress me."

"My father, who has been suffering from Bright's disease, had been taking Cooper's treatment and had improved so wonderfully that he advised me to see what Cooper could do for me. I wrote him of my condition and began taking his medicines. I had only taken a few doses when that frightful thing passed from my system. I know it has caused all my trouble because I am already feeling so much better. This man Cooper has the most remarkable medicine I ever heard of."

Mr. Orr said he had been suffering with stomach trouble for twenty-five years. His digestion was very much impaired and he did not seem to get the strength and nourishment that he should from what he ate. He always felt tired, was depressed and had dizzy spells. There was a dull heavy pain across his back. Shortness of breath and a feeling of bloating.

He had taken all kinds of medicines and treated with physicians without relief and had given up hope of being cured. Hearing what Cooper had done for others, he decided to write to him. He purchased the medicine Cooper advised him to use and had only taken four doses when the parasite passed from his system.

"I am feeling so much better," said Mr. Orr, "and am the happiest man alive to-day, for I know this thing has been the cause of my ill health.

"I naturally feel very grateful to Mr. Cooper. I wanted to pay him for what he had done for me, but he refused to accept anything—just said: "My one pleasure in life is to relieve distress. If you know of any suffering friends, tell them to write to me care of Voegeli's Drug Store and the pleasure I will receive from relieving them from their affliction will be all I ask."

New Cure For Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at all drug stores.

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Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

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No. 155—From St. Paul, departs from Red Lake Falls at	7:45 a m
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It's easy enough to KEEP WARM with a good Fur, but it's another thing to KEEP COOL in buying your Fur at a price meritful of style and quality. Take one of our Furs home, take one from another store, look them over, pull the fur out of them and see yourself why the

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Your Coat may be here; one you may like. Drop in, try it on, see how well it fits; take it home and see if it isn't worth every cent we ask for it. Snappy and stylish, at **$5.50, $8.50 and $12.50**

We boomed our Dress Goods trade this fall. Values did it, good values. Velvets are becoming and selling; good choice left. Changeable Velvets, only 60c per yd. Crushed Silk Velvets, only $1.00 per yd. Gloves and Trimmings to match.

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Queen Quality Shoes   GARCEAU & ZAISER   McCall Patterns

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BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

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A Cream of Tartar Powder free from alum or phosphatic acid

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Ed. Chase was a passenger to Thief River on Monday mornings train.

The Teachers of the county will have a meeting at Thief River on the first Friday and Saturday of November, being the 3rd and 4th.

The first week in October sees the first frost and the first snow storm of the season. This is the season when the hardware man gets busy.

Indigestiou, constipation, dyspepsia, kidney and liver disorders, and all stomach troubles positively cured by using Hollister's Rockey Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

The numbering of the mail boxes on the rural routes seem to be a lead pipe cinch for the mail order houses, but in our estimation the goverment will countermaid that order as soon as it is realized that it is a big mistake.

Attend the Northwestern Business College, grand Forks, N. Dak. Thorough courses in bookkeeping, shorthand, telegraphy and the English branches. Students may begin any time. Write for catalogue. J 1

After the capture of Pat Crowe, it comes out that little Eddie Cudahy himself was the one who planned his own abduction and that he received $6000 of the $25000 which his father paid for his release. If this is a fact, it is almost as startling as some of the disclosures in the life insurance companies.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser is visiting at Crookston.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for farm loans.

S. L. Lewis was transacting business up at St. Hilaire on Thursday of last week.

John Duffy has had the plumbers busy the past week putting in a nice bath room outfit in his residence.

We received a pleasant call this week from Joseph Leicht, publisher of the Western Sunday Herald, a German paper of Winona, Minn.

Girls, if you want red lips, laughing eyes, sweet breath and good looks use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea The greatest beautifier known. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

Potatoes promise to be a good price this winter. There is a shortage of 10 per cent. in this crop in the United States, and the crop in Minnesota is damaged 30 per cent.

The flyer on the Great Northern has been newly equipped in the past week with bran new cars right from the shop, and the train is now one of the finest in service on any road. The company thinks there is nothing too good for their patrons.

Arthur Zaiser left Wednesday evening for Crookston to attend the wedding of his wifes sister, Miss Hannah Ekhoff to Gus Sommers, on Wednesday evening, at the home of the brides parents. Both young people are well known to our readers and we join with their many friends in wishing them many years of happy wedded life.

Attorney Berthon spent a day at St. Hilaire the latter part of last week.

Button's Business College Crookston, Minnesota, begins a new term October 9. Enroll now.

Born:—On Monday October 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Rai, a boy.

Miss Viola Longtin left Tuesday evening for St. Paul, where she will attend high school this year. She will make her home with the family of John E. King.

L. P. Berthon returned Wednesday morning from Minneapolis and St. Paul, where he has been visiting friends and looking after business matters for a couple of weeks.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Miss Sophia Belaire, who has been spending the past few weeks here visiting with friends and relatives, left Monday evening for her home at Cohasset, Minn.

Lost: On Sunday last on the graded road south of town, a bundle containing a silk waist partly made. Finder please leave at the Courier office. Josephine Cartur.

The gambling rooms over at Bemidji have been closed by the orders of the mayor and now everything in that line is reported to be a thing of the past, for a short time at least.

The editors of the Red River valley met Friday night at Crookston to discuss newspaper problems. After a business session the scribes were entertained at the home of Senator Stephens.

On last Saturday the members of the Bon Ami club were invited to a dinner by one of their many friends at St. Hilaire. Those who went up from here were, Stella Hennemuth, Mable Zaiser, Jessie Carver, Mabel Rue, Ina Linnihan, Clara Marchand, Elsie Mead and Lucy Hunt.

The Great Northern have had a crew of men at work every day and on Sundays getting their track in shape for the fall work, but the slippery condition of the ground owing to the wet weather all summer makes it almost impossible for them to make much headway with their work. In places its about all they can do to keep the track clear of the land slides.

Your failure to pay your subscription to your family paper my friends accounts for the cold, unfriendly stare with which the banker greets the editorial presence. It accounts for the patches on the editorial pantaloons and the emptiness of the editorial larder. My friend, if you sre down on your luck and can't pay we are both unfortunate. If you can and won't pay there is not a single cuss word in the English language that would not be soiled if applied to you.—Ex.

If you are interested it may pay you to examine the forfeited tax list at the county auditor's office and see whether you have neglected to pay taxes on any of your property in years gone by. The state sale of all such lands which occurs November 8, gives absolute title after the time for redemption has expired. The costs attached are heavy, and in case of redemption the price the land was bid in at must be refunded no matter if it is twice the sum that the delinquent taxes amount to. A stitch in time saves nine.

If the people of Red Lake Falls wish to have a State Farmers institute here this fall, all they have to do is to select a committee of business men consisting of a chairman and corresponing secretary and forward a petition to Dr. J. C. Curry at 220 Virginia Ave., St. Paul, and arrangements will be made to have a date set aside for this place. They are making up their list of towns wherein to have their institutes and if the matter is taken up at once it can be secured. There is great demand for this state work and the management is trying hard to supply it to the whole state without loss of time during the Institute season. Prompt action will insure the Institute.

Presidential election make no change.

No matter which candidate is elected Foleys Honey and Tar will remain the peoples favorite remedy for coughs, colds, and incipient consumption. It cures colds quickly and prevents pneumonia. A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foleys Honey and Tar and eight doses cured me.—A. L. Reichart.

Our candies are fresh, no old stock.—Spillane's.

Helen and Mabel Hannay, of St. Hilaire, visited with friends here on Saturday last.

L. C. Simons was showing his friend, Brown Little, the sights at Thief River on Tuesday of this week.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

The fire department received their new hose cart this week and judging from its appearance it is a dandy. The boys certainly ought to uphold their record with it.

Brown Little, of Bird Island, this state spent several days here with his friend, L. C. Simons, looking over the country with a view of locating here.

Noah Bottineau and Dolor Hank left the first of this week for Bemidji where they expect to secure a job working in the woods for the fall and winter months.

Down at Owatonna there has been three saloon failures, and all because the people wouldn't "have some thing." That community must certainly be getting better.

The church services will be omitted next Sunday at the Presbyterian church on account of the absence of the pastor, who is attending the Synod at Fergus Falls, Minn.

Don't spoil your eyes by wearing misfit glasses or by not wearing glasses when you know your eyes are weak and need help. Examination free.—Henry W. Anderson.

There will be services in the Norwegian church next Sunday forenoon at 10:30 conducted by Rev. I. T. Aastad from Thief River Falls. Scanainavians cordially invited to attend.

Both station agents and the telegraph operator here were handsomely rewarded a few days ago, by the company for their refusal to go out on a strike some two months ago, by the receipt of an extra months pay. Little things like that do count once in a while.

We have sorted over our fine line of stationery and will give the public the benefit of a cut in the prices of some job lots that we have on hand. This stationery is all first class but the line is only half gone and we wish to close out the balance. Come in and see them, we can save you money.

Last Sunday seemed to be duck day with most of the boys around town as quite a number of them spent the time up at Goose lake and other desirable shooting places. The fact that very few ducks were brought home leads one to believe that the ducks were onto their job.

A Texas girl advertised for a husband and got him. The total expense for advertising, wedding outfit, etc., was $11.00. Within a year he died leaving her an insurance policy for $10,000. And yet some people say it doesent pay to advertise! Now girls, dont all come at once.

The Great Northern people have added a fine compartment car to the "flyer" running to Winnipeg. This, in addition to the observation car and commodious diners and sleepers makes it the finest equipped train running into the Canadian capitol from the twin cities. Since the company has secured the contract of carrying the Pacific U. S. mail, they have also put on a new train known as the "Oriental Coast flyer" which is acknowledged to be the finest equipped train running to the Pacific Coast.

Four per cent of the population of the state moved from the country districts to the incorporated cities and villages during the last ten years according to the report of the state census bureau. The population of the incorporated cities and villages in 1895 was 761,376, 49 per cent of the total in the state. The cities and villages this year have 1,048,922, or 53 per cent of the population of the state. The increase in the population of the towns is general throughout the state, the only possible exception being Carver county.

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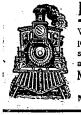

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Summer weather came to an abrupt end Tuesday, and there was a general scurry for fuel and stove repairs. The autumn season has been more prolonged than usual this year, and the postponement of killing frost until October 10 has not happened before in a good many years.

A Prominent Trainman.

The many friends of G. H. Hansan, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He says: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure which I recommend to all people. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

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8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	Crookston		6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale		6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls		5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire		4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River		4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.	Steiner		4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge		3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	Middle River		3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcoma		3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv.	2:25 P. M.

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The Courier

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

The football face will now be added to the undulating features of our country.

A French scientist says we shall all be living in glass houses soon. Most of us are already.

"All great men are cheerful," says a contemporary. In other words, it is great to be cheerful.

Mrs. Frank Leslie says that women should not marry before they are 28, and many of them don't.

Poets are writing sonnets on the commercializing of Niagara Falls. Something will have to give.

There is this difference between pleasure and happiness: one is a brass band, the other the song of a bird.

If a corset will improve the rear elevation of a hump shouldered man, by all means encourage him to wear it.

When the Russian Gosudastsvenna Douma meets no time should be lost in introducing a bill to change its name.

A flawless 460-carat diamond has been found near Johannesburg. Dropped by some careless actress probably.

It is announced that there will be a great many imitation-seal coats on the market this winter—but no man can fool his wife.

We wonder if Commodore Peary tries to make his separation from civilization seem shorter by counting it in days and nights.

The man who is waiting for time to bring him his revenge says "the mills of the gods grind finely, but they grind exceedingly slow."

Doesn't it make you happy to think that gold imports are announced again? No? It must be that they are not consigned to you.

Rojestvensky has so far recovered from his wounds as to be able to travel home. This is where Rojestvensky's real troubles begin.

We wish Mme. Wade would show us how fat women get into their corsets. That is one of the mysteries that we have never been able to guess at.

An Evanston (Ill.) co-ed saved a man who was drowning in Long Island sound. Men are not so numerous that a co-ed can afford to take any chances.

A Kansas parson refuses wedding fees because he does not think it is right to profit by the mistakes of others, according to the Kansas City Star.

The Virginia young man who was fined $20 for kissing a girl against her will, if he is really gallant, will say, of course, that it was worth the money.

As Yachtsman Lipton explains the accident, his horse jibed suddenly, causing the saddle to list heavily to starboard and throwing the skipper overboard.

In his opposition to vacation Uncle Russell Sage has at last found an ally in the New York doctor who attributes the spread of typhoid to "the deadly vacation."

At Camden, N. J., the other day a woman deserted her husband, after drawing his pay for a month in advance. Yet some people think the Inquisition was cruel.

The able correspondent knows a sensation when he sees one. He cables under the Atlantic that a New York man and his wife are living happily together in Paris.

That was certainly an obliging highwayman out in California who, after he had robbed the stage, courteously posed while a Philadelphia girl took a snap shot of the situation.

A Minnesota man drowned himself rather than embark on the sea of matrimony. Somebody must have been stringing him. Matrimony is not always as black as it is painted.

That story about the Nashville man with hands twelve inches long is well designed to bring a soft sigh of envy from the little girl who has just got to striking octaves in her piano practice.

It took twenty-five expert money counters sixty-seven days to count the money in the United States treasury, the largest count of any one day being 120 tons of silver. Your Uncle Sam is not so poor.

According to a San Francisco dispatch, Mrs. Fernula Sarras, an aged Mexican woman, has received $90,000 from a syndicate for a mine she owned. Now watch the syndicate go to work to sell the mine to the public for $1,000,000.

In St. Louis a young man has sued a girl for $20,000 because she refuses to be his wife. This may not be pleasant for her, but she can at least have the satisfaction of knowing that her girl friends are not refusing to believe she ever had a proposal.

RESUME OF THE NEWS

Fresh — Reliable — Brief

Washington.

A. J. Fleming of Brayme, Mo., one of the earliest advocates of Mr. Roosevelt as a presidential candidate, has been appointed consul at Stanbridge, Ont.

Capt. Hebbinghaus, naval attache of the German embassy, called by appointment at the White House and presented to the president a valuable collection of engravings illustrative of the life of Frederick the Great.

Gov. Gen. Wright of the Philippines sails for San Francisco Nov. 7. He will remain in the United States about six months and will be present in Washington when the bids on the railroad system for the islands are opened.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General De Graw has reported that there were 1,431 free delivery routes established throughout the country during September, making a total of 33,486 routes existing. There are 4,655 petitions for such routes pending.

The record of the case of First Lieut. Louis M. Hamilton of the Fourteenth infantry, who was tried by general court-martial at Vancouver barracks, Wash., for alleged violation of army regulations, has been received at the war department and will be reviewed by Judge Advocate General Davis. Lieut. Hamilton is a grandson of Alexander Hamilton.

Foreign.

A tidal wave struck the village of Campechuela, Mansanillo, Cuba. Forty houses were destroyed, but no lives were lost.

It is reported that the notorious Cuban bandit, Chino Oreill, has been killed by rural guards. Oreill had been condemned to death for several murders.

A tornado struck Malmesbury, a town of 3,000 inhabitants, situated thirty-five miles from Cape Town, South Africa, and reduced it to ruins. A number of persons were killed.

It is officially announced that the damage done by the fire at the army stores at Hiroshima, Japan, Oct. 1, amounts to $942,553, including the cost of the buildings, provisions and clothes.

A national convention of the Cuban Liberal party has decided not to abandon the presidential campaign, and refused to accept the resignation of Jose Miguel Gomez, the party's candidate for the presidency.

The French and Colombian colonies at Colon are increasing rapidly. The steamer Versailles, which has just arrived, brought 700 laborers from the Island of Martinique, French West Indies, and 300 from Cartagena, Colombia.

The French authorities do not expect definite action relative to Venezuela until the receipt at Washington of the report of former Judge W. J. Calhoun, who went to Venezuela on a special mission for the government of the United States.

As a sequel of the breaking of diplomatic relations between Roumania and Greece it is semi-officially announced that Roumania will denounce the commercial convention with Greece and tax property held by Greeks in Roumania.

The fore part of the wreck of the British steamer Chatham, which was blown up in the Suez canal, has entirely disappeared, but the stern must be further demolished by dynamite. There is a hole 110 feet dep at the spot where the wreck rested.

Mr. De Thal, second secretary of the Russian embassy, has been temporarily transferred to Mexico as charge d'affaires of the Russian legation there. Prince Kudaeheff, who was with Baron Rosen at Tokio, has been attached to the Washington embassy.

Casualty.

William McGregor, a Canadian Pacific road engineer, was killed in a collision while shunting in the yards at Winnipeg. He was horribly scalded by escaping steam.

The second section of Big Four freight No. 96 ran into a derail at the crossing of the Southern Indiana Belt line at Terra Haute. The engineer was killed and three men injured.

One man was burned to death and two were fatally burned in a fire in a lodging house on West street, in New York. It is thought there are still others whose bodies have not yet been found.

William Bowle, a lineman employed by a telephone company, fell from a pole while stringing wires on Main street, Winnipeg. He sustained injuries from which he died shortly afterwards.

Six persons, two women and four children, were burned to death in a cabin home at Edington, W. Va. The two husbands of the women escaped. Those burned were Mrs. J. Alco and her three children, and Mrs. Joseph Cardelli and one child.

By the explosion of a large quantity of nitro-glycerine at the Aetna Powder mills at Crown Point, Ind., two men were killed. The explosion occurred in the packing house, which was blown to atoms, and only parts of the two men were found in the debris.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sackett of Des Moines were horror-stricken upon awakening to find that their six-months-old baby girl, lying between them, was dead. The coroner was summoned and after an investigation declared that the child had simply got tangled in the bed clothing and smothered to death.

Criminal.

Robbers made a raid on the First National bank of Howard, S. D., but were scared away before they secured any booty.

J. Walker Franklin was arrested at Birmingham, Ala., by detectives while taking part in the services of the Salvation Army, on the charge of bigamy.

Enraged by jealousy, James G. Clayton, a negro, shot and instantly killed his wife and James Hannon, also a negro, who boarded with the Clayton family in New York.

While awaiting the arrival of a patrol wagon, after his arrest in St. Louis on a forgery charge, Thomas G. Connor, forty years old, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

Mrs. Mary A. O'Hare walked into Olney's pond in the rear of her home at Leicester, Mass., with her eleven-months old baby boy in her arms. Both were drowned. No cause is ascribed.

Peter McIntyre, a private in the coast artillery, was stabbed and killed in the barracks at Fort Totten, Whitestone, L. I., by Private William Snyder. The murder was the result of a quarrel.

Herbert McCartney committed suicide by taking poison, after administering a fatal dose of the drug to his seven-year-old son. Despondency over being separated from his wife is the only cause given.

In an effort to put a stop to the epidemic of crime which has been a source of terror to Des Moines all summer, Judge McVey sentenced Alonzo Watson to prison for twelve years for highway robbery.

Ralph Anderson of Cherokee, Iowa, has filed an information charging Mrs. George Filer with abducting Bessie, his eleven-year-old daughter. The two left for Sioux City. The motive is not stated; but it may be blackmail.

Samuel Beaver, for many years paying teller of the Bank of California, shot and killed himself in San Francisco. Mr. Beaver had been ill for a long time and was placed on the retired list of the bank on account of his sickness. This is supposed to be the cause of his committing suicide.

Although her bondsmen have made good the claim of the government, the case against Miss Nellie Woodley, who was formerly postmistress at Hansel, in Franklin county, Iowa, will be probed by the federal grand jury. She is charged with a discrepancy of more than $1,000 in the postoffice money order funds.

Angered because his wife refused to become reconciled after their separation two weeks ago, August Fielders went to the home of his mother-in-law in St. Louis, and, after arguing some time with his wife, shot her in the hip with a revolver, fired an ineffectual shot at her mother, and then committed suicide on the doorstep.

A young Armenian woman was shot on the street at Brantford, Ont., by her father, who then shot himself. Both will die. The woman came here from Hamilton and was married. The father, who opposed the marriage, followed his daughter here, and meeting her and her husband on the street began shooting with the above result. He fired at the husband, but missed him.

The skeleton of a woman with a bullet hole through the skull was found by laborers digging a cellar in St. George, on Staten Island, New York. Coroner Schaefer reported to the police and ordered an investigation. The body had been buried a foot and a half deep, which, the police argue, shows it was a hurried burial. The coroner believes the woman was shot more than two years ago.

Mrs. Clarence Markham of Cambridge, near Rock Island, Ill., in a fit of temporary insanity killed her seven children with an axe, after which she placed their bodies on a bed, saturated it with coal oil and set fire to it. She then hacked her throat with a knife and threw herself on the burning bed. Neighbors rescued her, but she was so badly burned that she died soon after she had made a confession.

General.

In his address at the opening of Cornell university President Schurman announced an increase of 146 students over the number enrolled at this time last year.

Representatives of twenty-eight Central Michigan breweries met at Grand Rapids and formed a co-operative brewing company, representing about $6,000 capital.

Because he said the devil was after him, William Myers, a painter of New Haven, made three attempts to take his life. At the hospital it is stated that he has a chance of recovery.

"David Harum," the novel written by the late Edward Noyes Westcot, netted the author's estate about $125,000, according to a statement made in surrogate's court at Syracuse, N. Y., when the final accounting of the estate was filed.

It is reported that W. J. Black, general passenger agent of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, is to be appointed passenger traffic manager to succeed George T. Nicholson, who was appointed to the second vice presidency of the road.

After grieving two years over the death of her daughter Ray, Mrs. Hinda Kramer, wife of Hillel Kramer, and mother of former Judge Julius G. Kramer, died in New York of a broken heart. Doctors were called to attend her, but said that there was nothing the matter but the grief they could not cure.

BIG SALARIES FOR OFFICERS

PAY ROLL OF THE MUTUAL LIFE IS LAID BEFORE THE INQUISITORS.

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PRESIDENT OF THE MUTUAL LIFE PROBABLY WILL BE NEXT ON THE RACK.

BIG SENSATION EVERY DAY

WEEK OF STARTLING DISCLOSURES THAT HAS STIRRED THE COUNTRY.

New York, Oct. 8.—Closing a week, every day of which has produced a sensation that has stirred the country, the special legislative committee investigating the methods of insurance companies adjourned yesterday until Tuesday of next week.

While other weeks of the hearing have had sensations, no previous week has had a sensation every day as the one that was concluded with yesterday's session. It was expected the president of the Mutual Life would be called to the stand yesterday, but by a misunderstanding President McCurdy had left the office of the Mutual Life before he was called for, and it is expected that he will be the first witness on Tuesday.

Salaries Are Immense.

In yesterday's testimony the sensational development was when Mr. Hughes demanded the pay roll of the officers of the company. This was produced and showed the salaries of these officers since 1887. For the year 1904 President McCurdy received $150,000; two vice presidents were paid $50,000 each, a second vice president $17,500, the third vice president $10,000, and the general manager $25,000, who this year will receive $30,000, and the treasurer $50,000.

Robert McCurdy said he never knew the salary of his father until yesterday, when he heard it read in the committee room. He thought, however, that there should be no limit to the salary of such positions, because they should be in accordance with the accumulations of the company.

Great Work; Great Rewards.

Earlier in the day, when Mr. McCurdy was on the stand, Mr. Hughes tried to bring out why C. H. Raymond and the partners in his firm received larger emoluments from the company than any other agents in the business. Mr. McCurdy said he did not know what Mr. Thebaud received from the business and that he had never talked with him about his personal affairs. He said it was a "large reward for large achievements," and that all businesses of large magnitude were built up on that principle.

During Mr. McCurdy's testimony it was brought out that George Raymond, a brother of Charles H. Raymond, was the general agent for New Jersey, that Howard Lewis, the general agent for Northern New York with an office in Albany,

Was a Cousin

of either the vice president, Mr. Granniss, or Mrs. Granniss, that Dr. E. J. Moss, the medical director of the Mutual Life, married a sister of the president of the company, and that D. Stuyvesant Pilot, an inspector of risks, is a cousin of Louis Thebaud, son-in-law of President McCurdy, and partner of the Raymond firm. G. W. White, a secretary of the company, whom Mr. McCurdy was asked about, was no relative of any officer of the company, but Mr. McCurdy said that "Mrs. White was a niece of Mrs. Granniss, wife of Vice President Granniss."

He knew none of the salaries of these officers.

JOHN D. FUNDS HOME.

Takes Practical Steps Toward Prevention of Race Suicide.

Cleveland, Oct. 8—A home for foundlings, with infant incubators, will be erected by John D. Rockefeller in this city for the Cleveland Humane society. "I am opposed to race suicide," he is reported to have said in announcing his plans to the humane society officers.

HUNDRED MEN ARE KILLED.

Five-Story Building Collapses While in Course of Construction.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 8.—A five-story building in course of construction collapsed yesterday. A hundred workmen were buried in the ruins. Up to the time this dispatch was filed, only seven of the men had been extricated. They were seriously injured.

Soldier Killed by Negro.

Anadarko, Okla., Oct. 8. — Private A. W. Smith, a white soldier, was shot and killed yesterday morning at Anadarko by W. C. Mitchell, a negro soldier. Feeling is high among the soldiers and trouble may result.

Murderer Jerked Hence.

San Quentin, Cal., Oct. 8. — Frank Woods, alias "St. Louis Frank," was executed in the state prison here yesterday for the murder of Policeman Eugene Robinson in San Francisco three years ago.

LUNCHEON FOR ROOSEVELT.

Ultra-Formal Fete Is Prepared at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 8.—The sum of $11,000 will be spent in entertaining the president when he visits New Orleans for nine hours on Oct. 26. The citizens' committee has arranged luncheon for 340 persons at $25 per plate, and much of the money will be used in decorating Canal street with the greatest electric light display ever attempted here. It is also planned to erect a welcome arch along the route of the parade. The committee is exercising unusual exclusiveness in issuing invitations for the luncheon that will be tendered in honor of Mr. Roosevelt.

Comparatively little change characterized the yellow fever situation in New Orleans yesterday, both the new cases and deaths striking the daily average for the past week.

The report to 6 p. m. yesterday was as follows: New cases, 25; total to date, 3,147; deaths, 4; total to date, 407; new foci, 8; cases under treatment, 200; cases discharged, 2,540.

THIRTY FISHERMEN LOST.

Gale Destroys Many Fishing Boats on Coast of British Columbia.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 8.—The great southeasterly gale which swept the coast yesterday, is believed to have resulted in the drowning of at least thirty Japanese fishermen who were out on the Gulf of Georgia fishing for salmon. The tug Lorne reached here yesterday afternoon from Victoria, bringing eleven Japanese picked up when they were nearly dead from exposure. Capt. Butler of the Lorne learned from some of the English-speaking Japanese that at least sixty-five fishing boats were out early yesterday when the storm broke. The Japanese declared that fully fifty men had been drowned or battered to death on the rocks when their boats were blown ashore. The whole gulf shore on the mainland from Howe's sound to Texada island, is lined with the wrecks of fishing boats.

PACKERS MUST MEET EXPENSE.

Cabinet Decides to Impose Charges for the Inspection of Meats.

Washington, Oct. 8.—At a meeting of the cabinet yesterday the plan of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson to require packers to pay for the inspection of meats was approved and it will be put into operation at once. It is expected that a saving of $50,000 a year will thereby be effected by the government. The draft of the reply to the invitation of Emperor Nicholas to take part in the second Hague peace conference was made and talked over. The Chinese question was also discussed.

SHORTAGE IS $250,000.

Officer of Alamoosa, Cal., Bank Is Still Missing.

New York, Oct. 8. — A shortage of $250,000 has been found on the books of the Alamoosa, Cal., bank. Abraham Schiffer, part owner of the bank, whose disappearance caused an investigation, has not been located. Mr. Schiffer was last seen when he left that city, ostensibly for New York, a week ago.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Oct. 9. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-2@86c; No. 2 Northern, 81 1-4@83c; No. 3, 77@81 1-2c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 50@51c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26@26 1-2c.

Duluth, Oct. 9. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 82 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 80 1-4c; flax, 99c; rye, 64c.

Minneapolis, Oct. 9. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 83 1-4c; No. 1 Northern, 82 3-4c, No. 2 Northern, 80c. Ooas—No. 3 white, 26 1-8c.

Milwaukee, Oct. 9. — Wheat — No 1 Northern, 85@87c; No. 2 Northern, 81@84 1-2c. Rye—No. 1, 68@69 1-2c. Barley—No. 2, 54c. Oats—Standard, 29@29 1-2c.

Chicago, Oct. 9. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 86@87c; No. 2 hard, 84@88c; No. 3 hard, 82@86c; No. 1 Northern, 87@88c; No. 2 Northern, 85@87c. Corn—No. 2, 51 3-4s. Oats—No. 2, 27 3-4@28c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 9. — Cattle—Beeves, $3.40 @ 5.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.[illegible]; stockers and feeders, $3@4; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.25. Hogs—Bulk, $5@5.05.

Chicago, Oct. 9. — Cattle—Good to prime steers, $3.65 @ 6.35; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.45; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.10@5.77 1-2; bulk, $5.20@5.65. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $4.60@5; native lambs, $5.25 @ 7.25; Western lambs, $5.75@7.

South St. Paul, Oct. 9. — Cattle—Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50@4; butcher bulls, $2.75@3.50; veals $2@4.50; good to choice stock steers, $2.50@3.50; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs — Range price, $5@5.40; bulls, $5.20@5.30. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good, $4@5; good to choice yearling wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.40.

Chief Inquisitor for Mayor.

New York, Oct. 8. — Charles E. Hughes, principal counsel for the committee of the legislature to investigate insurance affairs, was last night unanimously nominated as the candidate for mayor of New York by the Republican city convention in Carnegie hall.

Reward for Bandits.

Olympia, Wash., Oct. 8.—Gov. A. E. Mead has offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest of the bandits who robbed the Great Northern train near Ballard on Monday.

VILLAGE HAS A CLOSE CALL

PROMPT ARRIVAL OF OUTSIDE HELP SAVES CARLTON FROM DESTRUCTION.

FIRE LICKS UP BUILDINGS

TEN ARE TOTALLY DESTROYED AND MANY OTHERS BADLY DAMAGED.

MANY FAMILIES HOMELESS

PEOPLE JUMP UP FROM DINNER TABLES AND FLEE FOR THEIR LIVES.

Duluth, Oct. 8.—Prompt arrival of fire fighting apparatus from Cloquet and Scanlon saved the village of Carlton, on the Northern Pacific road, from complete destruction by a fire that began at noon yesterday. Ten buildings were destroyed and many others were badly damaged, so that the loss, roughly estimated, probably will exceed $50,000.

The fire started in what is known as the old Pabst Brewing company building, and in a short time practically all the buildings on the main street of the village were in flames.

The Pabst building was occupied by six families. The fire is said to have started from a defective chimney. The flames spread to six nearby residences. These were soon blazing fiercely, and the fire continued to spread despite the stubborn fight made by the members of the Carlton volunteer fire department.

The citizens of Cloquet and Scanlon learned of the conflagration at Carlton and promptly offered their assistance. The Cloquet department was taken intact to

The Scene of the Fire

on a special train over the Northern Pacific. Had it not been for the timely arrival of the Cloquet fire fighters and their apparatus, Dunthy's store and almost all the remaining buildings in Carlton would have been destroyed. The Scanlon department drove to Carlton and arrived in time to be of great assistance.

The efforts of the citizens of Carlton could not check the blaze after it had consumed the Pabst building and the six residences. The flames reached out and licked at the walls of the opera house, and every line of hose in Carlton was brought to bear on them, but the opera house was soon a roaring furnace. The seats and scenery made food for the flames, and in a short time the building was a mass of charred debris.

Odd Fellows' Hall Burns.

The same fate was shared by the Odd Fellow's hall and the Chisholm saloon. G. Gunthy's stock was damaged by smoke and water, but the fire fighters succeeded in saving the building and checking the conflagration. The Cloquet department arrived at Carlton at 1 o'clock and at about 2 o'clock the fire was under control.

In the space of two hours ten buildings had been burned and a score of families made homeless. The loss is total. Nothing was saved. At the alarm of fire the tenants of the Pabst building left their dinner tables and fled out of doors, and the old building was on huge mass of flames in which seemed but a few seconds.

The occupants of the six residences which burned had hardly more time to get out of the way of the onrushing fire. They hastily seized such articles as they could and sought safety.

GIRL SAVES TRAIN.

Saw Burning Bridge and Flagged On-coming Passenger Train.

Janesville, Wis., Oct. 8.—Eighteen-year-old Hattie Lentz, daughter of a farmer residing two miles from this city, proved herself a heroine yesterday by flagging a passenger train just before it reached a burning bridge on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road. It was found, upon inspection that twenty-five ties and side timbers had been destroyed. The fire is supposed to have been started by sparks from a train which preceded the one flagged. Miss Lentz's action saved many lives and thousands of dollars in property.

Find Heir to Fortune.

Pickwick, Minn., Oct. 7.—The heir to a large estate for whom Washington attorneys have been searching has been found here in F. J. Williard, a well known citizen. He is the only son of J. H. Williard, testator of the will which leaves him what is said to be a fortune.

Dog Causes Death.

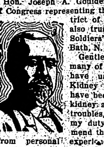
Marshalltown, Iowa, Oct. 8. — In a runaway accident near Ackley Agnes Ranz, daughter of a prominent farmer, jumped from the buggy and broke her neck. Two brothers escaped with slight injuries. A dog scared the team.

Gov. Wright Will Resign.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 8. — It was learned yesterday here at the home of Gov. Gen. Luke E. Wright of the Philippines that he will resign on his arrival in this country on Dec. [illegible] He will return to the practice of law

CONGRESSMAN GOULDEN

Finds Quick Relief from Bladder Troubles Through Doan's Kidney Pills.



Hon. Joseph A. Goulden, Member of Congress representing the 18th District of New York, also trustee of the Soldiers' Home at Bath, N. Y., writes: Gentlemen: As many of my friends have used Doan's Kidney Pills and have been cured of kidney and bladder troubles, I feel it my duty to recommend the medicine. From personal experience I know Doan's Kidney Pills will cure inflammation of the bladder, having experienced relief the second day of using the medicine.

(Signed) J. A. GOULDEN.

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Referred Lord to the Papers.

"It's no end of fun," said a jolly looking young fellow to his companions in the subway, "to go to church in the summer when this philanthropic pulpit exchange business is on.

"Our pastor is way off on Long Island somewhere and the preacher in whose church he is conducting services for the summer has been sent on here.

"This country parson has been a circus right along with his original remarks, but he reached the limit on Sunday when he began his prayer by saying: 'O Lord, thou didst see by the morning papers.'"—New York Sun.

BIG PUBLISHER SUED.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of a widely known proprietary medicine, has brought suit in the Superior Court of the City of Chicago against the Curtis Publishing Company of Philadelphia, alleging that it has been damaged to the extent of $250,000 by a recent article in the Ladies' Home Journal.

The suit is based on a statement recently made in that journal that a testimonial as to the merit of the remedy manufactured by the plaintiff, alleged to have been given by Congressman George H. White of South Carolina, was fraudulent, denial from Mr. White that he ever gave such a testimonial also being printed.

The Peruna company declares that Congressman White did give the testimonial in good faith, and that it has two original letters from Mr. White. It declares that Mr. White was led to repudiate the testimonial through a misunderstanding.

This is the second large damage suit that has been filed against the Curtis Publishing company since it inaugurated its attacks on "Patent Medicines."

Matter of Habit.

Sir Walter Raleigh threw down the cloak.

"Very pretty," murmured Elizabeth absently, "but I'd like to see the one on the top shelf."

Suddenly, remembering that she wasn't shopping, she had to be content with what was shown.—Lippincott's Magazine.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

It is the policy of the railway managements to weed out drunkenness whenever it develops among employes, and this policy no doubt accounts for the small percentage of accidents nowadays resulting from intoxication. The Keeley Institute has permanently cured a large number of railway employes who were discharged because of drunkenness, but are now reinstated because they availed themselves of the Keeley cure.

Mr. Pennington of the Soo road will not reinstate a man who cannot show a Keeley certificate. Most of the roads of the country are doing likewise. This action is based upon experience with so-called "institutes." A Keeley certificate means **Reliability.** Write Keeley Institute, Minneapolis, 621 Tenth street south.

Point of Resemblance.

Askitt—Ever shaved by a woman barber?

Knoitt—Yes; once.

Askitt—How did you enjoy it?

Knoitt—Oh, she had just as much to say as the other kind.—Chicago News.

NO TONGUE CAN TELL

How I Suffered With Itching and Bleeding Eczema Until Cured by Cuticura.

"No tongue can tell how I suffered for five years with a terribly painful, itching and bleeding eczema, my body and face being covered with sores. Never in my life did I experience such awful suffering, and I longed for death, which I felt was near. I had tried doctors and medicines without success, but my mother insisted that I try Cuticura. I felt better after the first bath with Cuticura Soap and one application of Cuticura Ointment, and was soon entirely well. (Signed) Mrs. A. Etson, Bellevue, Mich."

The Trouble in the Case.

"I thought it was a case of love at first sight."

"Yes, but he had three days' grace and changed his mind."—New York Press.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Fargo, N. D.

This is going to be another bad year for lazy farmers.

Dawn is the day smiling at night.

In Far Northland

Tid-Bits of News for Scandinavians.

SCOUTS KAISER'S PLAN.

Vor Tid Decleses German Emperor Had Subtle Scheme.

The September number of Vor Tid, a Norwegian monthly magazine published at Minneapolis, has this to say about the German emperor:

"The chief of police of Europe is always about. Last he was in the Baltic. There he had a successive confidential conversation with the three northern monarchs, Nicholas of Russia, Oscar of Sweden and Christian of Denmark. No wonder that the whole world stands on tiptoe to find out what he now was after again. Wilhelm is incalculable and bobs up where least expected.

"In the face of all assertions to the contrary, the world believes that he tried to stiffen the backbone of Nicholas against Japan's conditions of peace, so as to continue the war rather than consent to indemnity and cession of Russian territory. Wilhelm evidently hoped that Japan would insist on these conditions and the war thus continue.

But what interest has Wilhelm in the continuation of the war? This: that Russia at last should suffer total defeat and internal dissolution. The three rich and fertile provinces, Esthonia, Courland and Livonia, belonged originally to Germany and are to-day more German than Russian, and the kaiser is evidently after them, and if he lives long enough he will probably get them. With Russian defeat and revolution and the strong German sympathies in these provinces, there would be excellent opportunity for the provinces to take part in the revolution, which they already partly have done, declare themselves seceded from Russia, and call on the kaiser for help. And that would likely not have been difficult to obtain.

"But what about King Oscar and King Christian? Well, here is room for guesswork and speculation. Did he not try to win the approval of these two monarchs for his plan? Sweden, Denmark and Germany can entirely control the Baltic, and in case of war with Russia these three powers could shut in all Russian ships, and even St. Petersburg might easily be taken. And did he promise Christian that he, in such a case, would relinquish into his hands Southern Jutland, which is really Danish, and did he not hold out to King Oscar that with such an alliance it might be possible for him some day to regain Finland as a restitution for Norway's departure? And then Russia would be driven out of the Baltic as Japan has driven her from the Pacific.

"But then came an awkward interference. Theodore Roosevelt came forward with his peacemaking. These two, Roosevelt and Wilhelm, have many traits in common, but they seldom find themselves on the same side of a cause."

'VARSITY OPEN.

Larger Attendance Than Ever on Opening Day.

The University of North Dakota opened last week for its twenty-third year, and prospects for a splendid year's work are very bright. The first day's registration was the largest in the history of the institution and will without doubt pass the 300 mark within the next day or two.

There seems to be an unusually large number of delayed students this year. This is due, perhaps, to the late harvest, but something must be attributed to the habit of procrastination which always seems to afflict old students, for it is they who are the chief offenders. The next two or three weeks will se a large number of the weeks will see a large number of the students drifting in and the enrollment is certain to go very much above the present number.

The usual jam in the registrar's office on the opening day was lacking. The students were in no hurry and preferred to wait till they could get through promptly and without the pushing and shoving which hitherto has been a part of registration day. Mr. Morrison, the registrar, and Mr. Wilkerson, the assistant registrar, were kept busy all day, however, for the stream of students never slowed up perceptibly.

Dr. Thomas enrolled the arts students, Prof. Crouch the mechanical and electrical engineering students, Prof. Babcock the mining engineers, Prof. Bruce the laws, Prof. Kennedy the students of the teachers' college, Prof. Chandler the preparatory students, and Prof. Bryant the commercial students.

All the members of the faculty, with the exception of Prof. Rysgaard, who will return next week, are on hand and the regular work of the year began at once.

DANISH WRITER DEAD.

Miss Clara Bergsoe Has Laid Aside Her Pen.

Miss Clara Bergsoe, a sister of Vilhelm Bergsoe, the Danish author, and herself a clever writer, died on Aug. 11 at Gilleleie, Denmark. She did not produce much, but was a close observer and wrote daintily and clearly. Her books on Johanne Louise Heiberg, the artist, and Magdalene Thoresen give a clear insight into the character of these remarkable women.

Norway Keeps Historic Forts.

Fredriksten, one of the forts which Norway will be permitted to retain under the new treaty with Sweden, has had an interesting history, of which Norwegians are proud. Though subject to six attacks and sieges, it has never been surrendered to the enemy. The beginning of the fortress was some earthworks raised in 1644 by Hannibal Sehested as a protection to the military stores at Halden, now Fredrikshald. A chronological outline of its history is as follows:

1658—Attacked by Gen. Stake in the war against Denmark and Norway by Carl X. After the repulse of the Swedes the fortifications were strengthened.

1659—Second attack by Gen. Stake from the north. Swedes again repulsed, after which they withdrew. New ramparts constructed and the fortifications greatly strengthened.

1660—Six thousand Swedes, under Generals Stake, Horn and Kagge, besieged the works for six weeks, after which the siege was raised.

1661—Fredriksten fort was begun.

1682—The outer works, known as Gyldenloeve, Stortaarnet and Overbjerget, constructed.

1716—Attacked by Carl XII., who captured Fredrikshald and besieged Fredriksten. The city was put to the torch by the inhabitants and the enemy was driven across the river. The capture of the transport fleet by Tordenskjold compelled Carl to return to Sweden.

1718—Carl returned with 30,000 men and besieged the works, after capturing Gyldenloeve. He was killed by a rifle shot on Dec. 11, and eight days later the siege was raised.

1814—Surrounded by Carl Johan (Marshall Bernadotte). Siege terminated in a fortnight by peace convention at Moss.

Fortress at Kongsvinger.

Norway's other old fortress on the eastern border is at Kongsvinger, where minor works were thrown up in 1628. The fortress was built in 1683 by Field Marshal G. W. Wedel-Jarlsberg. In 1814 the post had 1,200 men and upwards of 100 cannon, howitzers and mortars. Kongsvinger has never been subject to direct attack, as the invading forces were stopped or turned aside east of Glommen.

There are any number of protected points along the fjord on which Fredrikshald is situated and in Tistedalen and about Kongsvinger. Of the more modern ones, the only important ones are at Orje and Dingsrud. Many of the old ramparts and earthworks have been dismantled and evacuated for many years, such as Blakjer, in 1820.

Not Menace to Sweden.

Verdens Gang of Christiania is trying to convince Aftonbladet of Stockholm that it is wrong in assuming that the forts in southeastern Norway were ever intended as a menace to Sweden.

The object of the fortifications was to secure the capital and the richest parts of the country against an invading enemy, says Verdens Gang.

A glance at the map will show that one natural line of defense protecting these districts is along the Glommen river to the straits of Drobak-Drammensfjord and the Drammen river. The aim has been to strengthen this line by fortifications. But in order to ensure mobilization outposts, fortifications had to be placed beyond this natural line. These latter forts, which likewise have been placed along natural lines of defense, extend eastward along the Fredrikshald water system along the western line of the Kristianiafjord over the Tonsberg district, which is defended not only by the coast fortifications in support of the fleet, but also by the land forts above Sandefjord and toward Larvik. There is further planned an advanced line of defense works outside the straits of Drobak over the Kristianiafjord off Horten, in support of the fleet. The fortifications on the eastern side of Kristianiafjord are, consequently, in no respect essentially different in their strategic purpose from those established on the western side.

Return to Riksdag.

Most of the parliamentary elections in Sweden are completed and the announcements made. Among those elected to the second chamber of the riksdag are the following: Bishop K. H. G. von Scheele of Visby, Mayor F. E. Soderberg of Kralshamn, J. E. Ericsson, Ahlberga; Alfred Lundgren, Varbeberg; Judge J. Bromee, Bilsta; Rev. S. J. Enander, Harjedalen; Dr. Hugo Wickstrom, Ostersund; Councillor of State Peterson, unanimously re-elected; Mayor Axel Rune, Vestervik; Consul C. J. F. Ljunggren, Kristianstad; J. P. Person Hult; Mayor Ahlstrand, Umea; A. J. Hagstrom, Hernosand; Halvar Eriksson, Elgered; C. H. Gustafson, Mjolby; Baron A. T. Adelswärd, C. J. Johnson, Skog; Hans Andersson, Nobbelof.

A Real Soldiers' Monument.

A monument was recently unveiled on the little island of Anholt to the memory of the Danish soldiers who lost their lives in the unfortunate attempt to take the island from the British in 1811. The monument was from a design by Bonneson and was erected by a local Master Mason from cannon and cannon balls found in the stream. Although the monument is twenty feet high and an imposing memorial, the actual cost of construction was but [illegible] kroner.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

ROTTING FOR LACK OF CARS.

Wheat Piled in Heaps Beside Railroad Tracks.

Hankinson, N. D., Oct. 8.—Farmers throughout this section are complaining of the lack of cars in which to ship their grain. A large quantity of wheat has already been threshed out and is now at the stations, but the railroads are unable to furnish means of transporting it. At some points the grain is left beside the track in wagons, each wagon being loaded to its utmost capacity with sacks of wheat. At other places, where the wheat was brought to town in the wagon boxes the grain has been dumped in huge heaps beside the track and is rotting from exposure to the weather and contact with the ground. Heavy winds scatter it still more, and the birds are making havoc with some of the piles. No prospect of relief from the congestion is now in sight, and the farmers are almost discouraged, as the farm granaries are for the most part already filled.

STUDENTS DUCKED IN LAKE.

More Than 600 Get Wet in Class Rush at Madison.

Madison, Wis., Oct. 8. — More than 600 students were ducked in Lake Mendota yesterday in the annual freshmen-sophomore class rush, the most furious in the history of the University of Wisconsin. Clint D. North of Cleveland had two ribs broken as the result of a fall from a telephone pole where he was climbing after a class flag. He was unconscious for two hours and is said to be in a serious condition. One student had a leg broken and over forty received minor injuries.

LIGHTS PIPE; IS BURNED.

Farmer Sets Straw on Fire and Nearly Meets Death.

Ada, Minn., Oct. 8.—Olans Gaarder was probably fatally burned in a fire on his farm in Waukon. While attempting to light his pipe Mr. Gaarder accidentally set fire to a straw stack, and the flames, fanned by a strong wind, spread to five other stacks. In a desperate effort to extinguish the flames, Gaarder was terribly burned. All of his clothes except his hat and shoes fell from him in ashes.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS HEAVY.

One Hundred Cars in Two Days Sent to Market.

Pierre, S. D., Oct. 8. — Cattle shipments from this point were slow at the beginning of the season, but last Saturday and Sunday about 100 cars of cattle were sent out, and through this week more than a hundred cars of sheep have been shipped. Preparations are being made to handle more than a hundred cars again to-day and to-morrow.

DO NOT PAY FAIR BILLS.

Proceeds of State Show Too Small to Cover Premiums.

Pierre, S. D., Oct. 8.—Notwithstanding the large attendance at the state fair, the state board of agriculture has notified State Auditor Halladay that they are short of the necessary funds for the payment of premiums, the shortage being $3,740.75, and they ask for the state appropriation of $3,000 to assist them in making their payments.

STEAM SHOVEL CRACKS SKULL.

Michigan Mine Superintendent Fatally Injured.

Marquette, Mich., Oct. 8.—Capt. J. T. Kebilcock, superintendent of the United States Steel corporation's section 21 mine at Ishpeming, was hit by a steam shovel last night, sustaining a fractured skull and other injuries which are expected to prove fatal. He is chairman of the Marquette county board of supervisors.

Franchise Granted.

Albert Lea, Minn., Oct. 8.—After a fight of two or three weeks the city council late last night granted a franchise for twenty years to the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph company, but maximum rates were fixed at considerably lower figures than previous. At present the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company has an exchange here.

Fire Near Oil and Dynamite.

Iowa City, Iowa, Oct. 8. — Fire last night partially destroyed Dooley's store in the center of the business block adjoining the Zarz house. The firemen had the blaze under control just as the steel tank containing a hundred gallons of gasoline was threatened. Near the scene a ton of dynamite had been removed during the day.

Will Give Up Pat Crowe.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 8.—Gov. Toole yesterday honored the requisition of Gov. Mickey of Nebraska for Pat Crowe. The specific charge is robbery. Henry Heitmed is named as agent and will go to Butte after Crowe.

Fear It Is Foul Play.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 8.—Ed Gregsor, a wealthy farmer, was found dead in a pool of blood in his home near Avon. Neighbors believe the man was murdered. He has a bullet hole in his temple and other wounds.

SEARCH ABANDONED.

Man Lost in the Woods Cannot Be Found.

Ladysmith, Wis., Oct. 7. — After more than two weeks of fruitless effort upon the part of hundreds of people to find Peter Anderson, lost in the woods, the search has been given up. The searchers are satisfied that they found tracks made by the lost man—their character corresponding with the shoes he wore when he left home, and their appearance denoting a lost and wandering man. While opinion varies somewhat, it is generally thought that the man has succumbed somewhere in the woods not far from his home. The effort made with the aid of bloodhounds availed nothing. Mr. Anderson was highly esteemed by his neighbors and by business men in Ladysmith.

FIVE CASES IN SIX MONTHS.

Referee in Bankruptcy Makes Report of Petitions Settled.

Winona, Minn., Oct. 7. — William Burns, referee in bankruptcy for the first division, has completed his report for the six months ending Sept. 30. Bankruptcy business in this district has been rather light during this six months, there being only five cases, all voluntary, disposed of by the referee. The total liabilities, direct and contingent, amounted to $34,656.97. No dividends were declared. The total amount set apart as exempt amounted to $1,235. The total fees, commissions and expenses paid amounted to $100.

RED WING HAS BIG FIRE.

Traffic on River Division of Milwaukee Road Is Tied Up.

Red Wing, Minn., Oct. 7.—Fire last night destroyed the mill and yard of the Charles Betcher Lumber company, causing loss aggregating approximately $70,000, and resulting in the tying up of traffic on the River division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road. At a late hour Fire Chief Cook and his men had gotten the fire under control. The Betcher company's plant is close to the railroad tracks, and all telegraph wires were burned in a short time. The loss on the mill is about $30,000; on the lumber yard, $40,000.

AUTHOR IS DISCOVERER.

Hamlin Garland Takes Capitalists to Visit Lands He Finds.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 7. — Hamlin Garland of West Salem, the author, has succeeded in interesting capitalists of this city in what he terms land discoveries made in Indian Territory a year ago, and which he says will make all those who take advantage of the opportunities offered wealthy beyond their fondest dreams. Garland and a party of capitalists left last night for Muskogee, Ind. T., to investigate Garland's "finds," made while in the West searching for local color for a new novel of Western life.

BODY MANGLED; SEEKS AID.

Shotgun Discharge Bares Ribs and Hipbone of Hunter.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Oct. 7.—Alfred Stoh, aged twenty years, was accidentally shot through the right side by the discharge of a shotgun. The bones of the hip and lower ribs were laid bare and the flesh and muscles running to the leg were severed. After the accident he crawled a mile to his father's cabin on the island, and was then brought to the city, where a quantity of the shot was removed. He had laid the gun on a log to tie his shoe string, when it slid down and the hammer caught on a bush.

THREE SHOT IN QUARREL.

La Crosse Man Shoots His Wife, Child and Father-in-Law.

Sparta, Wis., Oct. 7.—A man named Labell came here from La Crosse and shot his wife and child and John Crowley. Family trouble was the cause. Mrs. Labell has been living with her father, John Crowley, and Labell has been trying to persuade her to return to him. He went to Crowley's, and, in a quarrel, shot the three, seriously, if not fatally, injuring them all. He is still at large, and the sheriff, with an armed posse, is searching for him.

JAILER IS SENTENCED.

La Crosse Man Given Fifteen Months in Prison.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 7.—J. M. Childers, jailer of the La Crosse county jail, who was convicted Saturday of assisting in the escape of Earl Trainor and Andrew Cunningham, two members of the notorious Eddie Fay gang of postoffice robbers, was sentenced to a term of fifteen months in the house of correction by United States Judge Sanborn yesterday. The evidence showed that Childers received $800 for the release of the two prisoners.

Murder Case Deferred.

Sisseton, N. D., Oct. 7.—At the opening of court the state's attorney filed an information against Zach Flute, the Indian murderer, but owing to the absence of Sears, one of the attorneys for the defense, who was called home to attend the funeral of his mother, there was no arraignment or pleadings in the case at this time.

Successful Canning Season.

Belle Plaine, Minn., Oct. 7. — The Belle Plaine Canning company shut down yesterday after a most successful season's run, having packed 260,000 cans of corn. The company will can various lines of vegetables next year.

RUSSIAN CROWN LANDS.

Altai Estates Alone Three Times as Large as England and Wales.

So much is being written of the internal economy of Russia lately that the extent of crown lands has escaped attention, says I. H. James, Cleveland. "The czar's Altai estates alone cover an area of over 170,000 square miles, being about three times the size of England and Wales. The Nertchisak estates in Eastern Siberia are estimated at about 76,600 square miles. In the Altai estates are situated the gold and silver mines of Barnaul, Paulov, Sinijov and Laktjepp, the copper foundry of Gavrilov, in the Salagirov district. The receipts from these enormous estates are not commensurate with their size, but this is largely owing to a deficit in working the mines. The ore from the mines is transported 300 or 400 miles to the smelting works, which are built in districts where wood abounds."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Reversing Things.

They had just finished breakfast and the woman of the future was about to start down town, when her husband arose from the table, placed his arms about her neck and kissed her.

"Dearest," he murmured softly, "I love you more than words can tell."

"Oh, you do, eh?" she rejoined, suspiciously. "What is it now—a new silk hat or a pair of trousers?"—Chicago News.

Advancing the Farmers' Interests.

Traveling agents and salesmen are now sent from the home offices of the Chicago packers into all South American and Asiatic countries. They are going into every land, no matter what language may be spoken or what money be used. They will exchange their goods for cowries or elephant tusks—anything to sell the product and get something in return convertible into money. It may seem odd to some folks, but traveling men, carrying cases with samples of American meat products, can be seen in the desert of Sahara, the sands of Zanzibar, or in Brazil, "where the nuts come from." Great is the enterprise of the Yankee merchant. The greater the market, the greater the price and stability of the price of the product and all that goes to make it in its various stages.

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"Is he a really good violinist?"

"Yes, and an exceedingly remarkable one."

"In what respect?"

"His instrument is not 'a genuine Stradivarius.'"—Philadelphia Press.

And the Next Day It Snowed.

They were telling a story to-day of a conversation a friend of H. H. Rogers had with the Amalgated's president. The friend wanted to know whether the "system" was going to let Lawson make any serious impression upon the price of Amalgamated this trip.

"Oh, pshaw," Mr. Rogers was reported to have replied, "what's the use of sweeping the snow off until it has stopped snowing?"—New York Mail.

Stated His Reason.

A well known actor tells the following amusing yarn:

In his early, struggling days, before he attained fame and fortune, he once found himself in a small country place with a fifth-rate company. Wandering idly round the morning after their arrival, he was passing a church entrance just as a wedding was about to be celebrated. To kill the time he went in. The ground floor of the church was pretty full, but a low, dark gallery near the roof was apparently deserted.

The ceremony proceeded on the even tenor of its way until the minister inquired if anyone present knew any reason why the couple before him should not be united together in the holy bonds of matrimony.

There was silence for a moment and then a small, thin voice in the gallery was heard to say, "Yes, I do."

All eyes were turned to the gallery, where the figure of a small, milk-and-watery-looking individual was barely discernible in the gloom.

"State your reason!" said the minister, fixing the protester with a steely eye.

A fit of uncontrollable mirth seized all present when there came from the gallery the diffident reply:

"Please, sir, I—I want the gal myself!"

"GOLD GOLD."

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"Food that fits is better than a gold mine," says a grateful man.

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"Grape-Nuts food I have found easily digested and assimilated, and it has renewed my health and vigor and made me a well man again. The catarrh of the stomach has disappeared entirely with all its attendant ills, thanks to Grape-Nuts, which now is my almost sole food. I want no other." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ten days' trial tells the story.

There's a reason.

SOME GOOD ADVICE.

Henry Wallace Tells How to Handle Minnesota Lands.

Mr. Henry Wallace, the veteran Iowa editor and farmer, writes as follows about Northern Minnesota and the state lands for sale there:

"Many of our readers will no doubt invest in these lands, and we wish now to drop them a little advice: Buy lands that have either clay (whether red or white is not material) or clay loam or loamy clay. Don't refuse to buy a swamp that is growing red top, provided it can be drained conveniently.

"If you get prairie land, break up the driest and best parts of it, grow wheat a year or two and get it down to meadow. If you get timber land, sell whatever hard wood you can, burn the rest, and keep the brush cut down the next year. If it grows with popple, close-cut it; that is, have it cut off as close to the ground as possible. Then seed to clover and timothy, cut off the brush which will sprout up the next year. Let the hard wood stumps alone for two or three years, then pull them and make a solemn contract between yourself and the pine stumps that if they will let you alone you will let them alone. Bear in mind that a pine stump will last a hundred years, that you can't burn them in the ground; that blasting them out is expensive; that many of them can't be pulled out; and that you did succeed in pulling them out you would be as badly off as you were before. Therefore let pine stumps alone.

"On almost any quarter section here is enough hardwood land for cultivation. There is a splendid opening in all that country for industrious men who will go at it the easy way. Meadow and pasture is the first requirements. Then go dairying and growing roots. Don't bother with corn. Sow oats and make them into hay. Then learn how to keep cows, and let the cows and the young stock tramp down the brush while looking for the wild legumes for which the clay sections of Minnesota are noted. The wild peas, as they are called, are richer in milk food than clover and as good as alfalfa. Outside of the Minnesota drainage basin and alluvial lands of the Red River Valley, dairying is the proper thing. In fact, Minnesota has more complete dairy conditions than any other state we know of. It has the dairy air, the dairy water, grows cow feed of the first quality, and all it lacks is men that are not above studying the cow and milking her."

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FARM MACHINERY

I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

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S. A. SWANSON

ST. HILAIRE.

Chas. Gustafson was a Thief River Falls visitor Thursday.

Miss Clara Lund returned from Minneapolis last Monday.

Dr. J. E. Argue was here on his monthly business trip last week.

Louis Roy, who is teaching at Wylie spent Sunday with his parents.

M. J. Cort of the Cry Package company of Minneapolis was in town Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brien is entertaining her mother Mrs. J. M. Makinson of St. Paul.

Herman Pettibone left for Minneapolis Thursday to resume his high school work.

Geo. L. Austin made a short business trip to Red Lake Falls Wednesday evening.

Mrs. R. H. Duntley made a short business trip to Red Lake Falls Wednesday evening.

Juluis Pleth and wife of Plummer spent several days in town last week returning home Friday.

Attorney Thos. Germo and S. L. Lewis, of Red Lake Falls were business visitors here Thursday.

R. H. Aimer went to St. Paul to attend a blacksmiths convention and transact other business.

Misses Helen and Mabel Hannay drove to Red Lake Falls Saturday and spent the day with friends.

Rev. Gildman and wife, the new pastor of the M. E. church arrived Tuesday and will take charge of the work here.

Miss Etta Zaiser came down from Red Lake Falls Friday to call on friends and remain Saturday for her music classes.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanmoen died at noon Monday Oct. 9. and the funeral took place from the house Tuesday.

Misses Mabel and Helen Hannay entertained their young lady friends at their home Monday evening in honor of Miss Helen's birthday.

Miss Katie Patterson entertained about twenty five of her lady friends Friday evening. Miss Patterson is a charming hostess and those present pronounce the gathering as one of the social events of the season.

The "Bon Ami" club of Red Lake Falls was entertained by Miss Olga Hoff and Misses Lulu and Blanche Gebott Saturday. The day was an ideal one for a picnic dinner and the young folks had a very pleasant day.

Prof. Onstad was in town Tuesday to drill the band boys. Wednesday morning was so tempting for a morning walk the professor decided to walk to Red Lake Falls instead of waiting all day for the train. From reports he reached there about noon.

The confectionery store first purchased from Geo. Casbon by Juluis Pleth, then sold to Oscar Carlson of Plummer has again changed hands Albert Fellman and Charles Carlson have purchased the business and will put in a first class stock of confectionery goods.

Rev. Barker returned from the M. E. conference Tuesday morning. Mr. Barker will preach at Menahga, the coming year Mr. and Mrs. Barker have made many friends during their stay here who regret to see them leave but wish them success in their new field.

The people of St. Hilaire were shocked Tuesday morning when the death of James McAndress was announced of heart failure Mr. McAndress was apparently in the best of health and worked in his shop Monday evening. His bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

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Order for Hearing Proof on Claims, etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term October 3, 1905

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Letters of Testamentary of the estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Cleophas Asselin and Onezime Asselin.

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands, against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Furthered Ordered, That the 3rd day of January, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 3rd day of October A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRENT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. }

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali; and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.

E. O. HAGEN,
Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk
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Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Chapter 2, General Laws 1902.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake county to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Chapter Two (2) General Laws of Minnesota, 1902, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged against it. Immediate payment to the County Treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have been offered for sale. The County Auditor of Red Lake county is hereby authorized and directed to conduct sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor.

Dated St. Paul, Minn., September 30th, 1905.

S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Section 1616, General Statute Minnesota 1894.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the county auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land, sold for taxes, in Red Lake county, to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Section 1616, General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, and amendments thereof will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor: which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs due thereon, unless such amount exceeds the actual value of the property. Immediate payment to the county treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have have been offered for sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor. This sale will be held pursuant to directions from the Auditor of the State as provided by law.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., September 30th, 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor Red Lake County.

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GERMO & FARLEY
Attorneys
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It is as impossible to conquer the king of diseases—Contagious Blood Poison—with Mercury and Potash as it would be to conquer the king of the forest in a hand-to-hand encounter, as thousands who have had their health ruined and lives blighted through the use of these minerals will testify. They took the treatment faithfully, only to find when it was left off, the disease returned with more power, combined with the awful effects of these minerals, such as mercurial rheumatism, necrosis of the bones, salivation, inflammation of the stomach and bowels, etc. When the virus of Contagious Blood Poison enters the blood it quickly contaminates every drop of that vital fluid, and every muscle, nerve, tissue and bone becomes affected, and soon the foul symptoms of sore mouth and throat, copper-colored blotches, falling hair and eyebrows, swollen glands, sores, etc., make their appearance. Mercury and Potash can only cover up these evidences for awhile; they cannot cure the disease. S. S. S. has for many years been recognized as a specific for Contagious Blood Poison—a perfect antidote for the deadly virus that is so far-reaching in its effects on the system. S. S. S. does not hide or mask the disease, but so thoroughly and completely cures it that no signs are ever seen again. S. S. S. while eradicating the poison of the disease will drive out any effects of harmful mineral treatment. A reward of $1,000.00 is offered for proof that S. S. S. contains a mineral ingredient of any kind. Treatise with instructions for home treatment and any advice wished, without charge.

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GREAT NORTHERN CO. SUED

Attorney General Young Asks Restraining Order to Prevent Tearing Up of Wylie Track.

Attorney General E. T. Young has commenced proceedings in the Red Lake county district court to restrain the Great Northern Rail way company from tearing up its track between Shirley and St. Hilaire, and County Attorney Germo has been instructed to procure the necessary affidavits and serve subpeonas on the officials of the road.

It is the attorney general's intention to have a hearing at the October term, but it is doubtful if the service of papers can be arranged by that time. However, if Judge Watts is of the opinion that the case has merit a temporary restraining order can be issued.

This question involves some peculiar points of law. At the hearing in St. Paul some weeks ago before the board of railroad and warehouse commissioners, brought by the citizens and business men of Wylie, one of the members of the board ruled that while the railroad company could be made to maintain a train service while the track was there, he was of the opinion that the law could not prevent the company from tearing up the track if it was so inclined. The points raised in this case will determine a number of mooted questions in railroad law, and will be watched with interest.

Musical Instruments Below Cost.

We will give 25 per cent. discount on all violins, guitars and other small musical instruments for the next thirty days.—Anderson & Wander.

GRAND FORKS LAWS BEATEN

High School Foot Ball Team Takes The Game by a Score of 23 to 0.

The Red Fake Falls high school foot ball team played a fast, furious game on the home grounds Saturday with the students of the law department of the North Dakota state university. The score was 23 to 0 in favor of Red Lake Falls and the game was won with scarcely an effort. The Grand Forkers are husky fellows, too, weighing on an average of 15 pounds more to the man than our boys.

Touchdowns were made by Garceau, Blake, Brunelle and LaFreniere, and Garceau made a phenomenal play by getting nearly across the field with the ball before he was intercepted. All of the boys were in good form and played a star game. It is no undeserving praise to say that our team is the superior of any high school in this part of the state.

Two more games are scheduled, one on the home grounds with Thief River Falls next Saturday, October 21, and another with Crookston at that city on November 3. Ofcourse we expect to win both of them.

The Orignal.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

FATHER CHRISTMAS COMES

Grafton Divine Healer is Consulted by Hundreds of Afflicted People Monday.

Father Christmas, the Grafton "divine" healer, was in the city Sunday afternoon and all day Monday. He made headquarters at the Kaufer building on south Main street, and it is not putting it too high to say that at least two hundred and fifty people were treated. The halt, the lame, the blind, and all manner of afflicted mortals took advantage of the opportunity to consult the much advertised healer, stories of whose remarkable cures have been sent all over the northwest. So far no reports of marvelous healings have come in, although a number profess to believe that the treatment has been of benefit to them. All day Monday a large crowd was in line in front of the building to secure tickets of admission. They were in turn given a numbered card, and were allowed to see the healer in theorder of their numbers. Father Christmas makes no charge for his professional services, but takes whatever sum the patient chooses to give. Of course many are profoundly grateful for a promised cure and make liberal contributions to the healer's exchequer.

The average person has little faith in the divine power claimed by Father Christmas, but nevertheless there is a general belief in his power to relieve certain kinds of afflictions. The rational view is that the healer is endowed with personal magnetism to an unusual degree, and this, combined with the gift of hypotism, can relieve pain and physical disorders where the imagination has greatly magnified the trouble.

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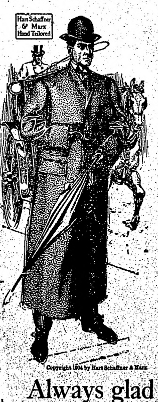
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BAND'S FINANCIAL SHOWING

It Costs Money to Support a Good Band, but Few Will Say it is Not Worth the Price.

As the first indoor band concert for the season of 1905-6 is approaching, the management desires that those who have pledged $1 per month for the support of the band should clearly understand the matter of accomodation tickets, and that the public in general should know the exact standing of the band at the present time.

It must be understood and will be seen in the following report that it takes money to support an organization of this kind. The generous support given by the citizens and the city pays the larger part of the expense, viz: the leader's salary and music; and the band is dependent on the receipts at the indoor concerts for incidental expenses. It is our aim, then, to do all we can to increase these receipts. To do this we have made arrangements that we believe to be eminently fair and right. Those who contribute $1 a month to the band's support shall have two reserved seat tickets to each concert. Those who have children who would be benefitted by attending the concerts or who enjoy going may have tickets for them free by getting an order from the manager, Lee Healy, or the secretary, J. B. Armstrong.

At present the band is in excellent condition. We have begun regular steady practice of two nights each week, and have recently added four new horns, two of which are band property. We have twenty-six active members, five Bb clarinets, one picilo, one Eb clarinet, one saxaphone, four melephones, five cornets, three trombones, one baritone, three Eb basses, and a snare and bass drum. The band also owns a full set of uniforms, two melephones, a bass drum, a fine library of music, worth about $300, together with a cupboard for its preservation. There is a "kid" band which has been at work all summer and fall that will furnish much material before the winter is over. With the continued support of the citizens by the end of the season we will have a band hard to beat. We would add that if there are any who have been overlooked and who should desire to aid in the good cause it would be appreciated if they should make it known to the manager or secretary. The first indoor concert will be given October 27.

Following is the financial statement of the band's work from July, 1903, when Prof. Onstad took charge of the directorship, to the present time:

RECEIPTS.

Paid by business men	$ 1,277.00
Paid by city council	488.00
Indoor concerts	185.53
Earnings of band	771.29
	$ 2,721.82

DISBURSEMENTS.

Leader's salary	$ 1,680.00
Uniforms and instruments	524.23
Music	207.19
Opera house for concerts	161.35
Incidental expenses	95.90
Cash on hand	53.15
	$ 2,721.82

INVENTORY OF BAND PROPERTY

Uniforms	$ 342.50
Instruments	205.00
Music	306.00
Music cabinet	23.50
Stationery, etc	25.00
Cash on hand	53.15
	$ 955.15

Deeds for a Dollar.

Deeds for $1 considerations are becoming a great deal more popular with the real estate men and speculators. By making the consideration $1 a real estate man purchasing a piece of property can conceal the amount which he paid for it without "padding" and the amount of money which actually changes hands need never be known unless either of the interested parties speaks of the matter. In that manner a future purchaser is kept in the dark as to what the former prices of the property were.

STATE LAND SALE NEXT WEEK

Nearly 12,000 Acres to Be Offered at the State Land Sale to be Held Next Thursday.

The sale of state school land in Red Lake county will be held at the court house next Thursday. State Auditor Samuel G. Iverson will be here in person to conduct the sale, and it promises to be a busy day, as large crowds of people are attending the sales this year and the lands are bringing good prices. It is not improbable that the Red Lake county lands will average more than $10 per acre, as many of the tracts offered are first-class farming lands. Never before has there been such great interest manifested in these sales, and this shows that the demand for Red Lake county land has not abated. The lands to be sold are scattered over the county, not much more than a section being located in any one township.

POTATO FAMINE IN VALLEY

Peculiar Affection of Tubers is Compared to the Blight that Spread Over Ireland.

Potatoes in northern Minnesota are nearly as costly as apples. Farmers who planted quarter sections of the tubers are not receiving a yield large enough to warrant digging, and thousands of acres will be allowed to rot in the ground rather than create expense thru digging operations.

According to potato experts of this section, the entire seed stock of the Red River valley must be changed before the crop can again be profitable. Frank T. Hazeltine a Crookston potato specialist, says:

Seed must be imported from some locality or localities in which the rot and blight, so disastrous to the crop in this section this year, is not apparent. Otherwise the rot will continue year by year to devastate the fields of the tubers, and farmers who plant the vines will have their trouble for nothing.

"The rot this year is widespread and leaves hardly a potato in the valley which is fit for either the table or for use another year as seed. Montana and southern districts in which the tuber is grown have not been affected by the trouble to such a great extent, but the crop is nevertheless short all around, and importation from foreign potato districts will be the only hope of again raising a successful potato crop in the valley."

The rot is a peculiar affliction of the potato, and is compared to the blight that spread over Ireland when the famine in that potato country was so severe. The tubers, after reaching partial maturity in the ground, suddenly turn into a soft, mushy substance and later on dry out into dust. Farmers who sold their crop early in the season are rejocing at their good fortune.

Plans to Get Rich.

Are often frustrated by sudden breakdown, due to dyspepsia or constipation. Brace up and take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They take out the materials which are clogging your energies, and give you a new start. Cure headache and dizziness too. At all drug stores; 25c., guaranteed.

FIRST MONTHLY CONCERT

Regular Indoor Band Program to be Commenced Next Friday Evening, October 27.

The first indoor band concert for the season of 1905-6 will be given at the Metropolitan opera house on Friday evening, October 27, and it is hoped that there will be a liberal turn-out of our people on this occasion. The program which appears below, is of exceptional merit:

PART I.

March—"On Dress Parade"..Chambers
Waltz—"Impassioned Dream"....Rosas
"Pilgrim Chorus" ....Verdi
Baritone Solo..............Selected
J. B. Armstrong.
Reading—"The Gladiator"............
Ralph Healy.
Patrol—"The Blue and the Gray"..Dalhy

PART II.

Vocal Solo..................Selected
Mrs. Edwin H. Chase.
Trombone and cornet duet.....Selected
Harry and Ralph Healy.
Reading—"Tommy"................
Miss Inez Linnihan.
Selection—"Lucia de Lammermoor...
Donizette.

The price of admission will be 25, 35 and 50c. Invite your friends and the strangers in town to attend.

ASSESSMENT INCREASED.

Figures Show a Raise of $300,000 Over Last Year.

The assessment for Red Lake county will show an increase of nearly $300,000 over last year. The real estate assessment for 1905 totals $2,559,688. As left by the county board the personal property assessment was $644,005. The extension of the taxes has not yet been completed by Auditor Ford, but he figures that there will be an average raise of 50 per cent on all the personal taxes as a result of the work of the state board of equalization. Assuming this to be correct, the total of the personal assessment will be $966,098, making a total for real and personal of $3,525,786.

Last year the real estate assessment was $2,413,858 snd the personal property $818,047, making a total of $6,231,905. It is not likely that the amount of taxes will be larger this year than last, so that the tax rate will probably be a trifle less.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

October a Good Month for Cupid's Little Arrows.

Marriage licenses have been issued so far during the month of October to the following persons by Clerk Perault:

Albert Geska of Rocksbury to Martha Lauterbach of Silverton.

Sigurd O. Grolid to Inga Dahl, both of St. Hilaire.

Wilfred Vaudrin to Minnie Moquin, both of Red Lake Falls.

James Connely to Katherine McMahon, both of Thief River Falls.

Fred Carpenter to Emma Brown, both of Lambert.

John A. Larson to Mary Bothun, both of Thief River Falls.

John McDonald of Eau Claire, Wis., to Anna Enger of Thief River Falls.

W. J. Pollard of Beltrami county to Katie L. Olson of Thief River Falls.

Button's Business College Crookston, Minnesota, begins a new term October 9. Enroll now.

IF

1—IF our rate of interest on Time Deposits is high enough;
2—IF our rate of interest on Loans is low enough;
3—IF the accommodations we afford are satisfactory;
4—IF our business is safely managed (and we think it is);
5—IF you are not already a customer, then we invite you to become one.

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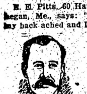
RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

Our vault is protected by the latest ELECTRIC BURGLAR ALARM System.
We make FARM LOANS without delay.



RAISED FROM A DEATH-BED.

Mr. Pitts, Once Pronounced Incurable, Has Been Well Three Years.

E. E. Pitts, 60 Hathaway st., Skowhegan, Me., says: "Seven years ago my back ached and I was so run down that I was laid up four months. I had night sweats and fainting spells and dropped to 90 pounds. The urine passed every few minutes with intense pain and looked like blood. Dropsy set in and the doctors decided I could not live. My wife got me using Doan's Kidney Pills, and as they helped me I took heart, kept on and was cured so thoroughly that I've been well three years."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

His Opinion of Him.

"Do you think I could get an audience with the boss?" asked the political hanger-on, going in.

"Yes," snapped the disappointed office-seeker, coming out, "if you featured him in a dime museum as the 'Two-faced man.'" — Philadelphia Press.

Wherever a lie alights its progeny arise.

WHEAT

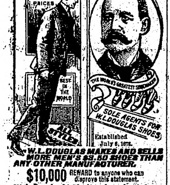
The wheat markets of the world have been very strong throughout the past week. Prices have not risen materially in American markets on account of the restraining influence exerted by the leading bull operators, who do not seem to be ready at this time to head a sharp campaign. While the domestic levels have been only maintained, Liverpool and the continental markets have seen a series of sharp upward jumps that have brought the foreign markets practically to a basis upon which our Wheat may be shipped.

The advisability of marketing any of our Wheat abroad in the shape of raw grain has been seriously called in question, and the peculiar action of our markets may be the logical answer to this query. It is a known fact that the Minneapolis mills are booked months ahead with capacity orders. The largest of these mills has orders for six months which will tax its productive power and has been grinding on the same character of business for a month. It is announced that not a pound of this Flour is for domestic delivery.

The question immediately arises: Is it worth while to export any Wheat as long as we can export Flour instead, thus giving American labor profitable employment?

The underlying conditions in Wheat are so strong that we cannot advise selling operations except of a scalping character.

Edwards-Wood Co.
(Incorporated)—Dealers In
STOCKS GRAIN PROVISIONS
Main Office—5th and Robert Sts.—St. Paul.



W.L.DOUGLAS SHOES ALL PRICES
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ALL STYLES
THE WORLD'S GREATEST SHOEMAKER
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Established July 6, 1876.

W. L. DOUGLAS
$3.50 & $3.00 SHOES FOR MEN
W. L. Douglas $4.00 Gilt Edge Line cannot be equalled at any price.

W.L.DOUGLAS MAKES AND SELLS MORE MEN'S $3.50 SHOES THAN ANY OTHER MANUFACTURER.

$10,000 REWARD to anyone who can disprove this statement.

W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes have by their excellent style, easy fitting, and superior wearing qualities, achieved the largest sale of any $3.50 shoe in the world. They are just as good as those that cost you $5.00 to $7.00—the only difference is the price. If I could take you into my factory at Brockton, Mass., the largest in the world under one roof making men's fine shoes, and show you the care with which every pair of Douglas shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes are the best shoes produced in the world.

If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makes, you would understand why Douglas $3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other $3.50 shoe on the market to-day.

W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, $2.50, $2.00. Boys' School & Dress Shoes, $2.50, $2, $1.75, $1.50

CAUTION.—Insist upon having W.L.Douglas shoes. Take no substitute. None genuine without his name and price stamped on bottom.

WANTED. A shoe dealer in every town where W. L. Douglas Shoes are not sold. Full line of samples sent free for inspection upon request.

Fast Color Eyelets used; they will not wear brassy.

Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles.
W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

On the Trail with a Fish Brand Pommel Slicker

"I followed the trail from Texas to Montana with a FISH BRAND Slicker, used for an overcoat when cold, a wind coat when windy, a rain coat when it rained, and for a cover at night if we got to bed, and I will say that I have gotten more comfort out of your slicker than any other one article that I ever owned."

(The name and address of the writer of this unsolicited letter may be had on application.)

Wet Weather Garments for Riding, Walking, Working or Sporting.

HIGHEST AWARD WORLD'S FAIR, 1904.

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TOWER CANADIAN CO., Limited
TORONTO, CANADA

THE BEST COUGH CURE

A well-known Rochester lady says: "I stayed in the Adirondacks, away from friends and home, two winters before I found that by taking

Kemp's Balsam

I could subdue the cough that drove me away from home and seemed likely to never allow me to live there in winter."

Kemp's Balsam will cure any cough that can be cured by any medicine.

Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

The Song of the Flyer

I throw the miles behind me with a never-ending roar,
I pant with heart impetuous for the miles that stretch before;
With ne'er a pause I leap within the tunnel's yawning mouth,
I stop for naught from east to west, for naught from north to south.

The steel-blue ribbons glow with pride to bear my passing form;
The signals beckon down the line, through sunlight and in storm;
The mountain lions cower, when they hear my whistle's blast;
The mountain gorges echo as I thunder proudly past.

I hold the road by right of way, a royal race I run,
Nor stay, until my goal is reached, beneath the setting sun.

—A. Po. Payson in Four-Track News.

A DESIRED END

BY MARGARET MONDIE

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The gate was open and in the long shaded path between wonderful bushes of blooming roses, the form of a white clad woman lingered.

It was very still; hardly a leaf stirred; the air was hot and heavy. The man at the open gate paused before entering and drew the gate shut. The woman turned at the sound and faced the man. A look of swift recognition flashed between them, but for some reason it was not openly acknowledged by either. Then there ensued a strained silence, broken at last by the woman's voice, soft, low and vibrant, truly a voice none could hear and not heed.

"You are seeking the Prospects perhaps?" she asked slowly.

"Yes—yes—" he hesitated.

"I am indeed sorry, but they are in Europe for the summer, we—we—that is"—her voice sank—"I have taken the house for the season; is there anything I can do for you?"

"Why, no, nothing, I think," he answered very slowly.

"You are stopping near here?" she asked suddenly.

"My place is over on the beach road, a mile east of here."

"Ah, then we are neighbors!"

"Yes; perhaps I may have the pleasure of calling some time? Or—I've a car that I will be happy to place at your service."

"I thought this country too hilly for autos, so we—that is, I have only a team and a modest runabout. You see, I am seeking rest and absolute quiet, and I am so sorry, but I fear that I will have little inclination to receive callers, but I am grateful. And now you will pardon me?" She waited for him to turn and go and this he started to do without a word.

At the gate he stopped and wheeled round, a look of determination came into his face and the woman knew instantly the situation that she would undoubtedly have to cope with, and a fear trembled in her heart, but she met his eyes without a visible sign.

"Is he here or when do you expect him?" he asked fiercely.

"I beg your pardon, sir. Please remember I am mistress here. I have nothing more to say," and she drew herself haughtily away.

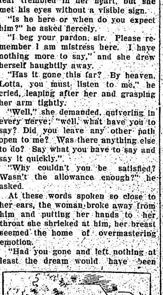
"Has it gone this far? By heaven, Lotta, you must listen to me," he cried, leaping after her and grasping her arm tightly.

"Well," she demanded, quivering in every nerve; "well, what have you to say? Did you leave any other path open to me? Was there anything else to do? Say what you have to say and say it quickly."

"Why couldn't you be satisfied? Wasn't the allowance enough?" he asked.

At these words spoken so close to her ears, the woman broke away from him and putting her hands to her throat she shrieked at him, her breast seemed the home of overmastering emotion.

"Had you gone and left nothing at least the dream would have been



"You are seeking the Prospects, perhaps?" she asked slowly.

take. I looked for you, no one could mine, but to be paid and deserted to be brutally told that you had a duty to posterity, that you must marry and one in your own class! Is that wife of yours any purer than I was once? Is her love equal to mine? And now you come to preach to me, you—you—who have brought me to this. Do you think that I would touch your money? No, I have not fallen that low," her voice checked with passion.

"Lotta, dear, little woman, I didn't get married—I found out my mis- tell me where you went. Come back to me, dear, do come, I love you. I found that out, too," he pleaded.

"Come—with—you? How — how?" and she held out her arms to him. "Do you mean that you will marry me—oh—" and she began to cry.

The man remained silent for a moment and when he spoke his tone was soft and hesitating.

"And the man at that house? If—he is not there—has not been there—but why speak of all this? I only want you, you, your own dear self—"

The woman stiffened and the tears died in her eyes, her lips formed a

"Go back to your little, narrow world of wealth!"

thin red line, her hands hung limply at her sides, all the life that throbbed but a moment before in her veins seemed to be gone, chilled and killed somehow at those few soft spoken words. There was an instant of strained silence and then the woman laughed.

"You will come and see us some time?" she asked, gayly.

The man stood in amazement, too surprised to move, he could only stare and gasp, "Lotta, Lotta!"

"I prefer him," she laughed back at him; "he don't preach to me."

"Whatever has passed between you, dear, will make no difference," he began.

"Would you marry me in spite of anything?" she interrupted quickly.

"As for that—Lotta, come, be reasonable, dear;" he evaded her direct questioning eyes.

"There is and never has been any one but you and there never will be, but I no longer love you. I loved what I thought was you; I am here along with the mother of a man who has asked me to marry him; I told him of you, but he loves me, he forgives and forgets all things." Her strength suddenly deserted her. "Ah, that such a man as you are should live. You thought bad of me at once. Did I ever do anytthing bad in my life? I thought you loved me and you trapped me—but as He is witness, was I to blame? Go back to your little, narrow world of wealth, the world where women's hearts are but to be tramp'ed on and crushed—go back and live!"

When the man recovered from his astonishment, he could just catch a glimpse of white down in the path that led to the vine-covered house. He stood for a moment in silence, then took himself off through the gate and out into the road. In the dusty distance he could see his auto and the impatient wife of whose existence Lotta was ignorant. Things looked bitter to the man, but manlike he cursed the woman for her lack of faith and her cruelty. The auto drew up and the wife stormed all the way home. But the man did not care much; his thoughts were all down in that beautiful garden with the other woman.

The Real Skipper.

The boat drifted on the clear lake. The man and the maid were silent and a little sad. Already the leaves were turning. Summer was drawing to a close.

"Dear," he breathed softly, "dear."

She looked up and blushed.

"Dear," he said, "will you float with me always—down the stream of life?"

"The same as now," she whispered.

"The same as now," said he.

"I will. Gladly," cried the young girl.

He, you see, was rowing, doing all the hard work. She had the helm. She steered.

SEIZED THE JUDGE'S THOUGHT

Lawyer's Display of Tact Secured Client's Acquittal.

At the American Bar association's banquet at Narragansett Hector Lawrence of Duluth said, apropos of tact:

"Tact often goes a great way in a case. I know a man who defended an old fellow charged with stealing an armful of wood.

"The judge was very deaf and had a habit of talking to himself. Sometimes unconsciously he talked to himself in a pretty loud tone.

"Now, in this case, when the prosecutor took the stand and identified his stolen wood with great positiveness, the judge asked himself in a louder key than he was aware of:

"'How can he identify this wood when one stick's as much like another stick as one egg is like another?'

"The tactful lawyer for the defense rose immediately.

"'Your honor,' he exclaimed passionately, 'how can this witness identify his wood so positively when one stick is as much like another stick as one egg is like another?'

"The judge turned to the jury with a great start.

"'Gentlemen,' he said, 'you will acquit the prisoner. That very thought flashed through my head not a moment before the words were spoken by the learned counsel for the defense. You will acquit the prisoner, gentlemen. I consider this a direct interposition of Providence.'"

Mr. Rockefeller Was Meek.

While Mr. and Mrs. William Rockefeller and daughter were automobiling through England and Scotland recently they stopped at Harrogate, taking a suite of nine rooms at the hotel. The day after Mr. Rockefeller arrived he went to the barber shop in the hotel to be shaved, his mustache having been clipped into the semblance of a scrubbing brush.

The barber proceeded to strop the razor and lather the oil magnate's face. At the same time, wishing to entertain his client, he remarked:

"We have the wealthiest man in the world staying here."

"Ah," said Mr. Rockefeller, "who is that?"

"Rockefeller, sir, the great oil king."

"But," said Mr. Rockefeller, "perhaps it is the rich man's brother, who is a very poor man. For instance, if your brothers were rich would it necessarily mean that you were?"

"No," said the barber, "but in this case I do not know which Rockefeller it is. Anyway, I should not want anything more than to have the 'rocks' this man has."

Mr. Rockefeller returned to his room, told his courier of the incident, and laughed heartily. All the smart people of the hotel were absurdly concerned in the doings of the Rockefellers.

Cableways in Brazil.

Freight cableways are used at Manaos, on the Amazon river, 1,000 miles from Para. The vessels discharge at floating landing stages some distance from the shore. Adjoining these stages is a steel pontoon carrying the head towers of three cableways of 550 feet span.

The tail towers are located between the warehouses on shore. The cableways are of the double-track type. The shore ends of the track cables are not made fast, but, passing over sheave wheels at the apex of the towers, are fastened to vertical counter weights of 10 tons sliding in guides on the far side of the tower. Both the endless and hoisting lines operating the motion of the carriage and the hoisting fall are operated by means of a motor in the base of the "head" tower on the float.—Engineering Record.

Reciprocity.

Mr. Rentall was annoyed with Mr. Shorter. It was not only that Mr. Shorter never paid his rent—though that was bad enough—but he was so extremely cool about it. Another Monday morning had come, and once more Mr. Shorter was "sorry, but he'd have to beg Mr. Rentall to excuse him for the time."

The long-suffering landlord's patience was at last worn out.

"Look here," he cried, "you're precious off-handed about it; but how on earth do you expect me to live if you don't pay your rent?"

Mr. Shorter smiled the surprised smile which cheers not but exasperates.

"That, my dear sir," he said, softly, "is, to my thinking, somewhat beside the point; the question is, rather, how do you expect me to live if I do?" —London Answers.

Plea for Shorter Hours.

President Mitchell of the Mine Workers made an interesting statement in his Tamaqua speech, when he said: "I do not ask for the eight-hour day as a matter of sentiment, but as a matter of good citizenship. A man can do more work in eight hours than in ten hours. Do you know that in the soft coal regions more coal is produced per man in an eight-hour day than was produced in a ten-hour day?" Let's see, who was the lawyer who said that he could do a year's work in eleven months, but not in twelve?—Boston Globe.

Too Much of an Improvement.

They are thinking of paving Pleasant Lane, but the principal property holders claim that if they do pave the place the children will have no place to dig dirt and the last man home will not be able to walk quiet so that the people may not hear him when he gets to his own door. We don't know, but we rather favor the present streets and sidewalks.—[illegible]

Tired, Nervous Mothers

Make Unhappy Homes—Their Condition Irritates Both Husband and Children—How Thousands of Mothers Have Been Saved From Nervous Prostration and Made Strong and Well.

Mrs. Chester Curry *Mrs. Chas. F. Brown*

A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysterics, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly.

The ills of women act like a firebrand upon the nerves, consequently nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," sleeplessness, and nervous irritability of women arise from some derangement of the female organism.

Do you experience fits of depression with restlessness, alternating with extreme irritability? Are your spirits easily affected, so that one minute you laugh, and the next minute you feel like crying?

Do you feel something like a ball rising in your throat and threatening to choke you; all the senses perverted, morbidly sensitive to light and sound; pain in the ovaries, and especially between the shoulders; bearing down pains; nervous dyspepsia, and almost continually cross and snappy?

If so, your nerves are in a shattered condition, and you are threatened with nervous prostration.

Proof is monumental that nothing in the world is better for nervous prostration than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; thousands and thousands of women testify to this fact.

Mrs. Chester Curry, Leader of the Ladies' Symphony Orchestra, 42 Saratoga Street, East Boston, Mass., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For eight years I was troubled with extreme nervousness and hysteria, brought on by irregularities. I could neither enjoy life nor sleep nights; I was very irritable, nervous and despondent.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and proved to be the only remedy that helped me. I have daily improved in health until I am now strong and well, and all nervousness has disappeared."

Mrs. Charles F. Brown, Vice-President of the Mothers' Club, 21 Cedar Terrace, Hot Springs, Ark., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I dragged through nine years of miserable existence, worn out with pain and nervousness, until it seemed as though I should fly. I then noticed a statement of a woman troubled as I was, and the wonderful results she derived from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I decided to try it. I did so, and at the end of three months I was a different woman. My nervousness was all gone, I was no longer irritable, and my husband fell in love with me all over again."

Women should remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the medicine that holds the record for the greatest number of actual cures of female ills, and take no substitute.

Free Advice to Women.

Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., invites all sick women to write to her for advice. Mrs. Pinkham's vast experience with female troubles enables her to tell you just what is best for you, and she will charge you nothing for her advice.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

HAVE YOU TRIED PEPPER POT?

Something Doing in the Eating Line if You've Not.

"No gourmand can afford to hang up his hat until he has been to Barbados and partakes of the 'pepper pot,'" said J. W. Smith of Havana. "It is the culinary piece de resistance of the West Indies. Like the olla podrida of Spain, the Scotch haggis, the polenta of Italy, and other national dishes, it deserves special consideration, for it is in every way an excellent and savory dish. It is a stew, the basis of which is a vegetable preparation called casaripe, a thick black syrup prepared from the casava root. This stew has for its foundation a fowl and a piece of pickled pork. But it becomes the daily recipient of any stray pieces of meat which might otherwise be wasted, and the earthen pot which contains it is always kept simmering on the hearth. It is, in fact, the 'pot au feu' of France, with a delicious flavor peculiarly its own, due to casarope and the large African pepper. You needn't expect any fish at Barbados, for nature omitted rivers when it constructed this one of the Windward island, and the sea fish (barracoutas, snappers, etc.), are not of the best quality, but the pepper pot is worth a voyage over the Caribbean. I was there in February.—Milwaukee Free Press.

COFFEE NEURALGIA.

Leaves When You Quit and Use Postum.

A lady who unconsciously drifted into nervous prostration brought on by coffee says:

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life, and used it regularly, three times a day.

"A year or two ago I became subject to nervous neuralgia, attacks of nervous headache and general nervous prostration which not only incapacitaed me for doing my housework, but frequently made it necessary for me to remain in a dark room for two or three days at a time.

"I employed several good doctors, one after the other, but none of them was able to give me permanent relief.

"Eight months ago a friend suggested that perhaps coffee was the cause of my troubles and that I try Postum Food Coffee and give up the old kind. I am glad I took her advice for my health has been entirely restored. I have no more neuralgia, nor have I had one solitary headache in all these eight months. No more of my days are wasted in solitary confinement in a dark room. I do all my own work with ease. The flesh that I lost during the years of my nervous prostration has come back to me during these months and I am once more a happy, healthy woman. I enclose a list of names of friends who can vouch for the truth of the statement." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Ten days' trial leaving off coffee and using Postum [illegible]

Beyond Him.

Casey—Oi hear yer wife has twins agin, Pat. How many childer does that mek?

Murtagh—Dom'd if Oi know; Oi'm no add'n machane.—Puck.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is seni partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doi business in the City of Toledo, County and St aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ev case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the u HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENE

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my p ence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

{ SEAL } A. W. GLEASON,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and act directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Not That Kind of Stage.

"Yes, when I was younger I was importuned to go on the stage."

"I suppose that was before they had any street cars."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

There Are Many.

Gunner—There goes a man who has taken crowds of people off their feet.

Guyer—Ah, a great orator, I presume?

Gunner—No, a reckless motorman.—Columbus Dispatch.

Here is Relief for Women.

Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

After you get married, young lady, it is just as well to remember that cooking is a greater art than thumping a piano.

If you want to know what a man's weakness is, let him do the talking and he will mention it.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Fargo, N. D.

Tell a woman that her letters sound just like her, and she believes you have said they are interesting.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Some fellows are like sponges, except that sponges will take water.

Farmers and Merchants
will be interested in announcement of Acetylene Jones in this paper.

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Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayolle, Rector.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall.—L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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RAISING DRAFTERS.

Advised by an Iowa Man as a Good Investment on High Priced Land.

"Where are the drafters to come from that are now so eagerly sought by buyers at all the horse markets?" asked Mr. H. G. McMillan before the Iowa state farmers' institute. At the same time answering his own question, Mr. McMillan said that the supply of heavy mares is very limited. Farmers who owned good mares a few years ago sent them to market because they believed that the days of profitable horse breeding had passed. As a result of this unwise policy, before an adequate supply of drafters can again be grown for market draft mares will have to be produced first from which to raise the supply in the future. This will take years to accomplish, so that it may be reasonably expected that the price of draft horses will continue firm for years.

Good Returns In Colts and Farm Work.

While pure bred stallions have been selling in many cases at seemingly high figures, pure bred draft mares can yet be obtained at a very reasonable figure. The Iowa or Illinois farmer who owns one hundred or one hundred and fifty dollar land cannot make a better investment than to buy a pair or two of pedigreed draft mares. At the price at which such mares are now selling, if given proper care, they will bring in a larger return on the investment than any stock that can be placed on this high priced land.

In addition to producing colts that the draft horse breeders and dealers will gladly buy at $100 or $300 when a year old, they will do the work required on the farm just as well as or better than mares that produce colts that are only worth $100 when fully matured.

Old Time Dentistry.

In the early days of dentistry a hickory plug was put into the cavity to fill the space where a tooth ought to be. This plug had to be gently pounded into its desired position. Old Judge Peckham was somewhat addicted to strong language, and when the dentist began his work the judge indulged in some classic comment. As the tapping of the plug continued he threw all dignity to the four winds of heaven, and his language became decidedly "more forcible than elegant." When, however, he arose from the chair, after what seemed to him an interminable period of agony, he pulled out all the stops in his vocabulary for a grand climax. The impression on his listener seems to have been deep and lasting. As the judge passed out the dentist grimly remarked to a

Wanted a Big "Bar'l."

A newspaper tells the story of a storekeeper in a country town who, after twice telling a young man that he had no "onions," reverted to the matter after the customer had gone. "I declare," he said, "I do' know but what it was ingans that feller wanted!"

A similar tale is told by a young woman who, being in search of a barrel to catch rain water, applied to the village innkeeper.

"Have you a hogshead that I could buy?" she said, with the careful enunciation that she had learned in childhood.

The innkeeper shook his head.

"Not any sort of hogshead?" she asked, with gentle persistence. "I thought you must have a good many."

"I wonder what set you thinking that?" said the landlord, looking as if he considered her demented. "I haven't kep' a single hog for ten years back, and when I did keep 'em I never had any call for their heads."

It was the young woman's turn to look horrified.

"Oh, I don't know anything about hogs' heads!" she said excitedly. "I want a hogshead, an old molasses hogshead or something."

The landlord looked at her, and light dawned at last.

"I believe you mean you want a hugshud," he said, smiling broadly. "You step this way and take your choice of what I've got."

A Very Funny Joke.

"The head of our firm had a trying experience one Fourth of July," said a commercial man. "He thought he would play a funny joke on his family, so a day or so before the holiday he bought one of those candy boxes made in imitation of a cannon firecracker. He secreted this in the pantry, where he thought it would be safe.

"But his little son, about eight years old, discovered the firecracker and also discovered that it was filled with candy. He helped himself to the contents and finally, finding the box empty, he made way with it and substituted a real cannon cracker.

"Fourth of July came and the head of the family, smiling broadly, came downstairs and placed his big firecracker in the middle of the breakfast table. Then, regardless of his wife's expostulations, he touched a match to the fuse, never thinking but what it was the candy box on the table.

"His son and heir astutely vanished from the scene about this time. In about thirty seconds there was an explosion that wrecked a once happy breakfast table, and one hour later the worst spanked boy in Detroit had sobbingly confessed to an irate father why the joke had failed."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

It Ought To.

McKnub—I see a French scientist is advocating the wearing of wooden clothes. How do you think a wooden suit would look? Sleeth—Rather knobby.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is better to be able to appreciate the things we cannot have than to have things we are unable to appreciate.—Anon.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Let the boastful man have his own way. He won't listen to you anyway.

The only way to tell a love story, after all, is in kindness and good cooking.

It is too late to congratulate some people after they have been married as long as a week.

A great many people have consciences that would require an alarm clock to wake up.

Artificial roses never appear to so poor an advantage as when they bloom on a girl's cheeks.

Come to think of it, if you hate any one don't you hate his laugh more than anything else about him?

A pessimist is one who sees the time ahead when he will break with a friend and therefore tells the friend nothing. An optimist sees only eternal friendship and tells the friend all.—Atchison Globe.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 320,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at Quiller, Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

The Creamery For Ice Cream.

The creamery industry in Maryland is in some respects quite different from that found in the west, inasmuch as most of those in this state do not confine themselves to the making of butter, but make butter only as a means of utilizing surplus and sell most of their products as cream or ice cream. The selling of the products of creameries for cream and ice cream rather than the making of it into butter has enabled the farmer to realize better prices than would be obtained otherwise. Some creameries of the state that have made all of their products into butter have been run quite successfully, while many have been a disappointment to the farmers and could not hold their patronage because of the low prices paid for milk.—C. T. Doane.

Feeding Plantation Mules.

The ration now fed to mules at one of the large Louisiana sugar factories consists of eight pounds of corn and cob meal, two pounds of cottonseed meal, eleven pounds of molasses and fifteen pounds of pea vine hay, the cost being 14.5 cents per head. It is stated that this ration has diminished the cost of feeding the mules one-half and at the same time improved their health.

The Era of Noise.

What an age of noise this is! Do you know any single human being who is capable of being silent for an hour at a stretch? I know two, and I value them according to their rarity. Not only does everybody talk, but almost everybody talks loud. I went into a shop the other day, and the clatter of conversation sounded as though the place were full of people. Yet all the noise was produced by three individuals. Why should they shout?—London Truth.

The Classes In England.

In England the upper class gambles, but does not drink; the middle class drinks, but does not gamble, and the lower class both drinks and gambles. It is a characteristic circumstance that the upper class makes laws to prevent the lower class from gambling and that the lower class is in favor of legislation to prevent the upper class from drinking.

Great Inducements.

Gyer—Fitzem, the clothier, is advertising a silk umbrella with each twenty dollar overcoat he sells. Mrs. Gyer—That's nothing. Bloom, the florist, is giving away the earth with each plant he sells.—Chicago News.

Papa's Own Idea.

She—Darling, we must elope. He—But surely your father has no objections to— She—None whatever. He suggested it, in fact. He says it will be cheaper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Wild Animals.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually decreasing in size.

Trees In Iceland.

Iceland seems to be hardly as destitute of trees as some suppose, an old idea being that it possesses only a single tree. An investigation shows that the island really contains woods having various trees of considerable size and that the climate is not unfavorable to tree growth.

Cheese Sellers of France.

In France a cheese seller is as familiar a sight on city streets as a fruit man is in our cities.

Lincoln's Retort to Douglas.

Douglas, meeting Lincoln on one occasion during the exciting campaign of 1860, made a characteristically unpleasant remark, saying:

"Why, Abe, I remember you when you were nothing but a young clerk in a little western town, peddling out goods at retail and selling liquor over the counter."

"Yes," answered Lincoln, "the only difference between you and me was that I was on one side of the counter and you were on the other."

Beef Tea!

This story was told by an old physician who had practiced for nearly fifty years in a small country town. One day he was summoned to a farmhouse, where he found a woman in a high fever and evidently exceedingly ill. He said to her husband, who was the only other person in the house:

"Your wife is very sick and must have nothing to eat except milk and beef tea, but I want you to give her a cup of one or the other every two hours." When he came the next morning and asked about his patient her husband said:

"That beef tea don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't. She began to feel bad as soon as she took it."

"That's odd," said the doctor. "You didn't give her any little bits of the meat in it, did you?"

"No, sir; I strained it first on account of the grounds."

"Grounds!" roared the doctor. "What did you make that beef tea out of?"

"Corn beef and the best green tea. I boiled 'em together all yesterday afternoon to get the strength out. But it don't agree with her, doctor; it certainly don't."

The Gain From Others.

A man is strong in proportion to the quantity, the quality and the variety of forces which he absorbs from others. He is a power in proportion to the extent of his contact—socially, mentally and morally—with his kind and a weakling just in proportion as he cuts himself off from others.—Success.

After the Defalcation.

Junior Partner—I never suspected him at all. Senior Partner—Neither did I, although it did seem a little singular to me that he should be able to pay $2,000 a year rent out of a salary of $1,500.—New York Press.

No man will be found who does not sometimes hope or fear beyond the limits of sober probability.—Johnson.

Your Watch Is a Compass.

"Most men who own a good watch," said a jeweler, "think they know all about it. They have the number fixed in their memory in case it is stolen. They could probably pick it out from fifty other watches with their eyes shut. But how many men know that their watch is a compass and will tell north from south as accurately as it will tell the time of day? Stanley, the explorer, did not know it until he had groped his way through the dark continent and met a Belgian sailor on the coast. Every watch is a compass. If you point the hour hand to the sun, the south is exactly halfway between the hour and the figure XII on the dial. Suppose, for instance, it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun and II on the watch is exactly south. If it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun and the figure X on the dial is due south. No man need get lost if he carries a watch."

The Suburban Home.

The suburban house expresses freedom from restraint; it is the home of children; it means purer air; it means more room to move around in; it means gardens, and it implies a social life which years of city living may never engender. These are matters of first importance, and when to them is added the material advantage of lower rents the superiority of the suburban house over the city dwelling is established. There are long rides by trolley or train; there is the necessity of keeping early hours; there are difficulties with limited grocery, butcher and bakery service; there are other practical drawbacks. But over and beyond these is the abiding space of freedom of movement, of ample air and sunlight, of a place to live in.

And that is exactly what a house is for. It is neither to look at nor to serve as an ornament to a highway. That it should be ornamental and should be viewed with interest are matters of course that are extremely desirable, but after all it is the house within that counts; that makes suburban life bearable, adds to its joys, increases its advantages, cements its superiority to every other sort of living unless it be the country life pure and undefiled.—House Beautiful.

Hidden Water Supply.

The investigation of a neglected spring or rivulet may bring to light a valuable supply of water for gardening or domestic purposes. A surprising quantity is often obtainable by installing a ram at some seemingly insignificant source. A ram is cheap, because the first expense is the last, there being no cost of maintenance, and it is satisfactory, because the ram requires no attention. Once started, it takes entire care of itself.—Country Life In America.

Twenty Shots In His Head.

At the present time there is a keeper on a Hertfordshire estate who has about twenty shots in his head. Nearly thirty years ago this man was accidentally shot by an under keeper, and there were twenty-two holes in the hat he wore, which is preserved to this day. The injured man never had the shots extracted, was long between life and death and completely lost his hearing.—London Standard.

Qualified Approval.

"How did you like the opera?"

"First rate," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I didn't care much about the tunes they played, but it was a great comfort to have enough noise to drown the vacuous conversation that was going on around me."—Washington Star.

A [illegible]

Mr. Critick—Miss Arts tells me the [illegible]

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1st. WITH BOILING WATER. Add boiling water, and let it boil THREE MINUTES ONLY. Add a little cold water and set aside five minutes to settle. Serve promptly.

2d. WITH COLD WATER. Add your cold water to the paste and bring it to a boil. Then set aside, add a little cold water, and in five minutes it's ready to serve.

3 DONT'S
- Don't boil it too long.
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PLUMMER.

(From the Pioneer.)

Joseph Helm and F. E. Hunt were out from Red Lake Falls Monday to look after some business interests in this vicinity.

Carl Sorenson of Garnes, returned yesterday from Starbuck, Manitoba where he has been working at carpenter work since last spring.

Martin and Alfred Johnson arrived home on Thursday night from Red Lake where they have been engaged all summer raising sunken logs.

Will McAnulty was up yesterday from Terribone to look over the work on ditch No. 22 with a possible view to taking a sub-contract on the job.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Scheldrup returned from Grand Forks where Mrs. Scheldrup has been taking a course of medical treatment.

Paul I. D. Ostby returned yesterday from North Dakota where he has been working at his trade as stone mason and threshing during the past few months.

John Lynch of Equality, was here Tuesday on his way home from Langdon, N. D., near weere he has been working for about four weeks harvesting and threshing.

Anton Peterson of Garnes, threshed his wheat the first of the week and found a yield of a little over 21 bushels per acre. The grade of the grain will be about No. 3,

Percy Taggart's cow got in front of the south bound freight train on Tuesday evening and was deposited in the ditch in a helpless condition. Percy couldnt move her so he made up his mind to let her stay there for a while. He devoted a good deal of his thought to the animal over night and on Wednesday morning went to explain his ideas to the cow. She met him with a limp and an overgrown calf-like smile and 'lowed as how she'd go home and behave in the future.

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H, H, Finrow, Wm, Lauritzon and Chas. W. Latta, made a trip to Erskine on Wednesday, Mr. Lauritzon went to see the creamery down there and the town, while the others represented the village of Plummer to investigate a fire pump which the village of Erskine had for sale. They found the pump and some other supplies to be all right and purchased same for the village of Plummer. The appliances will be shipped in as soon as a place can be prepared for them.

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NO. 53

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To CARL WEDMER,

You are hereby notified on the 6th. day of May, A. D. 1901, in proceedings to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes pursuant to that certain real estate judgment, which was entered in the District Court in and for the County of Red Lake in the 14th Judicial District in the State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March A. D. 1901, the above described piece or parcel of land situated in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota was bid into the state to satisfy the amount for which it was adjudged liable in said judgement, interest and costs, for the above named sum; that the above described real estate has become and now is the Absolute Property of the State.

That on above stated date the above described real estate was sold by the County Auditor of Red Lake County, as directed by the State Auditor in accordance with Section 101 of Chapter II of General Statutes of 1878 and the several acts amendatory thereto, for the sum above stated; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from such sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue on this notice is the amount above stated, with interest at the rate of twelve percent per annum on the amount paid by the purchaser from said above date until such redemption is made, and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from such sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice, and proof thereof has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of this county.

Witness my hand and official seal third day of October A. D. [illegible]

[illegible]
County Auditor.

(SEAL)

ST. HILAIRE.

Mrs. O. F. Post has the appendicitis.

Henry Enderle was over from Plummer last Sunday.

Miss Katherine Pirath visited her parents at Red Lake Falls over Friday night.

County Superintendent McAnulty has been visiting the schools in this vicinity the past week.

Mrs. Fred Case left last Thursday for Canada. Mr. Case will join her as soon as the mill closes.

Mrs. Jens Nelson entertained her cousin, Mrs. Robert Monroe of Thief River Falls, the past week.

Rev, Barker shipped his household goods to Menabga Tuesday where he will preach the coming year.

R. J. McKircher, who has been in North Dakota the past summer, has returned to spend the winter here.

Miss Clara Hoff returned Friday from Thief River Falls, where she had been visiting friends for a few days.

Saturday evening the Swedish Mission held an auction sale at the church, and it was a social and financial success.

Mr, and Mrs. Geo. L. Austin entertained Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Barker and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gilman at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Makinson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. O'Brien, returned to her home in St. Paul last Tuesday.

Mrs. R. H. Aimer, who has been confined to her home for several days threatened with an attack of typhoid, is improving.

Joel G. Winkjer was in town several days the past week inspecting the creamery and starting some herd records for state statistics.

The Swiss Entertainers closed their three nights' engagement at the Imperial hall Saturday evening. They had fair-sized audiences.

W. B. Martin and family left Saturday for St. Paul, where they will make their home. During their stay here Mr. and Mrs. Martin have made many friends who regret to see them leave.

A Prominent Trainman.

The many friends of G. H. Hansan, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He says: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure which I recommend to all people. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

The funeral of James F. McAndress took place on Thursday from the Catholic church and interment was made in St. Bernard's cemetery at Thief River Falls. Several non-resident relatives were here to attend the funeral.

Presidential election make no change.

No matter which candidate is elected Foleys Honey and Tar will remain the peoples favorite remedy for coughs, colds, and incipient consumption. It cures colds quickly and prevents pneumonia. A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foleys Honey and Tar and eight doses cured me.—A. L. Reichart.

Mrs. H. D. Pettibone and family expect to leave for Chicago Tuesday. Mr. Pettibone has opened his office there and the family expect to make that place their home. Their many friends here regret their departure but wish them happiness in their new home.

Consumptives made Comfortable.

Incipient consumption is cured by Foleys Honey and Tar, but we do not hold out false hopes to consumptive by claiming that it will cure this dread disease in the advanced stages; but if the lungs are not too far gone Foleys Honey and Tar will effect a cure, as it stops the racking cough and soothes the inflamed air passages giving them a chance to heal, and even in the advanced stages it always gives comfort and relief. A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes "Foleys Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages.—A. L. Reichert.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Poison Made Body Luminous.

At the inquest of a man who died at the London Hospital recently from swallowing rat poison it developed that the whole of his body was luminous in the dark. The rat poison contained phosphorus.

Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn out by the pains and poisons of dyspepsia, billiousness, Bright's disease and similar internal disorders, don't sit down and brood over your symptoms, but fly for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent forgetfulness of all your troubles, [illegible]

Poor Effort at Translation.

The English papers have lately been having fun with a new German-English and English-German dictionary. The best example of the work is said to be the translation of our word "gimcrack." According to the London Daily Chronicle four meanings have been given for this word, which, when translated back into English, are: "The handsome girl," "the bad machine," "the ordinary handshake," and "a magician."

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At all druggist; guaranteed; 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

An Uncivilized View.

"Aren't you ashamed to be placed in the attitude of protecting those brigands?"

"Well," answered the Bulgarian official, "politics is politics with me. Those brigands are the people who have the money nowadays."—Washington Star.

New Cure For Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. Walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve hoaled it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at all drug stores.

Man With the Gun.

The man with the gun has his inning. There are as many men promoted from the ranks in the regular army this year or from civil life as used to be given commissions from the academy at West Point. It is a noble profession if nobly carried out, and black marks on the list are few.

Order for Hearing Proof on Claims, etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term October 3, 1905

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Letters of Testamentary of the estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Cleophas Asselin and Onezime Asselin.

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Furthered Ordered, That the 3rd day of January, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 3rd day of October A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRENT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, }

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.

E. O. HAGEN,
Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
821-026 Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Chapter 2, General Laws 1902.

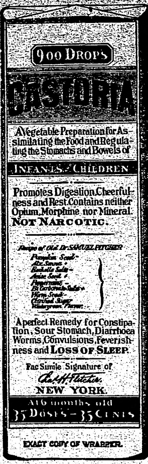
Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake county to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Chapter Two (2) General Laws of Minnesota, 1902, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged against it. Immediate payment to the County Treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have been offered for sale. The County Auditor of Red Lake county is hereby authorized and directed to conduct sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor.

Dated St. Paul, Minn., September 30th, 1905.

S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Section 1616, General Statute Minnesota 1894.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the county auditor, in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land, sold for taxes, in Red Lake county, to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Section 1616, General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, and amendments thereof will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs due thereon, unless such amount exceeds the actual value of the property. [illegible]



900 DROPS

CASTORIA

A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr SAMUEL PITCHER

Pumpkin Seed
Alx. Senna
Rochelle Salts
Anise Seed
Peppermint
Bi Carbonate Soda
Worm Seed
Clarified Sugar
Wintergreen Flavor

A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

Fac Simile Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. NEW YORK.

At 6 months old
35 DOSES—35 CENTS

EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over Thirty Years

CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

City Meat Market

GEO. L. SAUER, Proprietor

Cash Paid for Hides and Furs

MEATS POULTRY FISH GAME

Special Attention Given to Sausage Making

RED LAKE FALLS - - - - MINNESOTA

Boiling Water in a Reservoir

It's something that's hard to do when the reservoir is on the right hand side because it's too far from the fire, takes too much fuel to do it. But, when the reservoir is right next to the fire pot, it's a mighty easy job and don't take much fuel either. Then on the Majestic we have a lever that by turning throws the reservoir away from the fire so that there is never any danger of the water boiling all away and spoiling your reservoir.

If you are going to need a range, don't look too much at the price, the Majestic is not the cheapest, but the least expensive.

For Sale by O'BRIEN BROTHERS

Popular Hardware Dealers

RED LAKE FALLS, - MINNESOTA

Salvation for Women in Nu-tri-ola

THE world is full of sick women who might be well. Poor, pale, suffering Martyrs! Blood so poor that every vital organ, nerve center, even the brain cells, are starved and lose their force. Their sufferings from Dyspepsia, Headache, Kidney Trouble, Dragging or Bearing Down Pains, Leucorrhœa, Nervous Prostration, etc., etc., the victim and God alone may know. Listen to our

EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION.

Emancipation from the power of disease, suffering and death. Be it known to women everywhere that NUTRIOLA, the new Blood and Nerve Food, will make the frailest woman "NEW ALL OVER." This statement is backed by $500,000.00 Capital Stock and the largest Medical Company in the world. WE GUARANTEE A PERFECT CURE or ask no pay. We employ the most skilled Physicians in the United States. THEIR SERVICES ARE FREE. FREE CHEMICAL ANALYSIS. In short, the benefit of all their skill and NOT A CENT TO PAY for it. We are curing thousands, treating by mail. Every case confidential.

READ THIS, YE SUFFERING WOMEN!

NUTRIOLA COMPANY—Gentlemen: I had been an invalid for over 10 years. KIDNEY TROUBLE had caused such a weakness in my back that I was unable to work standing up. Then disease peculiar to my sex fastened upon me and my life became one round of UNENDING TORTURE, such as only one afflicted as I have been can know. To stand upon my feet for five minutes was a torture unspeakable. The terrible DRAGGING DOWN SENSATION would send such a feeling to my brain as to impair my vision and drive me almost insane. Nervous Headache was my constant visitant, and the slightest noise would drive me almost wild. The doctors told me I could never get well. I learned of NUTRIOLA and applied for treatment. As a result I was RESTORED TO PERFECT HEALTH. From [illegible] pounds I increased in weight to [illegible] pounds. I have never seen a sick day since. I now weigh [illegible] pounds. I would not be back again where I was before I took NUTRIOLA for all the wealth of the world. May God bless you in your efforts to help suffering humanity. Your grateful servant, MRS. JANE A. WEBBER.

Detailed testimonials in "Fountain of Life." It's Free.

Mrs. Jane A. Webber

Book on Female Diseases, Illustrated, filled with secrets you ought to know, FREE in plain envelope.

NU-TRI-OLA Costs 3 Cents a Day. [illegible] treatment.

THE NUTRIOLA COMPANY, [illegible] W. Madison St., Chicago, Ills.

For Sale by All Druggists

DAKOTA BUSINESS COLLEGE

A modern school, [illegible]

HOW A FRIENDSHIP GREW

The Story

Whether Hand Sapolio got a more enthusiastic welcome in homes where Sapolio was an old and tried friend, or where it was a stranger, is a question. Where women had come to rely on Sapolio for rapid, thorough cleaning in every part of the house except the laundry, they commenced without loss of time, to avail of this new prize. Grubby little hands, and stained, work-worn older ones, whitened, softened, and smoothed out as if by magic, callous spots disappeared, and complexions cleared. Children ceased their strenuous objections to the scrubbing up process, because it became a pleasure. It freshened up the hands after dish-washing, removing the most disagreeable feature of that necessary task. It was found to keep delicate baby skins from chafing better than salve or powder, and the crowning note in the song of delight came when an adult member of the family used it in a full bath, and realized that a Turkish Bath at a cost of one dollar was outdone by a small fraction of the little, ten-cent, velvety cake.

Do you want a clear and healthy Skin?

But, strange though it may seem, there were people who had not learned to prize Sapolio. To these the advertising of Hand Sapolio came as a surprise. Sapolio, a scouring soap, adapted for the hands, the face, the general toilet? Impossible, it would be horrid. Who ever heard of such a use? Finally a bold shopper carried home a cake. Does it look like kitchen Sapolio? No one is sure, and a cake of that is bought, and comparison made. Behold a family using both the Sapolios for every conceivable purpose, and comparing notes! After easily and quickly cleansing a greasy pan with Sapolio, Jane thought the other would be gritty, and was astonished at the smooth, dainty lather. Another was certain it would harden the hands and could scarcely realize how soft and "comfy" they felt after the washing.

Then began the excitement of adventure; what would the new soap NOT do? A girl tried a shampoo. Her hair, pretty, soft and silky "went up" perfectly, with none of the unmanageableness that generally exists for a full week after the usual process. A man used the delightful lather for shaving, and felt no need for cold cream afterwards. A pimply face was treated to a daily bathing with the full suds, and promptly became clear. Tartar on the teeth yielded to it, and feet that had a tendency towards hardening of the skin regained their natural condition, till another family had joined the chorus of friendly acclaim. And so it is everywhere, those who know the "elder brother" welcome the newcomer, for the sake of the first known, and those who meet both for the first time are plunged into a whimsical worry as to which they could better spare if they had to make a choice.

THE FIRST STEP away from self-respect is lack of care in personal cleanliness; the first move in building up a proper pride in man, woman, or child is a visit to the bathtub. You can't be healthy, or pretty, or even good, unless you are clean. Use HAND SAPOLIO. It pleases everyone.

THE DISTRICT SCHOOL OF SPOTLESS TOWN

CLASS IN ALGEBRA

Let housewife equal X plus E;
Let E the sign for Sapolio be;
For dirt let minus X be had;
Then all these symbols we will add.
The X and minus X drop out
(As anyone can see no doubt)
And leave what must the housewife please—
The happy symbol we call ease.

$$\begin{array}{r} X+E \\ E \\ -X \\ \hline EE \end{array}$$

WHY TAKE DAINTY CARE of your mouth and neglect your pores, the myriad mouths of your skin? HAND SAPOLIO does not gloss them over, or chemically dissolve their health-giving oils, yet clears them thoroughly by a method of its own.

TRY HAND SAPOLIO. Its steady use will keep the hands of any busy woman as white, untanned and pretty as if she was under the constant care of a city manicure. It is truly "The Dainty Woman's Friend," in the suburbs or on the farm.

Those ugly dark brown streaks on the neck, arising from tight collars, and the line where the sunburn stops, can be wiped out by the velvety lather of HAND SAPOLIO. It is, indeed, "The Dainty Woman's Friend."

NEW JOB FOR THE AUTO MADE.

The Man Who Looks After Collisions Between Devil Wagons and Trolleys.

There is one man in the employ of the New York City Street Railway company whose duties might seem a round of pleasure to some automobile enthusiasts.

It is his business whenever word is received of a collision of one of the company's cars with an automobile to jump into the machine provided for him, hasten to the scene of the accident and inform himself as to the extent of the damages suffered by the injured devil wagon, so as to be able to testify in the company's behalf if suit is brought by the owner.

Motormen must have the automobile habit, for he is kept pretty busy, though he exercises other and subsidiary functions in the company's service.

As Represented.

Boarder—Look here, you told me if I took that room I'd sleep like a top. I was turning all night.

Landlady—Well, don't tops turn?—

Storekeepers and Hotelkeepers Should investigate acetylene gas. Write "Acetylene Jones" to-day.

The religion that cannot stand camping out had better be left at home in the ice box.

The average woman can hit the nail on the head more successfully with an argument than with a hammer.

When a man economizes, he buys fewer clothes; when a woman economizes she buys less to eat.

She'd Fix the Dipper.

At the sand piles in Central Park a little girl had a dipper of water with which she wet the sand and built marvelous things. The water in the dipper was drawn into its hollow hands, according to the habit of dippers, and, overbalancing the bowl, tipped it over. When this had gone on at intervals of nearly an hour, the little girl got angry. She sat up and put the dipper down hard. Then she said threateningly:

"If you do that again, dipper, I'll cut your tail off and make a basin of you."

Throwing Away Good Money.

"I see that a comparatively rich New Yorker recently sold his wife to a wealthy banker for $5,000."

"Of course that was an exorbitant price for a wife of the salable sort."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

In some Hindoo temples the collection is made by an elephant, who goes round with a basket. No one, it is said, has ever ventured to feign unconsciousness when the basket came in his vicinity.

THIN BLOOD—WEAK NERVES

One Follows the Other, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Quickly Cure Both.

The steady use of a particular set of muscles tends to chronic fatigue, which produces faulty or difficult motion, trembling, cramps and even paralysis. Writers, telegraphers, tailors and seamstresses are among the classes most threatened in this way with the loss of their power to earn a living. The following instance shows that nerve power may be recovered after it seems entirely lost, if the right means are taken. Mrs. O. S. Blacksten, of No. 584 North Bowman street, Mansfield, Ohio, says:—

"For years my hands would become so numb at times that I would drop anything I attempted to lift. Later they became so bad that I could not sew any longer, and at last I could scarcely do anything at all with my hands. At night the pricking sensations would come on worse than ever, and my hands and arms would pain so that I dreaded to go to bed. My family doctor gave me some nerve tablets. They helped me a little, but only for a short time after I had taken them and if I happened to be without them for a day or two I would be as bad as ever or even worse. Finally I got a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began to take them.

"The result was surprising. By the time I had taken the last pill in my first box I could see a gain. Thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I am now all right. I can sleep undisturbed by pain, and for two years I have been as well as ever."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills feed the nerves by making new, rich blood and in this way have cured nervous diseases of every description from simple restlessness to paralysis. They have banished the tortures of neuralgia, the weakness of nervous prostration, the disability and awful pain of locomotor ataxia. They are sold by all druggists or direct by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Cause of Failure in Poultry Raising.

The man that generally fails in poultry raising is the novice, who begins the raising of poultry on account of the glowing accounts he has seen of the ease with which it is done, and the enormous profits to be made. Millions of men have figured themselves rich on chickens. It merely requires a knowledge of the science of numbers. If a hen lays a hundred eggs a year and fifty of the chickens are pullets, and they in turn lay a hundred eggs a year, it takes but a little while to figure out enormous returns from a small investment. The unfortunate thing about the problem is that things do not work out in practice as they do on paper. With the beginner in poultry raising ignorance is the first obstacle, but with many it proves to be so large an obstacle that the attempt to raise poultry is not continued. To successfully raise poultry requires a large amount of knowledge, which must be acquired partly by experience.—Julia Smith, Cook Co., Ill.

Winter Eggs Profitable.

Winter eggs are far more profitable than eggs produced in the spring or summer. This is due to several reasons. One is that there are fewer eggs produced in the winter, and they are higher on that account. Another factor is that eggs are more uniformly good in the winter, and there is a larger demand for them, especially in hotels, restaurants and railroad trains. People that travel more generally call for eggs in the winter than in the summer. The cost of producing the winter egg is not much greater than the cost of producing the summer egg, because in the winter the hens have to be kept and fed whether they are laying or not; and this winter cost of keeping has to be charged against the production of the summer egg if the hen produces eggs only in the summer. Every farmer should therefore try to secure most of his eggs in the winter season.—Mary Pickering, Elkhart Co., Ind., in Farmers' Review.

Culls.

Culls are birds that are taken out of the flock for various reasons. The cull is not always a poor bird. It depends on the reason for the culling. One man that is breeding birds for exhibition culls out all that lack symmetry of form. In so doing he takes out all the birds that have been laying for a long time, especially if they are large producers of eggs. Laying to a large extent destroys the symmetry of the body of the bird. In this case the culls may be first-class layers. They may be more valuable to the general farmer than the show birds that take large prizes. Another man culls out the hens that are poor layers, though sometimes some of these culls are birds of fine form and feather. The farmer that lives near a fancier can pick out a fowl now and then at a low price, yet of high quality for his purposes.

Tonic for Exhibition Fowls.

Whether or not it is profitable to feed tonics to fowls at any time may be doubted, but we know that some exhibitors of fowls do feed them these tonics to keep up their stamina during their long days of confinement while on the road for exhibition purposes. There are many combinations that are made, but some of them use the following: Two ounces of carbonate of iron, some pulverized gentian root, a little black antimony, some mandrake, ginger, flower of sulphur and powdered charcoal, with half a pound of bicarbonate of soda. These are mixed thoroughly, and one teaspoonful of the mixture is stirred into each quart of soft food given the fowls. We cannot recommend this from personal use, but it may be as valuable as the users think it is.

Time to Buy Young Stock.

October and November are the best months in which to buy stock, especially for the purchase of birds that are to be used in exhibitions. At this time of year most of the spring birds are becoming mature, and they have not lost their plumage through laying nor the beauty of their plumage through moulting. With a little judicious feeding these birds may be made successful exhibition birds, but another year they would be sadly out of form and feather.

Exhibition Coops.

Many of our readers at this time of year are making coops for the exhibition of fowls. The usual size now in favor is 28 inches long, 18 inches wide, and 20 inches high. The length extends from the front of the coop to the back rather than from side to side. This makes it possible to place a larger number of fowls in the same row and makes it easier to keep drafts off the birds.

Parafining the Fowls.

In a recent show, visited by the writer, he noticed some birds whose legs were highly polished. As there was no indication of any coloring matter in the application of any [illegible] inquired of the show [illegible]

To make Cheap Gas-light for Country Homes

TAKE a common Clay Pipe.

Put a simple "Acetylene" Gasburner on its stem.

Bind the two in position with a tight-fitting piece of Rubber Hose.

Then fill the bowl of the pipe with fine-ground Calcium Carbide.

Next tie a rag over head of the bowl to keep in the Carbide.

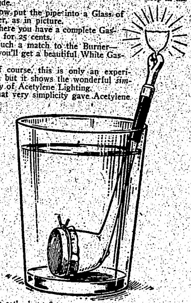
Now put the pipe into a Glass of Water, as in picture.

There you have a complete Gas-plant for 25 cents.

Touch a match to the Burner—and you'll get a beautiful White Gas-light.

Of course, this is only an experiment, but it shows the wonderful *simplicity* of Acetylene Lighting.

That very simplicity gave Acetylene Light a setback, at first.



It seemed so *simple* to turn Calcium Carbide into Gas-light that over 600 different kinds of "tanks" and "Acetylene Machines" were invented, patented, and marketed for the purpose, by about as many different people.

Well, the thing to be expected certainly happened!

About 530 of these "Acetylene Machines" had been invented and sold by people who knew more about *Tinware* than they did about *Gas-making.*

The "Calcium Carbide" was all right *all* the time, but 530 of the machines for turning it into Gas were all wrong *all* the time.

So Acetylene Gas "got a bad name," though it is clear enough *now* that it never *deserved* it at any time.

It was like selling *Wood Stoves* to burn Hard Coal in, and then blaming the *Coal* for not burning.

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Lots of things happened to grieve the Owners of these 530 makes of alleged "Acetylene Machines."

But very few *accidents* occurred from them even in the days of rank experiment and dense ignorance, among "Generator" Makers.

Of course, a gun will go off unexpectedly, now and then, if the trigger be pulled by a person who "didn't know it was loaded."

But, that's no fault of the Ammunition—is it?

Well, finally the Insurance Companies got after these 530 odd makes of "Acetylene Machines" that wouldn't Acetylate, and the Insurance Board made an investigation of all Generators that were submitted to them.

Then, out of the 600 odd "Machines" patented, only about 70 were "permitted" by the Insurance Board to be used.

Oh, what a howl was there!

By "permitted" I mean that the Insurance Board was willing that any building should be Insured, without extra charge, which used any one of these 70 Acetylene Generators it had found safe, and effective, just as it permitted houses to be piped for City Gas, or wired for Electricity, under proper conditions.

Now, the Insurance Companies *ought* to know whether or not these 70 different makes of Acetylene Generators were absolutely Safe to use.

Because *they* have to pay the bills, if Fire or Explosion occurs, from any one of the Acetylene Generators they authorize.

And, here's a proof of their good judgment.

Though there are now Two Million people using Acetylene Light in America, there have only been *four* Fires from it in one year, against *8865* Fires from Kerosene and Gasoline.

There have also been 4691 Fires from Electricity, 1707 Fires from City Gas, and 520 Fires from Candles.

Besides these there have been 26 Fires from the Sun's rays. But,—only *four* Fires from Acetylene.

That shows how *careful* the Insurance Board was in its examination of Acetylene Generators, and in "permitting" only the 70 makes that were *above suspicion,* out of the 600 experiments that were once on the market.

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Well,—the boom in Acetylene Lighting made *lower prices* possible on the material it is derived from, viz., Calcium Carbide, a material that looks like Granite but acts like Magic.

Today, Acetylene Light is a full *third cheaper* than Kerosene Light, or Gasoline Light, per Candle Power.

It is not more than *half* the price of Electric Light, nor *three-fourths* that of City Gas.

If I can't *prove* these statements to your full satisfaction my name is not "Acetylene Jones."

But Acetylene is *more* than the *safest* and *cheapest* Light of the year 1905.

It is also the *Whitest* Light—the nearest to natural Sunlight in health-giving Blue and Violet rays, and because of this, with its freedom from flicker, it is the easiest of all Artificial Light on the *Eyes.*

It is so much like *real* Sunlight that it has made plants grow 24 hours per day in dark cellars where no ray of Sunlight could reach them. It made them grow *twice as fast* as similar plants that had only the Sunlight of day-time, viz., half the time.

That was proven by Cornell University in a three-months' experiment made this very year.

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Now, I've saved up for the last a point more important to you than all the others about Acetylene Light.

It consumes only *one-fourth* as much of the vital *Oxygen* from the Air of Living rooms or bed-rooms, as either Kerosene or City Gas-Light consumes.

That's a *tremendous* difference in a lifetime, mark you—three-fourths of a difference.

Because,—*Oxygen* is *Life.*

And every bit of Oxygen stolen from the lungs of Women, Children and Men, through Lighting, is a loss that can never be made good again.

A 24 Candle-Power Acetylene Light costs you only *two-fifths* of a cent per hour.

That's about $5.85 per year, if burned every night in the year for four steady hours.

A Kerosene Lamp of equal capacity would cost you a third more, viz.: *three-fifths* of a cent per hour *for Kerosene alone,* or $8.75 per year.

That's exclusive of broken lamp chimneys, new wicks, and the everlasting drudgery and danger of cleaning, filling and trimming daily.

I want to *prove* these figures to you, Reader, if you are a house-owner or storekeeper.

Tell me how many rooms you've got and I'll tell you what it will cost to light them with brilliant, beautiful, Sanitary, eye-saving Acetylene.

Write me today for my Free Book about "Sunlight on Tap."

Just address me here as—

"Acetylene Jones,"
8 Adams St.,
Chicago, Ills.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Fredrik Anderson, Red Wing, Minn., dental matrix; Henry G. Becker, Grand Rapids, Minn., pen guide; Adam Bishman, Otisco, Minn., traction gang plow; Clarence W. Carter, Minneapolis, Minn., concrete building block; George Curtis, Big Timber, Mont., hay stacker; Charles Grosser, Minneapolis, Minn., level; Joseph Lambrix, Minneapolis, Minn., boiler.

Easy.

She—How do you know that you want to marry me?

He—Because I love you.

She—How do you know that you love me?

He—Because I want to marry you.—

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

A Neglected Opportunity.

Dr. Cutler—So you made a wrong diagnosis of the case of that patient?

Dr. McSawley—Yes. I thought he was an ordinary business man, but he turned out to be a millionaire.—Puck.

"Acetylene Jones."

See his advertisement in this paper and write him to-day for free booklet.

Faith does not fatten on fog.

Asserting Her Supremacy.

"Yes, she's ordered all the papers made over again."

"What was the trouble?"

"Why, her husband, by mistake, signed his name on the top line and she had to sign under him."—

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 931 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Very Kind.

Papa (severely)—I hear you have been a naughty little girl to-day. What have you to say for yourself?

Daughter (aged five, brightly)—Oh, I'm not insulted!—Judge.

PAXTINE TOILET ANTISEPTIC

FOR WOMEN troubled with ills peculiar to their sex, used as a douche is marvelously successful. Thoroughly cleanses, kills disease germs, stops discharges, heals inflammation and local soreness.

Paxtine is in powder form to be dissolved in pure water, and is far more cleansing, healing, germicidal and economical than liquid antiseptics for all TOILET AND WOMEN'S SPECIAL USES

For sale at druggists, 50 cents a box.

Trial Box and Book of Instructions Free.

THE R. PAXTON COMPANY BOSTON, MASS.

$16 AN ACRE

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

In Western Canada is the amount many farmers will realize from their wheat crop this year.

25 Bushels to the Acre Will be the Average Yield of Wheat.

The land that this was grown on cost many of the farmers absolutely nothing, while those who wished to add to the 160 acres the Government grants, can buy land adjoining at from $6 to $10 an acre.

Climate splendid, school convenient, railways close at hand, taxes low.

Send for pamphlet "20th Century Canada" and full particulars regarding rates, etc., to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to the following authorized Canadian Government Agent—Charles Pilling, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota. (Mention this paper.)

ALL ABOUT CUBA.

Reliable information about Cuba sent free. We can get you a low rate to Cuba. We will have an excursion to Cuba first part of November. Write at once.

THE CUBAN LAND CO.,
200 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minn.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

PRICE, 25 Cts.

TO CURE THE GRIP IN ONE DAY ANTI-GRIPINE

ANTI-GRIPINE IS GUARANTEED TO CURE GRIP, BAD COLD, HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA.

I won't sell Anti-Gripine to a dealer who won't Guarantee It. Call for your MONEY BACK IF IT DON'T CURE. F. W. Diemer, M. D., Manufacturer, Springfield, Mo.

HE ATTENDS TO BUSINESS who goes straight to work to cure Hurts, Sprains, Bruises by the use of St. Jacobs Oil and saves time, money and gets rid of misery quickly. Price, 25c. and 50c.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

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CALUMET
Baking Powder

The only high grade Baking Powder sold at a moderate price. Complies with the pure food laws of all states.

Trust Baking Powders sell for 45 or 50 cents per pound and may be identified by this exorbitant price. They are a menace to public health, as food prepared from them contains large quantities of Rochelle salts, a dangerous cathartic drug.

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JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE COUNTY
OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE FALLS CITY

$1.00 Per Year, in Advance.

THE Republicans seem to have concluded to bury the hatchet—in each other.

IT is a wise policy holder who knows what becomes of the premiums.

THE "simple life" should certainly appeal to the economical man. It's cheap.

THERE is a senatorial election in 1907 and Knute Nelson is beginning to sit up and take notice.

THIS is the time of year when the ice man disappears and the coal man claims a share of your attention.

THE week's weather has made the storm doors and windows rest very uneasily in their snug summer quarters.

FROM the appearance of the New York Life family tree it would seem that an insurance company pay roll covers a multitude of sons.

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WILL some knowing one ad-Vance a prediction as to the name of the lucky Chap slated for private secretary when Governor Block gets in harness?

MR. ROCKEFELLER is right when he says that getting money is not the best part of life. Any millionaire editor will assure you that spending money is a whole lot more fun.

THE Princeton Union hits the nail squarely on the head and drives it home when it says that the business of the merchant that advertises judiciously is never seriously encroached upon by the mail order houses.

LOOK up your real estate taxes carefully. All lands in Red Lake county on which taxes are delinquent for three years will be sold at the auditor's office November 4. The county auditor has a complete list of these lands.

HARVEY W. GRIMMER, of St. Cloud, has been selected by Governor Johnson as executive clerk to succeed Cleve W. VanDyke, who resigned the position Saturday to become manager of a mining company in Arizona. Mr. Grimmer was for several years political editor of the St. Paul Globe and did splendid service during the campaign last year.

Ayer's

Doctors first prescribed Ayer's Cherry Pectoral over 60 years ago. They use it today more than ever. They

Cherry Pectoral

rely upon it for colds, coughs, bronchitis, consumption. They will tell you how it heals inflamed lungs.

"I had a very bad cough for three years. Then I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. My sore lungs were soon healed and my cough dropped away."
MRS. PEARL HYDE, Guthrie Centre, Ia.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for
Old Coughs

[illegible] Ayer's Pills at bedtime insure [illegible] next morning.

SAM JONES once said: "If a man should come to me to haul logs with a team made up of a mule, a billy goat, a bumble bee and a skunk, I'd think he was crazy, but the average preacher has just such a team as that in his congregation to help him—a kicker, a butter, a stinger and a stinker. He may get his load to heaven but will never get his team in."

IT is pretty hard to have weather that suits everybody. The Oshkosh Northwestern makes some comment along this line and says; "Some of the merchants are inclined to complain that trade is being hampered by the fine weather lasting so late in the fall. At the same time tt is well to remember that this kind of weather means additional dollars in the pockets of the farmers, and when the latter do etart out to make their fall purchases business will thrive."

JUDGE START, of the supreme court who is a member of the state pardoning board, does not believe in making a distinction between embezzlement and stealing. He says embezzlement is the worse form of stealing, and adds "if a trusted employee steals a few thousand it is called embezzlement and he is pitied, but if he has no friends and takes a few dollars, it is called stealing and no one comes to ask his pardon. If a man is educated and in good surroundings, where he has all the comforts he needs, so much greater is the crime."

IF you have a lot of time on your hands try this. Go down to one of the elevators with an ordinary checker board and undertake to put a grain of wheat on the first square, two on the second, four on the third, etc, and see how many grains would be used before all the sixty-four squares are filled. It does not seem possible, but a Kansas City mathematician figured it out not long since at 9,223,371,385,654 bushels allowing 1,000,000 grains to the bushel, or as much wheat as the United States would produce at its present rate, in 18,446 years. If you doubt the figures just try it for yourself.

THE Chicago Record-Herald says "if insurance company officials who mis-use the funds which are placed in their care as trustees and who falsify their company's books escape unpunished the policy holder of the country might as well surrender their policies for what they can get and quit. This is a critical moment in the history of American insurance and, indeed, in all fiduciary finance. It is the moment when the standards of right and wrong are to be set. It is the moment when a tradition is to be established as to whether those standards are merely formalities or genuine rules of conduct which must be obeyed."

THE corporations find that, under the administration of Gov. Johnson, things are not as they used to be, says the Fairmont Sentinel. On Saturday the State Board of Equalization, by a unanimous vote, the Governor, Attorney General and State Auditor being present, added $2,891,895 to the assessments of four corporations, to-wit: Twin City Rapid Transit Co., $2,220,000; St. Paul Gas Light Co., $325,675; Minneapolis Gas Co., $211,000; Minneapolis Gas and Electric Co., $125,220. The board will endeavor to make the trusts, the beef trust, the Standard Oil trust, and other corporations pay their portion of the public burden.

S. P. DAVIS, comptroller and insurance commissioner of Nevada, [illegible] revoked the license of the New York Life Insurance company in that state. Mr. Davis sent to President McCall the following telegram: "Pending the investigation of the corrupt management and fraudulent disposal of funds entrusted to your company, and so long as George W. Perkins and yourself retain offices of trust in the management of the New York Life Insurance company, the license to do business in the state of Nevada is hereby revoked. Upon advice of a change of management, and satisfactory proof of honest management the license will be reissued. A notice has been forwarded throughout the state warning all agents of the fact of the order and giving the agents two weeks to close the records."

THE Walker Pilot thinks it hardly fair for the Republicans to collect the insurance money because of the death of the Democratic party last fall.

BEMIDJI is said to have a prospect of having its blessings doubled by the addition of another daily newspaper. There is always a possibility of getting too many good things, though, for Bemidji isn't large enough to support two dailies, and the Pioneer seems to be filling whatever long felt want is apparent.

FORFEITED TAX SALE HELD ON NOVEMBER 4

The forfeited tax sale will be held at the auditor's office on November 4, as advertised elsewhere in the COURIER. The total amount of taxes delinquent at this sale is nearly $25,000, and nearly all of it is on outlying lots in Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire. In Red Lake Falls 3,600 descriptions will be offered for sale, in Thief River Falls 840 descriptions and in St. Hilaire 100 descriptions. It is hardly necessary to say that the greater part of this property is not worth the taxes and probably no bids will be offered on the most of it. The state auditor's instructions are that none of the property can be sold at a less sum than the taxes, interest and costs, and the state will probably wait a long time for the money due it.

ST. HILAIRE CREAMERY GIVEN A DIPLOMA

St. Hilaire Spectator: The St. Hilaire creamery this week received a diploma signed by Governor Johnson for the excellent display made at the recent September scoring contest for butter at St. Paul. The butter displayed was given a mark of 94 per cent. The creamery is still doing a good business and no week so far has fallen under 40 tubs, or about 2,500 pounds a week. This is a busy time of the year and farmers do not like to come in with cream but still they are doing remarkably well.

Got Over the Line.

Warren Sheaf: Paul Ernest, of Thief River Falls, and John Wenzel of Crookston, were arrested by a game warden for shooting in another county without a license, and were brought before justice Keenan. They were fined $25 and costs each, and also had their guns confiscated. They had shot only one single, solitary duck, and were not allowed to keep that, although it was a very expendsive one.

For Your Protection

we place this label on every package of Scott's Emulsion. The man with a fish on his back is our trade-mark, and it is a guarantee that Scott's Emulsion will do all that is claimed for it. Nothing better for lung, throat or bronchial troubles in infant or adult. Scott's Emulsion is one of the greatest flesh builders known to the medical world. [illegible]

LAST CALL FOR REAL ESTATE TAX PAYMENT

The date for payment of the last half of the 1904 real estate taxes is drawing near and people who do not wish to pay the 10 per cent penalty should keep this fact in mimd and make preparations accordingly. The first half of the tax must be paid on or before June first, and the last half on or before November first. County Treasurer Hansen informs us that a good many people are now taking their receipts for the final payment. He also states that it will be a great convenience to him and will save time for the tax payers, if they will present their first receipts when they call to make the second payment. Some are not familiar with their description of their lands and this is liable to lead to delay and even to failure to pay on some tracts, and consequent advertising of the same in the delinquent tax list next winter. It is not a good plan to put off payment until the last day of the month as there is always a rush at that time. By deferring payment until the last miuute there is also a possibility that something may prevent paymect on the last date and it is therefore a good plan to pay at once.

Cigarettes and School Students.

The fact that quite a number of school students are daily to be seen smoking cigars and cigarettes it might be well to call the attention of dealers, as well as the minors who are inclined to use the weed, to the provisions of the state law. The law provides that any person who sells, gives or in any way furnishes cigarettes to any minor pupil in any school or college is liable to a fine of $50 or imprisnment in the county jail not exceeding thirty days. The law further provides that any person under the age of 18 years, or any minor pupil of any school or college who shall use cigaretts, cigars or tobacco in any form on any public street or highway, park or other public lands, is liable to a fine of not more than $10 or imprisonment for five days in the county jail.

Lost: On Sunday last on the graded road south of town, a bundle containing a silk waist partly made. Finder please leave at the Courier office. Josephine Cartur.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s North'n Pacific Elevator Open

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Our Elevator at the Northern Pacific Depot is now open and ready for business with Frank La Bissoniere as agent, who will buy all kinds of grain at highest market prices. FLOUR and FEED for sale.

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Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

RED LAKE FALLS FOLKS CALL ON ST. HILAIRE

A jolly party of folks, young and old—of course the latter designation applies only to the men of the party—attended a dancing party at St. Hilaire Monday evening, and everybody votes the affair one of "the affairs of their lives." Those present—unless some of the names are inadvertently missed—were J. B. Armstrong and wife, Mrs. E. F. Marshall, Misses Pauline Nieland, Melvina Allard, Lillian Buse, Ida Lemieux, Etta Garceau, Henrietta Zaiser, Effie Hamry, Iza Tibbetts, Margaret Kaus, Eliza Trudeau, Stella and Gertrude Hennemuth, and Messrs. H. H. Zaiser, J. L. Tracy, Omer Hall, John E. King, Harry, Leland, Verne and Ralph Healy, Roy Blake, Sullivan Hall, Albert LaFreniere and Orson Doe. Good music was furnished and lunch was served at the popular Hotel Arthur.

Shot Too Many Ducks.

Warren Sheaf: M. W. Bullock, of Thief River Falls, was brought to this city Monday by a game warden and before justic Keenan charged with having 130 ducks in his possion, while the law allows only 50. The case will be tried in district court, and in the mean time the defendant is out on $500 bail. Greeley E. Carr, of Thief River Falls, appeared for defendant.

Need of Rubber.

Cultivation seems to offer the best prospect for keeping up the supply of rubber in the future. It is true that there have been some unfortunate undertakings in cultivating rubber, but that this can be accomplished has been pretty well demonstrated, and it is to be hoped that the work will be taken up energetically and in a sound business way at once. There is a greater need for this, as it appears that the production of rubber has passed its limit and is now decreasing. We all need Golden Grain Belt Beer to keep ourselves in the most healthy condition. Serve it regularly with your meals. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

The Courier for stationery.

TIME GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:35 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	Middle River	3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcoma	3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

Sleeping car reservations, tickets and information from
J. L. TRACY, Agent,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Keep Warm and Keep Cool

It's easy enough to KEEP WARM with a good Fur, but it's another thing to KEEP COOL in buying your Fur at a price meritful of style and quality. Take one of our Furs home, take one from another store, look them over, pull the fur out of them and see yourself why the

:...LANPHER FURS...:

SELL ON NAME and RE-SELL ON QUALITY—made since 1876.

PRICES TO GET BUSINESS	*Black Belgian Fur Boas, 50c* *Polaris Blacks, wide back, warm, $1.00 and $1.50* *Chenille-trimmed Beavers, $5.50 to $8.00* *Fox Furs—our best efforts shown here; anything up to $24; excellent values at $18.59; regular $21 fur*

Your Coat may be here; one you may like. Drop in, try it on, see how well it fits; take it home and see if it isn't worth every cent we ask for it. Snappy and stylish, at **$5.50, $8.50 and $12.50**

We boomed our Dress Goods trade this fall. Values did it, good values. Velvets are becoming and selling; good choice left. Changeable Velvets only 60c per yd. Crushed Silk Velvets only $1.00 per yd. Gloves and Trimmings to match.

THE BUSY STORE

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ROYAL

The Absolutely Pure

Baking Powder

Made of Cream of Tartar, and Free From Alum or Phosphatic Acid

Royal Baking Powder renders bread, biscuit, cake and all flour foods finer and more healthful.

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Baking powders made from alum, phosphates and other harsh, caustic acids are lower in price, but they are injurious to the stomach.

"The injurious effect of alum on the mucous coat of the stomach is positive and beyond dispute; it is both an irritant and an astringent. The use of alum in any article of food or article used in the preparation of food should be prohibited."

JOHN C. WISE, M.D., Medical Inspector, U. S. Navy.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Stoves and fuel are in strong demand this week.

Miss Dora Marchand is reported to be quite ill this week.

Swan Aakenson was a passenger for Crookston last evening.

A. P. Hanson, the Fertile banker, was a business visitor to the city Tuesday.

Found—mouthpiece for a horn. Owner can have same by calling at COURIER office.

Jesse LaBree and wife were down from Thief River Monday to visit at the Tarrant home.

L. T. Bergh, the St. Hilaire land man, was down Friday on business at the court house.

F. J. Parker was up from Marshall the latter part of the week with a party of land men.

The young folks held a delightful dancing party at the K. of P. hall Friday evening.

K. J. Taralseth, one of the leading merchants and old settlers of Warren, died last Saturday of paralysis.

The editor came up from St. Paul Monday morning to look after business matters for a week or ten days.

Ralph Wyer left Minneapolis Sunday night for Toronto, Ont., where he will engage in his new work at once.

Unclaimed letters are at the postoffice for Ester Nelson, Anthony Kern, L. R. Ricker and Rev. C. A. Cook.

Mrs. E. H. Draper of Thief River Falls was a guest at the home of Ovide Emard several days of this week.

Wanted—a girl for general housework in a small family. Scandinavian preferred. Apply to COURIER office.

Adelard Lemieux returned Monday morning from a two weeks, visit with friends and relatives at Grand Forks.

The new vault in the office of County Auditor Ford is nearly completed and will be ready for use in a few days.

Miss Cora Hanson of Fertile visited over Sunday with her sister, Miss Ella Hanson, principal of the high school.

A game of foot ball between Red Lake Falls and Crookston is scheduled at the latter place on Friday, November 3.

Mrs. William Zaiser went to Grand Forks last night, having been called by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Adams.

W. W. Prichard, cashier of the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, was a visitor to the city over Monday night.

Mrs. M. M. McLaughlin of Rock Rapids, Iowa, arrived yesterday to attend the bedside of her father, L. A. Dautremont.

James I. Wyer came up yesterday from Excelsior to assist at the First State Bank. He expects to remain for several weeks.

Mesdames Charles Schuster and Chris Porter of Thief River Falls were guests of Judge Tarrant and wife over Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Kankel of Fertile is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Hennemuth, and her cousin, Mrs. B. Zaiser this week.

Mrs. Con Short and her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Walker, were in from Equality Monday and Tuesday visiting friends and buying supplies.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

The Wesley piano, a strictly high-grade instrument, endorsed by leading musicians and a piano of the highest merit, for sale by Anderson & Wander.

Exerie Chatel returned Monday from North Dakota, where he has just finished a large grading contract for the Great Northern on one of the new branch lines.

The first snow of the season put in an appearance Monday night. Over an inch of the "beautiful" fell, although the most of it had disappeared by the next morning.

Mrs. Samuel Allard and family left Tuesday morning for East Grand Forks, where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Allard is employed there in electrical work.

Mrs. S. M. Sivertson will serve lunch at the Presbyterian church parlors on Wednesday. October 25, from 4 to 6 p. m., for the benefit of the church. All are cordially invited.

The infant daughter of Thomas Germo and wife has recovered from a light attack of scarlet fever, and the quarantine was raised last week. There are no other cases in the vicinity.

Lew Adams, formerly a Red Lake Falls barber, passed through town Tuesday evening enroute from Thief River to Grand Forks, where he is employed in one of the leading barber shops.

We note by a number of exchanges that a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. LaFreniere last week. Mr. LaFreniere is editor of the Grand Rapids Independent and a former Red Lake Falls boy.

E. P. Murphy, representing the A. F. Benke company of St. Paul, was a guest of Judge N. W. Tarrant over Sunday. Mr. Murphy is an old Wisconsin friend of the Judge, and is married to a sister of Mr. Tarrant's brother's wife.

William Ittner, the Red Lake Falls representative on the Minnesota foot ball team, played a great game Saturday in the Minnesota-Ames match. Four of the touch-downs made are credited to him! The final score of the game was 46 to 0.

Mrs. B. Zaiser has sold her residence property to William Zaiser, taking in the latter's residence as part of the purchase price. Mrs. Zaizer and family have rented the Rue house on north Main street, and will live there during the winter.

Emil Hennings went to Minneapolis last week to consult a specialist with regard to his eyes. His sight has been failing for some time, and it is feared that he will be obliged to give up his work as a watchmaker and jeweler unless relief is found.

The Great Northern work train, which has been stationed here for the past month, was taken to Crookston Tuesday night. It is thought the condition of the track here has been much improved, and that there will be little further trouble this fall and winter.

The Red Lake Falls Milling company this week announces the opening of their Northern Pacific elevator, with Francois LaBissoniere in charge. The highest market price for all kinds of grain will be paid, and flour and feed is kept for sale and exchange.

Desire Grenier, son of a prominent Red Lake county farmer, Frank Grenier, died Monday evening of consumption, after an illness extending over a period of nearly a year. The funeral was held yesterday forenoon from St. Joseph's church, Rev. Father Fayolle officiating.

E. E. Sugden arrived yesterday to take charge of the Courier's job rooms. Mr. Sugden is counted one of the best printers in southern Minnesota, and with the COURIER's splendid equipment of type and material we are sure he can please the taste of the most fastidious.

R. H. Green, one of the most prominent and popular farmers of the eastern part of the county, was in from Equality Tuesday on business. Mr. Green says that crops out his way are the best in the history of that section and that the farmers are going to realize a profit from their year's work.

Grand Rapids Independent: Rev. Andrew Walker of the Presbyterian church, left yesterday to attend the meeting of the Duluth presbytery at Duluth. Mr. Walker recently handed in his resignation for the church at this place, but it was not accepted, and it is probable that he will return next year.

Hon. E. Mark, of Princeton, one of the prominent members of the last legislature, passed through Red Lake Falls Tuesday night, enroute from Thief River Falls to Staples. Mr. Mark owns stores at several towns in the northern part of the state, and has been looking after them the past few weeks.

The Thief River high school foot ball game will be here Saturday for a game with the local high school eleven. This will be the first game for the Thief River club, and although they claim to have a surprise in store, there seems to be little apprehension on the part of our boys as to the outcome.

Noel Delorme was quite seriously ill Tuesday and Wednesday, and for a few hours Tuesday afternoon his condition was extremely critical. He was attacked with a siege of internal bleeding and before the flow of blood could be checked he was almost exhausted. At present he is recovering, although still very weak.

J. E. Bray, who is now operating a hotel and saloon at Calgary, Assiniaboi, returned to Red Lake Falls Saturday to move his family to their new home. Mr. Bray says business is good in western Canada, and that he has prospects of making lots of money there. Calgary is a city of about 15,000 people and growing rapidly.

H. Fant, proprietor of the Thief River Falls Telephone exchange, was in the city over Monday night visiting friends and looking after business matters. Mr. Fant says he has 257 'phones on his local system, and that he is extending the long distance lines to a number of the new towns in his vicinity this fall.

Three new grand jury cases will be determined at the November term of court. C. A. McKenzie of Thief River is held for larceny, his offense being the forgery of a check for a small amount; "Kid" Lemieux of Thief River is charged wit[illegible]ape, and Dolphis Beausoliel, an old offender from Red Lake Falls, [illegible]held for adultery.

The October term of the district court will convene next Tuesday, but only the court cases will be heard this month. All of the jury cases have been continued until November 13, and the juries will not be summoned until then, in order to give the farmers a chance to get as much work as possible done while the good weather lasts.

J. P. Harren was called to St. Cloud Monday evening by a telegram announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. Lena Harren. Mrs. Harren died very suddenly of heart disease, and she was about 66 years of age. The funeral was held Tuesday forenoon from the German Catholic church. Mr. Harren will be gone until Saturday.

August Krueger has sold his dray line to Alphonse Roi, and expects to leave in the near future for one of the new towns in North Dakota to embark in the harness busines. August's many friends will be sorry to learn that he and his family are to leave Red Lake Falls, but will hope that all kinds of prosperity will come to them in their new home.

Arthur LaPlante expects to leave Saturday with his family for North Yakima, Wash., where they will make their home. Mr. LaPlante says there are at least a hundred former Red Lake county people in the vicinity of Yakima, and that most of them are doing well. He expects to go into business of some kind out there in the near future.

The big foot ball game of the year is the match between Minnesota and Wisconsin at Minneapolis November 4. The Red Lake Falls people take especial interest in the Minnesota club this year because of the fact that William Ittner, one of our home boys, is a member of the team. It is likely that fully twenty-five people from here will go down for the game.

The new Washington school building on the north side is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy by November 1. The building is thoroughly modern and most conveniently arranged. Teachers and pupils, who have occupying rooms at the north side opera house during the construction of the new building will be glad to get in their new quarters.

"Malleable Ranges"

The Even Bakers. The Fuel Savers.

"THE MALLEABLE"
TRADE MARK
FIRE ALL YOUR MALL ALL YOUR IT'S NON-BREAK STEEL—MALLE ABLE.

ARE you going to buy a STEEL RANGE?

If so, be sure to come and see the "MALLEABLE.

It costs a little more in the first place but is a lot cheaper in the end. It is made throughout of malleable iron and steel so that the first cost is the only cost. The reason that it take less fuel than the old cast iron cook stove is that it is riveted together like a boiler making every joint absolutely air tight.

Then the Malleable is very easily cleaned, its exterior is of Polished Steel, not of black painted iron. Surfaces all perfectly smooth, no corners to catch the dirt or grease.

We fit all the Malleables with 'Portable Flush Reservoirs' on the right side. These reservoirs are made of copper and hold 15 gallons, almost half a barrel.

We would be pleased to have you call and look the "MALLEABLE over, and

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Don't buy a Cloak

Without Seeing Our Line.

The Palmer GARMENT

You don't have to Pay any more for a PALMER COAT than you would for undependable garments.

$5.00 Up To $25.00 is the Range.

New Shirts!

Fine Line of Wilson Bro.'s Shirts at $1.00, the Best $1.00 shirt Made.

Fine Maroon Negligee Shirts only ONE DOLLAR.

Fine Lightweight Corduroy shirts Swell and Rakish at $3.00.

Blue Flannel shirts $1.25 to 2.50.

Satine Shirts, Special 50c.

The Best 50c. Fleece Lined Underwear in the city.

SPECIAL GROCERY LIST:

Cranberries 10c. per Qt. 12 1-2 Tomatoes 10c. 25c. Box Soap 10c. Smoking Tobacco 15c. per lb. 15c. Vermicelli at 10c. Dates 6c. Pears 10c. walnuts 15c. per lb.

The Big Store.

Verna Bernice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kinseth, died this morning from kidney trouble. The funeral will be held tomorrow forenoon from the family residence. The little girl was two years and three months old, and an exceptionally bright and lovable child. The sympathy of the entire community will go out to Mr. and Mrs. Kindseth in their great affliction.

Crookston Times: Miss Lizzie Cyr, a sister of Mrs. Arthur Buckingham, who has spent several days in the city as a guest at the Buckingham home home, departed this morning for Red Lake Falls, where she has many friends and relatives with whom she will enjoy a pleasant visit during the coming week or more. Later on Miss Cyr will leave for North Yakima, Washington to make her home.

Chas. B. Dean, who has been looking after the business management of the COURIER for the past few weeks, left Tuesday evening for his home in Hector, Minn. Mr. Dean has a newspaper proposition in view in the southern part of the state, and was called home sooner than expected. Mr. Dean is a capable newspaper man and a most estimable gentleman. During his short stay here he made many friends among the people of the city.

A. P. TOUPIN, Pres. THEO. LA BISSONAIRE, Vice Pres. J. A. DUFFY, Cashier
P. F. POULIOT, Asst. Cashier.

Merchants State Bank

Of Red Lake Falls.

Do You Know That the Merchants State Bank is a strictly home institution. All our officers and stockholders live in Red Lake Falls and have established the Merchants State Bank with their own money. We do a regular banking business in every department. There is no transaction too large for us to handle and none too small for us to give our attention.

Our Savings Dept. We would especially call your attention to our savings department. We have now on our books a large list of names of men, women, children who deposited with us, ranging from $100 to $200. These are saving accounts and are continually growing by adding to them the spare pennies, nickles and dimes. Don't put off any longer. Open a savings account with us. [illegible]

THE COURIER

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Red Lake Falls, Minn

A "hopeful feeling" is reported from Wall street. The lambs must be straying back.

Of course the true answer to the question, "Why do men wear corsets?" is that men do not.

New York is to have an elegant new hotel, eighteen stories high—with prices, no doubt, to match.

Before we decide that the corset is not a good thing for men to wear, let us see how ——— looks in one.

"If you are well, don't talk about it," says an adviser of the people. Correct! And if you are sick, forget it!

A note announcing a suicide has been found in a bottle. The bottle contains the reason for many a suicide.

A contemporary asks, "What is a sweet girl?" Can't answer; wife is looking over shoulder.—New York Herald.

To the Occidental ear an animated conversation between an Austrian and a Hungarian sounds in itself like an overt act of war.

Tidings from Manchuria are rather meager. All the same, the two great armies are busy breaking camp and moving toward home.

Baron de Forest is said to contemplate founding an empire in the Sahara, though the desert is notoriously a bad place for Forests.

Now that the peace envoys have gone New Hampshire learns with pain that even a premature snowstorm does not draw attention its way.

"He that maketh haste to be rich," said Solomon, "shall not be innocent." Things do not seem to have changed much since Solomon's time.

Several members of the Cornell football squad have suffered sunstrokes. The hardships of college life are not to be lightly considered.

The per capita consumption of tea in England is six pounds a year—without prejudice to various other beverages that are strong favorites there.

Candidates are so called because they were originally clad in white. You wouldn't think it, to see the bunch that comes forth every year in politics.

Only two presidents of the United States have been married while in office, chiefly probably because so many of them were married before they got elected.

Love is now to be legally recognized in French marriages, under the revised code. Heretofore, it has usually developed later, and then with some other person.

It ought to be easy to decide the case of bigamy of John Grady, one of whose wives loves him and the other does not. Hand him over to the one who does not.

In spite of all the costly styles of garments shown at the dressmakers' convention the good husband will do his best to wear a straight and unwrinkled front.

St. Louis argues that a man who spends $25,000 a year ought to pay taxes. Not necessarily. We shouldn't have any money left for taxes after spending $25,000 a year.

When Envoy Witte completed his tour of New York he remarked: "Everywhere is advertising. All is advertising." Right you are, M. Witte! And just notice how it pays!

All the cats in Farmington, Mass., are to be killed on account of a diphtheria epidemic. Doubtless all the town mice are already inviting their country cousins to visit them.

Prof. de Martens of the late peace conference says that American girls are pretty, but American cooking is abominable. And yet they say that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach.

Mr. Carnegie offers half the cost of a laboratory at Smith, because he thinks that women should be up on biology. That they are up on buyology, observers at any of the bargain sales can testify.

The full-rigged ship from Parrsboro, N. S., bound for Buenos Ayres, that collided with a monster whale, must have greatly surprised the whale. The ship has put into Bahia for repairs. The whale has not reported yet.

An English judge has ordered a woman to pay for ducks' eggs that she got when she merely ordered eggs. Any old eggs are eggs, he says; they don't have to be manufactured by a hen. Would he insist that she pay for sparrows' eggs, or mosquitoes', for eggsample?

"She came into the professional field like a skylark at the age of twenty-four," writes the enthusiastic press agent of the prima donna. We don't think we should care about listening to a skylark at the age of 24.

The News of the Week

Washington.

Marlin J. Carter, United States consul at Yarmouth, N. S., died suddenly. He was 46 years old. His home was at Minersville, Pa.

It was decided at a cabinet meeting that the control of the Panama canal would continue to remain in the war department instead of being transferred to the state department.

The census bureau has issued a bulletin showing the production and distribution of the cotton of the United States available between Sept. 1, 1904, and Sept. 1, 1905, to be 13,597,782 bales.

The president has appointed Edward B. Kelley of South Dakota to be agent at the Rosebud Indian agency in that state, to succeed Charles E. McChesney, who has been appointed special agent of the Indian bureau.

Having reached the age limit of 64 years, Maj. Gen. George Morton Randall, commander of the northern division of the United States army, with headquarters in St. Louis, has retired from the command. He will be succeeded by Brig. Gen. John F. Weston.

Foreign.

Admiral Togo, with a squadron of the best ships in the Japanese navy, will visit European and American waters some time next year.

The Bourse Gazette of St. Petersburg announces that negotiations are in progress with American bankers to float a 500,000,000 rouble loan.

The Russian foreign office is engaged in drawing up the program for the second peace conference at The Hague. It is said that it will be eminently practical.

Several leases of houses on ground belonging to the crown recently have fallen in and been relet on terms showing the increasing value of property in London.

Prof. Behring will not even consider the reported American offer to pay him a large sum of money if he will make public his consumption cure. He will in no way be diverted from his chosen path.

There is an unprecedented boom in mushrooms this year in England. So abundant is the crop in some parts of East Norfolk that they are being mowed down with scythes to save the labor of hand picking.

The kaiser has ordered the preparation of a comprehensive work, richly illustrated, which will describe all those artistic objects for the existence of which he is directly responsible in architecture and painting.

The Japanese Times publishes news of a number of cases of embezzlement by Japanese naval officers, among which that of Paymaster Commander Takenouchi, financing naval constructor in England, has fled after embezzling $165,000.

The St. Petersburg police discovered in the outskirts of St. Petersburg a number of secret printing establishments which have been engaged in issuing revolutionary proclamations. As a result of the discovery forty arrests have been made.

Lord Inverclyde, chairman of the Cunard Steamship company, died at Castle Wemyss, Scotland. He had been ill for a month with pleuro-pneumonia. Lord Inverclyde's brother, James Cleland Burns, succeeds to the title. Lord Inverclyde was 44 years old.

Criminal.

Albert Lynn shot and fatally wounded his cousin, James Lynn, at Kalimazoo, Mich., after a quarrel over a young woman.

Judge A. G. Bradner committed suicide at his home in Kansas City by inhaling illuminating gas. He grieved over the death of his wife.

Frank Woods, alias "St. Louis Frank," was executed in the state prison at San Quentin, Cal., for the murder of Policeman Eugene Robinson in San Francisco three years ago.

During a fight over a woman at Evansville, Ind., in which both men used razors, Henderson Carter, a negro, was killed by James Battles, another negro. Battles is thought to be fatally wounded.

News has just reached Bainbridge, Ga., of the lynching of a negro, eight miles west, by a mob of his own race. The negro had assaulted a negro girl, and had attempted to assault another, who cut him in the breast.

Daniel J. Donnelly, a member of the Boston city council and formerly a member of the legislature, has been arrested on a charge of manslaughter. It is alleged that Patrick J. Grinley, a laborer, met his death as the result of an encounter with Donnelly.

A shortage of $250,000 has been found on the books of the Alamoosa, Cal., bank. Abraham Schiffer, part owner of the bank, whose disappearance caused an investigation, has not been located. Mr. Schiffer was last seen when he left that city, ostensibly for New York, a week ago.

John Carmody of Sioux City was fatally shot in the abdomen by Policeman Robert Carraher, who, with other officers, was called to quell a disturbance. The men put up a fierce fight and three policemen were hurt.

George M. Murray, colored, a former member of congress, was sentenced at Columbia, S. C., to serve three years in the penitentiary for forgery. Murray, who is reported to be quite wealthy, was charged with forging the name of an old negro to certain notes for land. At the time of his arrest Murray was released on [illegible] bond which it is thought will be forfeited.

Casualty.

Fireman George C. Krahmer fell from a Northwestern engine near Tama, Iowa, and was killed.

As a result of an attempt to light a fire with a can of coal oil, Mrs. Amanda Carlson, and Miss Esta Lawson, living a few miles out of Austin, Tex., were burned to death.

A west-bound freight train on the Rock Island was wrecked in the western part of Davenport, Iowa. Ray McCullough of Davenport, who was riding on the engine, was killed.

In a runaway accident near Ackley, Iowa, Agnes Ranz, daughter of a prominent farmer, jumped fro mthe buggy and broke her neck. Two brothers escaped with slight injuries. A dog scared the team.

A street car accident occurred near the village of Winooski, Vt., in which thirteen persons were injured, some of them seriously. A car carrying about fifty passengers crashed into a waiting car on a siding.

Ten men met instant death at the quarry of the Vermont Slate Co. at Granville, N. Y., when about 100 feet of the west bank crashed down without warning, burying the victims under hundreds of tons of slate and loose earth.

One workman was killed and five were perhaps fatally injured in an accident that occurred at the old county building at Chicago. A girder which was being raised to the roof was at the third floor when it gave way and fell to the ground, crushing the men beneath it.

Walter Palmer of Athens, Mich., was instantly killed, Chauffeur Blake of Kalamazoo was fatally injured and Mrs. Walter Palmer and her daughter Frances were badly bruised in an automobile accident. The automobile, while traveling at good speed, swerved out of the road into a marsh and capsized.

After falling into a Big Four gravel pit near Lawrenceburg, Ind., and breaking his neck, an Italian laborer, assisted by a friend, walked nearly a mile to his tent, holding his head in his hands the whole distance. Physicians found that the man's neck had been fractured at the fifth vertebrae and declared that the injuries will undoubtedly prove fatal.

Falling out of a second-story window at the home of Adam Luscavage at Minersville, Pa., a six-months-old baby escaped death as if by a miracle. A washerwoman was passing with a basket on her head. The baby tumbled into the basket and was unhurt, though the washerwoman was knocked down and driven almost into spasms by her fright.

Fire of unknown origin at Eldora, Iowa, destroyed the building and stock of the Koenman Drug company, and the building of Mrs. S. Lang, and badly damaged the new brick building of the Bank of Whitten at Whitten. There was no insurance on the bank or the Lang building. The insurance of the Koenman drug stock is $2,500. The total loss is about $5,000.

General.

With only one voice raised in opposition, the Republicans of Massachusetts in convention declared for a revision of the tariff.

Intense excitement exists in Lorain, Wis., over the discovery of gold. While digging a well on his farm in section 21, Charles Eggers discovered gold.

Maj. Gen. John R. Brooke, retired, was chosen commander-in-chief of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion by the members of the commandery-in-chief, at its annual meeting.

Suspended from all college privileges, even to visiting the grounds, for one year is the punishment dealt out to three sophomores at Columbia who have been convicted of hazing.

Dr. Abisha S. Hudson, aged 86 years died at Mount Vernon, Ohio. He choked to death on a fig. He founded Keokuk Medical college and has contributed much to medical science.

Isadore Wormser, the millionaire banker of New York, offered $100,000 reward for the conviction of a gang of men who recently assaulted Annie Thornton, a domestic employed in his household.

United States District Attorney Sullivan rendered an opinion holding that Annie Ballen, alias Nejdley, arrested at Cleveland by federal officials on the charge that she was a notorious anarchist, will be deported.

Dr. J. W. Ordway, a wealthy farmer and banker of Onawa, Iowa, died at Los Angeles as the result of worry over frequent attempts to rob him. During the last eight years he had been held up twelve times.

United States Marshal Flinn sold on the $45,000 judgment of Charles S. Hinchman, of Camden, N. J., the one-half interest of J. Edward Addicks in the personal property on his Riverside farm, two miles below Newcastle, Del. The sale netted only $510.

Mrs. Annie E. McKinley, widow of the late Abner McKinley, was married at Baltimore very privately to Capt. J. B. Allen of Tampa, Fla. So quietly was the ceremony performed that it was impossible to learn either where it took place or who was the officiating minister.

Skins of twenty-two frogs have been successfully grafted on the body of Ethel Teague, ten years old, of Salem, Mass., who was severely burned two weeks ago while playing with matches. The child's right thigh, right arm and side were badly burned. She is rapidly recovering.

LEFT TO DIE IN BURNING MINE

SIX MINERS IMPRISONED HALF A MILE BACK FROM THE ENTRY.

RESCUE WORK IS ABANDONED

BURNING COAL BAFFLES MEN IN ATTEMPT TO REACH HELPLESS MINERS.

MAY HAVE TO BE FLOODED

TWO HUNDRED MEN WERE IN THE MINE WHEN THE FIRE STARTED.

Fredericktown, Pa., Oct. 15.—Half a mile back from the entry six miners are imprisoned—perhaps dead—in the mine of the Clyde Coal company. The mine is on fire and attempts to rescue the entombed men have been abandoned. Two others were seriously burned in an explosion in the fan house following the breaking out of the fire in the mine, one of them so fearfully that he will not live. Nearly 200 men were in the mine when the fire started. Its exact origin is not known, but it is supposed that it was caused by a wire becoming short-circuited and igniting the brattice cloths which serve to create drafts by means of which the mine is kept free from four air.

All But Six Men Escaped.

As soon as it was discovered that some of the men had been left behind two rescue parties began efforts to reach them. Late last night the attempts to effect a rescue were abandoned as hopeless. The burning coal has baffled the men in every effort to reach the imprisoned miners, who are now almost certainly dead. It is believed that the only hope of extinguishing the fire is by flooding the mine.

NEGROES SINK WITH STEAMER.

Vessel Heavily Loaded With Freight Strikes Snag and Sinks.

Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 15.—Heavily loaded with freight and with a crew of twenty-five men, the steamer Elk, while backing out from the city landing yesterday struck a snag and sunk in twenty-five feet of water. From five to ten negroes, roustabouts, were drowned, but the exact number will not be known for several days. The loss on the boat and cargo is estimated at $25,000; partly insured. The Elk is a local steamer which has been plying between this point and Davis Bend.

CAPTAIN OF LIFESAVERS OUT.

Fired as Termination of Bitter Quarrel With His Crew.

Ludington, Mich., Oct. 15. — Capt. Adam Weckler, for five years keeper of the Ludington lifesaving station, was dismissed yesterday. The keeper's discharge is the termination of a bitter quarrel between Capt. Weckler and his crew. Two months ago the seven surfmen resigned in a body, charging that they were not being treated fairly. An official investigation followed and Capt. Weckler's dismissal resulted. Public sympathy here is about equally divided.

NO RIVER BILL THIS YEAR.

Further Congressional Action on River and Harbors to Be Deferred.

Washington, Oct. 15.—The chief of engineers of the army will not make any estimates for river and harbor improvements this year to be submitted to congress, save for the continuing contracts which have been authorized by law. There will be no river and harbor bill at the coming session of congress, and the apportionment of the funds appropriated by the river and harbor bill last winter has been so made as to make it unnecessary to make additional appropriations for at least a year.

HOCK HEARING MONDAY.

State Files Brief of 265 Pages in Murder Case.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 15.—The state filed its brief yesterday in the Johann Hock murder case, and the argument is set for hearing by the supreme court Monday. Twenty-four points are set up in the briefs of the state, the most important of which is that the fact of a corpus delicti need not be directly proved, it being sufficient if it is established by circumstances so strong as to produce a moral certainty. The brief is a document of 265 pages of solid printed matter.

CAPT. TAGGART WINS.

Court Decides Divorce Case in His Favor.

Wooster, Ohio, Oct. 15.—Judge Eason, who heard the divorce case of Capt. Elmore F. Taggart against his wife, rendered his decision yesterday afternoon. The court grants Capt. Taggart the divorce and the custody of the two children, Culver, aged eleven, and Charles, aged seven. Although Mrs. Taggart is denied possession of the children she will be [illegible]

GORKY TALKS OF REVOLUTION.

Declares It Is Inevitable in Spite of Quietness.

Moscow, Oct. 15.—Voicing the sentiments of the extreme wing of the Russian reformers, Maxim Gorky yesterday expressed sincere sorrow at the death of Prince Troubetskoy as a man and a Russian, but declared that Russia had nothing to hope from the reported activities of such men as Prince Troubetskoy. He added:

"I regret Prince Troubetskoy as a frank, just and honest man, not as a representative of the Liberal party, which can never effect great reform in Russia. The ancestors of Troubetskoy, Galitzin and Golovin went hand in hand with imperialism. The taint is still in the blood. They are incapable of realizing their splendid opportunities to know and further the needs of the people. The revolution will come soon, like an avalanche, when least expected. The disorders at Moscow will perhaps cease temporarily, but will be resumed in a month or two with renewed force."

USE DIPLOMACY WITH CASTRO.

American Grievances May Be Settled, But France May Use Force.

Washington, Oct. 15. — American grievances against Venezuela may be settled by diplomacy, while France, in the absence of any diplomatic relations at Caracas, may yet be compelled to resort to a show of force. Despite the assurances of foreign office officials at Paris, it is stated here that the French ultimatum has been practically ready to dispatch for a week or more, and that France has the full assent of the Washington government to adopt an effective course of action against Venezuela to obtain the renewal of diplomatic relations and the restoration of French property seized by the Caracas government.

FRISCO MAN FOR BOARD.

Franklin K. Lane Probable Successor to Ex-Gov. Fifer of Illinois.

Washington, Oct. 15. — Having accepted the resignation of Former Gov. Fifer of Illinois as a member of the interstate commerce commission, the president has let it be understood that he expects to appoint as his successor a man from the Pacific coast. While no definite decision has yet been reached regarding the appointment, it is known that Franklin K. Lane of San Francisco is under serious consideration for the place. Mr. Lane is a well known lawyer, was one time the Democratic candidate for governor of California, and later for the mayoralty of San Francisco.

MEN AND BEASTS SUFFER.

Chicago Firemen Are Caught in Fall of Burning Barn.

Chicago, Oct. 15. — Twelve persons were injured, two probably fatally, a score of horses were burned to death, and property valued at $65,000 was destroyed in a fire that demolished the La Salle Avenue livery barn, La Salle avenue and Ohio street, last night. While the fire was at its heighe the roof and third floor collapsed and twelve firemen who were in the building were caught in the debris.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Oct. 16. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 83@83 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 79@81c; No. 3, 76@79c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 49@50c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26 1-2@27c.

Duluth, Oct. 16. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 83 1-4c; No. 2 Northern, 80c; flax, 98 1-4c; rye, 64c.

Minneapolis, Oct. 16. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 83 7-8c; No. 1 Northern, 88 3-8c; No. 2 Northern, 80 7-8c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26 1-2c.

Milwaukee, Oct. 16. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 86@88c; No. 2 Northern, 82 1-2@86c. Rye—No. 1, 69 @ 70c. Barley—No. 2, 54c. Oats—Standard, 29@30c.

Chicago, Oct. 16. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 87@88c; No. 2 hard, 85@87 1-2c; No. 3 hard, 83@86c; No. 1 Northern, 88@90c; No. 2 Northern, 85 @ 87c. Corn—No. 2, 53@53 1-2c. Oats—No. 2, 78@78 1-4c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 16.—Cattle—Beeves, $3.40 @ 5.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.70; stockers and feeders, $3@4; calves and yearlings, $2.50 @3.25. Hogs—Bulk, $5@5.05.

Chicago, Oct. 16. — Cattle—Good to prime steers, $3.70 @ 6.30; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.45; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.05@5.52 1-2; bulk, $5.10 @ 5.50. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $4.60@5; native lambs, $5.25 @ 7.25; Western lambs, $5.75@7.

South St. Paul, Oct. 16. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50 @4; butcher bulls, $2.75@3.50; veals, $2@4.50; good to choice stock steers $2.50@3.50; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs — Range price, $4.80 @5.25; bulk, $5@5.10. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good $4@5; good to choice yearling wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.40.

NEW ELECTRIC ROAD.

Service to Be Opened Between Marshalltown and Charles City.

Charles City, Iowa, Oct. 15. — Surveyors are engaged in running a line for a new interurban electric road from here to Marshalltown, in which Charles City capitalists are interested. The line will be surveyed south to Clarksville, and from thence to Parkersburg and Grundy Center. The surveying party is composed mostly of students at Ames college [illegible]

COSTLY FIRE AT PORTLAND FAIR

MISSOURI STATE BUILDING AND CONTENTS ARE DESTROYED.

MAY HAVE BEEN INCENDIARY

SECRET SERVICE MEN WORKING ON THEORY THAT FIRE WAS INCENDIARY.

COSTLY ART TREASURES LOST

PRACTICALLY NOTHING OF MISSOURI'S MAGNIFICENT EXHIBIT SAVED.

Portland, Or., Oct. 15. — The Missouri State building at the Lewis and Clark exposition was completely destroyed by fire last night. Practically nothing of the magnificent exhibit gathered by the Missouri State commission was saved, and the beautiful collection of art and statuary which was one of the features of the Missouri display will prove almost a complete loss. It is estimated that the pecuniary loss will exceed $50,000, with no insurance save $5,000 on the are exhibit.

The secret service agents are working on the theory that the fire was of incendiary origin, and that it started among a collection of packing cases stored just beyond the building awaiting the period of dismantling of the Missouri exhibit.

Lays It to Faulty Wiring.

Superintendent of the Building Edward Crumbaugh of Columbia, Mo., the only person within the structure at the time of the fire, is of the opinion that the fire had its origin in the same faulty electrical construction which has been the cause of the several incipient blazes which have occurred in different buildings during the fair. Three-quarters of an hour after the first alarm was sounded the Missouri building was in ruins. That the flames did not spread to some of the adjoining buildings was due to the almost complete absence of wind and to the work of the firemen, who fought the fire desperately to save adjacent exhibit places.

The only casualty was the serious injury to an electrician named Harry H. Jones, who in the early stages of the fire mounted the roof to cut the electric wires and who fell to the main floor of the building.

FEVER CASES INCREASE.

Causes Surprise, But No Uneasiness at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 15.—The official report to 6 p. m. yesterday is as follows: New cases, 25; total to date, 3,286; deaths, 4; total to date, 423; new foci, 6; cases under treatment, 167; cases discharged, 2,696. The jump to twenty-five new cases was something of a surprise, but it has caused no uneasiness, because the experience of all past visitations of the fever is that toward the end there is always a periodical variation in the reports from day to day. Dr. White considers the fever to be absolutely in hand and points to the weekly lists as the surest indication of the progress that is being made. The current week will make the finest showing since the fever started.

CURES CANCER BY RADIUM.

New York Physician Makes Report on Experiments.

New York, Oct. 15.—That five persons have been cured of cancer at the Flower hospital by the use of radium coatings on celluloid rods inserted into the diseased parts, was the substance of a paper read last night by Dr. W. H. Dieffenbach, United States delegate to the international medical conference at The Hague, before the Homeopathic Medical Society of the County of New York. In only one of six cases which he treated, Dr. Dieffenbach said, did his effort meet with defeat. In that case the disease was far advanced.

TWO NEW CARDINALS.

South America Will Get One for the First Time.

New York, Oct. 15. — A cable dispatch to the Herald from Rome says: Pope Pius X., in a consistory to be held on Nov. 28, will name as the first South American cardinal Mgr. J. A. de Arcovede de Albuquerque Calvacanti, archbishop of Rio de Janeiro, thus ending the long struggle in the South American republics for a representation in the sacred college. At the same time Mgr. Cagiano de Azevedo, majordomo of his holiness, will be created a cardinal.

SAY THEIR BOOKS ARE LOST.

Echo Bankrupts Can Show but $4,000 in Assets.

Echo, Minn., Oct. 15.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Propp & Blado, farm implement and harness dealers of this place and W. S. Hughes of Minneapolis has been appointed receiver. [illegible]

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

John Hynes of Rosemount was adjudged insane in the probate court at Hastings and taken to the Rochester asylum.

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While threshing, a spark of fire from the engine set fire to one of Elias Bruzek's stacks of wheat at New Prague and destroyed it.

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Fire destroyed the Queal coal sheds and part of the lumber yards at Comfrey. The fire is believed to have been caused by tramps.

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George Munford of Two Harbors, assistant state warehouse register at Duluth, has tendered his resignation to take effect Oct. 31.

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The barn and granary of Frank Campbell, five miles west of Stephen, was destroyed by fire. The origin is unknown. No insurance.

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Frank Campbell, living six miles west of Stephen, lost by fire his barn containing eight horses, harness, 2,000 bushels of wheat, oats, hay an dwagon.

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Charles Lakeburg, a farmer living fourteen miles north of Mora, while returning home, was thrown from his rig and killed. Lakeburg was intoxicated.

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Rev. Edwin B. Dean of Clinton, Iowa, has accepted the call to the pastorate of the First Congregational church at Northfield and will begin his services on Nov. 1.

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In order to meet the demand for building lots, Gary Thorpe has platted an extensive area on the west side of Ada, which will be known as Thorpe's addition.

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The New Prague board of directors elected the following officers: Joseph T. Topka, president; Frank Soukup, vice president; John Joach, secretary, and J. W. Mach, treasurer.

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Frank Jiran, about ten years of age, had the toes of his left foot cut off by freight cars at Glencoe. He was jumping on and riding along as the cars slowly moved through town.

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Bagley R. F. D. Route No. 1 was started Oct. 2 with William Wiltse as the first mail carrier. The route extends westward from the village of Bagley into the town of Popple.

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The program for the Range Teachers' association meeting, which will be held at Eveleth Nov. 10 and 11, has been completed. The high school building will be dedicated the first day.

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William Babcock was found dead in St. Paul in the bathroom at his home. There was a bullet wound in his right temple. He had been in poor health for two years and became despondent.

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While out hunting on Lake Oakey, near Watertown, Richard Strass of Watertown was accidentally shot. He lived but a few minutes. Mat Singley, his companion, was injured, but will recover.

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The heir to a large estate for which Washington attorneys have been searching has been found at Pickwick in F. J. Willard, a well-known citizen. He is the only son of J. H. Willard, testator of the will.

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Charles Joy, 78 years old, a member of the Joy Bros.' automobile firm of St. Paul, dropped dead on the street of heart failure resulting from the excitement caused by a small fire in the upper floor of the garage.

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Clarence Sorter had his leg broken in a runaway accident at Prior Lake. He was driving a mower on W. F. Luedke's farm, when the team became unmanageable and broke away. The mowing machine was demolished.

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The sawmill of the HerseyLumber company at Oak Park, near Stillwater, which has been idle because the company had finished its logging on the St. Croix, will be operated next year. A sale of the property has been made to William F. Mackey.

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Walter Enright, aged 20 years, an inmate of the St. Cloud reformatory, has been committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. He was committed to the reformatory several months ago on a transfer from the state training school at Red Wing.

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The cattle on the farm of M. Westerholm, who runs a dairy in Hutchinson, were tested for tuberculosis, and out of thirty-four head twenty-one were found to be diseased, and were shipped to South St. Paul, where they will be killed and dissected by the state sanitary board. They were appraised at $400, three-fourths of their value, and this amount will be paid to their owner by the state.

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The building committee of the board of county commissioners met at Bagley and arranged plans for the reconstruction of the village hall, transferred to the county for court house purposes. It is the intention to have the building ready for occupancy this year.

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James Bryce of Reno, aged 16 years, was accidentally shot and killed while out hunting. In removing his gun from the boat both barrels were discharged, one charge taking effect in his side and chest, the other in his hand and leg.

INSPECTION ROW TANGLED.

Grain Situation at Superior Does Not Improve.

C. F. Staples of the state railroad and warehouse commission returned to St. Paul recently from Duluth. Grain inspection at Superior is badly tangled, he said, and is still up in the air. Minnesota at present stops the cars going to Superior at Sandstone or Cass Lake, where the "in" inspection is made. After the grain has been unloaded onto the boats these are steamed out into neutral waters and inspected "out."

The Wisconsin authorities inspect the grain at the yards in Superior both "in" and "out." The grain handlers there contend that the elevators are private houses and have asked an injunction restraining the Wisconsin inspectors from inspecting grain at Superior. The injunction was denied in the lower courts, the court holding that the law is constitutional and that the inspectors have the right to inspect the grain both "in" and "out."

The buyers have their private inspectors at Superior grading on the Minnesota basis, but the Wisconsin authorities are trying to stop this by arrests. The owners will not recognize the Wisconsin inspection and will not pay for it. The matter will be appealed to the Wisconsin supreme court, and if the supreme court upholds the lower court it will be up to the buyers to say if they want the double inspection of the two states or which they want.

The Minnesota inspection is all carried on in the state or on neutral waters, so the Wisconsin authorities can do nothing to stop it, and the Minnesota commission has nothing to do but stand pat.

The Wisconsin inspectors have even denied the right of Ed. Pew, who has a sampling bureau at Duluth, to take samples in the cars at Superior for showing at the Duluth board of trade.

BIG LOSS IN POTATO CROP.

Excessive Rains Blight Minnesota's Product.

Minnesota's potato crop in the northwestern portion of the state will only be one-quarter the average yield, and the crop in the northeastern section of the state will be one-third below the usual output.

So asserts William Zimmerman, formerly a resident of St. Paul, but now connected with the Chicago Packer, and for which paper he has just completed a tour of the Northwest potato districts, sizing up the fall supply.

"Within seventy-five miles of St Paul," said Mr. Zimmerman, "is located the greatest potato district in the whole country. I refer to that district along the lines of road between St. Paul and Duluth. Every fall on the average this section will send out 10,000 cars of fine potatoes.

"This season, however, the crop will be fully a third less than usual, a result of blight, being caused by excessive rains. In the Red river valley the potato crop is worse off yet. There the crop is not over a quarter of the usual average. Blight is getting to be a serious thing for the Minnesota potato crop. Two years ago it was unknown in the state. This year it has worked great havoc.

"In Wisconsin, which is also a great state for potatoes, the potato sections being scattered over it, blight has destroyed half the crop.

"All over the country the story is the same, as far as the potato crop is concerned; blight has destroyed much of it. Minnesota farmers are now receiving 22 to 32 cents for potatoes. This is because they are all rushing to market to sell a grade which needs to be used at once and will not do for storage purposes.

"Soon, however, the general shortness of the crop will begin to boost the price. I look to see farmers getting 60 to 75 cents a bushel for good stock, and before the winter is over I believe potatoes will be easily bringing $1 a bushel in the Twin Cities."

Alleged Pothunter.

The state game and fish commission has made an arrest and seizure of game in Red Lake county which Executive Agent Fullerton claims is nearly as important as the famous Lakefield seizure last year, when William Curr was captured with over 2,000 ducks.

Deputy Wardens T. H. Elliott and J. T. Jones, Thief River Falls, have arrested a man named Bullock, who was taken with 130 ducks in his possession. It is alleged that Bullock has been continually violating the game laws and wardens have been endeavoring to apprehend him for two or three years.

Bullock has been bound over to the grand jury.

Trespassers Must Settle.

Big timber trespass suits will be filed by the state next week unless satisfactory settlement is arranged by certain timber trespassers when the timber board meets this week.

E. T. Young, attorney general, has prepared new suits and these will be instituted at once unless the trespassers come to time. Suits against five Minneapolis lumber companies are still pending and these will also be pressed unless a settlement can be reached at once.

Loses Fingers in Mill.

Hudson, Wis., Oct. 14. — Arnold Peterson, a boy about eighteen years of age, met with an accident at H. J. Anderson's mill which resulted in the loss of several fingers on his right hand.

HENRY IRVING PASSES AWAY

MOST REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH ACTOR OF CONTEMPORARY TIMES DEAD.

DIES LITERALLY IN HARNESS

DEATH COMES SUDDENLY AFTER A GRAND PERFORMANCE OF "BECKET."

WAS MAKING FAREWELL TOUR

SEIZED WITH ATTACK OF SYNCOPE, HE DIED BEFORE DOCTORS ARRIVED.

London, Oct. 14. — The English-speaking world has suffered an irreparable loss by the sudden death last night of Sir Henry Irving, who was universally regarded as the most representative English actor of contemporary times.

Sir Henry died literally in harness. He was giving a series of farewell performances in the English provinces, and this week was playing an engagement at Bradford, appearing in several favorite roles. Thursday he presented "King Rene's Daughter" and "The Bells," and seemed to be in excellent health, taking the exhausting part of Matthias in the latter play with

All the Vigor of Youth.

Last night, before an enthusiastic audience he portrayed one of his most characteristically intellectual parts, the title role in his own stage adaptation of Lord Tennyson's "Becket," with marked success.

After the performance Sir Henry returned to his hotel, reaching his rooms at 11:30 o'clock, when it was observed that he was in great pain. Physicians were immediately summoned, but before they could arrive Sir Henry was seized with an attack of syncope and expired.

Irving Liked Americans.

Washington, Oct. 14.—"Sir Henry Irving was looking forward with much enthusiasm to his coming tour of the United States," said Charles Frohman, his American manager, in speaking of the distinguished English actor last night. "He liked the Americans," continued Mr. Frohman, "and he had many friends among them. It was Mr. Irving's intention to come to the United States probably two months in advance of the time for the opening of his season in the latter part of next October and just spend the time in visiting among them.

Was to Be His Farewell.

"His season was to cover a period of twenty playing weeks, extending over a large part of the United States, and was to terminate at the Knickerbocker theater in New York city. It was to be Mr. Irving's farewell appearance in America and he wanted the opportunity to make his adieu to the American people. Following his last appearance in New York, about the end of February, he was to be entertained at a breakfast to which well known people from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and other cities were to be invited. He then expected to sail for England."

GIRL IS EMBEZZLER.

Confesses to Crime to Save Another Eploye.

New York, Oct. 15.—Mary E. Golding, cashier for the Larkin Soap company, confessed in police court yesterday that she had embezzled at least $2,000 from her employers within four years, and had made use of it to support and care for her father, mother and invalid sister in Buffalo. She was sent to prison in default of bail. The young woman was unsuspected by her employers up to yesterday, when to save another employe upon whom suspicion had fallen she voluntarily went to her employer with the same confession which she made in court.

CHOSE A QUICK DEATH.

Milwaukee Bank Clerk Shoots Himself.

Milwaukee, Oct. 15. — August E. Fell, twenty-six years old, a collection clerk in the Wisconsin National bank, shot and killed himself in his home, 92 Knapp street, yesterday. Relatives say they believe his act was due to ill health, and the fear that he could not recover from a heart affliction with which he suffered. They say he was not engaged and had no bad habits and that the suicide could not have been due to a love affair. Fell was thought well of at the bank, where he had worked up during the past ten years from a messenger boy.

FUNERAL TRAIN OF 16 CARS.

New York Officials Attend Obsequies for S. Fred Nixon.

Westfield, N. Y., Oct. 15. — The funeral of S. Fred Nixon, late speaker of the state assembly, which was held here yesterday, was largely attended. The special train bearing Gov. Higgins and members of the legislature, besides state officials and friends of the dead speaker, numbered sixteen cars. It was the largest funeral train that ever crossed the state.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

WITNESSES ARE IN CONTEMPT

JUDGE VAN DEVANTER RULES ON REFUSAL TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.

PAPER TRUST WILL APPEAL

PROCEEDINGS PART OF PLAN TO GET CASE BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT.

JUDGE IMPOSES FINE OF $100

THE APPEAL OPERATES TO SUSPEND JUDGMENT OF CONTEMPT.

St. Paul, Oct. 14.—Benjamin F. Nelson, president of the Hennepin Paper company; Clarence I. McNair, general manager of the Northwestern Paper company, and C. C. Bassard, treasurer of the Itasca Paper company, were yesterday afternoon adjudged in contempt by Judge Van Devanter in the United States circuit court, for failure as witnesses in the case of the government against the General Paper company to answer certain questions and produce certain books and papers called for by the summons.

The case is one commenced by the government against the General Paper company and its constituent companies charged with violating the Sherman anti-trust law. The witnesses at the hearing before Special Examiner Taylor refused to answer questions put to them. The matter was argued before Judge Van Devanter, who ruled that the

Witnesses Must Answer.

The proceedings yesterday were part of a prearranged plan to get the points raised concerning the answering of questions in such shape that it may be taken to the supreme court for settlement.

The witnesses were summoned before Examiner Robert S. Taylor in the federal building yesterday, pursuant to an order of the court. The witnesses again refused to testify and an immediate application was made by attorney Robert E. Olds to have the witnesses adjudged in contempt. The motion was argued before Judge Van Deryanter in the afternoon.

The respondents contended that to compel them to answer and produce the required books and papers would be to compel them to

Disclose Business Secrets

which in no wise affect the issues in the case; that it was sought to prove the respondents guilty of violating "an act to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restrictions and monopolies," and that to compel them to answer the specified questions would be repugnant to the fifth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, as well as the principles of the common law, which provide that no man shall be compelled to be a witness against himself in any criminal proceeding. Furthermore, that such compulsion is obnoxious to the fourth amendment of the Constitution, which safeguards the right of a citizen to be secure in his papers and person from unreasonable searches and seizures.

Witnesses Fined.

Judge Van Devanter adjudged the respondents in contempt and imposed a fine of $100 and imprisonment in the county jail until the order to testify should be complied with.

Frederick Weyerhauser and R. C. Jefferson were secured as bondsmen for each of the respondents and an immediate application was made for a writ of error to the supreme court of the United States, counsel being given five days in which to file a bill of exceptions. The appeal operates to suspend the judgment of contempt until it is passed upon by the supreme court.

KILLS HIS HOST'S SON.

Accidental Discharge of Weapon Is Fatal to Young Boy.

Ada, Minn., Oct. 14. — The fifteen-year-old son of G. A. Kautrud, a farmer living near Perley, was accidentally shot and killed by Andrew Berg. Berg and A. L. Olson had been hunting near the Kautrud farm and were about to dine with Mr. Kautrud when Berg undertook to remove the cartridges from his gun. In so doing he accidentally discharged the weapon killing young Kautrud.

Boy Drowns in Barrel.

Rochford, S. D., Oct. 14. — Little Teddy Miller, four years of age, was drowned by falling into a barrel of water at the rear of the house. He was a son of County Commissioner John Miller.

Flour Mill Burns.

Hastings, Minn., Oct. 14.—The Emmis flourmill, owned and operated by the Hastings Electric Light and Milling company, was burned yesterday morning. The loss is estimated at $10,000; insurance, [illegible]

GASOLINE HURTS FIREMEN.

Seventy-Five Gallons Explode in Fight With Flames.

Duluth, Oct. 15.—Eight firemen injured and property damage to the amount of $9,000 were the results of a fire accompanied by an explosion of gasoline in the plant of the Zenith City Dye works, East Superior and Michigan streets, yesterday. The fire department had arrived and was just getting down to work when a can containing seventy-five gallons of gasoline exploded with terrific force. William Lee, a truckman, was blown over a chemical engine. He and J. W. Walsh, an engineman, were both seriously burned about the face and head. Charles Jones, Dan McIver, Joe Cole, A. A. Elmer, George Grammett and Peter Salheim, all firemen, were burned and cut by flying glass. Lee and Walsh are in the hospital. The explosion shattered plate glass on the opposite side of Michigan street and heavy buildings in the neighborhood were shaken.

MAY AGAIN POSTPONE SALE.

Further Investigation of Conditions at White Earth May Be Made.

Washington, Oct. 15. — Whether Secretary Hitchcock of the department of the interior will order another postponement of the sale of the timber on the White Earth reservation in Minnesota depends to a considerable extent on the wishes of Indian Commissioner Leupp, who is expected here early next week. The report of Inspector McLaughlin relative to the timber sale and allotments at White Earth is now before the secretary. Maj. McLaughlin will participate in the conference to be held here next week relative to the suggestion of Senator Clapp and other members of the Minnesota delegation that the sale be indefinitely postponed in order that a further investigation of the conditions at White Earth be made.

THOUGHT HE WAS CHEATED.

Man Returns to Store Where He Had Bought Revolver and Shoots Clerk.

St. Paul, Oct. 15—Benjamin A. Fink, clerk in the store of Morris Samuelson, was shot yesterday afternoon by James Newman, who arrived in the city Thursday morning from Michigan City, N. D. Mr. Fink is in a serious condition at the city hospital. The shooting took place soon after Newman had bought a revolver and cartridges in the store. Newman, it is said, went to a saloon near the jewelry store, and somebody told him that he had been cheated in the purchase, and that he returned to the store intending to have the deal called off. Newman, after his arrest, denied all knowledge of the shooting or of buying a pistol.

PROMINENT MEN HORSETHIEVES

Horse Owners Organize to Root Out Alleged Interstate Organization.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 15.—Sensational reports reach here from Eastern Montana of the work of horse thieves operating in that section and in Western North Dakota. It is said that a horse thief and desperado killed a few months ago in Northern Montana by Deputy Sheriff Hall of Valley county had on his person letters incriminating several well known people of two states in wholesale horse stealing, by which at least 1,000 animals have been taken from the range and sold to small farmers in North Dakota through confederates. Montana horsemen are excited over the reports and detectives will work on the case.

CARNEGIE CHANGES MIND.

Takes Back Offer of Library to North La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 14.—After offering a donation of $10,000 to North La Crosse for a public library, Andrew Carnegie, after the city had complied with the conditions, has refused to give the money for the library. Mr. Carnegie gives as his reason for a change of mind that the city of La Crosse now has a good library, and that it is the duty of the city to provide library facilities for the suburbs.

LIES ILL AT WASHINGTON.

Former Badger Editor's Condition Is Reported Serious.

Hudson, Wis., Oct. 15.—A telegram from Washington says Byron J. Price, for twenty-five years editor of the Hudson Star-Times and now deputy auditor of the navy department, is critically ill. He was president of the Editorial Association of Wisconsin and was one of the best known newspaper men in the state. He assumed his present condition March 4.

Valuable Horses Killed.

Dodge Center, Minn., Oct. 15. — A freight train going east early yesterday morning killed four horses and a young colt, three of them valuable, belonging to M. R. Dresback. They had escaped from their inclosure and had gone over the cattle guard and a little distance up the track, where they were met by the freight train and killed.

Big Reward for Husband.

Menominee, Mich., Oct. 15. — Mrs. Duncan McGregor has offered a reward of $1,000 for the return of her husband, dead or alive. McGregor's hat was found recently in the river [illegible]

NOT UP ON CHOCOLATE.

Mr. and Mrs. Billtops Both Surprised by a Question Put by Mr. B.

"What is chocolate made of?" asked Mr. Billtops of Mrs. B., who was at the moment engaged in sawing up a block of chocolate, preparing to make fudge.

"Why," said Mrs. Billtops, "it's made of some—of some—I don't know what it's made of. It grows."

And Mr. Billtops didn't say anything but it dawned upon him suddenly that that was about as near as he could have come to telling what chocolate is made of himself, and no nearer. What he didn't know about chocolate, as he now realized, would fill a nice little booklet, if not a great big book.

BABY'S AWFUL ECZEMA.

Face Like Raw Beef—Thought She Would Lose Her Ear—Healed Without a Blemish—Mother Thanks Cuticura.

"My little girl had eczema very bad when she was ten months old. I thought she would lose her right ear It had turned black and her face was like a piece of raw meat, and very sore. It would bleed when I washed her, and I had to keep cloths on it day and night. There was not a clear spot on her face when I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and now it is completely healed, without scar or blemish, which is more than I had hoped for. (Signed) Mrs. Rose Ether 291 Eckford St., Brooklyn, N. Y."

Coming Events.

Benedict is a New Haven man, who has been eight times the father of a bouncing bounder. In the outskirts of the university city is a little town among the hills named prospect, and last year four of the children were sent there for the summer.

One day Benedict and his wife entertained at dinner a new acquaintance, Professor B. The professor is a bachelor, and, like many scholarly men, ill at ease in society.

"What a fine little family of children you have," he began with an admiring glance at the four stay-at-homes.

"Yes, indeed," replied Benedict, proudly, "and we have four more in Prospect."

The professor blushed his astonishment.—Lippincott's.

Analysis of Medicines Open to All.

"There is no public demand and there is not the slightest public necessity for a law compelling the publication of the formula of proprietary medicines," says the Committee on Legislation of the Proprietary Association. "Every Health Commissioner and every Pure Food Commissioner in the country, as well as every private physician or chemist, if he pleases, has the right to make an analysis of any proprietary medicine and to publish the result and to tell the public what he thinks, and there is nothing in the world to prevent such action. But that is not what the agitators for such legislation want. Their object is to destroy the sale of such remedies entirely."

THE SANITARY ONION.

Good for Most Everything From Deafness to Gumboils.

"I have implicit faith in the sanitary properties of an onion," said a trained nurse. "It is my custom to introduce an onion into every sick room where I am called in, hanging it up somewhere. I believe it attracts all maladies and infections to itself. Violets and roses and lillies are very pretty in a sick room, and the patient is doubtless cheered when his friends think enough of him to send them, but practical friendship would dictate that a basket of onions be sent. There is something about them hostile to disease. The juice of an onion is a cure for deafness, a roasted onion remedies earache and gumboils, and onions and holly berries bruised together are a certain cure for chilblains. A poultice of onions and cream is also good for bunions. Beau Brummel was opposed to onions, but Sairy Gamp upheld them, and I always considered her a more useful member of the community than the dandy."—Milwaukee Press.

An Honest Opinion.

Mineral, Idaho, Oct. 16th.—(Special.)—That a sure cure has been discovered for those sciatic pains that make so many lives miserable is the firm opinion of Mr. D. S. Colson, a well-known resident of this place, and he does not hesitate to say that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. The reason Mr. Colson is so firm in his opinion is that he had those terrible pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:

"I am only too happy to say Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me lots of good. I had awful pains in my hip so I could hardly walk. Dodd's Kidney Pills stopped it entirely. I think they are a grand medicine."

All Sciatic and Rheumatic Pains are caused by Uric Acid in the blood. Dodd's Kidney Pills make healthy kidneys and healthy kidneys strain all the Uric acid out of the blood. With the cause removed there can be no Rheumatism or Sciatica.

Of course the chigger has a good appetite, but so would others have if they fed on sixteen-year-old girls.

Acetylene Gas.

All country people will be interested in reading about it in another part of this paper.

If Heaven must be overcrowded if we are to believe all the [illegible]

L. A. DAUTREMONT IS DEAD

End Came Peacefully This Afternoon at 4:30 After a Brief Illness From Cancer.

Louis A. Dautremont died at his home in this city this afternoon at 4:30 after a ten days' illness with cancer of the stomach.

Mr. Dautremont was born in France in 1838, being about 67 years of age. Until about ten years ago he lived in Iowa, locating first near Washington, then moving successively to Riverside and Matlock. In 1895 he went to Adrian, Minn., living there until the fall of 1901, when he came to Red Lake Falls. He has been a farmer all his life until the past few years. Since 1902 he has been proprietor of the Red Lake Falls Gazette, and he also owned several farms in this vicinity.

The deceased leaves, besides the widow, nine children, five sons and four daughters. They are Mrs. M. M. McLaughlin of Rock Rapids, Iowa, Charles, Arthur, Victor and Bert, of Lewiston, Montana; Mrs. S. S. Haislet, Rose, Florence and Raymond, of Red Lake Falls.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral, but it probably will be held Saturday and the remains shipped to the southern part of the state for interment.

The COURIER in common with the people of Red Lake Falls, extends its sympathy to the bereaved ones in this dark hour of their affliction.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: It is awful hard to believe all the things you want your children to.

Once in a while two people stay married because they love each other.

There is always some part of a woman's figure that she feels is a great credit to her.

A man has to love a girl an awful lot to think that a cold in the head is becoming to her.

A bachelor thinks that running an automobile is very extravagant until he tries to run a family.

One Interest in Common.

Kelliher Journal: The papers of the eastern end of the district—in Norman and Red Lake counties—want to be set off from Beltrami county, and have district reapportioned, claiming the interests of the two sections are not identical. They have at least one common interest—drainage and good roads. The two sections should unite in securing advocates of this policy to represent the district. Let this be the first and essential requirement of any candidate, whatever part of the district he lives in.

Read the Big store's announcement regarding winter cloaks and furs.

"Jim & Paul" have a new advertisement this week for the edification of our readers.

Exerie Chatel went to St. Paul tonight to bid on a job of railroad work on the Greenbush extension.

Joseph Belair returned today from North Dakota and wishes us to announce that he is prepared to take care of all the auction sales that dome his way.

Crookston Times: Henry McAnulty, superintendent of the Red Lake county schools was a caller at County Superintendent Casey's offices in the court house last Saturday, and both gentlemen enjoyed their lengthy chat on "shop topics" very much, Mr. McAnulty won out in a hot fight over east a year ago and has been very successful in his management of the Red Lake county schools since taking hold of them. He and Mr. Casey are old friends.

Victor and Bert Dautremont of Lewistown, Montana, arrived in Red Lake Falls Monday morning in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of their father. The former is chief clerk in the grocery department of the largest general store in Lewistown, while Bert is associated with his brother Arthur in the proprietorship of an exclusive shoe store. Both of the boys have made a success of their work and say that Montana is a lively state this year.

Fergus Falls Globe: "The weather is this fall so far like the weather of 1877. That fall and winter of 1878 the weather was so mild that plowing could be done in every month. I finished my plowing by Dec. 26, 1877, and in January and February I built the second story of my log house. Edward S. Erickson now of Twin Valley worked for me much of the winter of 1878 and we never used mittens and seldom coats. I hope this fall and coming winter may be as mild as then."

THE ISLAND OF TANGIER.

Strange Yet Beatific Conditions Prevailing Upon This Little Body of Land.

In Chesapeake bay, 125 miles south of Baltimore, with which city communication by boat three times a week may be depended upon during the summer season, is the strange Island of Tangier, so completely isolated from the usual lines of travel that it hardly seems possible that it can be a part of the state of Virginia. * * * Imagine if you can, writes Charles E. Fairman, in Four-Track News, an island about five miles long and three-fourths of a mile in width, with a population of nearly 1,500, where each house is connected with Chesapeake bay by a tiny canal; an island where the population has built homes along one narrow street but nine feet in width, without sidewalks, road-bed or gutter; an island where the women go about with bare feet and calico gowns during the week, and where the men leave for their work at an early hour on Monday morning and remain away until Saturday afternoon; an island where intoxicating liquors are not sold, where billiard-rooms and pool-rooms are unknown; an island where one physician and the minister constitute the professional class; an island where profanity is punished by fine; an island without a jail or lock-up, and where religion is the rule, and to be outside of the church is to be outside of the pale of the best society; an island where public cemeteries are unknown, and where the dead of each home are buried in the front yard; if you can imagine all this you may have some faint idea of the peculiar surroundings of the inhabitants of Tangier.

HUNTER'S ODD EXPERIENCE

Fox and Hawk Attempt to Purloin Quail His Gun Had Brought Down.

Dr. William Rowland, of Pasadena, who was up at Middle Ranch quail shooting a few days prior to the close of the season, had a most unique experience, relates an Avalon correspondent of the Los Angeles Times.

He ran upon a covey of quail, and, flushing them, dropped one with his left barrel, and then, at considerable of an angle, dropped another with the right barrel. Turning to his first bird, he was just in time to see a fox snatch it up and start to run away with it. Quickly pumping another cartridge into his gun, he let the fox have it, knocking him stiff. After reconnoitering a minute, and finding his first bird, he was returning to pick up the second, when something shot down like an arrow from the skies in front of him, the object proving to be an osprey.

The quail had been wounded, and its fluttering attracted the attention of the big hawk, which, while sailing through the ether had an eye out for a quail dinner, and, darting upon the wounded bird, was about to cheat the hunter out of his quarry. Dr. Rowland, while amazed at the turn of events, did not propose to stand for such a play, and, training his ready gun on the bold robber, with a pull of the trigger put him out of commission, and saved both his birds.

PHOTOGRAPHING AN OWL.

Easy of Accomplishment If a Dog Be Brought to View of the Bird.

The great horned owl may also be fascinated by a dog, writes Silas A. Lottridge, in "The Great Horned Owl," in St. Nicholas. And the photographing of the great horned owl under these conditions is not difficult; wait until the owl seizes the fowl and stops to rest on the return to the woods; then let a dog be led to within 20 or 30 feet of the owl, and the bird will be all attention for the dog and take no apparent notice of the person leading it. The behavior of the owl at such times is very amusing. It stands motionless, gazing intently at the dog; but after a few minutes, if the dog remains quiet, the bird seems to become nervous, and steps first to one side and then to the other, hissing, snapping its beak, and ruffling its feathers. After this the owl will usually try to make off with its prey; but if another halt is made, the bird's actions show even more nervousness. While the owl's attention is thus attracted is the time to approach within "photo-distance" to get the "snap-shots."

The Papal Flag.

The papal flag is comparatively unfamiliar outside of the Eternal city. The war flag of the defunct temporal power of the pope was white, and in its center stood figures of St. Peter and St. Paul with the cross-keys and tiara above them. The flag of the merchant ships owned by the subjects of the states of the church is a curious combination, half yellow and half white, with the design of the cross-keys on the white. In the banner used by the crusader king of Jerusalem, Godfrey, the only tinctures introduced were the two metals, gold and silver, five golden crosses being placed upon a silver field. This was done with the intention of making the device unique, as in all other cases it is deemed false heraldry to place metal on metal.—Chicago Journal.

Like Some Women.

Mrs. A.—Yes, I despise that Mrs. Binks. I'm going to get even with her, too.

Mrs. Z.—You are going to do something desperate?

"Indeed I am. I'll not notice that she has a new cook, and every time she passes I'll make faces at her baby."—Chicago Daily News.

UNFINISHED NOVELS

TALES THAT WERE STOPPED BY THE HAND OF DEATH.

Nathaniel Hawthorne's Foreboding About "The Dolliver Romance." The Fragment That Stevenson Left. Thackeray's Last Work.

George Gissing's "Varanilda" is a masterpiece that its author did not live to finish. One well known critic considers this tale of the Roman and the Goth the deceased writer's finest work, and, though many may question this judgment, there can exist but universal regret that the romance must forever remain incomplete.

A greater work by a greater writer, "Weir of Hermiston," by R. L. Stevenson, was left a mere fragment, of which the lurid grandeur proved that its creator was taken from us in the zenith of his power. Another romance, "St. Ives," by the same pen, was running in a monthly magazine at the time of his premature death. Here, however, readers were not balked of a satisfactory denouement, for the story was brought to a conclusion by Mr. Quiller-Couch, well known under the nom de plume of "Q."

"I hardly know what to say to the public about this abortive romance, though I pretty well know what the case will be. I shall never finish it," wrote Nathaniel Hawthorne with reference to "The Dolliver Romance," which he had undertaken to write for the Atlantic Monthly. This foreboding was but too soon verified, for the author had scarce time to do more than lay the groundwork of the story and write the initial chapters ere death struck him down.

At his funeral at Concord the scarce commenced manuscript lay upon his coffin. Soon afterward the first chapter appeared in the Atlantic, and subsequently the second chapter, which he had been unable to revise, was published in the same periodical. Several years elapsed when a third fragment, revised and copied by the novelist's wife, was placed in the publisher's hands. The original manuscript is now preserved in the Concord public library.

"Wives and Daughters" was running in the Cornhill when the authoress, Mrs. Gaskell, died. Fortunately the work was nearing its completion, so that, although it was not actually finished by the gifted writer, the plot was sufficiently advanced to enable us to make more than a shrewd guess at the ultimate fate of the characters and to take leave of the hero fully assured of his ultimate happiness.

Another serial that was being written for the same magazine when its author laid down pen forever was "Denis Duval." Thackeray, indeed, was already in his grave when its publication commenced. Three parts and a portion of a fourth were all that appeared, and "the story," wrote the editor, "breaks off as his life ended—full of vigor and blooming with new promise like the apple trees in this month of May." With the fourth part was given a set of notes, taken from Thackeray's own papers, elucidatory of the subsequent development of the plot.

Thackeray's great contemporary, Charles Dickens, died, too, in harness. For long his health had been but indifferent, but he stuck unflinchingly to the work he had in hand. On June 8, 1870, the end came. The morning and part of the afternoon of that day were devoted to completing the sixth number of "The Mystery of Edwin Drood," but scarcely had he finished work and sat down to dinner ere he was seized with a fit. From this he never recovered, but after lingering some hours, without regaining consciousness, died at 6 the next day.

"I shall publish late in this year," wrote Laurence Sterne, "and the next I shall begin a new work in four volumes, which, finished, I shall continue 'Tristram' with fresh spirit." This new work here referred to is the "Sentimental Journey," one volume alone of which was ever given to the world, nor by reason of the author's death was the immortal "Tristram Shandy" ever continued.

"Arcadia," the pastoral romance which Sir Philip Sidney composed at Wilton House, was never completed and ran no small danger of being entirely lost to future generations when its author, before his death, gave orders for its destruction.

SIRES AND SONS.

M. Jean de Reszke is said to be the only professional singer who has ever sat at the czar of Russia's dinner table.

Baron Gautsch, the new premier of Austria, is practically self made. He commenced his career as an usher in a school.

Lord Alverstone, lord chief justice of England, will be the speaker at next summer's meeting of the American Bar association.

President Roosevelt is a hearty eater. He consumes three big meals a day and sometimes takes a supper before he goes to bed.

Speaker George L. Rouse of the lower house of the Nebraska legislature is the first farmer to hold that position since the early days of that state.

Comte Guido, visconti di Modrone, a young millionaire well known in society and sporting circles in Milan, has decided to devote himself entirely to music and with this end has accepted the directorship of important operatic performances to be given in Palermo.

Henry H. Rogers, who worked for $1.16 a day, is the most powerful single individual in the world of finance and commerce. He is a little fellow, has a cowlick on each side of the part in the middle of his hair and wears an iron gray mustache with [illegible]

GLEANINGS.

An American spends on an average $70 a year for food, a Frenchman $48, a German $45, a Spaniard $33, an Italian $24 and a Russian $40.

Capital punishment has been abolished in the state of Nuevo Leon, Mexico, for ordinary criminals, but is reserved for highway robbers, traitors, revolutionists and such other offenders.

It is calculated that in England, Ireland, Scotland and the United States $50,000,000 a year is spent in golf. There are 879 golf clubs in England, 760 in America, 632 in Scotland and 134 in Ireland, numbering altogether 600,000 players.

The London fire department has been experimenting with the American "quick hitch" system and is delighted with it. One company boasts that it can now hitch up in fifteen seconds. From three to four seconds is the time in many of our cities.

THE WRITERS.

Maxim Gorky's real name is Pjeschkoff. He could scarcely read at fifteen. He is now only thirty-six, but one of the world's great writers.

A number of unpublished letters of Robert Louis Stevenson will be included in Dr. Japp's forthcoming book on the author of "Treasure Island." Some of them are mentioned as remarkable.

Captain Cecil Battine of the king's hussars, London, is writing a book entitled "The Crisis of the Confederacy," in which he describes, from his own point of view, the campaigns of Gettysburg and the Wilderness.

Dr. Charles A. Eastman, the noted Sioux Indian lecturer, author and historian, is collecting material for his comprehensive history of the Sioux Nation. The work is being prepared under the direction of the interior department, special attention being given to land titles.

WISE SAWS.

You can't preserve the peace in alcohol.

When a man asks you to invest in stocks jest add "igate" to the process he suggests an' do it mighty thorough.

"What," says the man, "is wit?" "Wit," replies the old philosopher, "is wisdom with a tack in it. Don't step on the tack."—Puck.

Robert Burns' Muse.

Robert Burns, though he had the choice of such works as the Spectator, "Locke on the Human Understanding" and Pope, together with odd plays of Shakespeare, which formed the staple reading of his home, nevertheless owed most to an old collection of songs. "This," he says, "was my vade mecum! I pored over them during my rest or walking to labor, song by song, verse by verse, carefully noting the true, tender and sublime from affectation and fustian. I am convinced I owe to this practice much of my critic craft, such as it is!"—All the Year Round.

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Here is a pen portrait of Robert Louis Stevenson, written by Dr. Alexander H. Japp: "Not so tall probably as he seems at first sight from his extreme thinness, but the pose and air could not be otherwise described than as distinguished. Head of fine type, carried well on the shoulders, and, in walking, with the impression of being a little thrown back; long brown hair, falling from under a broadish brimmed Spanish form of soft felt hat, Rembrandtesque; loose kind of Iverness cape when walking and invariable velvet jacket inside the house."

Only Art.

The studio "tea" had been a great success. The one small and very youthful member of the company had walked softly about, looking at the pictures. Just before the party broke up the artist discovered him surveying a picture of a lion with awe and interest.

"Don't be afraid, little chap," said the artist genially, patting his small guest on the head. "He won't hurt you."

"Oh, I'm not afraid at all," came the response in a clear treble that caused every one to listen. "He doesn't look a bit as if he were alive, you know."

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THIEF RIVER BADLY BEATEN

Local Football Team Takes Them Neatly in Tow by a Score of 85 to 0.

The Thief River Falls high school foot ball boys are very nice young men. They might take a lot of prizes at a beauty show, but they can't play foot ball. They came down last Saturday eleven strong, and went through the motions of a game, but they didn't get any scores. Red Lake Falls kept on piling up the tallies until they reached eighty five, when they concluded to end the agony and refused to make the score any higher, the game ending 85 to 0. It was a frightful slaughter of the innocents, but it simply couldn't be helped.

Our foot ball reporter was out of town when the game was pulled off, but from the accounts given of the bloody struggle by impartial and accurate witnesses we are informed that the local team played a faultless game, both offensive and defensive, and that every member of the club is entitled to a portion of the glory.

There is but one more game scheduled for the season. Our boys go to Crookston November 3 to contest with the high school eleven of that city. Crookston is said to have a good team, but at the rate the locals have been going lately there ought to be no doubt of a substantial victory for them.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE NOV 23

Dr. Curryer and His Corps of Trained Instructors to Hold Meeting in Red Lake Falls.

A state farmers' institute under direction of Dr. J. C. Curryer will be held at Red Lake Falls on Thursday, November 23, at the Metropolitan opera house. Five or six of the prominent agricultural experts and lecturers will be here on that occasion to address the farmers, their wives, sons and daughters.

This institute will be absolutely free, and it is hoped that every farmer within driving distance of the city will take advantage of this unusual opportunity to hear the eminent and trained speakers.

A meeting will be held at St. Hilaire on November 24 and at Thief River Falls on November 25. Further particulars of the meeting will be given later on.

More School Districts.

There has been a material increase in the number of school districts, schoolhouses and teachers during the last year, according to a report compiled by the department of public instruction. Last year there were 7,449 school districts. This year there are 7,560. The number in 1903 was 7,354. The number of school houses then was 7,771, increased to 8,061 last year and to 8,268 this year. The number of teachers in 1903 was 12,619, in 1904 it was 13,083 and this year there are 13,200. The wages of county superintendents have increased in thirty one counties and decreased in three, the decreases being mostly a matter of expenses. The total increase minus the decrease is $3,643, or an average increase of $43.89 for each superintendent. The largest increase is $400.

SHORT SESSION OF COURT

Regular Term Adjourned Until November 13, When Juries Will Report for Duty.

District court convened Monday morning, with Judge Willaim Watts on the bench, but only one court case was tried—that of Ernest Buse vs. the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls. The evidence in the case was finished, but it will not be decided until arguments are filed.

The indictment returned against Henry W. Lee, the Thief River lawyer, by the last grand jury on the charge of failing to account for moneys collected, was dismissed on motion of County Attorney Germo, it being understood that the proper evidence to sustain the indictment could not be secured.

On Tuesday evening court was adjourned until November 13, on which date the grand and petit jurors report. The adjournment was made to give the farmers opportunity to take advantage of the good weather for threshing and plowing.

REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE.

Penalty on Last Half Will Attach It Not Paid Prior to Nov. 1st.

Those who have paid the first part of their real estate tax for 1904 are reminded of the fact that the last half of the tax must be paid before November 1st or the penalty of 10 per cent will attach. In many instances where persons pay the first half of their real property tax before June first they are apt to forget or overlook the second payment, and before they are aware of the fact their land is sold for the tax. Bear the date in mind and save the penalty and sale.

STEENERSON IS HOME AGAIN

Congressman Has Been Investigating Statehood Conditions in Arizona and New Mexico.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson, who was in the city the fore part of the week to try a lawsuit in district court, returned Sunday morning from Arizona, where in company with about fifteen other congressmen, he investigated the statehood proposition. There is a strong likelihood that Arizona and New Mexico could be admitted as one state, but to this program the Arizona people enter strenuous objection. Arizona has a smaller population than New Mexico, but a smaller percentage are Indians and Mexicans. The general sentiment of the people of Arizona is that the proposed new state would be an unnatural and unwilling alliance. It would be the coercion of the two populations, which are unlike in character, in ambition and largely in occupation. The union would be abhorrent to both. Simply because the two countries are in the southwest the country should not suppose that they are alike or sympathetic. A recent pamphlet, issued by the anti-joint statehood league of Arizona says:

"The possibility of four United States senators from Arizona and New Mexico is a matter of importance to the whole country, and raises a question concerning which men may honestly differ. If Arizona and New Mexico are so barren that there is no possibility of future development, there might be some reason in refusing them statehood separately. If on the other hand the resources of Arizona alone, when developed, will create a great commonwealth, then surely we should at some time be admitted to the union.

"Two-thirds of the area of the United States is west of the Mississippi. It has thirty-eight senators as compared with fifty-two senators from the eastern states. The west is still undeveloped, and it seems consistent with broad statesmanship to give the southwest a chance to grow before cutting off forever its right to representation in the United States senate equal to that of the further developed eastern and southern states. One hundred years ago there was nothing west of the Mississippi; sixty years ago, as great a statesman as Danial Webster concluded that it was worthless; even twenty-five years ago "the great American desert" extended east well into Kansas.

"The one real test as to whether Arizona should remain separate from New Mexico with the expectation of eventually becoming a state is whether its resources, developed and undeveloped, will bring a population that will convince the whole country of its fitness to take a place among the states of the union."

Congressman Steenerson is of the opinion that neither New Mexico or Arizona will be admitted at the next session of Congress, and that the demand for joint statehood will gradually disappear. However, he thinks that Oklahoma and Indian territory will be admitted as one state this winter. Mr. Steenerson says he is not a candidate for governor and will not be. His sole ambition is to continue in the lower house of congress and has already announced his candidacy for another term.

Deserting from the Navy.

Nearly 4,000 men deserted from the American navy last year. It is true that many of those were cooks, engineers and laborers of one kind onother, but the fact remains that the small pay, strict discipline and monotony of naval life during times of peace are not attractive to an American of ambition and energy. The kind of men that use golden grain belt beer are energetic, strong, sturdy fellows who feel like working with mind and body. This tonic produces good health and strength. Its what most of us need every day in the year to keep us "up to snuff." Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

STATE LANDS SELL AT AN AVERAGE PRICE OF $9.00

Four Thousand Acres Sold at State Land Sale Today by Auditor Samuel G. Iverson—Large Increase in Price Over Sale Held Here Four Years Ago.

State Auditor Samuel G. Iverson and C. H. Warner, state immigration agent, assisted by County Auditor Ford and Treasurer Hansen, conducted a sale of the state school lands in Red Lake county at the court house this morning.

Out of about 10,000 acres offered, approximately 4,000 acres were sold, the average price being close to $9.00. The highest price paid was $15 for a forty in section 16, Garnes, Samuel Varstad being the purchaser. John Peterson paid $14.25 for a quarter in Lambert. None was sold at less than $6.00. The cash proceeds of the sale were $3,500.

Messrs. Iverson and Warner left for Roseau, where they hold another sale Saturday,

MILLINERY STOCK BURNED

Miss Ford Loses All of Her Goods by Fire Last Evening—Small Insurance.

Miss Kathrine Ford's millinery, stock was totallly ruined by fire last evening, and the building badly damaged. About 8 o'clock smoke was discovered in the rear of the building, and for a while the flames burned quite briskly. Chemicals were used and the fire was soon under control, but the millinery stock was a total loss. Anderson's jewelry store was also injured to some extent by smoke and some of the goods injured in moving them to the street.

Miss Ford's stock was valued at $800, with an insurance of $300, so the loss is not inconsiderable. It is probable that Miss Ford will re-establish the business, but no definite plan has been decided upon.

YOUNG LIFE GOES OUT.

Miss Dora Marchand Fails to Survive Attack of Appendicitis.

Miss Dora Marchand, one of the most talented and attractive young ladies in Red Lake Falls, died at her home on Champagne avenue Tuesday afternoon from an attack of acute appendicitis. She had been sick for only ten days, and was not considered daugerously ill until a day or so previous to her untimely demise.

Miss Marchand was born in Lake Pleasant township twenty-one years ago, and has always lived in this vicinity. For the past several years she has been teaching and earned the reputation of being one of the best teachers in the county.

The funeral was held this morning from St. Joseph's church, Rev. Father Fayolle officiating, and the remains were interred in the cemetery at this place. Miss Marchand had a most happy disposition, and was loved by a wide circle of friends. The Courier extends its condolences to the bereaved family.

Cattle Sale, Fargo.

The Great Northern Railway will sell tickets at one and one-third fares for the round trip on account of sale of blooded cattle and swine to be held at Fargo under the auspices of the North Dakota Agricultural College. Tickets will be on sale November 7th, final return limit November 9th.

CITY ELECTION NOVEMBER 7

The Bi-ennial Municipal Voting Day Promises to be Devoid of Excitement.

The bi-ennial election will take place Tuesday, November 7, and as yet there is very little excitement or talk of candidates. The officers to be chosen are a mayor, two aldermen at large, one alderman for each of the three wards, two justices, treasurer and constable. It is tacitly understood that Mayor Duffy will be a candidate for re-election and as he has given the city good service during his term there is no reason why he should not be given the job again. Alderman Borchers, Hennemuth and Brady will likely run again and will have no opposition. Alderman Crompe of the Third ward has given it out that he will not be a candidate again, and although several names are mentioned in connection with the place public sentiment has not been crystalized as yet. There will also be an alderman-at-large to be elected to take the place of M. A. Hatten, who moved away some months ago. Justices Toupin and Lewis will probably run again and we have heard of no one else having a longing for these jobs. Ovide Emard has been city treasurer for the past eight years, but whether or not he intends to run again we have not learned. In a few days things are likely to get more interesting and by next week there may be some real campaign news, though no one anticipates much of a scramble for places.

The State Fair.

If the state fair is a state institution it is high time it was placed under state supervision and control. At present the state erects the buildings and pays the deficits and only the Lord knows where the profits go.—Red Lake Courier.

Right you are, Bro. King. The state fair officials have been receiving and spending hundreds of thousands of dollars annually with the same ease and freedom of the officials of the New York life insurance companies. Each dollar may have been handled honestly, and then again it may not. In either case the taxpayers of this state are entitled to know the truth. Let's have an accounting, gentlemen.—Perham Enterprise.

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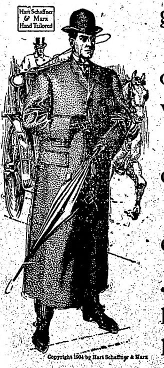
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Well, Mrs. Reader, if you must pay somebody's debts, they might as well be ours.

"When is a man drunk?" asks the New York World. When he has drunk too much, of course.

Witte's title comes too late to do him any good. A married man cannot hope to wed an American heiress.

The only thing bigger than the new liners that cross the ocean are the poker stories told when they reach port.

You could never make Mark Twain believe that his gout is a delusion of mortal mind when he knows it is in his toe.

When Sir Gilbert Parker said the other day: "England is on the verge of protection," did he mean Japanese protection?

Golf may cure hay fever, but one would think that talking it would be highly detrimental to those having throat trouble.

Idle men are few in New York, says the labor bureau. In New York everybody has to be up and doing, or he is sure to be done?

Hall Caine says that he wouldn't quit being a novelist to be a millionaire. But we thought all novelists now were millionaires.

"High finance scandals are ruining our credit," says Dr. Hamilton W. Mabie. Speak for yourself, Ham. Our credit was never better.

Occasionally some smooth person comes along and gives Wall street a dose of the medicine it is in the habit of handing out to suckers.

In France the popular name for the automobile is "teuf-teuf." That is fairly expressive, but "honk-zipp-phew!" would be more so.

Doubtless the man who was driven to drink by the sight of his wife's new and gaudy hat will have a violent relapse when he sees the bill.

A man in Oklahoma has invented a match-scratcher. He should have turned his attention to the promotion of artificial ice plants in Alaska.

Some of these rapid-fire novelists would make themselves more popular if they would only take a hint from the man who swallowed his lead-pencil.

The man who started the "How old is Ann" puzzle is now editing a New York comic weekly. There still seems to be such a thing as poetic justice.

We expect to live a long while, but we do not expect to live long enough to learn why people think they have to raise the voice when speaking to a foreigner.

Kisses are worth $20 apiece in Virginia, according to the courts. If you have ever kissed a Virginia girl you won't complain that the valuation is excessive.

In one day recently a baron and a count were locked in New Jersey jails for debt. The poor fellows were probably trying to make their way on foot to Pittsburg.

The number of guards around the Czar's palace will, says a dispatch from St. Petersburg, be increased. Is it suspected that the Czar thinks of trying to run away?

Whether it was 100 or 10,000 slain in the Caucasus the average reader has forgotten before his eyes reach the next headline. So cheap is human life, away from home.

There seems to be no doubt that the higher education widens a young man's sphere of usefulness. Witness the success of the college graduates in professional baseball.

Andrew Carnegie prescribes a European alliance for the United States. Well, haven't our girls married a lot of European noblemen? And isn't matrimony a united state?

The New York Tribune's music critic says Boston is temporarily resting under a "Gallic spell." If he means what we think he does, he has chosen the wrong word. Not resting, son—restive.

G. Bernard Shaw has offered to pay a clipping bureau 5 cents for each clipping about himself that it doesn't send to him. Mr. Shaw is an adept at the business of securing low advertising rates.

King Edward wanted to have General Chaffee come to see him, but the General had an engagement and could not go. If he were English, the royal wish would have been a command. Being an American, the royal wish didn't "stick."

The Chinese have reached the bomb-throwing stage, and if they progress as rapidly as the Russians have been progressing it may be necessary in the course of a few years for the empress dowager to sleep in a safe with a time lock on it.

The News of the Week

Washington.

Members of the isthmian canal commission and the board of consulting engineers have returned from a tour of inspection of the Panama canal. No decision has been reached as to the sea-level plan.

Commissioner Leupp of the Indian bureau has issued a circular to Indian agents asking them to designate Indians capable of acting as forest reserve guards. He suggests that eight or ten of the most capable Indians be selected from each reservation, and says that an arrangement for their employment when feasible has been made with the United States forester. The especial duty involved is to protect the forest reservations against fire.

Chairman Shonts of the isthmian canal commission made the following statement of his observations on the isthmus of Panama during his recent visit: "The most encouraging feature of affairs on the isthmus observed by every person who had been there previously during the last six or eight months was the improvement in the feeling among the men. Chief Engineer Stevens' methods and personality are making a strong impression and creating confidence in his measures."

Casualty.

Lightning, which set fire to the lumber yard of C. A. Brown at Ashmore, Ill., caused a loss of $50,000.

M. Perusch, a miner of Chisholm, Minn., was killed by gas asphyxiation in a Third street lodging house at San Francisco, Cal.

Mrs. Alice Hartman and her five children were burned to death and their homes were destroyed by fire at Port Royal, a village in Franklin county, Mo.

Four negroes were drowned while crossing the Alabama river in a skiff at Prattville, Ala. The skiff sank in midstream. Their bodies have been recovered.

The entire business section of Alturas, Cal., was destroyed by fire, twenty-seven business houses and two residences being consumed. Loss, $100,000; insurance light.

Leo Giffard, an employe of the St. Paul road, was killed at Channing, Mich. He caught his foot in the guard of an extra ore train switching in the yards and was run down.

T. C. Carson, president of the Johnson County Savings bank and the Iowa City Electric Light company of Iowa City, Iowa, died in Philadelphia from injuries received falling from a street car.

Twelve persons were injured, two fatally, a score of horses were burned to death and property valued at $65,000 was destroyed in a fire that demolished the La Salle Avenue livery barn in Chicago.

Arthur E. McKinstry, financial secretary of the Maumee River Yacht club, and Willis Donohue, his 14-year-old companion, were drowned by the capsizing of a small sailboat in Maumee bay, near Toledo, Ohio.

Two miles below Hazard, Ky., on Second creek, two children of Jason Comett, a veterinarian, were killed by swallowing corrosive sublimate, thinking it was sugar. They died a few minutes afterward.

John Dorsey of South Chicago fell from the top of the Irondale elevator, 105 feet, to the Calumet river. He suffered no ill effects from his fall. A few weeks ago, when Dorsey was painting a chimney, the platform on which he was standing broke and he fell fifty feet, but escaped uninjured.

Thirteen people were injured in Detroit, none fatally, when a Trumbull avenue car, running west on Fort street, struck a brick that had been placed on the track and jumped the rails. The car ran a hundred feet on the pavement and then crashed into a tree. It was well filled with passengers and they were thrown into a heap, and those on the rear platform were hurled to the pavement. It is thought that the brick was placed on the track by boys.

Criminal.

John Newton Williamson, congressman from the Second Oregon district, convicted in the land frauds suit started by the federal government, was sentenced in the United States court in Portland, Or., to serve ten months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $500. He was also reprimanded by the court for his failure to set a good example in his exalted public position.

Virgil Bowers, a negro, was taken out of the county jail at London, Ky., and hanged to an apple tree on the road leading to Barboursville. The negro shot and killed George Ferris, a prominent and wealthy Knox county lumber dealer, on the night of Aug. 26. He has been serving a life sentence for the crime. All of the mob were masked and armed with guns, pistols, sledges, picks, axes and dynamite. They forced the jailor to deliver the prisoner.

Sidney L. Fazer, formerly head of the brokerage firm of S. L. Fazer & Co., Chicago, was arrested at St. Louis on warrants charging him with taking stock worth $4,200 belonging to a client. Fazer said he would go back to Chicago and face the charges.

While her boarders were at dinner, Mrs. Caroline Buehler of St. George, Staten Island, suddenly excused herself, and going to her room shot herself through the head with a revolver. It is supposed that she had become despondent over the death of her four-year-old son, who was accidentally scalded last winter.

Foreign.

Right Rev. Alfred George Elliott, former bishop of Kilmore, Elphin and Ardaugh Church of Ireland, is dead. He was born in 1820.

Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia, who has been with the Manchurian army, has arrived at St. Petersburg from the Far East.

The striking Berlin electrical workers voted to accept the employers' original offer of 5 per cent. increase in wages, which they demanded.

Herr Moller, Prussian minister of commerce and industry, has resigned. He will be succeeded by Herr Delbruck, president of the province of West Prussia.

The Prince and Princess of Wales have started on a trip to India. They will go overland to Genoa, where they will embark on the battleship Renown, which is due at Bombay Nov. 9.

An imperial rescript has been published at St. Petersburg conferring on Count Lamsdorf, minister of foreign affairs, the Vladimir order of the first class in recognition of his signal services throughout the war and during the peace negotiations.

A duel with swords was fought at Paris between Deputy Dauzon, president general of the council, and Daroza, a journalist, the author of an article reflecting on Dauzon. In the third round Daroza received a deep wound in the forearm, which ended the duel.

General.

Women of Iowa are engaged in a canvass of the state in the hope of inducing the legislature to put the matter of equal suffrage before the voters at the polls.

The smuggled jewels of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, which the government seized, were sold at auction in the United States marshal's office in Cleveland. They brought $2,154.

Rev. Dr. D. M. Gilbert, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, Harrisburg, Pa., and one of the foremost Lutheran clergymen in the country, died suddenly of angina pectoris.

Justice Greenbaum of the Illinois supreme court has directed a verdict for $69,767 against Joseph Leiter in favor of William E. Zeeler, on account of Leiter's attempt to corner wheat in 1898.

Isaac Taylor, the Indian fighter, scout, stage coach driver and one of the first men to make the trip overland from Kansas to the Pacific coast, died at his home in Kansas City, aged 84 years.

Revised figures on the attendance at the Lewis and Clark exposition show that a total of 2,551,780 persons passed into the grounds during the exposition period. Of these, 1,580,617 were paid and 971,163 were free.

One hundred and five students of the high school at York, Pa., went on strike. The boys refused to obey the order not to wear colors. They are satisfied to do away with class fights, but refused to lay off their colors.

It developed that the mysterious package addressed to John D. Rockefeller and left at the express office at Vinton, Iowa, two weeks ago, contained a remedy for dyspepsia, and was left there by a driver of a Standard Oil company wagon who had faith in the cure and wanted Rockefeller to try it.

Charges of conspiracy among army officers made by Oberlin M. Carter, who was convicted of embezzling $3,000,000 from the government, enlivened the proceedings before Special Examiner Wyman in Chicago. "I was condemned and sentenced to prison on secret testimony at a hearing where neither myself nor my attorney was allowed to be present," said Carter.

Seven hundred employes of the Wyandotte yard of the Detroit Shipbuilding company went on strike at Detroit, complaining that they have to work twenty minutes longer per week than they should, and also that the time clock system in force at the yard is unsatisfactory. Riveters, helpers, punchers and laborers are involved. Only a part of the men belong to unions.

While waiting for a train at the union station in Chicago to carry him to his home in Glenview, Andrew L. Gyllenhaal, editor of a Swedish newspaper, was stricken with heart failure and dropped dead. He was born in Sweden and was educated at Upsala university. In 1866 he emigrated to America. One of his sons is a professor in the Swedenborgian college in Philadelphia.

The parents of Sam. Schubert, the theatrical manager who was mortally injured in the wreck of the Pennsylvania railroad Chicago express last May, brought suit in the United States circuit court in New York for $200,000 against the railroad company, alleging that negligence caused their son's death. This suit is one of several others aggregating $600,000 and growing out of the same wreck.

Gov. George H. Utter and all the other present state officers were renominated by acclamation at the Republican state convention at Providence, R. I. The platform paid high tribute to President Roosevelt and reaffirmed the principles of protection.

In the presence of great grandchildren of each of the contracting parties, Henry Helman, a wealthy farmer, 74 years old, and Katherine [illegible], widow, 67 years old, were married at Appleton, Wis. A son of the groom is the husband of the daughter of the bride. Henry Helman's former wife has been dead six months.

GEORGIA GIVES WARM GREETING

PEOPLE OF ATLANTA LEAVE NO ROOM FOR DOUBT OF THEIR SINCERITY.

CROWDS POUR INTO ATLANTA

SURROUNDING COUNTRY SENDS GEORGIANS TO GREET THE PRESIDENT.

DUBBED GEORGIA'S GRANDSON

ALLUSION TO HIS ANCESTRY BY SPEAKER TICKLES MR. ROOSEVELT.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 22. — The president's visit to Atlanta yesterday was a marked event in the history of the State of Georgia. He was greeted on his arrival by her most distinguished citizens, and throughout the day on every hand were shouted words of welcome that left no room for doubt of their sincerity. The city was in gala attire and business was practically suspended that all might greet the distinguished guest. South Carolina, in the person of Gov. Heyward, added its welcome to the South.

Numerous extra trains brought their burden of Georgians from the surrounding country and it was estimated that not less than 100,000 persons saw and welcomed the president.

Given Noisy Welcome.

The presidential train came into the handsome new station exactly on time, and as it appeared threading its way through the maze of tracks in the yards it was given a noisy welcome by all the steam whistles in that part of the city, the demonstration increasing in volume as the train came to a stop. Waiting to receive the president was the committee headed by Gov. Terrell and composed of Senator Clay, Congressman Livingston, Mayor Woodward and Bishop Nelson of the Episcopal diocese of Georgia.

The line of march was quickly formed and the president and his escort started for Piedmont Park, where the state fair is being held.

Cheered by the Throng.

The distance from the station to the park is about three miles, and throughout the entire route, which ran along historic Peach Tree street, crowds lined the sidewalk and gave the president round after round of cheers, which the executive smilingly acknowledged, hat in hand. It was a few minutes past 11 when the president reached the park, and again he was greeted by the noise of steam whistles from all the engines in the fair grounds and by the cheers by many thousands who were waiting his arrival. After a review of the Seventeenth infantry, which had recently returned to Fort McPherson from the Philippines, the president delivered an address.

Georgia's Grandson.

From the speakers' stand the president was taken to the Piedmont club house attended by a detachment of the Twelfth cavalry. About 1,200 guests were seated at the tables. During the progress of the luncheon John Temple Graves, editor of the Atlanta Dail News, addressed the president in a personal welcome as a man "whom it was a delight to meet aside from his official character." He referred to the president as "Georgia's most illustrious grandson," which the president received with a broad smile.

A reception followed the luncheon, which, though brief, afforded the opportunity for several hundred to meet the president.

The Georgia school of technology was visited on the way to the city and here the president spoke briefly.

Then came a drive about the city under escort of the cavalry and the reception committee, the president's train leaving for Jacksonville promptly at 7 o'clock.

IRVING ASHES ARE INTERRED.

Great Concourse of All Sorts of People at Westminster Abbey.

London, Oct. 22.—Besides that other great actor, David Garrick, and under the shadow of Shakespeare, the ashes of Sir Henry Irving were yesterday given burial in Westminster Abbey, thus being accorded England's greatest tribute to her dead. The services, which were of an impressive character, were conducted in the presence of a congregation which included many from the highest official life of England, eminent representatives of all the walks of life and all the representatives of that gallery to which Irving was so invariably attentive who could find standing room in the abbey.

IS SHOT AT CHARIVARI.

Boy Badly Wounded by Discharge of Companion's Shotgun.

Letcher, S. D., Oct. 22.—While participating in a charivari at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holland last night, after the couple's marriage, Tom Miller, aged sixteen years, was critically wounded by the charge of a shotgun in the hands of one of his companions. [illegible] was in a stooping posture and his shoulder, which received the full charge of shot, was nearly torn from his body.

ROADS FACE LEGAL INQUIRY.

Officials Tell of Having Exclusive Car Line Contracts.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The existence of exclusive contracts between railroads and private car lines, by which the latter assume the business of refrigerating perishable freight, was brought strongly yesterday in the hearings now in progress before the interstate commerce commission. It was developed by the testimony of H. M. Emerson, traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast line, that the shippers would be compelled under the contract with the Armour car lines to use cars of this company exclusively, or the railroad would not transport their freight. At the same time, he said, the schedules of the road would not permit the use of other private cars, and the apparent inconsistency is a matter that the legal department of the road would have to solve if brought into controversy. Officials of the Central of Georgia, the Southern and the Seaboard Air Line testified that the Armour car lines have exclusive contracts with their roads to handle all refrigerator business.

SHIPS ON POLAR OCEAN.

Russians Open New Trade Route by Way of Arctic Passage.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 22.—The steamer Lyra brings news that the Russian government has established a trade route via the Arctic passage to the mouth of the Yenesei, to reinforce the trans-Siberian route. Seagoing steamers will run from Russian ports via the Polar ocean and the Kara sea to the mouth of the Yenesei, where depots are established to transfer their cargoes and passengers to the river ports. The barges will be towed to Krassnoyarsk, on the Yenesei, where connection will be made with the main Siberian railway.

WILL BUTT IN ON TRADE.

Orientals Plan to Send Tramp Steamers With Low Rates.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 22. — Advices were received by the steamer Lyria that a combination had been formed of Japanese shipping firms to send tramp steamers to the United States and Europe with cargoes from Japan and Indo-Chinese points, carrying freight at a low rate, about one-third of the present rate. The sixty-six steamers which were captured while running contraband and confiscated by the prize courts will be used in connection with the fleet now in use by the government to bring home the troops.

FAVORS WHIPPING POST.

Oshkosh Judge Would Mete Out Severe Punishment to Wife Deserters.

Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 22.—Judge Goss of the municipal court expressed himself yesterday in favor of confining wife deserters where they would be obliged to work and turn the proceeds of their labor over to their families. Another remedy he favored is the whipping post. The judge declared that wife abandonment is one of the hardest questions with which the lower courts have to deal, as the judge is often puzzled in determining a suitable punishment.

SHOULD BE FREE OF DUTY.

Nashville Resolution Anent Miss Roosevelt's Importation of Presents.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 22. — The Nashville chamber of commerce has unanimously adopted a resolution requesting Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, if possible, to admit free of duty the articles brought into this country by Miss Alice Roosevelt, inasmuch as they "were not her own selection and purchase, but were presents from foreign people, and could not be refused without the possibility of giving offense."

LAW HITS COUNCIL QUORUM.

Three City Dads Resign Because of Anti-Pass Statute.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 22.—The new Wisconsin anti-pass law has caused Onalaska to be without a city council. Three members of that body, who are employes of railroad companies, have resigned, and without them the council has no quorum. A special election will have to be held before the city's business can proceed.

STANDARD OIL GOES UP.

All Crude Grades Except Raglan Are Advanced in Price.

Pittsburg, Oct. 22. — The Standard Oil company yesterday advanced the price of all crude oil except Raglan. Pennsylvania, Tiona, New Castle and Cable oil were advanced 5 cents. Corning was raised 10 cents and Somerset 8 cents. The lower grades were advanced 2 cents.

Norway Needs $23,000,000.

Christiania, Oct. 22.—The Norwegian budget for 1905-6 estimates the revenue and expenditures at $23,000,000. The duty on matches is expected to yield an additional $12,500, the state lottery $12,500 and the stamp duties an additional $120,000.

Gives Up Paying Job.

Philadelphia, Oct. 22.—Samuel Sutliffe, chief of the bureau of street cleaning, resigned his [illegible] position and Samuel B. McHaffey, his chief clerk, also resigned. The resignations are due to the strained political conditions in this city.

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FIND MORE OF CUNLIFFE LOOT

ONLY ABOUT $10,500 OF STOLEN $101,000 REMAINS TO BE RECOVERED.

ATTEMPTS TO BRIBE POLICE

OFFERS TO DIVIDE $80,000 WITH CAPTAIN ON PLEDGE OF SECRECY.

IS BETRAYED BY HIS FRIEND

FORMER FRIEND PUTS DETECTIVES ON TRACK OF FUGITIVE FOR REWARD.

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 22. — The chances that the police will recover nearly the whole of the $101,000 stolen from the Adams Express company in Pittsburg by Edward G. Cunliffe, who was arrested Thursday and taken to Pittsburg yesterday seem bright. Last night $9,065 was found in a trunk belonging to a butler in a prominent family at Black Rock, but the butler and the family by whom he is employed are ignorant of the fact that the large sum found was within the house. Although there is a possibility that the remaining $10,500 has been destroyed, the police are of the opinion that another accomplice of Cunliffe may reveal the hiding place of the missing sum. In round numbers $90,000 have been found within the past twenty-four hours.

Watch Chance Acquaintance.

The discovery of the money in the Black Rock home last night was brought about by keeping a close watch on one of Cunliffe's chance acquaintances, George Eisenman, who was with Cunliffe when he was arrested. According to Eisenman's story he met Cunliffe in a cheap hotel on Wednesday night, the two being together for some time. Cunliffe had a package with him and as the men were about to leave each other Cunliffe said that he wanted Eisenman to take care of the package as it was laundry which he wanted to keep in a safe place. Eisenman took the bundle to his sister's house, and when alone opened it and found the big sum of money.

Money Is Recovered.

Capt. Arnold of the detective bureau, who knows Eisenman and who saw him with Cunliffe when the latter was taken, went to the home of Eisenman's sister and found the bundle of shirts, but no money, and he suspected that Eisenman had abstracted a part of Cunliffe's plunder. Eisenman was shadowed all yesterday and he was seen to give a small package to his friend, the butler. Last night Eisenman was taken to the Black Rock house and asked the butler for the package. He went to his trunk and turned it over to Capt. Arnold intact. The butler had not been told what was in the package. Eisenman was taken to police headquarters but was released later.

Attempts Bribery.

Two other new features of the chapter of events in connection with the capture of Cunliffe cropped out last night, one being an attempt by Cunliffe to bribe Capt. George Arnold of the local detective force, and the other being the story of betrayal by a friend of Cunliffe for the purpose of securing the reward of $2,500 offered for his arrest. During one of the talks which Capt. Arnold had with Cunliffe Thursday night the prisoner made a proposition to divide the $80,000 which he had sent to his brother-in-law, Joseph W. Boardman, in Bristol, on the promise of secrecy.

The betrayal of Cunliffe by his friend, James Missett, is interesting. Missett formerly lived in Bristol and knew Cunliffe well. Last Tuesday Missett went into the Tremont hotel bar room and saw Cunliffe standing at the bar. Missett went up to him and said:

"Hello, Cunliffe; what are you doing here?"

Cunliffe turned around and pretended not to know Missett, who was sure of his man.

Gets the Reward.

The next morning Missett went to New York and visited the Pinkerton agency.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I know where Cunliffe is and I want to know what reward is offered for him."

He was told $2,500.

The Pinkerton people thought at first that Missett was a crank, but he assured them that he was in earnest and said that if the Pinkertons would give him a written agreement that he would get the reward if he told them where the missing man could be found he would do so. This was agreed to and Missett told them. The arrest of Cunliffe followed.

Last night Missett returned from New York with the $2,500 reward and proceeded to spend it lavishly throughout the lower part of the city.

Engine Kills Girl.

Minneapolis, Oct. 22. — While attempting to cross the Milwaukee tracks at Twenty-second street [illegible]

MINNESOTA IN THIRD PLACE.

Only Michigan and Harvard Have Larger Attendance.

Minnesota university ranks third among American colleges for attendance this fall, with Michigan first and Harvard second.

According to statistics compiled by Frank B. Tracy in the Boston Transcript it is shown that Minnesota has increased 4 per cent this year and has distanced Columbia, which was in second place last year. Michigan has increased 11 per cent and has gone up from third to first place, while Harvard has come down from first, which place she had held for over ten years to second place.

The work of Frank Tracy was compiled last week and has all the latest figures from the leading universities in the country. He was induced to secure the information by a recent article by Merritt Butler in which the statistics for last year were given and the total registration in each college shown. In that list Harvard led with 4,559 students, Columbia was second with 4,056, Michigan third with 3,742, Minnesota fourth with 3,633, and Illinois, Wisconsin, Cornell, California, Yale and Chicago following in order.

For ten years previous to the school year of 1904-5 Minnesota gained 62 per cent, a greater increase than was shown by any college except Columbia, and among the state universities was only equaled by the remarkable growth of Illinois from 607 students in 1894 to 3,391 in 1905. That increase was explained by the rapid growth of the new university at Champaign.

According to the records of the colleges for the opening of this year the ranking is as follows: Michigan, 4,049, a gain of 11 per cent over last year; Harvard, 3,865, a loss of 3 per cent; Minnesota, 3,759, a gain of 4 per cent; Columbia, 3,725, a loss of 8 per cent; Pennsylvania, 3,250, a gain of 11 per cent.

An interesting feature of the work of Mr. Tracy is the fact that in nearly all the universities where an increase has been noted that increase has come in the engineering department. The great majority of students, in the Western and Middle states, especially, are turning to engineering subjects, while the law schools are usually ranked second in point of increase. The increase of the universities in the Middle and Western states is especially noted. The rankings for the total registration last spring, which have been slightly altered by the records this fall, show the ratio of Western and Eastern attendance. That list in order of rank is as follows: Harvard, Columbia, Michigan, Minnesota, Illinois, Wisconsin, Cornell, California, Yale and Chicago. In that list of the first ten universities in the country six are west of the Allegheny mountains, and the fact that the Western schools have been increasing with a greater degree of rapidity than the Eastern ones during the past ten years is still apparent in the figures for this fall.

In closing his article on the increase in the West Mr. Tracy says: "Nothing is more evident from these figures than that the seat of educational empire is moving to the Middle West. It is not a rapid growth, but it is sure. Take the twelve universities of this table west of the Alleghanies and east of the Rockies and the average percentage of growth is 12, while the average of the seven Eastern universities is 4."

The fact that Minnesota has gained one point in the ranking of the universities since last year was received with considerable gratification at the office of the registrar at the university. Although the registration for the year in all the colleges is by no means completed, many students always coming in during the middle winter, there is little doubt but that Minnesota will be able to hold the new position and remain among the first three.

STATE FUNDS DEPLETED.

School Apportionment Leaves a Big Deficit in Revenue Fund.

State funds in city and country banks to the amount of $862,000 have been called in by State Treasurer Block to provide for the October apportionment of the current school fund. The revenue fund is now greatly overdrawn, and will not be much relieved until the railroad taxes come in next February.

There are applications pending for loans from the permanent school fund amounting to $400,000, but there are no funds to meet them. The coming state land sales will bring in some funds, possibly as much as $100,000, but it will be several months before the fund will be able to take care of pending applications. Many school buildings and other local improvements are held back waiting for these loans.

The special election at Owatonna for the purpose of authorizing a bond issue of $15,000 to be used in the construction of a new city and fire hall resulted in favor of the bonds, 323 to 208. The Owatonna fire company was the main promoter of the idea. With the new hall Owatonna will rank with the other cities of Minnesota in fire equipment.

Louis Gersting, a cable splicer for the Tri-State Telephone company, fell forty-five feet from a pole at Faribault and was seriously injured. His home is in Minneapolis.

Two Children Are Burned.

Bladen, Neb., Oct. 22.—Two children of Fred Pic, sixteen and four years old, were burned to death, and their mother was so badly burned that she cannot recover in a fire which destroyed their home last night.

PROMISES CASH NOT ON HAND

Investment Board Approves Applications for Loans.

Applications from school districts for loans aggregating $28,745 and applications from counties and villages aggregating $26,266 were granted by the state investment board at its last meeting. The total of the loans granted at the meeting was $5,011.

The total of loans that were allowed by the board at previous meetings is larger than the money available for the purpose; the applications which have been granted and not paid aggregate a half million. The members of the board believe, however, that money is coming in so that before the end of the year there will be enough to pay the applicants.

The state auditor said that the total applications approved by the investment board exceed the money in the trust funds by $205,416, or $90,000 for the school districts, $31,200 for the townships, and $84,216 for the counties. To meet this the receipts from the sales of mineral lands, timber lands and sales of agricultural lands within the next two months will amount to nearly $300,000. The auditor estimates that the mineral lands to be sold will bring $70,000; state agricultural lands, $75,000; state timber sales, $110,000, and collections on former land sales, $40,000.

The applications granted are: The village of Starbuck (from permanent university fund), $5,000; Wadena county, for county ditch, $7,450; Kittson county, for county ditch, $13,816; School District No. 80, Aitkin county, $750; No. 42, Blue Earth, $800; No. 110, Clay, $700; No. 95, Douglas, $2,500; No. 6, Fillmore, $2,000; No. 64 Grant, $800; No. 123, Jackson, $1,000; No. 74, Kittson, $3,500; No. 10, Kittson, $5,000; No. 114, Morrison, $450; No. 34, Norman, $1,000; No. 272, Otter Tail, $3,400; No. 44, Polk, $2,500; No. 26, Ramsey, $1,345; No. 126, Red Lake, $1,800; No. 51, Redwood, $2,000; No. 28, Roseau, $1,000; Browns Valley Traverse, $2,000; No. 36, Wadena, $1,500; No. 37, Wadena, $400.

CAPT. R. H. L. JEWETT QUITS.

Was Oldest Employe in State Auditor's Office.

Capt. R. H. L. Jewett, who has been connected with the land department of the state auditor's office for the greater part of the last twenty years, has resigned and will go to California to spend the winter. He will be accompanied by his wife and son. His son has a permanent location and will remain in California, but Mr. Jewett expects to return in the spring.

The state auditor has appointed as Capt. Jewett's successor as assistant land clerk, Ed H. Walden of Rochester. Mr. Walden was county auditor of Olmsted county for six years. The salary of the assistant land clerk is $1,200.

Mr. Jewett was the oldest employe in the office. He was appointed by Auditor Braden in February, 1885. He was out part of the time during Auditor Biermann's term, but was reappointed when R. C. Dunn became auditor, and since then has held the office continuously.

Mr. Jewett came to the state in 1865 and lived at Faribault, where he was employed at engineering and public surveys until his appointment by Auditor Braden. He earned his title of captain as commander of a company of the Fifty-fourth Massachusetts volunteers during the Civil war.

A handsome gold watch, chain and Masonic charm were presented to Capt. Jewett by the other members of the staff.

TOWNSITE PATENT HID IN BOX

Lost Paper Found After Search of Forty Years.

After forty long years the lost townsite patent of Clearwater has been discovered in an old soap box among a lot of waste paper, and was in excellent condition.

The patent was issued May 1, 1860, to Simon Stevens as president of the village council, and bears the signature of James Buchanan, president of the United States. Instead of having it recorded with the register of deeds of Wright county, Mr. Stevens mislaid the document, and search for it as they did for forty years, the paper could not be found. Owing to the loss of the patent considerable annoyance had been experienced of late years in making transfers of village property.

While the government patent was on file at Washington, there was nothing of record in Wright county. Clearwater townsite comprises between 200 and 300 acres.

NEW GOVERNOR'S CLERK.

Harvey W. Grimmer Succeeds Cleve W. Van Dyke.

Harvey W. Grimmer of St. Cloud has been appointed as the governor's executive clerk to succeed Cleve W. Van Dyke, who resigned.

Mr. Grimmer's appointment is said to be a recognition of his assistance to the Democratic state central committee in the campaign last year. Mr. Grimmer was political writer on the St. Paul Globe until that paper suspended. Recently he has been connected with the St. Cloud Journal-Press. Mr. Grimmer has a wide acquaintance throughout the state, especially with men of both parties in public life.

FIERCE STORM SWEEPS LAKES

DEATH AND DESTRUCTION IN WAKE OF GALE ON THE LOWER LAKES.

TWELVE DROWN IN ANGRY SEAS

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS' WORTH OF PROPERTY LOST.

MANY VESSELS ARE WRECKED

ONE OF THE FIERCEST GALES THAT EVER SWEPT THE LOWER LAKES.

Chicago, Oct. 22. — Death and destruction have resulted from one of the fiercest gales that ever swept the lower lakes, which has been blowing for the past twenty-four hours and has not yet subsided.

As far as returns are obtainable ten vessels have been completely wrecked and twelve of fifteen others more or less severely damaged. Twelve lives are known to have been lost, and as the gale on Southern Lake Huron and Lake Erie is still blowing fiercely it is feared that other losses, both of life and property, will be reported within the next twenty-four hours.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property has been lost. Crippled vessels yesterday sought refuge in Chicago harbor, and at every other lake port.

The east shore of Lake Michigan has suffered severely, dock property worth thousands of dollars being swept away at St. Joseph, Holland, South Haven, Grand Haven and Muskegon. Heavy waves are still bombarding the coast and the Pierre Marquette bridge spanning the St. Joseph river near its mouth, is in danger of being swept away.

Great Anxiety Felt.

Much anxiety is felt in shipping circles for vessels that are on the lakes. The hurricane was one of the worst in recent years, and it is believed shipping interests will be fortunate if many wrecks are not reported.

Three vessels that made port at Chicago yesterday came in badly damaged. The Al Williams of Sheboygan was crippled to such an extent that Capt. Charles Carland and his crew at the life saving station prepared to go to the aid of the boat, but a tug reached the vessel and towed it into the harbor.

The schooner Kate Lawrence, from Fort River, and the schooner Lotus, from Menominee, both lumber vessels, got in with difficulty, badly damaged.

The storm damaged portions of the sea wall along the north shore and washed out huge chunks of the bluffs north of Evanston.

Barge Is Ashore.

The barge Rhoades, which broke away from the Joseph Fay before the latter was beached at Rogers City, was reported ashore yesterday at Sheboygan Point. She is in an exposed position, but all the members of the crew were saved. From Lake Erie comes reports of the sinking of a vessel thought to be one of the vessels of the barge fleet owned by James Corrigan of Chicago. Capt. Stewart of the steamer Walter Scranton, which passed up the Detroit river yesterday, sent word ashore that he had passed a sinking vessel in Lake Erie. Capt. Stewart's report was that the

Wreck Was Seen

two and a half miles southwest of the southeast shoal lightship. The top of her cabins showed above water and the Corrigan colors were in evidence.

The steamer Bulgaria of the Corrigan fleet was soon after sighted under shelter of an island. Apparently neither of the two barges Tasmania or Ashland, which the Bulgaria had in tow when she passed Detroit Thursday, were then with her. From this it was inferred that the sinking vessel sighted was one of these barges, the fate of the other remaining a problem.

Evidence of another wreck is found in the discovery of a considerable amount of wreckage floating by Thunder Bay Island in Lake Huron late yesterday. The schooner Emma L. Nelson of Alpena, Mich., is reported ashore in Presque Isle harbor, which is not far from Rogers City.

Shore Is Strewn With Wrecks.

Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 22.—As a result of the wildest storm that has swept Lake Erie in years, wrecks have strewn the shore the entire distance from Buffalo to Detroit. The storm came with abrupt suddenness at an early hour Friday morning and continued throughout the day.

The storm swept lake from one end to the other and every vessel that was exposed suffered to a more or less extent.

Tornado Kills Two.

Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 22.—A tornado [illegible] Payne county, last night killed [illegible] small children of [illegible] vin Anderson, living on [illegible] badly injured Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and demolished the house of Edward Root, breaking his daughter's [illegible]. The storm followed the Cimarron [illegible]

COLLECTED SOUVENIRS.

Nurse Admits Stealing Bric-a-Brac Worth Thousands of Dollars.

New York, Oct. 22.—Hilda Austin, a professional nurse, was arrested last night charged with stealing silverware and other valuable articles from the Hotel Regis, where she had been employed since early in September. In her room was found several thousand dollars' worth of silverware, cut glass, china, jewelry, jewel cases, bric-a-brac and many other articles. She is said to have admitted that she had been robbing the hotel during most of the time she was there, but begged for leniency, declaring her trouble had all come from a fad for collecting souvenirs. Later she said her real name was Marie Weston, and that her home is in Brooklyn. Some of the silverware found in her room has the names of the Waldorf, Empire and other hotels on it.

TELL OF BRUTALITIES.

Great Indignation Displayed by the Spectators.

Fort Scott, Kan., Oct. 22. —Several hundred women yesterday flocked to the court room where George F. Riggin and his wife were being given a preliminary hearing on the charge of murdering six-year-old Herbert Riggin by starvation and brutality. One woman testified that she had seen Mrs. Riggin whip the boy unmercifully, and that two days before the boy died the stepmother beat him until it seemed she wanted to kill him. Frequently after such punishments, the witness testified, Mrs. Riggin or her daughter would knock the child down with a blow of the fist in the face. During the proceedings yesterday great indignation was displayed by the spectators.

TOPNOTCH MASONS.

Three Minnesota Men Take Thirty-Third Degree.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Paul E. Baumgartner of Winona, Robert E. Danfell of Duluth and O. O. Whited of Minneapolis, have taken the highest degree in Scottish Rite Masonry at the session of the supreme council here. They were given the thirty-third degree last night by James E. Richardson, the highest Mason in the world.

SAYS "SHOOT TO KILL."

Odessa Police Are Ordered to Shoot Into Mobs.

Odessa, Oct. 22.—The governor yesterday issued an order to the police instructing them in the event of disturbances to fire directly into the mobs without any preliminary volleys in the air. This order, it is expected, will have a deterrent effect on proposed gatherings for the purpose of disorder.

Minsk, Russia, Oct. 22.—A meeting of members of the revolutionary party, held in a Jewish school here yesterday, for the purpose of discussing the candidates for the national assembly, was dispersed by Cossacks and police. Workmen, in retaliation, attacked the Cossacks with sticks, and in the conflict a hundred persons were slightly and twenty severely injured. Demonstrations in the streets continue.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Oct. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 83 1-2@84 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 81@82 1-2c; No. 3, 79 1-4@80 1-2c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 49@50c. Oats—No. 3 white, 27@27 1-2c.

Duluth, Oct. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-4c; No. 2 Northern, 82 1-4c; flax, 97 1-2c; rye, 65c.

Minneapolis, Oct. 23. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 84 5-8c; No. 1 Northern, 184 1-8c; No. 2 Northern, 81 7-8c. Oats—No. 3 white, 26 5-8c.

Milwaukee, Oct. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 86@87 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 82@85 1-2c. Rye—No. 1, 68 1-2@69 1-2c. Barley—No. 2, 54c. Oats — Standard, 29@29 1-2c.

Chicago, Oct. 23. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 88@88 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 84 1-2@87 1-2c; No. 3 hard, 82 1-2@86c; No. 1 Northern, 88 1-2@90c; No. 2 Northern, 86 1-2@88c. Corn—No. 2, 52@52 1-2c. Oats—No. 2, 28 1-4@28 1-2c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 23—Cattle—Beeves, $5 @ 5.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $2.25@3.70; stockers and feeders, $3@4; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.25. Hogs—Bulk, $5.10@5.15.

Chicago, Oct. 23. — Cattle—Good to prime steers, $3.65 @ 6.30; stockers and feeders, $2.40@4.45; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 @ 5.57 1-2; bulk, $5.15 @ 5.45. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, $4.60@5; native lambs, $5.25 @ 7.25; Western lambs, $5.75@7.

South St. Paul, Oct. 23. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.60@4; butcher bulls, $2.75@3.50; veals $2@4.50; good to choice stock steers $2.50@3.50; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs — Range price, $4.80 @5.25; bulk, $5@5.10. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good, $4@5; good to choice wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes, $3.75@4.40.

SELL WORK OF MAD KING.

Jewelry Designed by Ludwig Brings $3,750 in London.

London, Oct. 22.—A collection of jewelry designed by the mad King Ludwig of Bavaria was sold in London yesterday afternoon and realized [illegible]

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

HOLDS BABES FOR BILL.

Sends Tickets to Milwaukee But Cannot Pay the Board Bill.

Milwaukee, Oct. 21.—There are two half-fare railroad tickets at the union station awaiting the call of the owners, two children, at present in the baby home conducted by Johanna Schultz near the Wells street viaduct, which has been involved in the Schandein case by the liberal contributions to the home for all the children, not one particular child, according to the testimony of Miss Schultz. The tickets were purchased by the mother, Mrs. Jennie Watts, at Minneapolis, and telegraphed to Milwaukee. The funds necessary for their purchase were earned by days and weeks of patient, weary, plodding toil, during which the only ray of sunshine was the hope of the mother that she might again see her loved children and again might be gladdened by the feeling of their little arms about her neck. Miss Schultz, the owner of the baby home, refuses, however, to give up possession of the children until her claim for board has been satisfied.

WHOLE WEST UNDER SNOW.

The Earliest Fall on Record Opens the Winter Season.

St. Paul, Oct. 21.—Nature yesterday dealt to the Northwest the first hand of the annual game of freez-out, and the prospects are that the rest of the sitting will be played absolutely without a limit. Cold winds and snow flurries characterized the unusually early coming of cold in most localities, and where there was no snow a cold rain took place of the display of "goose feathers."

No section of the great Northwest escaped the attention of the weather clerk. The commonwealths of the United States and the Canadian provinces faired alike, and in many places where the farmers had been able to take care of their crops the damage done will leave a big vacancy in the development of their plans for the year. Special dispatches from South Dakota told of a fall of snow in almost every county of that state.

FIND LONE FARMER DEAD.

Head Blown Off, Evidently by a Hunting Accident.

Devils Lake, N. D., Oct. 21. — Near Crary, nine miles east of here, yesterday, the remains of William Stewart, aged forty years, were found by boys who were hunting for cattle. Stewart owned a farm a mile and a half from Crary, and on this farm the body, with the head blown off, was found. The coroner, state's attorney and sheriff investigated the matter. They believe that death resulted from an accident. It is quite probable that Stewart was hunting geese and in some unknown way caused the discharge of the gun. Circumstances do not point to foul play or suicide. Stewart came a number of years ago from North Ireland. He was single and leaves no relatives in this country.

FEAR SPREAD OF RABIES.

Five Cattle and a Horse, Bitten by a Dog, Die of Disease.

Winona, Minn., Oct. 21.—Five head of cattle and one horse is the loss by rabies sustained by A. Tibesar of the town of Mount Vernon, in this county, this fall. The shepherd dog owned by Mr. Tibesar was infected by a strange dog that passed through that way last summer, and it was some time after before Tibesar's dog showed the effects and had to be killed. About five weeks ago some of the stock began to show signs of rabies, and up to the present time the five cows and one horse have had to be killed. Farmers are much alarmed, and every precaution is being taken.

TO HAVE NEW RURAL ROUTES

Representative Volstad Gets Promise for Minnesota District.

Washington, Oct. 21. — Representative Volstad of the Seventh Minnesota district left for home yesterday. He has been here for three or four days attending to matters in the departments of interest to his constituents. Among other things he took up the question of rural free delivery in the Seventh district, and got the promise of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General De Grew that additional routes will be established there. Mr. Volstad engaged winter quarters, where he and his family will reside during the coming session.

AITKIN BOY LOSES HIS LEGS.

Dodges Freight Train and Is Run Down by Passenger.

Fargo, N. D., Oct. 21.—John Kjellman, an eighteen-year-old boy from Aitkin, Minn., was struck by a Northern Pacific passenger train last night and will lose both legs. He was going down Broadway, and while getting out of the way of an east-bound freight stepped in front of an incoming passenger from the west. One leg was cut off at the calf and the other badly mangled. The boy is here visiting his sister, Mrs. John Lagerburg, and was not familiar with the crossing. It is thought he may survive the operation.

Lightning [illegible] Barn.

Forest City, Iowa, Oct. 21.—During [illegible]

MILLERS RESIST OFFICERS.

Superior Mill Is Scene of a Battle Royal.

Superior, Wis., Oct. 22. — A battle royal was waged at the Listman mill in this city yesterday afternoon between the Wisconsin inspectors and the employes of the mill, acting upon the orders of the Duluth board of trade, which controls the mills at the present time. As a result of the fight the mill bears the appearance of the center of a battle ground. The doors are torn from their hinges and broken bags of dust are scattered knee deep over the floor of the house. The trouble started when the mill people attempted to unload cars of grain into its elevators with Minnesota inspectors doing the weighing. The Wisconsin officials claim the sole right to weigh the wheat and immediately after the unloading process started, they began to break their way into the building. The doors were barricaded, and about 100 employes of the two mills were brought to the Listman to resist the efforts of the Wisconsin weighmen to enter. The opposing forces did not come to blows, but there was some lively shifting of the two crews to protect the different entrances to the scale house. Finally the Wisconsin men, with the aid of a squad of police, succeeded in forcing in one of the doors and took charge of the scales. The mill immediately shut down and the unloading stopped.

HEAD TORN FROM BODY.

Mass of Rock Hurled by Blast Kills Workman.

Lead, S. D., Oct. 22.—A Slavonian by the name of Spisagi Miljanich met a horrible death yesterday at the stone quarry near this city. A blast had been put in, and as the rock commenced to slide after the explosion the other workmen got out of its way. Milanich, however, either did not observe the danger in which he stood or else he did not realize it, for he stood directly in the way of the rock and shale. A great mass came rolling down the side of the cliff, and was upon him, hurling his body against a rock car with such terrible impetus that his head was torn completely off his body and rolled some ten feet away. An inquest will be held this morning.

ANOTHER BIG DEAL.

Tract of 200,000,000 Feet of Pine Sold to Weyerhaeuser Interests.

Two Harbors, Minn., Oct. 22.—The tract of pine north of Virginia, known at the Goodyear tract, has been sold to the Edward Hine Lumber company, a division of the Weyerhaeusers. It contains about 200,000,000 feet and the consideration was $1,600,000. The Goodyear pine is in the same territory as the White & Friant tract of 150,000,000 feet that the Weyerhaeusers purchased a few weeks ago, and all of it is tributary to the Duluth, Virginia & Rainy Lake road. This trade is one of several heavy timber deals that have been made in Northeastern Minnesota recently.

NO RACE SUICIDE THERE.

South Dakota Reports 774 Deaths, 722 Marriages and 2,113 Births.

Pierre, S. D., Oct. 22.—The quarterly report of the bureau of vital statistics shows 2,113 births, 774 deaths, 722 marriages, 89 divorces, 187 declarations of citizenship, and 78 final naturalization papers. The death rate for the year would be 7.1 in the thousand population annually. The greatest number of deaths were from tuberculosis, with heart failure next and old age third.

HE'S TOO FAT; LOSES HIS JOB.

Iowa Capitol Employe Will Appeal Case to the Governor.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 22. — Tom Graham, who tips the scales at 300 pounds, was discharged as night watchman at the state capitol by Custodian McCurdy because he was "too fat." Graham is an old soldier and has the G. A. R. lined up to appeal to the governor. He says his only duty is to see that the doors are locked and that he can do it as well as any one.

ONE DAY IN PRISON.

Court Imposes Shortest Term Ever Given in Iowa Penitentiary.

Dubuque, Iowa, Oct. 22. — Judge G. W. Burnham has imposed the shortest term in the Iowa state penitentiary ever given. Edward Frondel and John Lang, found guilty of obstructing the right of way of the Rock Island railway at Vinton, have been sentenced to one day each in Anamosa prison. The sentence is the minimum fixed by law.

HOLD UP 1,100,000 ACRES.

Government Land Office Considers Irrigation Project.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The commissioner of the general land office has ordered the withdrawal from entry of all the public land in areas covering 1,100,000 acres in the [illegible] land districts of [illegible] the Lake Basin irrigation project in that state.

Accidentally Killed.

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PRESIDENT McCURDY of the Mutual Life says he has no apology to offer. An apology dosn't count for much when a man is caught with the goods on him.

SOME of the Duluth people are trying to shelve Congressman Bede by pitting W. E. Culkin against him. Adam, though, has a faculty of enduring opposition.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is cultivating the people of the southern states this week. He announces that this will be his last extended jaunt during his term of office.

THE Roseau Region has sized up the situation concisely: "There is no dearth of good Republican gubernatorial timber, but the question is, who can beat Johnson?"

THE Atchison Globe has discovered that hens have no further use for a rooster that has been whipped in a fight with another rooster and concludes that chickens are a good deal like people.

FRANK EDDY has a good second hand buggy top which he proposes to present to the first wheatmaker who will explain how a tariff on lumber benefits him. And, nowadays, this kind of talk isn't treason, either.

SIX new battleships within the next six months four more in the six months following, and still three more in the six months after that—let no one imagine that the United States will not be a great naval power by 1907. But there are those who never will be satisfied.

THE Minneapolis Journal remarks that the bright young business men of the future, kings of commerce of 1920, are not found today sitting around on boxes, playing cards in the back room of the boozery, smoking cigarettes and wearing hats with red bands on them, jauntily poised on the sides of their heads.

IT is planned by the officials of the war department to put the army of the United States on a war footing of 250,000 men. A scheme with this end in view will be submitted to congress at its next session. It has been under consideration for several weeks by officers of the department and they now have the plan in tangible form.

THE political wiseacres at St. Paul have it that Senator Stephens is to be the Republican candidate for lieutenant governor. It used to be considered that this position was the graveyard of political hopes, but maybe Andy doesn't care for that. It is a notable fact, however, that a lieutenant governor has never been made governor save by the resignation of the latter.

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THE senatorial clique is said to be attempting to foist a condidate for governor on the Republican party. Of course they want one who would be friendly to the senatorial interests. Senator Lord won't do, they say. He's too honest, and besides is not inclined to stand up for the corporations in all emergencies. The senatorial clique is an important though undersirable adjunct to the Republican party.

THE Buckman adherents in the Sixth district still insist that Senator Rrower is the logical candidate for governor. There is considerable self-interest apparent, of course. Buckman's friends are interested primarily in getting Mr. Brower out of the way as a congressional candidate. We still insist that the happiest solution is to give Brower the seat in congress and let Buckman run for governor.

IN noting the great revival in progress at St. Paul the Mapleton Enterprise says there is need for a revival all over the northwest—a revival that will awaken an interest in upright living and business honesty between man and man—a revival that will bring about respect for existing laws—a revival which will cause men to think of those about them and to do what they can to make the old world brighter and better.

IT may be, as Congressman Boutell thinks, that the accumulation of cash in the treasury will cover any shortage of revenue for some years to come, but that depends. The available cash balance is now $131,500,000. Probably it ought not to be reduced below $50,000,000. Not more than $82,000,000, therefore, is really available. The revenues have been $2,400,000 less than the expenditures this month and $12,200,000 less since the 1st of July. When the dirt begins to fly at Panama the money will begin to fly too. There is the navy to consider, not to speak of irrigation and other extraordinary demands on the treasury. Economy is not to be counted on. So it may be necessary to lay more taxes.

Schools Get State Money

The school apportionment fund has been received by County Treasurer Hansen this week. The regular per capita apportionment amounts to $8,070.70, being $2.30 for each pupil in the county attending school an average of forty days during the past year. Out of this fund the city of Red Lake Falls gets $1,251.80; Thief River Falls, $1,903.40, and St. Hilaire $549.70.

There are also several sums apportioned to the various high and graded schools of the county. Red Lake Falls city gets $1,495, Thief River Falls, $1,375, and St. Hilaire $525. District 79, Terrebonne township, a semi-graded school, gets $240. Of the first-class rural school district No. 1, Wylie, will receive $114, and district 81, Terrebonne, $81. Three second class rural schools gets $37 each, as follows: District No. 27, Lake Pleasant; district No. 63, Red Lake Falls township, and district No. 112, Gervais. Owing to the appropriation being insufficient the full amount to which these districts are entitled, but the deficiency will be taken care of by the next appropriation.

The Orignal.

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The Re-Apportionment Problem.

Ada Herald: The politicians will have a mighty ticklish job on their hands when they attempt to re-apportion this senatorial district which now comprises Red Lake, Clearwater, Beltrami and Norman counties. We are big enough for two senators but the interests of Beltrami county are not inimicable to the other counties. Beltrami has not enough people to form a senatorial district alone and none of the other counties seem anxious to couple up with her.

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SCHEME OF THE RAILROADS

Country Newspapers Inveigled Into Clever Trick to Oppose President's Program.

If money and herculean efforts can turn the northwest states from their now evident purpose of standing by President Roosevelt in demanding government control of railroad rates the railroads will win. Special agencies in every section to quell the anti-railroad spirit have now been supplemented by the establishment of a "ready print" service. Every country newspaper which will use this "magazine section" is given it absolutely free, delivered at his office door. There is not a cent of charge for the print paper, for typesetting, or for expressage.

This new feature of the railroads' plan of campaign has caught on. While the purpose of it is obvious, the promoters of the scheme are most adroit in the selection of matter for the "magazine section." For the first few weeks there was not a reference to the railroads in this "free service," but now there is an occasional article, cleverly disguised as "news" in every instance the railroads are shown to be doing wonderful work in the development of the country, in supporting a vast army of employes and in making enormous outlays of wealth to the benefit of all people. Yet the dividends are said to be small. These statements would not arouse the suspicious of the average reader in a thousand years. It is only after one knows who the publishers are that the motive becomes apparent. Tho chief pursose is, of course, to keep the newspapers friendly.

It is creditably reported that several hundred of the country newspapers are accepting and using this "magazine section" in Iowa, South and North Dakota, Minnesota and Nebraska, and it is said the service is extended over the entire west and South.

The building of the Northwestern and the Milwaukee and St. Paul railroads across western South Dakota, improving a section, which the people have long waited to have traversed by railroads, is certain to make friends, in that state for the railroads.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

To be Held at Thief River Falls November 3 and 4.

The next meeting of the Red Lake county Teachers' Protective Association will be held at Thief River Falls on Friday and Saturday, November 3 and 4. It is intended to take up the subjects of writing and language at this meeting, and numerous papers on these topics will be read. Addresses by prominent educators have also been arranged for.

It is desired to have a good attendance of the teachers of the county, as the session promises to be especially interesting and profitable. Each teacher is requested to bring to the meeting exhibits of writing and language work that is being done in the schools—not only the best but also the poorest work, it being the aim to find out the true condition of work done in these subjects in the schools of the county. These exhibits should be prepared with pen and ink.

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John K. Hannay, the St. Hilaire banker and lawyer, returned Saturday from an extended visit to the far west, having visited Portland, Tacoma, and other places. Mr. Hannay has three sons at Seattle, the eldest—John—being engaged in the wholesale and retail optical business there, and Will is working for him. Another son, Norman B., has recently commenced the practice of law. All of the boys are doing well and are enthusiastic in their praise of the coast country. Mr. Hannay thinks himself that Seattle is going to become one of the great centers of trade, like New York and Chicago. The trade with Alaska and the Orient is coming to be enormous and will continue to grow in volume every year.

HALLOWE'EN GOBLINS MIGHT CATCH YOU

The Y.P.S.C.E. of the Presbyterian church will give a Hallowe'en party at the church parlors next Tuesday evening, October 31. All who attend are requested to bring sheets and pillow cases. Masques will be furnished at the church. An admission of 25 cents will be charged. Luncheon will be served and the evening spent in having a jolly good time. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

SCHOOL BOARDS WARNED.

State Superintendent Wants them to Be Careful.

State Superintendent J. W. Olson has issued a circular warning school authorities of bogus agents who impose on them by selling supplies. He denies that he has approved of the goods sold by agents of the "Agricultural Educational Society," which claims to have his endorsement, and urge that school boards do not buy supplies unless the question has been considered at a regular meeting, with the best advice to be obtained from educators.

BOB AND EVA COMING.

Excellent Attraction at the Metropolitan Next Week.

Word was received this morning by Managers Anderson & Wander of the Metropolitan opera house that Bob and Eva McGinley, the well-known entertainers and character artists, will be in Red Lake Falls on Friday evening, November 3. These people were here three years ago and many of our people will remember them with a great deal of pleasure. Full particulars will be [illegible]

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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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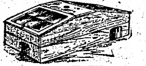
POULTRY AND BEES

HOME-MADE BROODER.

Description of One of Simple Construction Which Is Said to Do Good Service.

The accompanying pictures and condensed descriptions are furnished by C. E. Beare, Trumbull county, Ohio, to the Ohio Farmer. Fig. 1 shows the outside of the brooder. Fig. 2 is a cross section. Heat is supplied by lamp, L, over which is suspended an inverted box, A, with a galvanized iron bottom, and having openings in its sides for ventilation. An inch above the sheet iron is a platform, C, on which the chicks are placed. The space between forms the hot-air chamber, B. Fresh air is supplied by shaft, H, passing into the chamber, B, where it is heated and rises through a warm air pipe, K, into the brooder pen, P, P, where it is partially confined by the cover, D, which may be adjusted to suit the size of the chicks. About the edge of D is hung a woolen curtain, E, notched so that the chicks may run in and out. The warm air finally finds an outlet through the ventilators, V, V, V, in the roof, M, M. Platform C is hinged at T, so that the portion R may be raised or lowered by cord, N. When raised it is supported by the spring, S. It is important that this slope be inside rather than outside the brooder, as the chicks are invited by the open door, and when this leads them to the bottom of the slope they will generally find their way up. If the slope is outside they may fail to find the entrance. Raising the slope gives a double floor space and plenty of room inside the brooder on bad days. Have a thermometer in brooder. Start chicks at 95 degrees and gradually reduce to 90, 85, 80 degrees, with less heat as they grow older.



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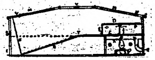

SECTIONAL VIEW OF INCUBATOR.

HENS FOR HATCHING.

Plymouth Rocks Are Undoubtedly the Best Sitters and Mothers.

In spite of the fact that incubators and brooders have been brought to a great state of perfection, the old hen will still be used on most farms. The hen is a more skillful producer of chicks than is the incubator in the hands of the average man and woman. Where only a few fowls are kept and only a few chicks are desired the hen will still hold her popularity. We believe that where the farmer desires to keep a good-sized flock of hens, and to raise yearly in excess of 100 chicks, the incubator should be used. But we realize the fact that on millions of our farms just enough fowls are kept to consume the scraps from the table.

The hens for setting purposes must come from some of the breeds that have not had the maternity instinct bred out of them. We would not think of selecting any of the Leghorn breeds for setters. Probably there is no breed that produces better setters than the Plymouth Rocks. But in selecting a fowl for this work, preference should be given to those that are light in weight, as the heavy fowls both break eggs and trample chicks to death. We have found the lighter weights to give most excellent satisfaction. While they cannot cover so many eggs as the larger fowls, they will bring more chicks to maturity.

CACKLES AND CROWS.

The hen is the friend of the small capitalist.

The hen is still a leader as a money maker on a small scale.

The farm boy and the farm girl should each own a flock of fowls.

Everybody interested in raising poultry should own an incubator.

An incubator raises more hens, consequently more eggs, which makes more money.

Separate the fowls into small flocks of 25 to 30, putting the hens by themselves and dividing the pullets. You can then feed them better and get more eggs.

For incubating purposes care should be exercised to make sure that a large proportion of the eggs are fertile. It will also pay to candle the eggs after they have been in the incubator a couple of days, removing those that are not fertile.

Small Egg Producers Infertile.

Contrary to general impression the fewer eggs a hen lays the more are they likely to be infertile, if we can judge anything from experiments carried on at the Maine station. There an attempt was made to breed downward in egg yield as well as upward. The experimenters were surprised at finding an unlooked for obstacle, namely, the infertility of the eggs [illegible]

WAIL OF ROYAL CHEF

WELL PAID, BUT MASTERS ARE MOST EXACTING.

How the Kingly Menus Are Prepared —Franz Joseph Selects His Own— Kaiser Eats in Four Languages —Sultan Fears Poison.

London.—"Menus are the greatest burden of sovereignty," once remarked the emperor of Austria, and this, coupled with the statement of the late Czar Alexander III. that a monarch required more diplomacy in dealing with his cooks than with his ministers leads one to believe that culinary matters are a source of unceasing worry to every crowned head.

Emperor Franz Josef has, however, good cause to grumble, because although the actual cost of the food he consumes himself does not amount to $5,000 a year, he pays his chef—a Belgian—a salary of $10,000 per annum, and the kitchen expenses at the palace are never less than $75,000. The reason for this is that, whereas the emperor always takes his meals alone in his study, his palace dinners are produced regardless of expense.

The emperor's chef always submits a menu for the following day's dinner to his royal master when dinner is served. Punctually at six o'clock his valet enters with a large tray, which he places on the emperor's desk, and while Franz Josef is negotiating his soup he scans to-morrow's menu and crosses off with a blue pencil anything he does not care for.

At the German court things are somewhat different. There are four chefs—a German, a Frenchman, an Englishman and an Italian—because the kaiser never decides till the day arrives whether he will have a German, a French, an English or an Italian meal, with the result that there is much scurrying to prepare a menu. This is not an easy matter if there are many guests present, because each chef is only allowed so much a head, and he must serve up an elegant meal at that figure. Each chef has five assistants and has to render an account of each day's expenses to the head steward.

The chef at the Portuguese court is an Englishman and he receives only $4,000 a year. When King Carlos paid his first visit to England and was staying with the late Lord Salisbury, he said that what struck him most about Britain was the roast beef, and he forthwith took back with him an English chef. King Carlos insists on an English meal every day, but the queen and the members of the household have two French chefs to study their wants, and they each receive salaries of $5,500 per annum.

The most trying post any man can wish for is that of chef to the sultan of Turkey at the palace at Yildiz. Here the royal kitchen is situated right under the royal apartments; it is quite a small room, strongly guarded, and even the windows are barred. The sultan's horror of poison led him on one occasion to install a soldier whom he trusted as chef, and for two years he endured badly cooked food rather than face the risk of poison.

The present chef has held his post seven years, but he is only responsible to Kelarji, the chief steward, for the food, and this official is in his turn responsible to the sultan. When the meal is ready it is placed on a tray and the tray is then covered with a black cloth, the ends of which are sealed by Kelarji before it is borne into the imperial apartment.

The czar of Russia's chef is likewise a much harassed individual, but as he is well paid—his salary from all sources being over $10,000 a year—he is not to be pitied.

THIRTEEN PROVES UNLUCKY

Courtship Lasted 13 Months; April 13 Set for Wedding; Groom Dies After 13 Days' Illness.

Muskegon, Mich.—The number "13" proved unlucky to F. Delong, who died here after all preparations had been completed for his marriage to one of the most prominent young women of this section.

After a courtship of just 13 months Delong proposed and was accepted. April 13 was set as the wedding day, and all preparations for the wedding were completed when the prospective bridegroom became ill. For 13 days and 13 nights the bride-to-be was his constant attendant, even to eating her meals at his bedside.

The unlucky combination of thirteens had been noted, and when the thirteenth day of illness ended to-day the sudden death of the patient was hardly a surprise to his superstitious friends.

The young woman who was to be a bride April 13 is hysterical, and refused to leave the hospital or be consoled.

Never Had Seen White Men.

Nordenskjold, the famous arctic explorer, has returned to Montevideo, Paraguay, from an expedition into the interior of South America to the borders of Brazil, Bolivia and Peru, where he found Indians who had never seen white men. They are among the most primitive people in the world. They believed him to be some god because he gave them flesh of monkeys he had hunted. They begged him to remain as their chief, but he did not accept the offer, knowing the prestige would be lost with his ammunition.

Reaching the Goal.

Russia is to carry the war to the bitter end. There must be rather a bad taste [illegible]

CHICAGO'S FREIGHT SUBWAY

Will Furnish Facilities for the Best Underground Mail Service in the World.

Far below the surface of Chicago's streets scores of electric locomotives are pulling freight trains that are taking thousands of tons of coal into the boiler rooms of skyscrapers, without dirt, noise or sign of effort in the street, says the Scientific American. They are removing tons of ashes, and caring for the excavations from the basements of buildings in course of construction. More than this, they are hauling daily thousands of tons of freight which was formerly carried over the pavements in wagons. On February 15, 1905, the company entered into a contract with the government under which all Chicago's second, third and fourth-class mail matter will be transferred from the railway stations to the new post office through the tunnels. A further plan to utilize the tunnel for mail purposes involves the building of chutes connecting the street corner mail boxes with boxes in the tunnel, where the mail can be collected by cars. When the new schemes are perfected and added to the present pneumatic tube service for first-class mail, Chicago will have the most perfect underground mail facilities in the world. Eight hundred and eighty tons of mail will be handled in the tunnels daily, in special locked United States cars. The system will be in operation by June 1.

Without noise, dirt, smoke or the slightest delay to traffic, the central business district of Chicago has been honeycombed with these tunnels. Twenty-eight miles already have been constructed, and extensions are projected.

OUR SHARE OF SIMPLON.

Drill That Made the Plan Possible Was Invented by an American.

To the great Alpine tunnels we have, of course, contributed nothing in money and probably nothing in labor. It is not probable that an American was employed in any of them. But we did contribute the original invention which enabled the Mont Cenis to get through even in 13 years, the St. Gothard in nine, and the Simplon in less than seven, says a writer in the Chicago Inter Ocean.

J. J. Couch, an American, in 1849 made the first machine rock drill. He was the first man in all the world to substitute steam or other mechanical power of human muscle in such work. The use and adaptation of his invention was slow in spreading. In 1857 it was so little known that work began on the Mont Cenis tunnel with hand drills, and machine drills were not used on the Italian end until 1860, or on the French end until 1862.

The American inventor made the Mont Cenis tunnel commercially practicable. He shortened the time of such works all over the world. He made the Simplon tunnel possible in less than seven years.

That is the American share in the great engineering work whose completion Europe is now celebrating.

WASHINGTON'S ARMY HOME

House at Valley Forge Which Sheltered the General for Six Months.

It is hardly more than an hour's ride from Philadelphia to Valley Forge, and one alights from the railway train about 100 yards from the ancient, pointed stone house of miller Isaac Potts; the structure which all America cherishes to-day as the home of Washington for the half year the continental army was encamped in that country. As nearly as can be ascertained, writes W. H. Richardson, in Four-Track News, the building is very much the same as it was when it was getting its right to a high place on history's page. "The log cabin to dine in," about which Mrs. Washington wrote, has been rebuilt, and otherwise the restorations have been carried on in a consistent manner. Externally the substantial and comfortable look of the building is very impressive, and its simple, dignified proportions appeal at once to the good taste of every visitor. The curious porch over the front door, the exquisite hand-made moldings and other details of its architecture are charming notes in the very pretty harmony. Interest in the interior is heightened by the presence in the various rooms of rare old furniture, prints, engravings and other relics of the colonial and revolutionary eras.

Biblical Arithmetic.

To the number of times Paul was stoned add the number of times he was shipwrecked; add the number of times he was beaten with rods; multiply by number of times he received 40 stripes save one; add the number of fathoms at first sounding when Paul was shipwrecked; add number of days they sailed; multiply by number of anchors cast out, and the result will be number of persons on board the ship that was to carry Paul to Rome.—Ram's Horn.

Bulls Killed in Spain.

A Spanish contemporary says that in 1904 nearly 12,000 bulls were killed in bull fights in that country. The bulls killed about 10,000 horses. The best and most valuable bulls for the arena are raised on the vast estates of the [illegible] in Andalusia, who has made a fortune out of this business.

[illegible]

Customer—I thought you said that last pair of rubbers about you sold me were elastic?

Salesman—So they were. What was the matter with them? [illegible]

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Your grocer is honest and—if he cares to do so—can tell you that he knows very little about the **bulk** coffee he sells you. How *can* he know, where it originally came from, how it was blended—**or with what**—or when roasted? If you buy your coffee loose by the pound, how *can* you expect purity and uniform quality?

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If your nerves are subject to disturbances, such as Headaches, Neuralgia, Backache, Rheumatism, Menstrual Pains, Sleeplessness, etc., their jarring and jangling can be quickly ended with a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are pleasant little pink tablets, which do not act on the bowels, nor do they have any disagreeable weakening or habit-forming effect on the system.

They are the result of the latest scientific knowledge on the subject of Pain, and bring relief safely and quickly to the greatest sufferer.

You should always keep a box of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills in the house, since you never know when pain may attack you, and it is wrong to suffer when your suffering can be so quickly relieved.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills contain no opium, chloral, cocaine, morphine, or similar drugs, and are sold by druggists under a guarantee to relieve you or pay your money back.

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ST. HILAIRE.

Mr. J. K. Hannay returned from his trip west Saturday morning.

A. R. Jones is in town visiting with his family.

Miss Carrie Hoff is visiting relatives at Blackduck.

Miss Ereda Itter of Red Lake Falls visited relatives here last Monday.

O. F. Post and E. M. Hoff were Crookston visitors Friday evening.

Manager J. M. Richards of Benridge looked over the mill here Friday. He and Supt. Evans went to Thief River Falls in the afternoon.

Miss Annie Hakinson entertained her friends at a "hard time" party Friday evening at the home of Dr. Blomburgh. Prizes were given for the most appropriate hard time costumes, Miss Mable Aimer received first among the girls and Alton Jackson among the boys.

A. O. Davison has accepted a position with the Merchants State Bank and will move his family here the first of November. The bank at Wylie of which Mr. Davison is cashier goes out of business at that time.

Mrs. James McAndress is at Fargo visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson went to Crookston last week.

There will be a special meeting of the shareholders of the creamery association at the city hall, Monday evening to consider plans for enlarging the creamery.

Mr. A. S. Wilson returned from Grand Forks Friday, where he was called by the death of his brother M. P. Wilson, and children returned with him and will visit here for a few days.

George L Austin left on a business trip to Fergus Falls Tuesday evening.

Indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, kidney and liver disorders, and all stomach troubles positively cured by using Hollister's Rockey Mountain Tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.

Deadly.

"Do you think that using coloring matter on the hair is attended with danger?"

"Well, whoever uses it dyes."—Houston Post.

The Responsible Party.

Policeman—Which o' yez beginned this fight?

One of the Belligerents—He did. His dog pitched into mine.—Chicago Tribune.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & Co. Sold by druggists, 75c. Toledo, O. Take Halls Family Pills for constipation.

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It is time to plan your winter vacation. Early arrangements secure the best accommodations. Choice of routes via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to Californir or to Florida, combined with low rates, make the trip to either resort a most attractive one. A postal will bring complete information about rates, train service and resorts, free and by return mail. Address W. B. Dixon, N. W. P. A., St. Paul, Minn.

Poison Made Body Luminous.

At the inquest of a man who died at the London Hospital recently from swallowing rat poison it developed that the whole of his body was luminous in the dark. The rat poison contained phosphorus.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

A Prominent Trainman.

The many friends of G. H. Hansan, Engineer L. E. & W. R. R., at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threatened kidney disease. He says: "I was cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure which I recommend to all people. Sold by A. L. Reichert.

The Englishwoman.

The American or the French woman never allows herself to be daunted by the fact that she has not been endowed by nature with good looks or a good figure. She dresses as carefully, carries herself as grandly, as her beautiful sisters and indeed assumes rather more of an air than they, with the happy result that America and France seem to have no ill dressed and no really plain or ungraceful daughters. We Englishwomen are too modest and fancy we are altogether hopeless unless we have good material on which to work.—London World.

Presidential election make no change.

No matter which candidate is elected Foleys Honey and Tar will remain the peoples favorite remedy for coughs, colds, and incipient consumption. It cures colds quickly and prevents pneumonia. A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foleys Honey and Tar and eight doses cured me.—A. L. Reichart.

The Horse Dealer.

"What is the secret of your success?" asked the young man.

"In buying," said the old horse dealer, "I look sharp, and in selling I look just as ignorant as I can."—Chicago News.

A Costly Poem.

"My hat is a perfect poem, isn't it, John?"

"It ought to be. I paid more for it than Bryant got for 'Thanatopsis.'"—Houston Post.

Consumptives made Comfortable.

Incipient consumption is cured by Foleys Honey and Tar, but we do not hold out false hopes to consumptive by claiming that it will cure this dread disease in the advanced stages; but if the lungs are not too far gone Foleys Honey and Tar will effect a cure, as it stops the racking cough and soothes the inflamed air passages giving them a chance to heal, and even in the advanced stages it always gives comfort and relief. A. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes "Foleys Honey and Tar is the best preparation for coughs and lung trouble. I know that it has cured consumption in the first stages.—A. L. Reichert.

First Life Insurance Policy.

The first life insurance policy of which the details are on record resulted in a lawsuit. William Gybbons insured himself on June 15, 1583, for £383 against dying in twelve months. He did die on May 18 of the next year, and the disgusted underwriters (the company of those days) contested payment on the plea that he had lived twelve months of twenty-eight days each.—World's Work.

Determination.

"Our Willie shows great determination," said the boy's mother.

"Yes?" queried the proud papa.

"Yes. He spent the whole day making soap bubbles and trying to pin one to the wall."—Philadelphia Ledger.

New Cure For Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Jas. walters, of Duffield, Va., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable, till Bucklen's Arnica Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at all drug stores.

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Baffling.

A maid neither rich nor romantic
Wed a man neither proud nor pedantic,
And so retired is their life
And empty of strife
That the neighbors are thoroughly frantic.
—Puck.

He Had Tried It.

"Old Mr. Selfmade seems to have such a ready wit."

"Yes; sort of rough and ready, you might say."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Cruel Blow.

Mr. De Fashion—Why did you discharge that nurse girl?

Mrs. De Fashion—She kicked poor little Fido just for biting the baby.

Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worn-out by the pains and poisons of [illegible]

Full of Tragic Meaning

are these lines from J. H. Simmons, of Casey, Ia. Think what might have resulted from his terrible cough if he had not taken the medicine about which he writes: "I had a fearful cough, that disturbed my night's rest. I tried everything, but nothing would relieve it, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which completely cured me." Instantly relieves and permanently cures all throat and lung diseases; prevents grip and pneumonia. At all druggist; guaranteed; 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905; at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota. o26d7

Order for Hearing Proof on Claims, etc.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake, }

IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term October 3, 1905

In the matter of the Estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased.

Letters of Testamentary of the estate of Cyprien Asselin, deceased, late of the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Cleophas Asselin and Onezime Asselin.

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is Furthered Ordered, That the 3rd day of January, 1906, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Probate Office in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 3rd day of October A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRENT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

Summons.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, }

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Berget Stolass, plaintiff, vs. Anna O. Anderson, formerly Anna O. Skaali, and Ludvig Anderson, her husband, and E. G. Skaali, defendants.

SUMMONS.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which said complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Red Lake county, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Crookston, Polk county, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated September 18th, 1905.

E. O. HAGEN,
821-026 Attorney for plaintiff,
Crookston, Minnesota.
Rooms 10, 11, 27, Wallace Blk

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Chapter 2, General Laws 1902.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake county to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Chapter Two (2) General Laws of Minnesota, 1902, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged against it. Immediate payment to the County Treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have been offered for sale. The County Auditor of Red Lake county is hereby authorized and directed to conduct sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor.

Dated St. Paul, Minn., September 5th, 1905.

S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Section 1616, General Statute Minnesota 1894.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the county auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake County to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Section [illegible], General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the [illegible]

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION ON ABSOLUTE PROPERTY BID IN BY THE STATE.
NO. 53

In Whose Name Assessed	Description of Land			Years Tax Levied	Amt Sold for to State	Date Sold to Purchaser	Amount Sold for to Purchaser	Amount required to redeem at date of notice.
	Addition or Subd.	Lot.	Blk.			Mo Day Year		
Carl Wedmer	Original townsite of Thief River Falls.	1	5	1897 1898 1899 1900 1901 1902 1903 1904	$2.08	June 28, 1905	$4.59	$5.37

Office Of COUNTY AUDITOR,
RED LAKE COUNTY, MINN.

To CARL WEDMER,

You are hereby notified on the 6th. day of May, A. D. 1901, in proceedings to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes pursuant to that certain real estate judgement, which was entered in the District Court in and for the County of Red Lake in the 14th Judicial District in the State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March A. D. 1901, the above described piece or parcel of land, situated in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota was bid into the state to satisfy the amount for which it was adjudged liable in said judgement, interest and costs, for the above named sum; that the above described real estate has become and now is the Absolute Property of the State.

That on above stated date the above described real estate was sold by the County Auditor of Red Lake County, as directed by the State Auditor, in accordance with Section [illegible] of Chapter [illegible] of General Statutes of 1878 and the several acts amendatory thereto, for the sum above stated, that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from such sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue on this notice is the amount above stated, with interest [illegible] twelve percent per annum on the amount paid by the purchaser from said above date until such redemption is made, and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from such sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice, and proof thereof has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of this county.

Witness my hand and official seal third day of October, A. D. [illegible]

(SEAL) [illegible]

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signatnre of Chas. H. Fletcher. and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Special Attention Given to Sausage Making

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If you are going to need a range, don't look too much at the price, the Majestic is not the cheapest, but the least expensive.

For Sale by O'BRIEN BROTHERS
Popular Hardware Dealers
RED LAKE FALLS, - MINNESOTA

Salvation for Women in Nu-tri-ola

THE world is full of sick women who might be well. Poor, pale, suffering Martyrs! Blood so poor that every vital organ, nerve center, even the brain cells, are starved and lose their force. Their sufferings from Dyspepsia, Headache, Kidney Trouble, Dragging or Bearing Down Pains, Leucorrhœa, Nervous Prostration, etc., etc., the victim and God alone may know. Listen to our

EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION.

Emancipation from the power of disease, suffering and death. Be it known to women everywhere that NUTRIOLA, the new Blood and Nerve Food, will make the frailest woman "NEW ALL OVER." This statement is backed by $500,000.00 Capital Stock and the largest Medical Company in the world. WE GUARANTEE A PERFECT CURE or ask no pay. We employ the most skilled Physicians in the United States. THEIR SERVICES ARE FREE. FREE CHEMICAL ANALYSIS. In short, the benefit of all their skill and NOT A CENT TO PAY for it. We are curing thousands, treating by mail. Every case confidential.

READ THIS, YE SUFFERING WOMEN!

NUTRIOLA COMPANY—Gentlemen: I had been an invalid for over 10 years. KIDNEY TROUBLE had caused such a weakness in my back that I was unable to work standing up. Then disease peculiar to my sex fastened upon me and my life became one round of UNENDING TORTURE, such as only one afflicted as I have been can know. To stand upon my feet for five minutes was a torture unspeakable. The terrible DRAGGING DOWN SENSATION would send such a feeling to my brain as to impair my vision and drive me almost insane. Nervous Headache [illegible]

NU-TRI-OLA Costs 2 Cents a Day. [illegible]
THE NUTRIOLA COMPANY [illegible]
For Sale by All Druggists.

DAKOTA BUSINESS COLLEGE [illegible]

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Carl Pochardt is up from Lyon county this week looking after the threshing on his farm south of town.

Wanted—a girl for general housework in a small family. Scandinavian preferred. Apply to COURIER office.

Thief River Press: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Roarck spent Sunday at Red Lake Falls visiting with friends and relatives.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church served supper last evening at the church parlors and realized a handsome little sum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barrette of Crookston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paradis and other friends in the city this week.

A dancing party was held by the young people at the K. of P. hall Saturday evening for the Thief River foot-ball players.

S. A. Swanson has sold his threshing outfit to John Jacobsen, who intends to return from Oregon next year to take charge of it.

Big game licenses have been in strong demand this week, and up to yesterday noon Auditor Ford has issued seventy-six permits.

The Wesley piano, a strictly high-grade instrument, endorsed by leading musicians and a piano of the highest merit, for sale by Anderson & Wander.

Ed. L. Healy reports the sale of the northwest quarter of 17, Emardville township, to John Meisner, principal of the Rugby, N. D. schools.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Thomas Belair has returned from Grand Rapids, where he has made his home for the past two years, and will spend the winter in Red Lake Falls.

L. T. Thompson and O. H. Olson of Minneota, Minn., have been in the vicinity of Red Lake Falls this week looking after their real estate holdings.

Mrs. M. M. McLaughlin, who was called here last week by the illness of her father, L. A. Dautremont, left Monday evening for her home at Rock Rapids, Iowa.

George L. Austin, manager of the St. Hilaire creamery, passed through town Tuesday evening enroute for his old home in Fergus Falls on a short business trip.

It is reported on good authority that Father Christmas, the Grafton healer, is to return to Red Lake Falls in a couple of weeks. He will be here for two days.

The exterior of the new north side school house is completed, and plastering was commenced yesterday. The building will be finished in a couple of weeks.

F. A. Chase of Tama, Iowa, was the guest of his brother, Ed. H., Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Chase is a railway mail agent, running between Tama and Chicago.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath entertained the sewing club at an afternoon luncheon Saturday. Mrs. Henry Hennemuth was the fortunate winner of the prize in a guessing contest.

Attorneys A. C. Wilkinson, E. O. Hagen, Halvor Steenerson, A. A. Miller and Chas. Loring were over from Crookston Monday to attend the opening of the district court.

John Jacobsen, who used to run a threshing machine for S. A. Swanson, has been visiting here for a week or ten days, and left Tuesday for his home in Portland, Oregon.

Drew Marshall, who is attending the university at Minneapolis, came up Saturday morning for an over Sunday visit with the home folks. Drew says he is enjoying his school work.

Joseph Laframboise, who formerly lived in Red Lake Falls, is here for a visit with friends. Mr. Laframboise is now farming in the North Yakima country and says he is doing well.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman came down from Thief River Tuesday evening to look after the sheriff's office a few days during the absence of Sheriff Linnihan, who was called to Crookston on business.

Thief River Press: Mrs. Carl Kretzschmar entertained Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, of Red Lake Falls; Mrs. J. Hoernig, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin, and Mrs. John Padden, of Red Lake Falls, last Saturday.

It is announced that Miss Susie Boyd, formerly a resident of Red Lake Falls is to be married in a few weeks to Joseph Eager of Yellow Grass, Assiniaboi, near which place the Boyd and Kezer families are living.

E. E. Hawkins is again representing the McClellan Paper company in this territory and made his regular visit here Tuesday. For the past nine months Mr. Hawkins has been conducting a branch house for his company at Fargo.

H. L. Veigel and family are moving into the William Zaiser house this week. Mr. Zaiser will occupy the residence he bought last week of Mrs. B. Zaiser, and the latter family will move to the Rue house on north Main street.

Button's Business College will give a grand free opening entertainment, free to everyone, at its large halls in Crookston on Friday evening November 3. Scholarships in this college will be sold for half price on this date only.

Victor and Bert Dautremont, who were called here last week by the illness of their father, left Monday afternoon for Duluth and St. Paul. They will visit a few days in these cities before returning to their home at Lewistown, Montana.

A reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zaiser by the Knights of Pythias last Friday night in their hall. About fifteen [illegible] and their ladies were [illegible] evening was [illegible]

Gilbert Westphal, who is now connected with a wholesale wagon concern at St. Paul, came up to Red Lake Falls Saturday morning to visit a few days with his father. Gilbert looks after the city sales in the Twin cities for his company.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Frederick Andreas Gobler of Necoma, N. D., and Daisy Louise Kratka, of Thief River Falls. Miss Kratka is a daughter of former mayor Kratka, and one of the prominent young ladies of that city.

John Deutschman's new brick saloon building on the north side is about ready for occupancy and John expects to move into it within the next ten days. It is a substantial building, and will furnish splendid quarters for this popular thirst parlor.

Editor Harry Ives was down from St. Hilrire, but it is not known that he made his appearance on Main street. The prevailing gossip is that Harry is interested in one of the Red Lake Falls young ladies, but of course these reports are often erroneous.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kindseth desire to express their sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown by their friends and neighbors during the illness of their little daughter. They also wish to extend thanks especially to the Presbyterian choir and Rev. H. W. Knox.

Conrad Hirsch's family living on the north side, has been increased by the addition of a girl baby this week. This is the twelfth child, and all are living and in good health. There is no apparent danger of race suicide here, and Hresident Roosevelt ought to send along a medal.

The "oldest inhabitant" fails to remember a year when the leaves remained on the trees so long. Here it is almost the first of November and not half of the leaves are gone. Frequently the trees are denuded by the middle of September, especially when heavy frosts come early in the season.

The Northern Pacific will make a rate of a fare and a third for the Minnesota-Wisconsin foot ball game at Minneapolis on November 4. This will make the round trip price $11.70. Tickets will be on sale Friday evening and are good returning until Monday night.

The Red Lake Falls creamery will close for the winter on November 1, and H. A. Blaisdell, the buttermaker, will leave for his home at Janesville, Minn. Mr. Blaisdell has been very successful in managing the creamery the past year and the patrons will be glad to hear of his return next spring.

Wiley Tindolph, the well-known Thief Riverite, returned yesterday from an extended trip to the coast. Mr. Tindolph visited the fair at Portland, of course, and stopped at Seattle, Salt Lake City and Denver while enroute home. He stopped over at Red Lake Falls a few hours yesterday while homeward bound.

Princeton Union: According to statistics the average production of butter in Minnesota is 166 pounds per cow per annum. Dairying authorities state that by proper care and management this can be increased to 475 pounds per cow per annum. This should be an incentive to farmers to look alive to their interests.

August Krueger has decided to start a harness shop at Antler, Bottineau county, N. D., and will move his family to that place in the near future. Mr. Krueger says his own has a big territory and that the crops are unusually large there this year. August's many Red Lake Falls friends will wish him all kinds of success in his new location.

T. G. Brunelle has sold his harness stock to August Krueger, who will move the goods to Antler, N. D., one of the new Great Northern towns in Bottineau county. Mr. Brunelle has received a flattering offer to go into partnership with a prominent harness-maker in North Dakota, and expects to leave for there about the first of December.

The season of storm windows is at hand and the "odd job" man of the city finds himself very much occupied as a result. The odd weather of the past few days has given the majority of property owners a "hunch" that winter will be early and there is a general scramble to put up the windows, doors and storm sheds. Coal bins are being filled accompanied by the usual [illegible]

T. N. Robinson, superintendent of the German Mutual Dwelling House Fire Insurance company of Minneapolis, was in the city Saturday looking over the field with his special agent, O. T. Tandberg. Mr. Robinson is an old insurance man with twenty years practical experience, and says he is meeting with pronounced success with his new venture.

George Lang was up from Cottonwood, Minn., this week looking after his farm near town. George was formerly a resident here, and says he is well enough satisfied with Red Lake county to hold his land, and it is not at all unlikely that he may conclude to move back here before long. The COURIER is indebted for a pleasant call and a payment on subscription.

The assessment extension for Thief River Falls has been completed by County Auditor Ford and shows a decrease of $17,000 from last year. The total for real estate is $341,572, and for personal property $135,417, making an aggregate of $476,989. The total for Red Lake Falls city will be a trifle under $400,000. The exact figures will be ready within a few days.

Fire Warden Drier has a notice in the COURIER this week relative to the use of manure for banking houses and barns. Manure must not be used for this purpose unless fully protected with a covering of earth. He also gives notice that straw and hay stacks will not be allowed within seventy-five feet of buildings, and ashes must not be piled in close proximity to buildings.

The open weather of the past week continues to hang on throughout northern Minnesota and farmers are rushing plowing. The weather reports several days ago, stated that a cold snap would sweep over the country, but so far the zero weather predicted has failed to materialize. Four weeks of bright sunshine and warm weather would mean much to the farmers of this section, who still have enormous acreages of unplowed fields.

A state free traveling library has been installed at Reichert's drug store, and the books are free to all our people. There are fifty volumes in the library and the books will be exchanged for new ones every six months. The public library commission is doing a good work in placing these libraries in towns and school districts and is putting the best books at the command of all the people without expense except the carrying charges.

O. T. Tandberg, former county treasurer, was down from Thief River Falls over Saturday night calling on friends. Mr. Tandberg has recently accepted the special agency of the German Mutual Dwelling House Fire Insurance company for Red Lake, Polk and Marshall counties and expects to devote his entire time to this work. Mr. Tandberg enjoys a wide acquaintance in these counties and no doubt will do a good business for the company.

Daniel Patterson, Otto Zaiser and Gilbert Haavi, who were appointed viewers for the proposed new county ditches in Gervais and Black River townships, started on their work Monday and will be kept busy for a week or more. A meeting of the board of county commissioners will be held in the near future to act upon the report of the viewers, and it is likely the sale of ditching jobs will be held about the first of January. Both of these ditches are needed badly and no objection to their construction is anticipated.

Dr. J. E. Argue left Friday evening for Chicago, where he will spend a week looking after business matters and visiting friends. Dr. Argue has recently received a patent on a very handy little contrivance which will doubtless be in demand in dental offices. It is a tool for expelling mercury from amalgam, something which has always heretofore been accomplished by a crude and laborious process. The doctor expects to confer with dental instrument dealers relative to the manufacture and sale of his patent, and there is every reason to believe he will make a nice profit from the invention.

The funeral of the late L. A. Dautremont was held from St. Joseph's church Saturday morning, Rev. Father Fayolle officiating, and the remains interred in the cemetery at this place. A large concourse of friends gathered to pay the last tribute to the dead. The COURIER was in error last week in stating that Mr. Dautremont was born in France. He was of French ancestry, but was born in Angelica, Penn., where he lived until about ten years of age. He afterwards moved to Ohio, going from there to Washington county, Iowa. All of the children, with the exception of two sons in Montana, were present during their father's final illness.

The Courier $1. one year.

Found—mouthpiece for a horn. Owner can have same by calling at COURIER office.

THE CHURCH SUPPER.

"Ding-dong!" said the big church bell,
"A supper to-night and things to sell;
Ding-dong! I do declare,
Here I'm rung in on a vestry fair.
I've a mind to stick and refuse to ring,
For I wasn't donated for such a thing.
But my, oh, my! How sweet that smells!
I wish that coffee were good for bells!"
For at every pull the sexton gave
The bell swung out above the pave,
And at every swing he got the scent,
And on he swung there, all content.
Said down below good pastor Pipp,
Fingers tapping, tip to tip,
"I have been asked by all who're here
To say unto the sister dear,
Who brought the coffee here to-night,
That we consider it her right
To thus be thanked in public wise—
She finds great favor in our eyes.
May all her deeds smell sweet as this
By which she brings her neighbors bliss."
Thought blushing Mrs. Jones, "I knew
What CHASE & SANBORN'S brand would do."
Good deeds, you know, are only lent,
And so she smiled in deep content.

....A FULL LINE OF....

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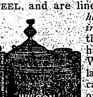

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THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West			Going East
8:15 P. M.	Lv.	St. Paul Ar.	7:35 A. M.
8:50 P. M.	Lv.	Minneapolis Ar.	7:10 A. M.
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8:20 A. M.		Crookston	6:45 P. M.
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9:25 A. M.		Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.		St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.		Thief River	4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.		Steiner	4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.		Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.		Middle River	3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.		Strathcoma	3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M.	Ar.	Greenbush Lv.	2:25 P. M.

Sleeping car reservations, tickets and information from

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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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P. F. POULIOT, Asst. Cashier.

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Of Red Lake Falls.

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Olous Raymond of Cottonwood, Minnesota, is here this weeek looking after his farms in this vicinity.

Hugo Zaiser was up from Minneabolis over Sunday visiting the home folks and enjoying a few days hunt.

Carl Pochardt is up from Lyon county this week looking after the threshing on his farm south of town.

Wanted—a girl for general housework in a small family. Scandinavian preferred. Apply to COURIER office.

Thief River Press: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Roarck spent Sunday at Red Lake Falls visiting with friends and relatives.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church served supper last evening at the church parlors and realized a handsome little sum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barrette of Crookston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Paradis and other friends in the city this week.

A dancing party was held by the young people at the K. of P. hall Saturday evening for the Thief River foot-ball players.

S. A. Swanson has sold his threshing outfit to John Jacobsen, who intends to return from Oregon next year to take charge of it.

Big game licenses have been in strong demand this week, and up to yesterday noon Auditor Ford has issued seventy-six permits.

The Wesley piano, a strictly high-grade instrument, endorsed by leading musicians and a piano of the highest merit, for sale by Anderson & Wander.

A Good Stove Cheap

is what you can truthfully say about a WILSON AIR-TIGHT HEATER.

All WILSON HEATERS are made of POLISHED STEEL and are lined all the way to the top with *heavy sheet steel.* They have *cast iron lids, cast iron pipe collars* and that *outside pipe draft,* that you have heard so much about. A Wilson if taken good care of will last *seven or eight years,* and you can buy one large enough for any ordinary sized room for $6.50.

"Salamander" Air Tights

from $2.25 up. We are exclusive agents for the

Beckwith Round Oak Stoves and the Radiant Home Base Burner

FRANK L. [illegible]

[illegible] If you want to [illegible] farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to [illegible] Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn.

Thomas Belair has returned from Grand Rapids, where he has made his home for the past two years and will spend the winter in Red Lake Falls.

L. T. Thompson and O. H. Olson of Minneota, Minn., have been in the vicinity of Red Lake Falls this week looking after their real estate holdings.

Mrs. M. M. McLaughlin, who was called here last week by the illness of her father, L. A. Dautremont, left Monday evening for her home at Rock Rapids, Iowa.

George L. Austin, manager of the St. Hilaire creamery, passed through town Tuesday evening enroute for his old home in Fergus Falls on a short business trip.

It is reported on good authority that Father Christmas, the Grafton healer, is to return to Red Lake Falls in a couple of weeks. He will be here for two days.

The exterior of the new north side school house is completed, and plastering was commenced yesterday. The building will be finished in a couple of weeks.

F. A. Chase of Tama, Iowa, was the guest of his brother, Ed. H., Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Chase is a railway mail agent, running between Tama and Chicago.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath entertained the sewing club at an afternoon luncheon Saturday. Mrs. Henry Hennemuth was the fortunate winner of the prize in a guessing contest.

Attorneys A. C. Wilkinson, E. O. Hagen, Halvor Steenerson, A. A. Miller and Chas. Loring were over from Crookston Monday to attend the opening of the district court.

John Jacobsen, who used to run a threshing machine for S. A. Swanson, has been visiting here for a week or ten days, and left Tuesday for his home in Portland, Oregon.

Drew Marshall, who is attending the university at Minneapolis, came up Saturday morning for an over Sunday visit with the home folks. Drew says he is enjoying his school work.

Joseph Laframboise, who formerly lived in Red Lake Falls, is here for a visit with friends. Mr. Laframboise is now farming in the North Yakima country and says he is doing well.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman came down from Thief River Tuesday evening to look after the sheriff's office a few days during the absence of Sheriff Linnihan, who was called to Crookston on business.

Thief River Press: Mrs. Carl Kretzschmar entertained Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, of Red Lake Falls, Mrs. J. Hoernig, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin, and Mrs. John Padden, of Red Lake Falls, last Saturday.

It is announced that Miss Susie Boyd, formerly a resident of Red Lake Falls is to be married in a few weeks to Joseph Eager of Yellow Grass, Assiniboi, near which place the Boyd and Kezer families are living.

E. E. Hawkins is again representing the McClellan Paper company in this territory and made his regular visit here Tuesday. For the past nine months Mr. Hawkins has been conducting a branch house for his company at Fargo.

H. L. Veigel and family are moving into the William Zaiser house this week. Mr. Zaiser will occupy the residence he bought last week of Mrs. B. Zaiser, and the latter family will move to the [illegible] house on north Main street.

[illegible] Business College will give a grand free opening entertainment [illegible]

[illegible] the interests of his company.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Frederick Andrew Gobler of Necoma, N. D., and Daisy Louise Kratka, of Thief River Falls. Miss Kratka is a daughter of former mayor Kratka, and one of the prominent young ladies of that city.

John Deutschman's new brick saloon building on the north side is about ready for occupancy and John expects to move into it within the next ten days. It is a substantial building, and will furnish splendid quarters for this popular thirst parlor.

Editor Harry Ives was down from St. Hilaire, but it is not known that he made his appearance on Main street. The prevailing gossip is that Harry is interested in one of the Red Lake Falls young ladies, but of course these reports are often erroneous.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Kindseth desire to express their sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown by their friends and neighbors during the illness of their little daughter. They also wish to extend thanks especially to the Presbyterian choir and Rev. H. W. Knox.

Conrad Hirsch's family living on the north side, has been increased by the addition of a girl baby this week. This is the twelfth child, and all are living and in good health. There is no apparent danger of race suicide here, and President Roosevelt ought to send along a medal.

The "oldest inhabitant" fails to remember a year when the leaves remained on the trees so long. Here it is almost the first of November and not half of the leaves are gone. Frequently the trees are denuded by the middle of September, especially when heavy frosts come early in the season.

The Northern Pacific will make a rate of a fare and a third for the Minnesota-Wisconsin foot ball game at Minneapolis on November 4. This will make the round trip price $11.70. Tickets will be on sale Friday evening and are good returning until Monday night.

The Red Lake Falls creamery will close for the winter on November 1, and H. A. Blaisdell, the buttermaker, will leave for his home at Janesville, Minn. Mr. Blaisdell has been very successful in managing the creamery the past year and the patrons will be glad to hear of his return next spring.

Wiley Tindolph, the well-known Thief Riverite, returned yesterday from an extended trip to the coast. Mr. Tindolph visited the fair at Portland, of course, and stopped at Seattle, Salt Lake City and Denver while enroute home. He stopped over at Red Lake Falls a few hours yesterday while homeward bound.

Princeton Union: According to statistics the average production of butter in Minnesota is 166 pounds per cow per annum. Dairying authorities state that by proper care and management this can be increased to 475 pounds per cow per annum. This should be an incentive to farmers to look alive to their interests.

August Krueger has decided to start a harness shop at Antler, Bottineau county, N. D., and will move his family to that place in the near future. Mr. Krueger says his own has a big territory and that the crops are unusually large there this year. August's many Red Lake Falls friends will wish him all kinds of success in his new location.

T. C. Brunelle has sold his harness stock to August Krueger, who will move the goods to Antler, N. D., one of the new Great Northern towns in Bottineau county. Mr. Brunelle [illegible]

[illegible] is an old insurance man with twenty years' practical experience and says he is meeting with pronounced success with his new venture.

George Lang was up from Cottonwood, Minn., this week looking after his farm near town. George was formerly a resident here and says he is well enough satisfied with Red Lake county to hold his land, and it is not at all unlikely that he may conclude to move back here before long. The COURIER is indebted for a pleasant call and a payment on subscription.

The assessment extension for Thief River Falls has been completed by County Auditor Ford and shows a decrease of $17,000 from last year. The total for real estate is $341,572, and for personal property $135,417, making an aggregate of $476,989. The total for Red Lake Falls city will be a trifle under $400,000. The exact figures will be ready within a few days.

Fire Warden Drier has a notice in the COURIER this week relative to the use of manure for banking houses and barns. Manure must not be used for this purpose unless fully protected with a covering of earth. He also gives notice that straw and hay stacks will not be allowed within seventy-five feet of buildings, and ashes must not be piled in close proximity to buildings.

The open weather of the past week continues to hang on throughout northern Minnesota and farmers are rushing plowing. The weather reports several days ago, stated that a cold snap would sweep over the country, but so far the zero weather predicted has failed to materialize. Four weeks of bright sunshine and warm weather would mean much to the farmers of this section, who still have enormous acreages of unplowed fields.

A state free traveling library has been installed at Reichert's drug store, and the books are free to all our people. There are fifty volumes in the library and the books will be exchanged for new ones every six months. The public library commission is doing a good work in placing these libraries in towns and school districts and is putting the best books at the command of all the people without expense except the carrying charges.

O. T. Tandberg, former county treasurer, was down from Thief River Falls over Saturday night calling on friends. Mr. Tandberg has recently accepted the special agency of the German Mutual Dwelling House Fire Insurance company for Red Lake, Polk and Marshall counties and expects to devote his entire time to this work. Mr. Tandberg enjoys a wide acquaintance in these counties and no doubt will do a good business for the company.

Daniel Patterson, Otto Zaiser and Gilbert Haavi, who were appointed viewers for the proposed new county ditches in Gervais and Black River townships, started on their work Monday and will be kept busy for a week or more. A meeting of the board of county commissioners will be held in the near future to act upon the report of the viewers, and it is likely the sale of ditching jobs will be held about the first of January. Both of these ditches are needed badly and no objection to their construction is anticipated.

Dr. J. E. Argue left Friday evening for Chicago, where he will spend a week looking after business matters and visiting friends. Dr. Argue has recently received a patent on a very handy little contrivance which will doubtless be in demand in dental offices. It is a tool for expelling mercury from amalgam, something which has always heretofore been accomplished by a crude and laborious process. The doctor expects to confer with dental instrument dealers relative to the manufacture and sale of his patent, and there is every reason to believe he will make a nice profit from the invention.

The funeral of the late L. A. Dautremont was held from St. Joseph's church Saturday morning, Rev. Father Fayolle officiating, and the remains interred in the cemetery at this place. A large concourse of friends gathered to pay the last tribute to the dead. The COURIER was in error last week in stating that Mr. Dautremont was born in France. He was of French ancestry, but was born in Angelica, Penn., where he lived until about ten years of age. He afterwards moved to Ohio, going from there to Washington county, Iowa. All of the children, with the exception of two sons in Montana, were present during their father's final illness.

The Courier $1. one year.

Found—mouthpiece for a horn. Owner can have same by calling at COURIER office.

"Ding-dong!" said the big church bell,
"A supper to-night and things to sell,
Ding-dong! I do declare,
Here I'm rung in on a vestry fair.
I've a mind to stick and refuse to ring,
For I wasn't donated for such a thing.
But my, oh, my! How sweet that smells!
I wish that coffee were good for bells!"
For at every pull the sexton gave
The bell swung out above the pave,
And at every swing he got the scent,
And on he swung there, all content.
Said down below good pastor Pipp,
Fingers tapping, tip to tip,
"I have been asked by all who're here
To say unto the sister dear,
Who brought the coffee here to-night,
That we consider it her right
To thus be thanked in public wise—
She finds great favor in our eyes.
May all her deeds smell sweet as this
By which she brings her neighbors bliss."
Thought blushing Mrs. Jones, "I knew
What CHASE & SANBORN'S brand would
do."
Good deeds, you know, are only lent,
And so she smiled in deep content.

...A FULL LINE OF...

Chase & Sanborn's Teas and Coffees

...FOR SALE AT...

THE BIG STORE..

The place where it pays to trade.

TIME GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

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Merchants State Bank

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INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

DEFECTIVE PAGE

ALCOHOL IN MOST MEDICINES.

Indispensable Requisite in Compounding of Some Prescriptions.

It is of course true that some proprietary medicines contain alcohol and nearly all liquid medicines prescribed by physicians contain it. No honest man will defend the sale of intoxicants under the guise of medicine; but every honest man should protest against a system of wholesale denunciation born of malice or ignorance of pharmaceutical principles and fostered by selfish interests. It is assumed that alcohol is the cause of intemperance; but there is a great difference between alcohol and whisky. If a substitute for alcohol could be found for use in the manufacture of medicines its discoverer would render a great service to the profession of pharmacy and the science of medicine, for alcohol is a very expensive ingredient and a cheaper substitute would be gladly accepted. Unfortunately the word alcohol in the minds of many people is associated exclusively with bar-rooms, drunkenness and all forms of degradation and vice. This is due to a lack of knowledge by the general public of the fact that alcohol is an indispensable requisite in drugs, tinctures and fluid extracts. All fluid extracts and tinctures on the druggists' shelves contain from 20 to 90 per cent of alcohol; and of all liquid medicines prescribed by physicians more than 75 per cent contain it in large proportions.

Alcohol is required to preserve organic substances from deterioration and from freezing, and it is also required to dissolve substances not soluble in water, while it contriblutes to their preservation when dissolved. Diluted alcohol is largely employed in fluid extracts; and whenever a greater strength of alcohol is required as a solvent (for extracting medicinal principles) the medicine is of such a character as to preclude a large dosage; and for this reason preparations, even if containing 50 per cent or more of alcohol are practically less intoxicating than beer. In such cases the character of the medicinal constituents is such as to absolutely forbid the taking of the medicine in any way except in very small doses and at stated intervals only. To assume that any great number of proprietary medicines are used as beverages is the veriest absurdity.—Exchange.

A WATCH HIS ONLY WEAPON.

What Chance Did He Have Against the Man With a Frying Pan.

Alton B. Parker was talking at Esopus about graft.

"And the worst of it is," he said 'that the typical grafter has, on detection, an injured air—an air of injured and reproachful innocence. He reminds me of the man who was accused of stealing a watch.

"The man pleaded not guilty; he even brought against the complainant a counter charge of assault. The latter, he declared, had assaulted him with a frying pan.

"Well, the case came into court and in the heat of cross-examination the man lost his head a little.

"'You dare to say,' shouted the cross-examiner, 'that my client attacked you with a frying pan?'

"'Yes, sir,' said the man, gulping nervously.

"Came at you with a frying pan, eh! And you—a big, strong fellow like you—had you nothing in your hand to defend yourself with?'

"'Only the watch, sir,' said the witness 'And what'—his voice was hurt, reproachful—'what's a watch against a frying pan?'"

Good News for All.

Bradford, Tenn., Oct. 23d.—(Special.)—Scientific research shows Kidney Trouble to be the father of so many diseases that news of a discovery of a sure cure for it cannot fail to be welcomed all over the country. And according to Mr. J. A. Davis of this place just such a cure is found in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Davis says:

"Dodd's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed for them. They have done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I had Kidney Trouble very bad and after taking a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I am completely cured. I cannot praise them too much."

Kidney complaint develops into Bright's Disease, Dropsy, Diabetes, Rheumatism and other painful and fatal diseases. The safeguard is to cure your kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills when they show the first symptom of disease.

Misunderstood.

"I didn't know young Snobberly really took any interest in politics."

"Nonsense! He doesn't."

"But I just heard him talking for the past ten minutes about 'party ties.'

"Oh, he means white lawn bows."—Philadelphia Press.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"Gabbleton is very fond of criticising his neighbors, isn't he?"

"Yes, he engages in an extravagant use of projectiles for a person residing in a conservatory."—Puck.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Opportunity is only the obverse of obligation.

Farewell.

Oh, drowsily the breezes lingered over
lane and lea,
And wayward moonbeams, fairy-fingered,
lushed the restless sea,
When through the meadows, dim with
shadows, came my love to me.

A dainty ditty he was singing—Oh, I
loved him well!
And all the world went idly swinging
where the echoes fell,
While soft, serene, by hill and dene there
throbbed an evening bell.

Oh, wistfully the winds went sailing o'er
the sobbing sea,
And cloud-wrack swift with moonlight
trailing worked its wizardry,
When far away, as lovers may, went
forth my love from me.
—Wilfrid L. Randell, in Boston Transcript.

HURLBUT'S QUEST

BY NELLIE CRAVEY GILMORE

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Russell had made no mistake. There was but one jewel like that in the whole world. He had made sure of that before he bought it for his wife—ten years before. Curious it was; a solid diamond heart, flanked by a score of tiny ruby ones, held in place by the finest thread of gold that was quite invisible at the distance of a few feet.

To-night she was wearing it in a new place—as a sole ornament to the gleaming pile of corn-gold hair that, alone, might have made Nannie Russell beauty-famous. But besides this, there were eyes of a matchless ambergray, a richly pale, perfect skin, and fine, scarlet lips that were gravely sweet.

Russell gradually let his eyes away from the jewel to a furtive contemplation of his wife's familiar features. No; seven years had made slow progress in ageing a woman of this indestructible type. If anything, she had grown more splendid in her thirties than she had ever been in the old girlhood days of their first love.

She was conversing spiritedly with an ambassador, and Russell thanked Heaven that he had been allotted a seat at the other end of the table. She would hardly bestow more than a casual glance in that direction, and he relied upon his short beard and eyeglasses to protect him from recognition.

The dinner progressed tiresomely, and the running fire of small talk Russell found himself obliged to keep up with the lady on his right, was about the hardest work the young broker had ever done in his life.

Presently there was a lull, and he became conscious that all eyes were turned upon the man who sat directly opposite to him.

"Yes," Hurlbut was saying, "it seems I am here on a very absurd quest, considering the fact that I don't even know the fellow's name or address—or that of any of his friends. All I have to go on is that he lived on Fifth avenue seven years ago—was tall and dark and smooth-faced, with the 'prettiest wife in New York,' and spent his work hours on Wall street."

Russell started. Luckily no one was looking at him, and the ridiculous red that poured over his face went unnoticed. After all, how many thousand people there were to whom this description might apply as well as to himself! He sincerely hoped he was not growing egotistic.

"The man was dying, you see—it was out in India—and all I could get out of him was that this friend of his had brought a lot of trouble and seeming disgrace upon himself in trying to shield him from it, and that I must move Heaven and earth to locate him and make matters right between him and his wife, who, it appears, left him because of this thing."

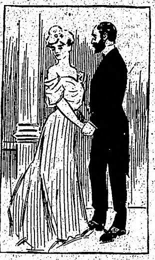
Russell shifted his gaze transiently to his wife's face. From pale, it had grown all at once bloodless, and she was leaning forward with parted lips and wide, tense eyes. A remark from her dinner partner recalled her to herself, and sent the crimson to her cheeks. She made some hurried response, laughing in a half-hysterical little way to conceal her agitation. Then she looked back at Hurlbut again; he had stopped talking, and Russell almost jumped at the sound of his wife's clear, controlled tones.

She had grown more splendid in her thirties.

"Do tell us all about it, Mr. Hurlbut," she was saying, "a romance like that is too rare not to be interesting."

"There isn't really much more to tell," he answered, smiling, "that's where the trouble comes in. Evans was always more or less gloomy—almost melancholy—except at times; then he was unpleasantly hilarious. One day he got confidential and told me all about his trouble, but withholding the names of the parties. A month later, he was stricken with a fever, and they sent for me at his request. In some way, he made it known to me that I must look up these people and make things right, now that he was going. But he was too far gone to talk distinctly, and I never could get at the names. The story, in brief, however, is this:

"He was staying with some friends in town two weeks prior to his wedding. A young lady was there, at the house, and Evans—man-like—found himself making love to her in spite of himself. One night, he kissed her in the rose-garden. In some way, it has never been discovered how, the fact came to the ears of his fiancee. She wrote an immediate letter, dissolving their relationship. Evans replied, asseverating his innocence. He could not do otherwise. But the girl refused to budge. He confided in his friend, who, like a brave Don Quixote, took the affair into his own hands and went to see the girl, and, in order to prove to her that Evans was innocent, himself took the blame of the whole thing, and swore that he it was who kissed the young lady in the rose garden. And in turn, the young lady who was kissed, betrayed the man to his wife, and the wife took French leave."



"I am afraid she has never ceased to—"

"But did the girl—the one who was kissed—did she uphold the husband in his deception, to protect the other girl's fiancee?"

"Just exactly."

"Then I should have thought that the husband would have explained everything to his wife!"

"He tried to—pleadings were vain."

"I don't much blame her, do you?"

"Well—I hardly know."

"A man's reply. Were there any children?"

"I don't think so."

"That was lucky. So many women have to endure a continual flagellation of their souls if there are children."

"But the man—think of him! He loved his wife; he must have suffered terribly when she turned on him."

"If he loved her so much, why did he place her in such a position?"

"He thought he could explain; thought that she would trust and believe him. And he loved his friend, and couldn't bear to see his life wrecked all on account of a little nonsense."

Mrs. Russell laughed then, the tension had to give way somewhere, and when she looked up again, her eyes were calm, with a new light in them. "Quite a little drama," she remarked, "and so it has fallen to your lot to arrange a climax!"

"In a way, it has."

"And do you think the woman would believe—"

"On the oath of a dying man, I think so. Don't you?"

She nodded. "I think she would like to, at any rate."

"I gave Evans my solemn promise."

"Why did he wait so long to set matters straight?"

"He never knew of the estrangement till a year ago. He went to India, you see."

After that there was a silence, and soon the hum of general conversation was resumed.

Half an hour later, on emerging from the smoking room, Russell found himself being presented to his wife.

At the sound of his name, she looked up, startled, and the color faded swiftly from her face and lips.

"Francis!" The name came involuntarily in a sharp whisper.

[illegible] introduced [illegible] had disappeared, and Russell drew his wife's hand within his and led her out into the cool, shadowy moonlight.

"Nannie," he said, suddenly getting both her hands in his, "do you think that that woman would still like to believe that her husband had told her the truth."

She met his gaze for an instant, impassioned, pleading, compelling, and her eyes went down.

"I am afraid she has never—ceased to—believe, dear, since it was—too late."

He stooped and took her in his arms, but for only a moment. Some one was coming, and they moved off down the veranda. At the end of it they came face to face with Hurlbut. Russell held out his hand.

"First chance I've had to speak to you, old man. I was very much interested in that little story of yours tonight. Meet me at the club to-morrow at one, and I may be able to give you a clue." He turned to his wife with a little half-laugh, "and if you'll condescend to dine with us at seven, there may be even a chance of meeting some of the dramatis personae."

TURNED JOKE ON HIS FRIEND

Political Orator Delivered Speech the Other Had Prepared.

In the Hayes-Tilden campaign the Hon. W. W. Rice of Worcester, Mass., was a candidate for Congress, and made a desperate fight for his election. He had secured the aid of a friend of Gen. Butler to speak for and with him.

On the 20th and last night of the campaign Mr. Rice, who before that had always spoken first, said to his friend as they were driving to Westboro, "Joe, you must speak first tonight."

The reply was: "I have raked after the cart so far, and decline respectfully to change the program." Mr. Rice insisted, and his friend said, "Well, what shall I talk about?" "Anything you please."

The thought flashed through his friend's mind to play a little joke on the principal, and he replied, "All right, I will open the meeting and give you the pleasure of closing it."

Mr. Rice had prepared carefully a speech which he had given at all his meetings, and his friend had heard it so often that he was familiar with all its details. When the meeting was called to order Mr. Rice's friend was introduced as the first speaker and exhausted, in his own choice of words every point of Mr. Rice's speech.

As he sat down, Mr. Rice slapped him on the knee and said, "Joe, when I get you out of doors, I'll give you a sound spanking." Which he forgot to do, as he had enough to do to extemporize a speech in his turn at the wheel.

Sky Falls.

"Many stones must fall into the sea," says a contributor to the Windsor. "Sailors have described their weird appearance in the night watches, but unfortunately the trail of the sea serpent is over all salt-water yarns, and they get discredited. One such fall may be quoted here, because it is near at home—at Dover, Dec. 17, 1852, and was witnessed by a naval officer, Lieut. Higginson. 'At three minutes past five in the morning,' he writes, 'the meteor having spanned the channel from S. E. to N. W. upon approaching the land, evidently throwing off portions of its substance as it passed through the atmosphere with a terrific rushing noise the nucleus suddenly exploded with a report similar to a heavy clap of thunder. The great body of the meteorite seemed to fall into the water, about half a mile from the land—as indicated by a vast volume of spray which rose foaming in the distance. Some fragments of the exploded aerolite were picked up along the sea beach."

Unconventional Call.

Mme. Rejane, the great French actress, has received a call by balloon at her summer villa at Hennequeville. At the hour of afternoon tea, five o'clock, there settled down on the lawn an airship, and standing up in it was Mme. Henri Lettellier, who observed quietly as she extended her hand to the astonished lady of the house, "We have called to thank you, dear madame, for your co-operation in our charity play."

"This is the first time anybody has dropped from the clouds to thank me," said Rejane.

"It is the way we have, in 1905 of paying tribute to talent," was the ready response.

A Sweet Young Face.

Along the noisy city ways,
And in the rattling city car,
On this the dreariest of days,
Perplexed with business fret and jar,

When suddenly a young sweet face
Looked on my petulance and pain,
And lent it something of its grace,
And charmed it into peace again.

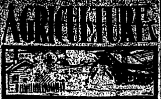
The day was just as bleak without,
My neighbors just as cold within,
And truth was just as full of doubt,
The world was just as full of sin.

But in the light of that young smile
The world grew pure, the heart grew
warm,
And sunshine gleamed a little while
Across the darkness of the storm.

I did not care to seek her name,
I only said, "God bless thy life,
Thy sweet young face be still the same,
Or happy maid or happy wife."
—Phillips Brooks.

Third Belmont to Join Racing Game.

August Belmont III, though he has decided to take part in business affairs, evidently does not mean to keep out of the sporting game altogether. He has made application for membership in the Jockey club, which will elect him no doubt at the next meeting. It is his intention to relieve his father of much responsibility in connection with eastern racing affairs.



Electricity in Agriculture.

For at least half a century men have been discussing the possibilities in the application of electricity to the growing of plants. I saw in an old paper published before 1850 a long article on some experiments being made in the application of electricity to growing plants, and also predictions as to the future of such a combination. Within the last fifteen years a great many experiments have been made along this line. The students of agriculture have not, however, put very much faith in the use of electricity in the growing of crops. There may be, however, more in it than now seems possible. The experiments made in the last ten years have occurred in almost every country of Europe and America, and from latitudes varying from the polar regions to the tropics. While the results have not been altogether favorable, yet the majority of experiments have shown a decided increase in the speed with which plants grow when they are subjected to electrical conditions. Where electricity has been used in the growing of plants, there has been a noted increase in the digestible, nitrogenous matter in seeds, of the sugar in sugar beets, and of the elements that produce sweetness in berries. It must be realized that most of these experiments are carried on in green houses and very little in the open fields. Several of the late writers on electricity in its relation to agriculture figure out that in the experiments up to this time there has been an increase of 45 per cent in the crop where electricity was applied on land of average fertility. The better the land is cultivated, the more scientifically it is handled, and the more it is manured, the greater is the increase per cent. A striking fact is that on poor soils electricity does not seem to affect the plants. This would seem to indicate that the work of the electricity is to hasten the preparation of the plant food. This may be by stimulating the bacteria in the soil or by stimulating the energies of the plant in reaching out after the food. This would be further borne out by the fact that there are some vegetables that cannot endure the electrical treatment unless they are watered. If watered they make a very rapid increase. Among the plants thus sensitive are peas, carrots, and cabbage. There may be some electrical power in the sunshine, because it has been discovered in these experiments that when the electrical treatment is given during a sunshiny period, the vegetables are damaged and the treatment has to be discontinued during the hot periods on sunny days.—Charles Comstock, Cass Co., Mich., in Farmers' Review.

Storing Potatoes.

I have found in my experience on the farm that it is necessary to use considerable care in the storing of potatoes in the cellar if they are to be made to keep well throughout the winter and not sprout or rot. The storing in open bins used to be followed by my father when I was a boy, and the potatoes got a good deal of sunlight and warmth. The result was that several times throughout the winter we boys had jobs sprouting the potatoes. The work is all right, but the potatoes are reduced in condition each time they are permitted to sprout. The moisture that goes out in the sprouts leaves the tubers soft and wrinkled. In that condition they are of little value for eating and of less value for seed.

There are two things that need to be looked after in the storing of potatoes. One is to keep the potatoes boxed or barreled tight, so as not to permit the air to pass through the storage places and draw moisture from the tubers. The other is to keep the cellar cool. Under modern conditions this is more difficult than it was under the old conditions; for the reason that many of our farm houses are now heated by means of furnaces which greatly increase the warmth in the cellar. In a case of this kind it is absolutely necessary to have a second cellar beyond the first or have the first cellar divided into two parts by a double wall that will not permit the heat from the furnace to warm the air in the other portion. The windows from the cellar to the open air must be fixed to open, so that now and then throughout the winter the storage cellar may be filled with cool air. Potatoes must be kept from sprouting and must also be kept from losing moisture. They should be as sound and hard late in the winter as when first put into the cellar.—J. Y. Hudson.

Alfalfa Growing.

Many sections of the United States are now growing alfalfa in immense quantities, and the farmers do not have to think twice as to how they will succeed with alfalfa. But this has not always been the case. Alfalfa growing in any new locality has always been accompanied by serious problems that had to be solved. Even in the states best adapted to it, it was at first destroyed by over pasturing, the ranchmen supposing that it would stand the same severe pasturing as buffalo grass. It took some time for each locality to learn that there were certain things that had to be considered in the successful growing of alfalfa.

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Ponderous Don'ts.

Mr. Grover Cleveland doesn't think women should join clubs or have the right of suffrage. When he gets through his list of "don'ts" will he kindly indicate the privileges that they may legitimately enjoy?—Boston Transcript.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Charles Bird, Minneapolis, Minn., dumping platform; Martin Brennan, Garretson, S. D., harrow; Almon Dutton, Pleasant Grove, Minn., fence post; Eberhard O. Hough, Fosston, Minn., grain seive; Joseph Kugler, Waconia, Minn., surgical appliance; George Wilson, St. Paul, Minn., game apparatus; Charles Wyman, Anoka, Minn., harvester.

Joke on Jacob Riis.

Once in a Massachusetts town Jacob A. Riis was asked by a gaunt, funeral sort of a chap what he should say by way of introducing him to an assemblage. "Oh," replied Mr. Riis in a spirit of levity, "say anything you like. Say I am the most distinguished man in the country. They generally do." Whereupon his serious-minded friend marched upon the stage and calmly announced that he did not know this man Riis whom he was charged to introduce, and had never heard of him. "He tells," he went on with never a wink, "that he is the most distinguished citizen in the country. You can judge for yourselves when you have heard him."—Kansas City Journal.

THE BOSTON BAG EVIL.

Even the Men at the Hub Are Carrying Them Now.

"The Boston bog is a growing evil," said a man who has just returned from the Hub. "Formerly it was only the women who carried them, but now no Boston man is correctly equipped for the street who does not carry a bag. Every day in Boston I saw scores of business men carrying large green or blue broadcloth bags, exactly like those the women affect. They contain their books, papers, small packages, and on one occasion I saw a man dive into his bag for street car fare.

"Do you think you could hire a Kansas City man to do that?"

THE SECRET OF YOUTH.

De Soto looked for the secret of youth in a spring of gushing, life-giving waters, which he was sure he would find in the New World. Alchemists and sages (thousands of them), have spent their lives in quest for it, but it is only found by those happy people who can digest and assimilate the right food which keeps the physical body perfect that peace and comfort are the sure results.

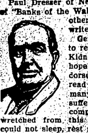
A remarkable man of 94 says: "For many long years I suffered more or less with chronic costiveness and painful indigestion. This condition made life a great burden to me, as you may well imagine.

"Two years ago I began to use Grape-Nuts as food, and am thankful that I did. It has been a blessing to me in every way. I first noticed that it had restored my digestion. This was a great gain, but was nothing to compare in importance with the fact that in a short time my bowels were restored to free and normal action.

"The cure seemed to be complete, for two years I have had none of the old trouble. I use the Grape-Nuts food every morning for breakfast and frequently eat nothing else. The use has made me comfortable and happy, and although I will be 94 years old next fall, I have become strong and supple again, erect in figure and can walk with anybody and enjoy it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a Reason. [illegible] Wellville [illegible]

GREAT SONG WRITER.

Paul Dresser, the Popular Composer, Cured by Doan's Kidney Pills.



Paul Dresser of New York, author of "Banks of the Wabash" and many other great song hits, writes:

Gentlemen: I wish to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, in the hope that my endorsement will be read by some of the many thousands of sufferers from kidney complaint. I was so wretched from this malady that I could not sleep, rest nor eat, and had a weak and aching back. Doan's Kidney Pills effectually cured me, and I wish that others may know.

(Signed) PAUL DRESSER.

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Just What He Meant.

"Yes," said Popley, "my baby's got hair like I'm pretty sure to have some day."

"Ha! ha! You mean the baby's pretty sure to have hair some day like you've got."

"I mean what I said. The baby's bald."—Philadelphia Press.

A Severe Blow.

"The disappearance of the lobster is going to be a severe blow to the members of at least two professions."

"What are they?"

"Physicians and humorists."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WHEAT

Since the publication of our last review a number of important developments touching the wheat situation have come to life. American wheat is practically on a basis where exports may be made, but the shortage of cars to transport the grain to tidewater has proved a considerable obstacle to a free foreign movement. As a result stocks have increased at several of the primary points despite the normal foreign demand.

In the Northwest, however, the intense activity of the mills has a tendency to hold down undue accumulations, and the shipments of flour are something tremendous.

The speculative wheat market is strongly supported on each decline by the most powerful interests in the trade. This support is given openly, but without any blare of trumpets. As a direct consequence of the stiffness in our markets the foreigner has been obliged to come to us, and not we to him as has been the custom in years past.

Alarmist rumors of locusts in the wheat fields of Argentina have been published and denied several times. It may be that the insect pests will shorten the yield of that important country, but it is too early to make a definite statement on that subject. Disregarding the locust stories we advise purchases of wheat on conditions which are more clearly legitimate.

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The Policy Holders' Committee at No. 77 Jackson Blvd., Chicago, will give complete information about the expenditure of $200,000 of company funds as commissions to Mr. Rosenfeld for the purchase of Life Insurance Company of Pennsylvania business made on or about February 20th, 1905, and the expenditure of $200,000 on September 20th, 1905, to purchase 8,000 shares of stock in the Security Life and Annuity Company, (par value $10 per share.) Mr. Moulton, Mr. Rosenfeld and Mr. Moore, the Executive Committee, are now cited by Judge Kohlsaat to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt in making the last transaction. Make inquiry at once. HERVEY B. HICKS, Chairman.

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(Mention this paper.)

DAIRY NOTES

Creamery Sewage.

We frequently notice in creamery papers reports of creameries having trouble with sewage. This sewage consists largely of refuse from milk vats and washings from the floors of the creamery. This contains a large amount of casein. When this putrifies it produces an odor that is as offensive as decaying animal matter. It is no wonder, therefore, that when this sewage is run off in almost open ditches through a settled community, it has been the cause of suits and injunctions against the creameries. There is no reason why the matter of sewage should make trouble if the latest scientific methods are known to the creamery manager. What is known as the septic tank system is proving a complete success everywhere. This consists in conveying the sewage through a perfectly tight pipe some hundreds of feet to a closed tank or vat, in which the material is almost stagnant for some hours. The capacity of the tank must be great enough so that the flow of water through it will be very slow. Cross planks are put in to impede the progress of the sewage. At the further end of this tank, at the bottom, is an orifice permitting the outflow of the clear water. If this tank is tight, what is known as anaerobic bacteria, that is, bacteria living without air, operate upon the scum that forms in the tank and entirely destroy the organic matter, changing it into gas. In this way everything is destroyed except the ash. Nothing putrifies, for the putrifactive bacteria are not present. Therefore no offensive smells are engendered. This sysetm is now being used in the sewage systems of 500 cities in Europe and America. It is equally suitable to creameries, cheese factories and farms. The procedure of its operation is so well known that any state experiment station can supply the required information. Every farmer that reads this paper, and every creamery manager, can make himself the possessor of the theories in practice in this matter, for the process itself is not patented, although some companies have been formed that claim to have patented certain methods in connection with it. It is safe to say, however, that none of these patents are essential to the operation of the system.—Elmer Ashton, Bureau Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Best Pasture for Milch Cows.

By long experiment it has been learned that the best pasture for milch cows is that containing 8 or 10 varieties of grass. It is desirable that the grasses be of such a character that they will mature at different times from late spring to late fall. By having mixed grasses in the pasture a greater weight of herbage is obtained than when one kind of grass is used. When one kind only is used there is a flush period when it is approaching maturity, and after that the grass declines in succulence and does not thereafter produce the same luxuriant growth that it did at the first of the season. The practice of sowing timothy, clover and blue grass in the pasture is not to be commended. The clover soon dies out and very little of it remains after the third year. This applies, of course, to the permanent pasture. In the system of rotation, of which the pasture forms part, clover and timothy may well be used. In some parts of the country several varieties of blue grass are used as a foundation for pasturage. Kentucky blue grass and Canadian blue grass, though similar in name, are dissimilar in looks and habits of growth. These do not ripen at the same time. At the Missouri station are to be seen large pastures of blue grass in all their luxuriance, and in these pastures the Canadian and Kentucky varieties are the most prominent. The best pasture for milch cows is that pasture that produces a large amount of succulent feed throughout the growing season. Cows should not be compelled to wander over large areas to secure the food necessary to sustain themselves and manufacture milk.

The Weight of Milk.

Professor Van Norman of the Indiana Experiment Station says that one gallon of milk of average density weighs 8 pounds 9½ ounces. This will vary slightly according to the amount of cream in it. The greater the proportion of cream the less will be the weight, as cream is lighter than the milk. In the weighing of cream, the percentage of fat counts largely. If the cream contains 15 per cent of butter fat, it will weigh 8 pounds and 6 ounces. If it contains 35 per cent of fat, it will weigh 8 pounds 3 ounces; 40 per cent, 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

Milk for the City.

Any farmer engaged in supplying milk for the city should be as conscientious about it as he is about the milk produced for his own family. He should not use any kind of preservative, and should see that the milk is fresh when it leaves the farm. Mixing old milk and new milk results in a great increase of the bacterial content, as the temperature of the old milk is raised by the new. If the morning's milk and the night's milk are to be poured together for one delivery, the mixing should not be until after the temperature of the last milking has been reduced as low as possible.

POULTRY

How Many Varieties?

The number of varieties of fowl that a farmer should keep will depend a great deal on what he wishes to do with his fowls. There are three different procedures looking to three different ends. The ordinary farmer that wants poultry as a side issue, and who intends to sell a good many birds and eggs in the market, and has nothing but revenue to look for from them will do well to confine himself to one kind of fowl. If he has but one variety and they are kept pure, he will find it possible to produce birds of a uniform size, and now and then he will find it very easy to sell some at more than ordinary prices. His eggs, too, will be of one size and one color. On the other hand, if he wishes to have a flock to supply himself and his family and does not expect to sell dressed poultry or eggs, then he can just as well have a mixed flock, or even nondescripts. The advantage of this is that some of these birds will lay at different times of the year, and a mixed flock well fed will give eggs during much of the winter months as well as the summer months. The man that wishes to keep a number of varieties is generally a man who has either a scientific leaning toward investigation, or is building up a trade in breeding stock. Sometimes one farmer will keep forty or fifty varieties of land and water fowls. The only difficulty about this is that some buyers prefer to purchase from a man that keeps but one variety, as there is less likely to be a mistake made in the breeding of the birds, and the eggs that he buys for setting purposes. Thus, the man that wants to buy pure Plymouth Rock eggs is more than likely to send to the man that has Plymouth Rocks only than to the man that has a dozen varieties of land fowls, for he rightly judges that in the latter case it is very likely that a mistake will be made somewhere along the line from the time the eggs are collected from the nests until the time they are shipped.

Slyvanus Banks.

Champaign County, Ill.

Clean Eggs.

The eggs from some farms are always clean, and from other farms are always dirty. We know of poultry houses where at least half the eggs gathered are stained with mud. This is because the hen yard is small and the situation low. Water gathers in front of the poultry house door, and when the hens go out and in they naturally beat the soil into a mud. A single hen going onto a nest of eggs will stain nearly every egg. As poultry raisers know, it is practically impossible to wash these stains off. The glutinous substance on the outside of the egg shell seems to catch and hold the dirt, and it is no easy task to remove it. It is perfectly easy to keep the eggs clean by keeping clean the surroundings of the poultry house. If any farmer will notice the market quotations, he will see that dirty eggs sell at a very much lower price than clean eggs. The difference in the prices is what the farmer loses by permitting his eggs to become dirty. This loss is the more inexcusable as it is an unnecessary one. It is easy enough to keep the hen yard clean and the nests clean.—Peter Graham, Bourbon Co., Kan.

Wildness of the Turkey.

The wildness of the turkey has never been bred out of it, except in a minor degree. Breeding the turkey in confinement has seldom been attempted by farmers that have made a business of raising turkeys. They have recognized the fact that the turkey requires freedom and a considerable territory to roam over. Instead of attempting to breed out this quality, they have catered to it. The work of breeding out the wildness has hardly begun. The wild instincts are also retained by the use of new turkeys captured from the woods. The elimination of the instinct for roaming would greatly increase the number of turkeys being raised in the country.

The Old Breeds of Fowls.

Other things being equal, the old breeds of fowls are generally superior to the new ones, for the very reason that their characteristics are well fixed. Thus, the Dorking, the oldest fowl known to the western world, has its domestic instincts thoroughly established, though it lacks a little in the egg-producing power. The Langshans, centuries old, can be depended upon to give black birds of great hardiness, and of ability to produce larger numbers of eggs. The same is true of the original forms of the Brahmas and Leghorns. We should demand more in new breeds than mere changes in color of feather.

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People that visit show rooms frequently wonder at the brightness of the combs and wattles of the birds. Those in the secret know that these combs and wattles have been daily rubbed with a mixture composed of two parts of alcohol and one part of glycerine.

There is a difference between roup and cold, but poultry should not be allowed to take cold. The cold makes the roup more possible as the germs of the disease can then find a chance to develop.

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A Word Hunt.

Towne—You don't like Mr. and Mrs. Woodby Kulchert to call on you, eh? What's the matter? Do they stay too late?

Browne—It isn't that they stay so late, but they keep us up so late.

Towne—What? I don't understand—

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Masculine Perversity.

Men are funny creatures to cater for. A woman will buy the things she wants, but a man will only buy the things he needs.—Tailor and Cutter.

RUSSIAN PRESCRIPTION BLANK.

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"It was a triangular piece of paper, eight inches long, two inches wide at one end and half an inch wide at the other. The edges were turned down a little to show the telephone number of the apothecary.

"If some of our physicians who prescribe eight or nine drugs for an ailment, in the hope, perhaps, that one will effect a cure, had to use one of these blanks he would have a hard time, and he'd have to write pretty small."

Wanted to Shave Him.

Here is an amusing story of a leading Thespian who engaged a green supe to assist him in a heavy tragedy. In one scene there was a robber's cave in which the robber was supposed to be hiding.

"Ha, ha!" shouted the leading man, nudging his assistant. "He is concealed amid the rocks. Go in and beard him in his den."

"Beard him?" responded the green supe. "You've engaged the wrong man. I ain't no barber. I never shaved a man in my life."—Columbus Dispatch.

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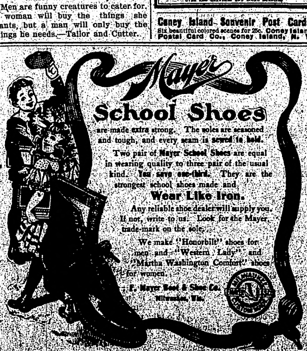

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"I had been suffering with falling of the womb for years and was passing through the change of life. My womb was badly swollen. I had a good deal of soreness, dizzy spells, headaches and was very nervous. I wrote you for advice and commenced treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as you directed, and I am happy to say that all those distressing symptoms left me, and I have passed safely through the change of life a well woman."

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When what you eat makes you uncomfortable it is doing you very little good beyond barely keeping you alive. Digestive tablets are worse than useless, for they will in time deprive the stomach of all power to digest food. The stomach must be toned up—strengthened. The herb tonic-laxative,

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Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

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BIG GAME SEASON IS HERE

Hunters Will Take to the East Woods in Pursuit of Deer and Moose November 10th.

The approaching cold weather calls to the mind of the hunter the fact that the big game season opens within a few days and already parties are organizing to have a go at the moose, deer and caribou in the tall timber east of here. There is a fascination about a big game hunt that puts the sportsman's blood at fever heat long before the season arrives and already many are polishing their trusty rifles and looking to their equipment. We would suggest that the local nimrods look well to the game laws before they make their pilgrimage to the big woods and for their benefit we publish the following condensed outline of the state law governing the handling of big game:

Deer and Moose—Season for killing.—No person shall hunt, catch, take, kill, ship, convey or cause to be shipped or transported by common or private carrier, to any person, either within or without the state, or purchase, expose for sale, have in possession or under control at any time, any elk, moose, thereof including the hides and horns, except as hereinafter provided. Provided that deer may be killed between Nov. 10 and Nov. 30 of the same year, and any deer or any part thereof may be had in possession by any person during said time; but no person shall kill or have in possession during said time more than two (2) deer, or parts thereof; and provided further, that any person who is lawfully in possession of any deer, or part thereof, may ship or cause the same to be shipped in the manner provided for by this chapter, but not otherwise; and provided further, that male, antlered moose may be killed between Nov. 10 and Nov. 30 of the same year, and any such male moose, or part thereof may be had in possession by any person during the time aforesaid, but no person shall kill or have in possession during said time more than one (1) male moose, or part thereof; and provided, further; that when any deer or such male moose or part thereof are lawfully in the possession of any person as provided for in this chapter, such person may continue in the possession of the same for five (5) days after the time herein limited for killing said animals; and provided further, that no cow or female moose can be killed or had in possession at any time.

COMMISSIONER TO RESIGN.

Chairmen of Township Boards Will Name Successor.

James Sutor has announced that he intends to sell his real estate and personal property holdings in Red Lake county and move to Washington state. He will probably resign his office as county commissioner from the first district soon after the January meeting of the board. His successor will be elected by the chairmen of the boards of supervisors comprising the district in which he is located. These townships are Black River, Polk Center, Louisville Bray and Numedal. There is no mention of any names in connection with Mr. Sutor's successor. The retiring official has served the county in the capacity of commissioner ever since the county was organized, and has been a capable and efficient public officer. He has hosts of friends who will regret his removal from Red Lake county.

A FAREWELL RECEPTION.

The following from the Twin Brooks, S. D., News, refers to Mr. Elmer E. Sugden, who came to Red Lake Falls last week to assume charge of the job department of the Courier:

"One of the most pleasant gatherings of the season took place last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beck in this city and was in the nature of a surprise party for Elmer Sugden who left that night for Red Lake Falls.

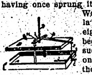
"Upon invitation about thirty young people had gathered when Mr. Sugden, in company with a couple friends came in. The surprise was complete, as he had no intimation of the presence of the guests. The evening was passed with games and social chat. Delicious refreshments were served, and it was at a late hour when the guests bade their host and hostess good night. Several of the young people escorted Mr. Sugden to the 12 o'clock train to "see him off." He leaves a large circle of friends in Twin Brooks whose good wishes go with him to his new location."

ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

AN EXCELLENT RAT TRAP.

Home-Made Device Which Will Catch the Most Wary and Cunning Rodent.

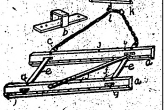
The only kind of trap proved to the writer a complete success is the deadfall shown in the accompanying cut. It has been used in his family for nearly half a century, catching, during that time, an army of rats. Simple in construction, it is, nevertheless, so swift and deadly in its action that any rodent, having once sprung it, never escapes. Wonderful to relate, as many as eight rats have been caught in such a trap at one time, which, though it did not kill them, held them prisoners until they could be dispatched, says Fred O. Sibley, in Epitomist. The platform A should be about 20 inches square, and the drop B consist of hardwood plank with two holes bored through exactly middle-way, so that it will slide readily up and down the posts supporting the crosspiece H. Through the center of this is a hole for the similar action of the circular post D, which is securely embedded into B. A piece of light band-iron is G, which, when the trap is set, rests on the support H and, being loosely fastened to D at I by an iron pin, thus holds up the plank B. The rat enters and begins nibbling at Indian meal sprinkled in the groove of the platform at J, and finally reaching the spindle, hidden beneath it, agitates it enough to displace the bottom E on the outside; this, in turn, releases both the string F and band-iron G, the latter of which, owing to the weight of the plank B, is drawn upward into a groove, sawed middle-way through D by its sliding down the hole in the center of H and as the motion of B is then exceedingly fast, the victim, ere it can scramble over the sides round the platform, is caught and killed. Provided the affair is nicely adjusted and made so that it operates easily, there is no patented trap on the market, to my knowledge, half as good, for it has such an innocent appearance that the oldest and most cunning rat will ultimately be caught by it. To work well the spindle C should have a little play, and the more lightly the button E rests against the notch cut in it and yet will hold, the better. Made on a smaller scale, this kind of trap is also most excellent with which to catch mice.



HOME-MADE ROAD SCRAPER

It Will Do as Good Work as the High-Priced Grader, and Is Very Durable.

In the illustration a a are 3x12x8 feet long, bottom edge beveled with its hoe of steel ¼x4 inches, bolted on cutting edge as shown at g. The crosspieces, e e, are bolted with inch bolts in mortises 1x8, two inches from the top of a a, and made out of 1x4x30-inch iron, which has holes in front ends to fasten draft chain to, also a hole in e at the right-hand end to bolt brace, f, on, which is also bolted to the rear a at h. The guider, f, is 1x2 inches and six feet long, with holes in back end so the rear a can be changed at any time so it will properly follow front a. A seat board, b, is bolted to a a at i i when team is hitched at b for ditching, and at j j when smoothing up the roadbed. The right-hand ends of a a are sloped back 45 degrees to prevent catching in the bank of side ditch. If properly made of good material, this is very durable, and does almost as good work as a costly grader.—Farm and Home.



ROAD GRADER.

FARM FACTS AND FANCIES.

Farming is a poor business when the farming is poor.

Wire fencing is more durable and cheaper than wood.

A farmer without plans is next to a ship without a rudder.

One way to increase the profits in farming is to reduce the cost of production.

What per cent. of that seed corn do you think will grow? If you haven't tested it, you don't know.

The greatest saving of time is made by the use of the best tools in the preparation of the ground, planting the seed, and after cultivation.

It is much more profitable to keep land in good condition than to get it out of such condition by one-sided fertilization and then try to bring it back.

Time will be saved and you will be apt to be more careful in your selection if the seed corn is selected this month. If you intend buying seed, place your order now.

Every farmer should have his seed corn testing patch on which competing selections from his own fields and varieties secured elsewhere may be subjected to a careful field test under his own eye.

THE VALUE OF GOOD COWS

Few Farmers Realize the Income Which May Be Realized from Them.

Prof. Eckels, in charge of the department of dairy husbandry at the University of Missouri, says of the value of good cows:

"Very few farmers realize the income that can be had from a good cow. The farmer who keeps a cow a year to raise a $15 or $20 calf, usually thinks he has done well, but his profits do not compare with those of the dairyman. Except with the high-priced registered cattle, the milk, not the calf, is the most valuable product of the cow.

"The milk produced by the average Missouri cow in a year will sell for about $50 at the creamery or when made into first-class butter. A good cow of the dairy breed will make at least $50 cash income every year. I have a list of about 50 Missouri farmers who report a cash income of $50 to $100 a cow every year, and these figures do not include the income from the sale of calves, and pigs fed on the skim milk. 'But,' says one, 'milking is a tremendous task.' As a matter of fact, it takes only 60 hours, worth 15 cents an hour, to milk a cow twice a day for ten months.

"Last year the cash income from the herd of cattle on the college farm was $82.50 a cow for butter sold and $12.50 a cow for milk, skimmed milk and calves, making a total income from each cow of $95. This year the average income per cow from the same source will be over $100 for the entire herd of 28. These results do not come from expensive or excessive treatment of any kind. But they are the result of doing the right things at the right time in the proper way."

A DAIRY CATECHISM.

Some Questions and Answers for the Education of the Keeper of Cows.

Q. How many kinds of cows are there?

A. Three.

Q. What are they?

A. Dairy cows, beef cows and combination cows.

Q. What is a dairy cow?

A. One that has the ability to turn all she may eat and digest, over and above that required for maintenance, toward the udder, there to be transformed into milk.

Q. What is the beef cow?

A. One that turns her surplus food into fat.

Q. What is the combination cow?

A. One that tries to take both turns of the road and never gets anywhere.

Q. What causes this difference in cows?

A. Heredity.

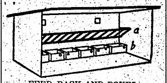
Q. What is heredity?

A. The biological law by which living beings, whether animal or plants, tend to reproduce themselves in their descendants.—Blooded Stock.

FEEDING RACK FOR CATTLE

Cattle Shed with Convenient Feeding Boxes for the Dairy Farm.

The cut shows interior of cattle shed arranged with rack and boxes for feeding, says Farm and Home. The rack, a, may be built of two by fours placed horizontally above and below with slats one by two or two by two vertically for holding the hay. The boxes, b, may be made of any suitable size. They are placed in position loose and have a large hole bored in one end to make them easily removed for cleaning, which we do after each feed.



FEED RACK AND BOXES.

HINTS FOR THE DAIRY.

Wasteful feeding may mean too much or too little.

Always skim sweet milk; never let cream thicken.

Cows should be milked with dry hands and the udders should be washed clean.

Provide a milking stool with a bottom to set the pail on for the boy. Don't expect him to hold the pail between his legs.

Improved machinery improves every industry. The dairy cow is the most important of the machinery connected with the dairy.

Cream is a very perishable article and must be kept under the most favorable conditions if good butter is to be made out of it.

A Missouri writer says: "Missouri has 800,000 dairy cows, and has sunshine, water, grass and feed enough to support 10,000,000 cows."

Any farmer that has ten or more cows should have a silo unless he is selling his milk to some company that refuses to take milk made out of silage.

Stable ventilation is best secured by some well-constructed and easily operated device, rather than by loose boards or accidental holes in the windows.

Borers.

Borers burrow in the base of the trunks of trees. The only way to fight them at this time of year is to inspect the trees and dig out the borers with a stiff wire. It is well to scrape all the loose bark off the trunks of the trees and whitewash them. This will at least make it easy to find the borers and the whitewash will perhaps prevent to some extent the entrance of borers.—Farmer's Review.

CONCERT TOMORROW NIGHT

The first of the winter series of monthly band concerts will be given at the Metropolitan opera house tomorrow evening, October 27. A program of unusual merit has been prepared, and it is hoped there will be a liberal attendance of our people. The program is as follows:

PART I

March—"On Dress Parade" . . . Chambers
Waltz—"Impassioned Dream" . . . Rosas
"Pilgrim Chorus" . . . Verdi
Baritone Solo . . . Selected
J. B. Armstrong.
Reading—"The Gladiator" . . .
Ralph Healy,
Pastrol—"The Blue and the Gray" . Drbly

PART II.

Vocal Solo . . . Selected
Mrs. Edwin H. Chase
Trombone and cornet duet . . . Selected
Harry and Ralph Healy.
Ready—"Tommy . . .
Miss Inez Linnihan
Selection—"Lucia de Lammermoor . . .
Donizette.

The price of admission will be 25, 35 and 50c. Invite your friends and the strangers in town to attend.

MARRIAGE TIES SEVERED.

Judge Watts Grants Two Divorces at This Term of Court.

In the district court Tuesday Annie J. Duntley was given a decree of divorce from Richard H. Duntley, on the grounds of desertion and ill treatment. The parties live in St. Hilaire, Mr. Duntley being proprietor of a confectionery store there.

Anna Blaine was also freed from the matrimonial knot that bound her to John Blaine. They are Thief River people.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

A Fine Distinction.

'Twas twins! The doctor laughed "Ha, ha!"
And the father laughed "He, he!"
A difference in the laughs, you'll note.
Now, wherefore should it be?

"Ha, ha!" is the proper thing to laugh
At thought of the bill and its joys.
"He, he!" is the laugh pronominal
When it's twins and the twins are boys!
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Time Wasted.

Miss Passay—He was so impatient. He wanted to marry me right away. But I said there was no hurry.

Miss Pert—The idea! And you getting older every minute!—Catholic Standard and Times.

Striking Him.

Quietly she came up behind him as he sat in his armchair and whispered.

"Will you let me have $10, dear?"

"I am surprised," he said, "that you would strike a man behind his back."—Yonkers Statesman.

A Trade In Love.

Little Willie; charming Sue.
Little Willie: "I love you."
Charming Susie: "Give to me
Half your apple, then I'll see."
Little Willie: "Take it, Sue."
Little Sue: "How I love you!"
—New York Times.

Took It Hard.

Gunner—I hear that Carter created a great uproar when he lost $200 at poker.

Guyer—Yes, he created as much uproar as if he had lost his collar button.—Detroit Tribune.

Notice to Property Owners.

Property owners in Red Lake Falls city are warned that banking houses or other buildings with manure is not allowed unless the manure is covered with earth. Straw and hay stacks are not allowed within seventy-five feet of buildings, and no ash heaps will be premitted in close proximity to buildings. Violations of these rules will be summarily dealt with.—John Drier, Fire Warden. 2 w.

SKIN DISEASES
SPEAK FOR THE BLOOD

Skin Diseases speak for the blood and tell of the acid-laden, poisonous condition of that vital fluid, and of its effort to throw off and rid the system of the poisons and waste matters that have accumulated in it. Eczema, Tetter, Acne, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, Boils and diseases of this type are all caused by a weakened and polluted blood circulation, and though they may have lain dormant in the system during the cold weather, at the coming of Spring and Summer, when the blood is reacting and making extra efforts to expel all morbid and poisonous matter, they make their appearance. External remedies cannot cure; they soothe and give temporary relief, but often clog the pores and glands, and the poison causing the trouble is thus shut up in the system to break out afresh later on. S. S. S., a purely vegetable blood remedy, cures all skin diseases by going down into the circulation, driving out all poisons and waste matters, strengthening the blood, leaving the skin soft and smooth, and building up the entire system by its tonic effect. S. S. S. cures Nettle Rash, Poison Oak and all skin diseases that enter the system through the pores and glands, as well as those that have their origin in the blood. Book on Skin Diseases and any advice wished, without charge.

In 1896 I experienced at times patches on the inside of my hands that itched and burned, causing much discomfort. I was convinced I was afflicted with a type of Eczema. I consulted several physicians, and used several external applications, receiving but slight temporary relief. I decided to try S. S. S., and soon I found myself entirely cured.
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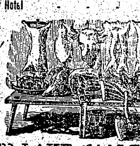

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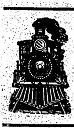

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FARM MACHINERY

I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

Get My Prices---I Can Save You Money

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WYLIE PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Injunction Sought to Restrain Great Northern From Tearing up Shirley Track.

Judge William Watts of the district court today set the hearing on the Wylie versus Great Northern injunction case for November 7th and on that date Attorney General Young and Assisstant general Stone in conjunction with County Attorney Thomas Germo, of Red Lake Falls will appear at Crookston to submit arguments in behalf of the Wylie people, and to set forth why the Great Northern, a semi-public service corporation, should be restrained from tearing up the rails between Wylie and St. Hilaire.

Some fine points of law, which have never been brought up in this state, will come out during the case, and from the standpoint of peculiar principles involved, the controversy will undoubtedly be a record breaker.

The decision of the district court in the matter is likely to be appealed from no matter which way the scales of justice tip, by the railroad company if against the corporation and by the Wylie people, if in favor of the railroad.

The application for a temporary injnnction submits many things, among which, is the fact that the line has been established for twenty years and that the people of Wylie and vicinity contributed to the road's financial coffers at the time it was built; that the railroad is a semi-public service corporation and has not the right, as such, to arbitrarily remove an established piece of road, to the inconvenience of the traveling public simply because the line does not pay.

Musical Instruments Below Cost.

We will give 25 per cent. discount on all violins, guitars and other small musical instruments for the next thirty days.—Anderson & Wander.

IT IS SELF SUSTAINING.

Postal Receipt Show Heavy Increaso For the Year.

A Washington telegram says that the forthcoming annual report of the postmaster general will show the twelve-month period ended June 30th to have been the banner year tn the history in postal receipts. Exclusive of rural free delivery the postoffice department is self-supporting, and while the deficit will be larger than a year ago a substantial increase in receipts will be recorded.

During the twelve months ending June 30 last 600,000,000 more postage stamps and stamped wrappers and postal cards were issued than for the corresponding period of a year ago. This resulted in increased receipts, approximating to $10,000,000.

The number of stamps and mailing devices issued and sold in the past year aggregated over $7,700,000,000 in value.

Advance figures from first-class postoffices indicate that the business in money orders aggregated close to $1,000,000,000, a gain of approximately 20 per cent.

While postal revenues come from various sources, the great bulk of the postal income is derivhd from the sale of stamps, post cards and envelopes and wrappers with stamps attached. Sales from these sources footed up to more than $141,000,000. Postage stamps, postal cards and wrappers of various kinds were sold to the number of 7,704,982,162, a tremendous increase over the sales of the preceding year.

Man's Unreasonableness.

is often as great as woman's, But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth. Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick. she could eardly leave her bed, and five (5) pnysicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties," Guaranteed by all Drufigisrs; 50c.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY DADS

Regular Meeting Held at The City Hall, October 26.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Rollcalled: Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge, street work.	19.80
Julius Keihe, do	16.50
D. W. Brown, "	90
Joseph Perros, "	6.00
Henry Peoutx, "	6.00
A. P. Tousin, insurance	5.80
Robertson Lbr Co., lumber	169.41

An amendment was introduced to the ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Rail way Co. its successors and assigns, the right to lay down, construct, maintain and operate a pipe line on 1st street in said city and on motion duly carried the amendment was adopted, and the ordinance as amended passed its second reading.

The city clerk was duly authorized to hire room in the vaults of the city banks for protecting city records etc.

Moved and carried that we submit to the legal voters of the city of Red Lake Falls Minn., the question as to whether or not the city council shall be authorized to appropriate the same of not to exceed $750. for the purpose of purchasing a chemical engine and apparatus for the fire department and that said question be submitted by inserting the same and the city ballots for the coming election to be held Nov. 7 1905.

On motion meeting adjourned.

President.

Approved this 1st day of November. A. D. 1905. J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest:

A. P. Toupin, City Clerk.

If you are troubled with indigestion, contipation, sour stomach, or any other pain, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets At A. L. Reichert.

PROJEECT FOR A BIG DITCH

State Drainage League Proposes to Reclaim 250,000 Acres East of Here.

In connection with the activities of the State Drainage League of Minnesota, there has come to light a proposition for one of the vastest and most auspicious drainage projects that has ever been launched in this state. The terms of this proposition are such as to include the drainage of 250,000 acres of the most fertile soil in the north country.

During the appeal in the State Drainage League for federal aid in Minnesota drainage before the congress next December there will no doubt come up for detail consideration a gigantic government ditch seventy-five miles long extending down the fifteen standard pile line through the very heart of Red Lake reservation from a point almost north of Bemidji and running westward to the outlet of Thief Lake.

The construction of such a ditch as this will be made entirely thru the government land and the petition may be based entirely upon the interests of their ownership or guardianship of Indian lands.

The cost of such a construction as will be proposed to the federal goverment will be in the neighborhood of $150,000. The topography of the country through which it is proposed to run is peculiarly suited to the economical and rapid building of the drainage ditch. Along the fifteen standard pile line and from fifteen to twenty miles north and south of it along the suggested route there is an even and level stretch of country and its soil is peculiarly adapted to the growing of small grains. The fifteen standard pile line marks the lowest depression of this land, running in a long and gradual slope without obstruction or watershed westward into Thief Lake.

At present this region is overflowed with water and surveyors in passing through that country remember it as one of surplus water without any means of drainage containing great possibilities of development, on account of the fertility and peculiar farming quality which they noticed upon examining the soil and the vegetation that, notwithstanding the continual presence of water makes of it a most beautiful sweep of meadowland pleasant to gaze upon.

In the construction of the ditch and draining of the water there will be a peculiar economical feature attached of importance. This consists of the fact that the eastern end of the ditch may be drained into the Rainy Lake system of rivers and on the eastern side of the graat northern sheds into the Lake, while the western and larger end of it may be drained into the Red River system of the water flow. This country of the Red Lake Indian reservation lies directly across that northern watershed that divides the river system of the Great Lakes and those of the Red river and Hudson Bay.

Economy exists in the plan set forth above, for the reason that by the drainage of the waters in two different directions the ditch will not have to be constructed of such capacity as to carry the entire waters which it would have to do if drained entirely in one direction. Under the proposed reimbursable use of government funds in the reclamation of overflowed lands as is proposed by drainage magnates the cost of draining this country will be much less than one dollar per acre.

And the land can be readily sold at that advance according to the word of engineers who have made that region.

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THANKSGIVING DAY NOV. 23?

Say Some, but the 30th May be the Date This Year—

Have you noticed that calenders differ as to the date of Thanksgiving Day this year? Some of them designate November 23, while others claim the 30th as turkey day. The trouble arises from the fact that this year November happens to have five Thursdays, which is unusual. It may be left for the president to help the calendar makers out of the difficulty. Some say it is usual for the president to proclaim the last Thursday, but others, however, think the day designated is the Thursday after the fourth Wednesday, which in the present instance would bring the holiday on the 23rd. Since the calendars are at sea on the question it remains to be seen what the president will do about it. As the day of thanks marks the limit of the foot ball season it is expected that pigskin enthusiasts all over the country will bend their efforts toward influencing the president in favor of the latter date, says an exchange.

Must Have License.

A recent ruling of the commissioners of internal revenue relative to the sale of patent medicines composed largely of distilled liquors, is likely to have an important effect on the northern district of Minnesota in a general way. Reversing a ruling of the department rendered a few years ago, the commissloner now declares that the makers of patent medicine containing a large amount of distilled liquors in their composition must take out licenses as rectifiers and liquor dealers, and that druggists and other persons handling liquors will have to pay the usual retail liquor dealer's license.

Miss Brady Entertains.

Last Saturday evening at her pretty North Side home. Miss Viola Brady entertained twenty of her school friends, the party being in honor of her sixteenth birthday.

The first part of the evening the guests participated in a Geography contest in which Miss Ina Linnihan captured first prize. Then followed an apple paring contest with forfeits which were redeemed in a manner satisfactory to all.

Dainty refreshments were served at a late hour, and the guests departed wishing their hostess many happy returns of the day.

Another Use for the Phone.

The Le Sueur News tells of a Nicollet county farmer who went to St. Peter, raised a disturbance contrary to the peace and dignity of the state, and then went home. In the evening he was called up over the rural telephone, informed that a warrans had been issued for him and told that he might consider himself under arrest. He was asked by the officer whether he would come to town, or would he have to come after him. The farmer telephoned back that he was too busy to quit work, but would plead guilty and send the money by the rural mail carrier the next day, and so did.

A Disastrous Calamity.

It is a disastrous calamity, when you lose your health, becanse indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at All Druggists, 25c.

DRAINAGE AND GOOD ROADS.

When one realizes that each year euough money to drain all Minnesota wet lands is lost through crop failure or only a partial crop the wonder is that the determined movement for drainage now on foot was not started long ago. Besides the millions of acres more that produce no crop at all, each acre of which would yield yearly ten times the cost to drain it.—Crookston Journal.

The State can not dispose of its lands until they are drained, and it has no right to expect the homesteaders on the adjacent lands to drain its lands for it. So the time is here when the State must get busy in fulfilling the agreement under which it acquired these lands, and the sooner it does it the sooner will it begin to reap the benefit, not only directly by the sale of its lands, but also by the more rapid development of the whole section affected.—Warroad Plaindealer.

It is impossible to develop any portion of a state without directly or indirectly benefitting the whole. Drainage and good roads in northern Ninnesota will be such a widespread blessing that only those whose eyes turn inward can fail to see that blessings will only be limited by the boundary lines.—Cass Lake Times.

The rapid agricultural development of this territory will surprise those who investigte the subject. It represents a steady growth for the past several years, and means that it will continue until we will be shipping out produce in the course of a few years instead of shipping it in.—Eveleth Star.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Kasson Republican: When it is cold a newspaper folded across the breast will protect the lungs from blasts of autumn or winter," says the Stillwater Gazette. This is true if your subscription is paid in advance, but if in arrears look out for cold feet, followed by chills.

Fairmont Sentinel: An Iowa clergyman who resigned his pastorate to take up the practice of law assigned as one reason for his change that "the average man will pay more to be kept out of jail for one day than to be kept out of hell for all eternity."

Duluth News Tribune: Too many young girls on the street after school. The way from the schoolhouse to the home should be the shortest way, after the school day is done. What some parents can be thinking of is difficult to understand.

Rochester Post and Record: Lieut. Gov. Jones announces his intention of quitting politics. This is a wise decision on the part of Mr. Jones. It is surmised that the public was preparing to assist him at arriving at this conclusion if he had not himself decided to get out from under.

Cannon Falls Deacon: The days have gone by when the public feels any interest in the personal feeling entertained by one editor for another whether in the same or different communities. In these saner and busier days there is no more occasion or excuse for personal exchanges in public print between editors than similar exchanges between other citizens who may not hold each in high regard. They are an abuse of privilege not in any sense justified by ownership or control of a publication, they are not what the public is paying its money for.

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Mrs. Frederick Schoff, president of the National Mothers' congress, said, on her return from Utah:

"I met in Salt Lake City a delightful child of five years, named Jane.

"Jane was out driving with her father one afternoon, and her father, to hurry the horse on, slashed the whip through the air, making a humming sound. This sound had a good effect. The horse quickened its pace.

"'Papa,' said Jane, 'why don't you whip us children that way?'"

Huge Fig Tree.

The largest fig tree in western Europe is the one at Roscoff, Brittany. It is in the garden of a Capuchin convent, and its spreading branches, supported by scaffolding, are said to be capable of sheltering over 200 persons.

Not Quite the Same.

Nell—He said I looked lovely in that gown, didn't he?

Belle—Not exactly, dear. He said that gown looked lovely on you.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Shocking Confession.

Benedict is a New Haven man who has been eight times the father of a bouncing bounder. In the outskirts of the university city is a little town among the hills named Prospect, and last year four of the children were sent there for the summer.

One day Benedict and his wife entertained at dinner a new acquaintance, Prof. B. The professor is a bachelor, and like many scholarly men, rather ill at ease in society.

"What a fine little family of children you have," he began with an admiring glance at the four stay-at-homes.

"Yes, indeed," replied Benedict proudly, "and we have four more in Prospect."

The professor blushed his astonishment.—Lippincott's.

A Teacher's Testimony.

Hinton, Ky., Oct. 30th.—(Special.)—It has long been claimed that Diabetes is incurable, but Mr. E. J. Thompson, teacher in the Hinton school, has pleasing evidence to the contrary. Mr. Thompson had Diabetes. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills and is cured. In a statement he makes regarding the cure Mr. Thompson says:

"I was troubled with my kidneys for more than two years and was treated by two of the best doctors in this part of the state. They claimed I had Diabetes and there was little to be done for me. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and what they did for me was wonderful. It is entirely owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills that I am now enjoying good health."

Many doctors still maintain that Diabetes is incurable. But Diabetes is a kidney disease and the kidney disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills will not cure has yet to be discovered.

The Champio nOfficeholder.

E. W. Sweeley, a justice of the peace in Loyalsock, Lycoming county, Pa., claims the record for officeholding in that state. Altogether he has held various township and county offices whose terms aggregate 109 years, during his life of 68 years, and he is still adding to his record. Mr. Sweeley is a Democrat, and that he is popular is shown by his record, as fallows: Justice of the peace, thirty-five years; assessor, twenty-six years; supervisor, eight years; school director, fifteen years; overseer of the poor, six years; township auditor, twelve years; county auditor, four years; jury commissioner, three years.—Kansas City Journal.

The Male Novelist's Absurdities.

One of the most infallible signs of an average man's work is an entrancingly beautiful heroine, who generally also contrives to be beautifully dressed, at least as her creator fondly imagines. At any rate, a woman does not make a penniless or nearly penniless girl dress as if she had a hundred pounds a year to spend on her wardrobe. A man in drawing a very young girl almost invariably makes out that she has eaten far too much of the fruit of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, as much as he himself would have eaten at a similar age, for instance; which is altogether absurd.—Outlook.

FUNNY

People Will Drink Coffee When It "Does Such Things."

"I began to use Postum because the old kind of coffee had so poisoned my whole system that I was on the point of breaking down and the doctor warned me that I must quit it.

My chief ailment was nervousness and heart trouble.

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The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East.

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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INTRODUCTION.

Horam, King of Damascus, then at its glory as the zenith city of the east, bemoaned the coming of old age without prospective heir to the throne. In his younger days he had loved Helen, his queen, but fearing that she was disloyal to him had her cast into the black, swift flowing Phorpar. At the time the story opens Ulin, the daughter of Aboul Cassem, the king's prime minister, three times dreams that she has become the wife of the king and that a son being born to them is heir to the throne. Cassem tells the story to the king. The latter having long admired the many charms of Ulin, seeks an interview with her and on the sixth day following they are to be married. He thereupon abolishes his harem. Within the week Albia, the pretty slave maid-in-waiting to Ulin, tells the story of the tragic fate of Helen. The story makes a deep impression and preys upon the mind of the bride-to-be. But her father urges her on and she now deems it a sacred duty to become the queen. On the morning set for the wedding Ulin's mother dies. According to the laws of Damascus she must go into mourning retirement for thirty days. Horam agrees with her father that she shall pass the period of mourning in a secluded palace in the beautiful Valley of Lycanius. This valley is the sole possession of the king and can only be reached by one passage through a mighty mountain, capable of admitting but one person at a time. Thither Ulin goes with Albia, where they are placed under the protection of the attendants by the king and Ulin's father. Six days after their entering Horam returns unexpectedly. Ulin acting on the suggestion of Albia, treats him kindly.

CHAPTER I.

Julian the Scouge.

She asked if her father had come.

"No, my sweet lady," returned Horam. "He was busy. It may appear unseemly for me to come hither alone; but my great love and my deep solicitude for your welfare, must be my excuse. I hope you have found it pleasant here."

The maiden said she could not have asked for a more pleasant place of abode.

The king was charmed by her smiling speech—so different from what she had ever before given him—and he fondly believed that she was delighted with his presence.

Ulin, fearing that the least sign of coldness or reserve might excite the jealousy of the grey-headed-monarch, and bring down upon her some terrible evil, exerted all her powers of pleasantness, and wore the smile upon her face while a pang was in her bosom.

But Horam's visit was destined to be cut short. While he was, for the sixth time making excuses for his visit the door of the apartment was unceremoniously opened and a black entered—not one of those who had been on guard in the valley but a stranger to Ulin, covered with sweat and dust, as though he had been riding hard and fast.

"Ha!" cried the king, starting to his feet. "How now, Sadak? What is the meaning of this?"

"Pardon, sire, I knew not that you were thus engaged. They only told me that you were here and I stopped to inquire no further."

"Not that—not that Sadak. Why have you come from Damascus in such hot haste?"

"I came to inform you sire that Julian the Scourge of Damascus is approaching our city!"

"Death and devastation!" cried Horam starting back with alarm. "How know you this?"

"We heard from him by way of a merchant who was in a caravan that he had robbed."

"What caravan?"

"The caravan from Tadmoor, with the riches which were on their way from Bassora."

"Those riches were mine," said Horam.

"Aye, sire; and Julian took them—took all that belonged to you, but spared the poorer merchants. But that is not the worst. He sends word that he will lay Damascus in ashes. Aboul Cassem bade me hasten hither and give you warning."

The king was fairly beside himself with fear and rage. The name of Julian was a terror to him, and at the sound thereof he trembled exceedingly. And he seemed to fear more than the mere physical prowess of the Scourge. There was a mystic quality in his fear—a nameless dread of the avenger.

"Where is the demon now?" he asked, after he had gazed awhile in silence upon the messenger.

"He is not far from the city, sire. Somewhere to the eastward, we think. Your journey back, if you make haste, will be safe."

"I will return," cried the monarch, smiting his fists together; "and I will bring out an army and sweep this terrible Scourge from off the face of the earth!"

He bade Sadak go and make ready for the start, and then he turned to Ulin.

"You will be safe here, sweet one, and it will not be long before our happiness shall be complete."

His words of parting were few, for he was much excited, and his voice trembled as he spoke. He turned back once after he had reached the door as though he would say something, but finally went away without giving the intended speech [illegible]

Ulin watched the royal cavalcade until it had disappeared within the narrow pass, and when the last man had gone from her sight she turned to her companion.

"Albia, what is it about this terrible robber—this Scourge of Damascus? I have heard something about him. I heard my father once speak of him; but my little knowledge of the world did not lead me to be inquisitive. Do you know anything about him?"

"I have heard a great deal of him, my lady. He has been a terror to Damascus for a great many years."

"How many years, Albia? I was thinking that my father said he had not been long known in this section."

"I may be mistaken," said Albia, trying to recollect herself. "I know that he is a terrible Scourge, and that men fear him; but I do not know how many years he has been so. It may not be so many as I thought."

"But who is he? Where did he come from?"

"Ah, there is a mystery, my dear mistress. Nobody knows where he came from; but it is said that he is one whose family has suffered some great calamity at the hands of Horam. He is alone in the world, so far as relatives are concerned, and Horam hath done it; and so he comes to seek vengeance. He has a large body of bold men under him, and twice has he met and overcome the forces which the king had sent out to capture him. He does not rob as common robbers do. He never troubles the poor, or those of the middle class; but the rulers and princes of Damascus he causes to suffer."

"Did you ever see him, Albia?"

"Mercy! no. I would not see him for the world. He must be terrible to look upon. I have heard one of your father's officers say that he could strike a blow with his fist to fell an ox, and that before the lightning of his eye brave men shrank in terror. O, I should be afraid to see him."

"It seems to me that I should like to see such a man," said Ulin, in a musing tone. "I have never seen such men. The man whose arm can strike down an ox, and whose eye flashes forth such power, could not harm a helpless maiden."

"Upon my life, you have a curious taste," Albia returned.

"Because," added Ulin, with a smile, "I never had my taste cultivated. Still, in all seriousness, it does seem to me that I should love to lean upon a strong, bold man. If I were to love a man with my whole heart, I should like him to be so strong and so powerful and so brave, that his very presence would be protection to me. Is that very strange?"

"It is so strange," replied the slave, significantly, "that I fancy the king would feel new cause for jealousy if he should hear you say so."

"When I am the king's wife I shall be true to him, and I shall honor and respect him. I will love him if I can. But, Albia, there is no need of saying more. We will have our dinner, and then we will walk out into the garden."

Suddenly a messenger appears asking for assistance from the guard. With 50 stalwart guards he hurries toward the gates.

"What can it be?" cried the princess, in alarm.

But Albia could not imagine. She could only beg of her mistress to take courage, and hope for no evil.

Ere long, however, another messenger came to the palace, who made his way to the room where the princess was sitting. He trembled with excitement.

"How now, Aswad?" demanded Ulin. "What is the meaning of all this disturbance?"

"Alas, my lady, an enemy is at our gates. The terrible Scourge of Damascus demands entrance into the valley."

"What does he seek?"

"I dare not tell you?"

"What seeks he?" cried the princess, authoritatively. "If there is danger, I would know what it is."

"There may not be danger for you, lady. We may beat the robber off. We will do so if we can."

"But the king told me that a handful of determined men could hold that pass against a thousand."

"But these are not ordinary men. This Julian is a very demon, and I verily believe that he hath more than human power. Still we will do the best that we can."

"You have not told me what he seeks. Answer me that question—answer it without further hesitation."

"He seeks the maiden whom the king is to take for a wife."

"Seeks me?" uttered the princess, with a start.

"Yes, my lady. Such is his avowal."

"In mercy's name, good Aswad protect me. Let not that dreadful robber gain access to the valley."

"Hurry, hurry!" cried Albia. "Away to your companions, and bid them strain every nerve. If they suffer the Scourge of Damascus to gain passage hither they know what the wrath of the king must be."

"Powers of heaven!" cried Ulin with clasped hands and quivering frame, "the demon must not find us."

"You are not so anxious to see him as you were," remarked Albia. "I thought your whim was a strange one."

"Speak not of that," said Ulin quickly and severely. "I meant not that I would have him come to seek me. O Albia, what can he want?"

"Indeed, my mistress, [illegible] think. But let us look in another direction. If he does not find us, we care not why he comes. Ha! See! Here comes Aswad again. He looks frightened."

Aswad entered the chamber with trembling step and seemed afraid to speak, but the demand of the princess opened his lips.

"Lady, I fear that the robber will prevail against us. He is accompanied by fierce, furious men, who fight like lions and his own sword is irresistible. His body is covered with scales of finest steel and the blows of our men fall harmless upon him."

"But the dreadful man has not yet broken through?" said Ulin eagerly.

"No, lady. Our brave men fight as well as they can."

"Has the robber entered the pass?"

"Not far."

"Then you may hold him at bay yet. O, Aswad, if you would be blessed forevermore let not the Scourge gain the valley!"

"We will do our best, lady; but you must be prepared for the worst. If we are finally overcome you must hide yourself."

"Where? Where can we hide?" asked Albia.

"In the palace or somewhere in the gardens, or upon the mountains."

"There is no hiding place which a keen eye would not detect. I have looked in every direction. So, Aswad, save us by your stout arms."

"I fear the demons will prevail," said Ulin, in a tone of breathless suspense.

"I dare not hope otherwise," returned Albia.

"If they do come, we must find some place in which to hide."

"Alas, my dear mistress, there is no such place. If we go up among the rocks, we not only run the risk of being easily found, but we run the greater risk of starving."

"I would rather starve than fall into the dread Julian's hands," said Ulin.

"It would be a terrible death to starve upon those bleak rocks!" returned Albia, with a shudder. "But I will share your fate, my mistress, let it be what it may."

"And would not death by starvation be preferable to the fate which must meet us if that monster captures us? O, Albia, I cannot think of it!"

Before the slave could reply they saw Aswad again coming toward them; but he did not enter the palace. He struck off into a path that led to the westward, and fled with all his might. Directly afterwards a score of the guards came rushing from the pass, and when they had gained the open space, they threw down their swords and sank upon their knees.

"What means that?" cried Ulin. "Are they killed?"

"No," answered Albia. "They are overcome, and have surrendered. See! there come the victors!"

"Let us flee!" exclaimed the princess, starting to her feet. "O, we must find some place of refuge!"

Albia was more thoughtful. She saw very plainly that flight would be useless.

"My dear mistress," she said, taking Ulin's hand. "We must hope for the best. If we leave the palace, we shall be overtaken at once; for the way to the mountains lies only through the park of fountains. If we flee to the garden in the rear, we shall be surely found, and it may be worse for us in the end. If this dreadful Julian has the least spark of humanity in his bosom, he will respect you more in your own chamber than he would if he found you hiding in the garden."

"Spirits of mercy defend us!" ejaculated the princess, clasping her hands upon her bosom, and sinking back in her seat. "O, Albia, Albia, the presence of the king would now be a blessing!"

The faithful slave crept close to her mistress, and tried to speak words of comfort; but her own fears were too deep and intense to permit comforting power to her words. She could not be calm in view of the coming of that dreadful man, at the sound of whose name even the monarchs trembled.

(To be continued.)

Dress in the Senate.

It is not always safe to judge a man by his clothes, but dress goes a long way in certain localities. If any one doubts our democracy let him spend a day in the gallery of the United States Senate, the least dignified "Upper House" of legislation in the world. "Befo' de wah" all members were clean shaven, wore black frocks and high stocks, beavers, peg-top trousers, and a solemn air of public importance privately expressed. They believed in their hearts that they were statesmen, and the world acknowledged them as such. Dignity was their chief quality, pride their most cherished possession. The old-timers, like Morgan, Teller, Cockrell, Berry, Proctor and Daniel still wear their before-the-war clothes, dignity and pride, but the post-bellum regiment of politicians is uniformed in the sack suit or the cutaway.—New York Press.

The West Point of Mexico.

In Mexico experience has conclusively shown that officers and even soldiers cannot be improvised, and the very first care of General Diaz has been to establish a good school for instructing scientific officers. The military school of Chapultepec in its actual condition is the fruit of his efforts. Many foreign officers of different nationalities have visited that establishment and believe that it ranks among the first in the comprehensiveness and perfection of military instruction there imparted and in the severe but just discipline to which the cadets are subjected.—National Geographic Magazine.

Not all are saints who wear their [illegible]

LAW URGED BY SELF-SEEKERS.

Real Animus of Movement Against Remedies Deservedly Popular.

An adroit but plausible scheme by which it is hoped to prejudice the sale of proprietary medicines is the proposition to prohibit the sale of any remedy which "contains poison" unless each package or bottle is expressly labeled "Poison." Such bills are also well designed to impose upon men who have no familiarity with the subject matter. The pretense of protecting the public health put forth in support of such bills is generally the merest subterfuge; and when ever you hear a demand for a law of this kind it originates with those who have a direct pecuniary interest to serve by destroying the sale of proprietary remedies.

Some of the best and most widely used remedies in the world contain some one ingredient which, if taken in sufficient quantities, might be poisonous, and yet the preparation as a whole is not poisonous at all. Opium, for instance, is used in small quantities in many of the best cures for coughs, colic, diarrhea, etc., in toothache drops and in almost all liniments. To require such medicines to be falsely labeled "poison" would be merely a cunning device to alarm the public and thus bring about the destruction of the sale of those remedies, and indirectly to compel people to procure the medicine they want by the more expensive method of consulting a physician and getting his prescription. In other words, it is an effort to prevent them from getting cheaply the remedies which they and their fathers before them have used for many years.—Medical exchange.

Why Bishop Brooks Caught No Fish.

Sigourney Butler, the noted Boston lawyer and society man, who died a few years ago, told the following story at a dinner party:

"I met a friend the other day who had been on a fishing party with Bishop Brooks. I asked him if the bishop caught any fish, and he said 'No; he swears too much.'

"'Why,' I said, 'Bishop Brooks never swears.'

"'Oh, yes, he does,' said my friend. I caught a large fish and said, "Bishop, that's a d—d good fish," and he said "Yes, it is," in response.'"—Boston Herald.

The Auto and the Baby.

"I wish to adopt a child," said the wealthy woman in the orphan asylum. "What have you?"

"Oh, we have them in all shades," replied the polite lady superintendent; "which do you prefer?"

"I think a blonde child will be the most appropriate," answered the wealthy woman; "my automobile is finished in blue."—Puck.

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Busy and Versatile Writer.

One of the busiest and most versatile of European writers is Spiridion Gopcevic, who lives in Lussinpiccolo, and who has written newspaper articles and books in nine languages—German, French, Italian, English, Servian, Danish, Spanish, Portuguese and Swedish. In thirty years he has contributed 8,363 articles to newspapers in those languages.

Japan's Indemnity Prizes.

Japan has secured so many Russian war vessels that she will be able to economize on naval expenditures for some years to come. This is equivalent to a cash indemnity as far as it goes, and it probably goes as far as $40,000,000 to $50,000,000, besides the large addition to her mercantile marine by the merchantmen secured as war prizes.

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If Secretary Shaw retires Feb. 1, as announced, it is probably safe to predict that his presidential boom will be launched not later than Feb. 2.—Toledo Blade.

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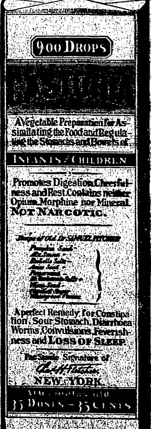

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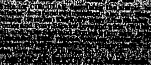

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ST. HILAIRE.

Dr. Pleth of Crookston was a professional cailer here Friday.

M, J. Lindahl left Monday evening for Oregon in search of a location. He sold his jewelry stock here to Rob't Sivenson.

Dr. Dodds, the presiding elder, held services in the M. E. church Sunday morning followed by communion services. He drove to Thief River Falls in the afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Arthur is suffering from a severe attack of quinsy.

The ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs. R. H. Aimer.

Mrs. H. O. Jackson and two daughters and Mrs. Herman Nelson returned from Grafton N. D. last Wednesday where they have been visiting relatives the past two weeks.

L. T. Bergh was in town Tuesday.

The funeral of Catherine Beebe, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, took place at their home east of town Saturday at three o'clock. Rev, Gilman conducting the services. The remains were taken to Grookston on the evening train Mr. and Mrs. Beebe have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

A Hallowe'en social was held in the M. E. church Tmesday evening. Everybody reports a good time.

The funeral of little Elsa Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson residing on Water Street took place last Tuesday Gct. 24, from the Swedish Lutheran church. Mr. and Mrs. Carlson have the sympathy of all in their sad hour of bereavement.

The store of E. M. Hoff is undergoing considerable repairing.

The Ladies-Aid Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church held an auction and supper at their chnrce Saturday evening.

There will be an auction and social at the home of H. J. Hanson in Rocksbury Saturday evening Nov. 11 for the benefit of the mission church. All are cordially invited.

The special meeting of the shareholders of the St. Hilaire creamery association will be held in the village hall at St. Hilaire on Monday, Nov. 6th, 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of deciding whether or not to enlarge the creamery plant.

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For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Enquire at the Big Store.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Chapter 2, General Laws 1902.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land sold for taxes in Red Lake county to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Chapter Two (2), General Laws of Minnesota, 1902, and amendments thereof, will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor, which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs charged against it. Immediate payment to the County Treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have been offered for sale. The County Auditor of Red Lake county is hereby authorized and directed to conduct sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor.

Dated St. Paul, Minn., September 30th, 1905.

S. G. IVERSON,
State Auditor.

Public Sale of Absolute Property of the State Under Section 1616, General Statute Minnesota 1894.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, 1905, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the office of the county auditor in the Court House at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, all tracts or parcels of land, sold for taxes, in Red Lake county, to which the state has acquired title under the provisions of Section 1616, General Statutes of Minnesota 1894, and amendments thereof will be offered at public sale. Every tract or parcel will be sold for cash to the person bidding the highest price offered therefor: which shall not be less than the amount of taxes, penalties, interest and costs due thereon, unless such amount exceeds the actual value of the property. Immediate payment to the county treasurer is required. The sale will begin at the time and place named above and continue from day to day until every tract or parcel shall have have been offered for sale. A list of said real property is now on file in the offices of the County Auditor and State Auditor. This sale will be held pursuant to directions from the Auditor of the State as provided by law.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., September 30th, 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
Auditor Red Lake County.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905; at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION ON ABSOLUTE PROPERTY BID IN BY THE STATE.

NO. 53

In Whose Name Assessed	Description of Land			Years Tax Levied	Amt Sold for to State	Date Sold to Purchaser	Amount Sold for to Purchaser	Amount required to redeem at date of notice.
	Addition or Subd.	Lot.	Blk.			Mo Day Year		
Carl Wedmer	Original townsite of Thief River Falls.	1	5	1897 1898 1899 1900 1901 1902 1903 1904	$2.08	June 28, 1905	$24.59	$25.37

Office Of COUNTY AUDITOR.
RED LAKE COUNTY, MINN.

To CARL WEDMER.

You are hereby notified on the 6th. day of May, A. D. 1901, in proceedings to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes pursuant to that certain real estate judgment, which was entered in the District Court in and for the County of Red Lake in the 14th Judicial District in the State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March A. D. 1901, the above described piece or parcel of land situated in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota was bid into the state to satisfy the amount for which it was adjudged liable in said judgement, interest and costs, for the above named sum; that the above described real estate has become and now is the Absolute Property of the State.

That on above stated date the above described real estate was sold by the County Auditor of Red Lake County, as directed by the State Auditor, in accordance with Section 101 of Chapter II of General Statutes of 1878 and the several acts amendatory thereto, for the sum above stated; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from such sale at the date of this notice exclusive of the costs to accrue on this notice is the amount above stated, with interest at the rate of twelve percent per annum on the amount paid by the purchaser from said above date, until such redemption is made, and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from such sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice, and proof th[illegible] has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of this county.

Witness my hand and official seal third day of October A. D.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, [illegible]

(SEAL)

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota }
County of Red Lake } ss

In the matter of the petition of A, T. Gorden and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 24.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 24 beginning at the southwest corner of section 6 in township 151, range 42, running thence north on the range line between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 1 in township 151 north, of range 43 west in Red Lake county, thence north on the range line between the southwest quarter of section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west and the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, thence running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, to the west line of section 33, thence in a southwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 32 in said twp. 152 range 42 a distance of 400 feet and there terminating at a creek which empties into Red Lake river.

Also a branch ditch, commencing at the northeast corner of Section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west and running thence south on the range line between 31 in township 152, range 42 and section 36 in township 152, range 43 and terminating in the main ditch at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of said section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west.

Also a branch ditch specified by the engineer in his report as being necessary for the proper drainage of lands affected by the main ditch and described as follows: Commencing at a point 1249½ feet east and 750¼ feet south of the northeast corner of section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west, thence running in a northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section 6 to the township line, thence west along said township line between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west to the southwest corner of said section 31 in township 152 north of range 42 west, terminating at and emptying into the main ditch at the last named point as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of owners of lands and names of municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit: Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company, Andrew Johnson, John G. Anderson, C. C. Bergan, A. A. Cooper, Bernhard Thelander, Solomon Swenson, Peter Hogquist, Ole Wedul, Charles H. Foy, Otto Swenson, Sarah Hogquist, Henry J. Enderle, Hubert Haupt, G. A. Konikson, Anna Emanuelson, D. M. Clark, Fred Ulrich, Emil Just, Wilhelmina Just, R. E. Farley, William F. Seiter, E. A. Satterburg, Frank Satterberg, Charles A. Swanson, Anne Gordon, Annie Fangstrom, State of Minnesota, K. O. Gigstad, Ole Hanson, John Mahla, Lars A. Svenson, McCormick Harvesting Machine Co., Christ Martenson, Town of Wyandotte, Town of River Falls, Town of Gervais and Town of Emardville and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said county auditor, and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

And that therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the 24th day of November, 1905, at the county auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county at two o'clock p. m., of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E FORD,
County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn.

(Seal)

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota }
County of Red Lake } ss

In the matter of the petition of Aug. Konikson and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 23.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 23 beginning at the southwest corner of section 12 in township 151, Range 43, (town of Gervais), in said county running thence through the following described lands to-wit: North on the section line between sections 11 and 12 in said town and range, thence west on the quarter section line through section 11 in said town and range to about the center thereof, thence running in a southwesterly direction through said section 11 to the southwest corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the eastern part of section 15 in said town and range to the southeast corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the northeast quarter of section 22 and the west half of section 23 all in twp. 151, range 43 aforesaid and terminating at the southeast corner of section 22 in said Twp. 151, range 43 and having its outlet a creek or coulee as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit: Ingra Hammer, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry Co., G. A. Swensen, Oscar Anderson, Sjur M. Harbolen, Bengt Anderson, J. B. Kempton, William Schwalen, James L. Taylor, Middlesex Banking Company, H. M. Martinson, L. O. Thorpe, Peter A. Konikson, Frank O'Meara, J. C. Brown, Abraham Johnson, the township of Gervais, Caroline Lunde, August E. Craft, Henry M. Martinson, John Loffelmarker, W. M. Erb, Andrew N. Ydstie and John Suchomel; and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County auditor; and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

And that, therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the 24th day of November 1905, at the county auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, at nine o'clock a. m., of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon, and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

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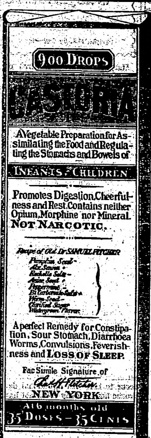

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New Use of the Subjunctive

By CATHERINE BURGESS

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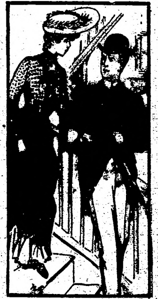
Margaret White was tired of commuting, tired of the daily ride on the elevated road from Christopher street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, very tired of the crowded class room at the end of it, so it is not strange that her mind, idle through design and strenuous through habit, picked out the broad shouldered young man who strode into the car at Forty-second and off again at One Hundred and Sixteenth street regularly as the morning came as a pleasant enough plaything.

Not that he was particularly good looking. He was distinguished only by a general purposefulness, eyes that looked neither to the right nor to the left, but buried themselves in the morning paper; a general air of being alone and liking it, which appealed to her state of being alone and not liking it.

Lately, instead of the newspaper, he had each morning drawn a book from his pocket and immediately become absorbed in it. It was not altogether a pleasant book, to judge from his face, which betrayed at times great irritation of spirit. Its covers were protected by a paper slip, calculated to balk the curiosity of whomsoever it might not concern. Margaret undoubtedly fell within this category, but that did not occur to her. An intentional device to arouse her curiosity could not have succeeded better.

One morning it chanced that the side of the car he always took was occupied by Italian laborers, dirty and malodorous. With hardly a glance at them and none at her, the man dropped into the seat at Margaret's side and produced his book. Alas! A side glance at it revealed only a Spanish grammar! Margaret could not have told what she had expected, but the unromantic fact suddenly let the whole affair down to the level of every day. The world again seemed cut out of one dingy piece, and all its uses flat, stale and unprofitable.



HE GUIDED HER TOWARD A COMPARATIVELY QUIET CORNER.

Then habit asserted itself; the instinct of the teacher triumphed; in the student she forgot the man. His brow was knit as he searched the pages for something he apparently could not find. At last, oblivious to his surroundings, he muttered with emphasis, "Oh, hang!" The sound of his own voice recalled him. He glanced around guiltily. The Italians were stolidly unconscious of his existence, but he flushed as he met Margaret White's friendly gaze.

"Let me help you," she said softly.

Then hastily flushing in her turn at the wonder in his eyes, "I—I am a teacher, you see—and you seemed in difficulty."

His face cleared. Of course that explained everything. He answered frankly:

"I am. It's the subjunctive mood. I thought I was doing a fine thing when I got a native Spanish teacher, but he doesn't know much more English than I do Spanish, and between us heaven knows what tongue I am acquiring."

"I know; I've been through it," she assured him, smiling. "But tell me what puzzles you."

"As I said, the subjunctive. It's really the—the"—

"Exactly," she assented quickly. "It really is."

At One Hundred and Sixteenth street he shut the book with a triumphant snap.

"I'm getting hold of it," he announced. "I say, do you come up on this train often?"

"Every morning."

"Then"— But the train was already starting again. He had just time to dash to the platform and bow to Margaret at her window before it was gone. His smile, as he stood bareheaded in her last glimpse of him, completed the broken sentence.

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CRIMINAL MICROBE.

GERMS OF CRIME BLOSSOMING DURING SUMMER HEAT.

City of Paris Disturbed Over Unusual Prevalence of Criminality—Efforts of the Police to Abate It.

Paris.—Just as when the earth temperature rises to a certain degree it is supposed to release the germs of infectious disease, so the criminal microbe seems to be especially active in the summer heats. It is, perhaps, not really so, from a statistical point of view, but, at any rate, it is a microbe that gets itself more talked about than in the winter, when there are other matters to occupy the attention of the newspapers. At this moment, with the Grand Prix over and the fashionable life in the Boise on the wane, we are rapidly approaching the silly season, when Paris criminally reaches its high-water mark in the columns of the "Faits Divers." Of a truth there is reason for a certain disquietude at the prevalence of crime, not only at this moment, but during the whole round of the 12 months.

The central parts of Paris are well and adequately policed, but the suburbs and the outer regions are in a deplorable condition of insecurity. No other conclusion can be come to from the long series of attacks upon the person, murders, robberies and violations which have been set forth in the police news during the last 18 months. A case in point is the shocking assassination of the English governess, Miss Charlotte Cary, which is now occupying the attention of M. Hamard and his sharpest detectives. That such a deed is possible in broad daylight and at the very gates of Paris is no compliment to the police arrangements. I hasten to say that the police themselves are not necessarily to be condemned; rather, on the contrary, it is the limited budget, or grant, that is at fault. The police service is starved for want of funds, a condition, by the way, which is not singular to Paris.

The organization of the cycle police has brought a certain amount of order and security into some districts, but they cannot obviously perform quite the same service as the foot police. Too much license is unfortunately given to the creatures belonging to a detestable class which preys upon women and supplements its evil earnings by an occasional robbery or murder. Numbers of these utterly worthless members of society are to be seen on any fine afternoon sunning themselves on the fortifications, which are the especial haunts of the malefactor. One of the first measures toward rendering the town and environs of Paris secure would be the suppression of these ill-favored loafers, whose characters and occupations are well known to the police.

Short of Draconian laws against these people there are other measures to be taken that should result in some amelioration of the summer crime of Paris. Appeal should be made to the good taste and patriotism of certain journals who specialize in criminal details, whose daily dole of murder, suicide and spoliation is a succession of stimulation to the weak-brained to go and do likewise. The theaters, too, are not without blame. Lately we have seen a series of positively horrible dramas, one in which a woman is strangled before the audience in the most realistic manner and in much the way in which the poor English woman appears to have met her death. There is too lenient an eye cast on incitements to crime, and that is, I believe, the cause of a great deal of it. No wonder a deputation from the city council is urging the government to abolish public executions, which is the apotheosis and glorification of the criminal. Without advertisement he would largely cease to be.

DIRTY TOWELS FOR SOLONS

Lavatory Appropriation Was Unwittingly Killed by the Last Congress.

Washington.—Members of the Fifty-ninth congress have just discovered that congress, in a fit of absent-mindedness during the last session, struck out the appropriation that provides the clean towels used by members in the performance of their daily ablutions. In the last appropriation bill there was an item of $25,000 for "miscellaneous items." Certain persons employed under that appropriation were obnoxious and they were legislated out of office by the insertion of a proviso reading: "Exclusive of salaries and labor." The washing of the enormous number of towels used on the house side is paid for out of this appropriation.

On the morning of July 1 the new legislative act went into effect and the clerk of the committee on accounts promptly decided that washing towels was "labor" and, therefore, could not be paid for out of an appropriation that expressly forbids any payment for labor. The matter was referred to the comptroller of the treasury, from whose decision there is no appeal, and he took the same view. The question now is how is the Fifty-ninth congress to get its towels?

Crop Estimates.

The New York broker does not care very much whether the crop is scanty and prices high or abundant and prices low so long as he keeps on the profitable side of the market. But the government has gone into the crop estimating business to protect the producer, and the producer kicks like a mule when the figures do not suit him. The reply of Secretary Wilson to the New York cotton trade when they protested against his figures implied that he was mainly concerned to serve the interests of the producers.

IN THE METROPOLIS

THE STRONG PERSONALITY OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY JEROME.

OF LIVELY INDEPENDENCE

Police Force of New York Suffering from Politics—Smashing a Prejudice—Uselessness of a Late Expensive Toy.

NEW YORK.—LORD BROUGHAM once referred to Daniel Webster as a steam engine in trousers. He didn't mean that Webster suggested the panting hurry of the locomotive; a steam engine then meant rather the grim, smooth power of the stationary engine.

We think nowadays in terms of electricity. William Travers Jerome is a human live wire. His father was Larry Jerome, celebrated as a wit, whose best witticisms gained point from a delicious stammer. The elder Jerome was a clubman, of a type then rare in New York; the younger is a clubman, too, if mere membership in exclusive organizations can be so defined; but he has no time to waste in club windows. He is 46 years old, of medium height, athletic when he can get the time for training. His portraits make him look younger than he is; his face is deeply marked with lines of thought and activity. On the platform he again looks younger than he is; his lithe, panther tread, the intensity of a voice he never needs to raise above a conversational tone to make thrill with earnestness, aid in the impression of deathless youth and vigor.

Jerome is an aristocrat by birth, if there is any such thing the new world; yet he is the idol of the great East side. He is a democrat; yet he has thrown the so-called democratic leadership in this city into a panic. He is a law officer; yet he has alone among men of this generation dared to tell the truth about New York's courts, which is that they are unworthy of New York. He is financially poor, the son of a man who never cared to make or save money. He is a relative of that Jennie Jerome who entranced England with her beauty, who became Lady Randolph Churchill, and was nearly thereby the wife of a premier, and who has since married a man much her junior.

Such the man and such his antecedents, who has thrown Tammany into a flutter by announcing his candidacy for reelection upon a nomination by petition.

Jerome in Larger Politics.

THERE was never any question that Jerome could get a regular party nomination if he wished it. What he wanted was to get his call from the people first; then he could accept an indorsement without being bound by bargains. There is in his feeling over the matter the combination of a boy's chuckling glee over a merry prank and a man's deeper purpose. He enjoys his work, every minute; enjoys controversy, enjoys the smoke and heat of battle. He is outspoken, has abused every leader of prominence in both parties—Platt, Depew, Odell, Murphy, Hill, the latter least of all. Four years ago, when he was running upon the fusion ticket for his present office, he gave Platt a lively platform trouncing; people said it meant his defeat at the hands of knifing republicans. He actually carried the borough of Manhattan, which was a bigger feat than carrying the whole city. If New York has an idol, Jerome is that man.

Will Jerome be reelected upon his novel platform? How can they prevent it? He is out against both machines, the republican and the democratic. The people in this city love neither. They have suffered from both. Tammany, which has usurped the democratic name, rules them badly, robs them, neglects them; the republican machine exploits the city to the advantage of upstate republicans and taxpayers. Neither is liked, either is capable of trying to share in Jerome's power by indorsing him.

There is another way. The people may insist upon nominating him for mayor. He is the logical opponent of Mr. McClellan, who is a gentleman like himself, and whom the people instinctively recognize as personally an excellent man.

The Chinese Riots.

COMPARE the district attorney's office—dockets cleared up for the first time in years, the "lottery king" sent to Sing Sing, gamblers closed up—with the inefficient police.

I hesitate to speak of gangs and gang rule again so soon, but when a white gang gives notice that a policeman, who has offended them by arresting a member, must not walk his beat, on pain of mur-

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The Bugle of the Six Hundred.

A military relic of undying interest will be disposed of next month in a West End salesroom. This is the very bugle which belonged to the Earl of Cardigan's bugler when the order was given for the charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava. It is surely a relic which should be acquired by the nation. It is now fifty-one years since Balaclava, yet the Countess of Cardigan, widow of Lord Cardigan, is still with us, and resides at Deene Park, Northants, a seat which her husband left her for life. The earldom of Cardigan is now merged in the marquisate of Ailesbury, and is borne by Lord Ailesbury's eldest son.—Sheffield Telegraph.

One of the Very Hot Places.

"In the popular mind the stokehole of a big steamship is the hottest place in which human beings are called upon to labor," said a steam engineer, "but the subcellar of a skyscraper, where the boilers, engines and dynamos are located, is a close rival. In some big buildings where peculiar architectural difficulties have been encountered the engine rooms are veritable furnaces. In summer one sometimes gets an idea of the under-sidewalk temperature wherein men are roasting when he passes an open ventilator and a wave of hot air that starts perspiration in a second strikes him.—New York Sun.

Parish School of Domestic Science.

Rev. Thomas J. Gillen, rector of St. Mary's church, Pawtucket, R. I., has established a school of domestic arts in which the girls of his parish are fitted for the practical duties of the house. It has proved one of the most successful experiments ever made in a parish and the results have been remarkably satisfactory.

PARALYSIS CURED

Case Seemed Hopeless but Yielded to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mr. Kenney has actually escaped from the paralytic's fate to which he seemed a short time ago hopelessly doomed. The surprising report has been fully verified and some important details secured in a personal interview with the recent sufferer.

"The doctor," said Mr. Kenney, "told me that if I wanted to live any length of time I would have to give up work altogether, and he told my friends that the paralysis which had begun would in time involve my whole body."

"Just how were you afflicted at this time?" Mr. Kenney was asked.

"Well, I had first hot, and then cold and clammy feelings, and at times my body felt as if needles were being stuck into it. These sensations were followed by terrible pains, and again I would have no feeling at all, but a numbness would come over me, and I would not be able to move. The most agonizing tortures came from headaches and a pain in the spine.

"Night after night I could not get my natural sleep and my system was wrecked by the strain of torturing pains and the effect of the opiates I was forced to take to induce sleep. As I look back on the terrible suffering I endured during this period I often wonder how I retained my reason through it all.

"But relief came quickly when I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The very first box seemed to help me, and seven boxes made me entirely well. There can be no doubt about the thoroughness of my cure, for I have worked steadily ever since and that is nearly four years."

Mr. Kenney is at present employed by the Merrimac Hat Company and resides at 101 Aubin street, Amesbury, Mass. The remedy which he used with such satisfactory results, is sold by all druggists, or direct by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N Y.

Strangers Now.

Edith—Percy de Smythe asked me to tell him the difference between pretty and handsome.

Mayme—I suppose he thought the opinion of a disinterested person would be best.—Chicago News.

WHEAT

The wheat markets of the world have advanced sharply this week. The impetus for the rise was furnished by Europe and our response was a reflection of the strength of Liverpool and the continental markets, aided by a wild scramble of shorts to get to cover.

Red revolution is only thinly disguised under the mask of labor troubles in the land of the czar. The railroad strike has tied up transportation lines so that no wheat is available for export, and as a direct result the demand of the world is centered on the United States and Canadian supplies of wheat.

We advised buying when the market was at a somewhat lower level and there is nothing in prospect to cause us to change our views in the slightest, unless it is to make our conviction as to the value of wheat as an investment even stronger.

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MISCELLANY

Fungus Attacks on Telegraph Poles.

The length of service of a telegraph or telephone pole is determined in a section of the pole not more than a foot or a foot and a half long. In a standing pole this section extends about six or eight inches above and below the top of the ground. This is the universal point of attack upon the life of the pole, and is called its breaking point. Decay is the arch-enemy of these poles. It sets in at the ground line and reaches both up and down the pole, but only so far as the conditions exist which promote the growth of wood-destroying fungi. A few inches below the ground there is lack of the necessary oxygen and heat, while at about the same distance above ground the requisite moisture fails. The exact time at which decay begins its work depends upon the climate, the character of the soil and similar conditions. In a hot, moist climate it ordinarily sets in with great rapidity. But at best, in a very few years after the pole is set the struggle has commenced. The decay soon girdles the pole and gradually eats into it, deeper and deeper until it is so weakened that it breaks under the weight of its equipment.

The strain upon the pole from wind pressure and the weight of its cross-arms and wires is calculated for the ground line. When the diameter of this ground line is constantly decreased, the strength of the pole is proportionately reduced, and it becomes only a question of time when the pole must fall. Chestnut and white cedar have been found, among available woods, most successfully to resist decay; but the life of the former is only from twelve to fifteen years, and of the latter ten to twelve years. The co-operative study of the bureau is for the purpose of extending, if possible, this time.

The experiments already made by the United States Forestry Bureau show conclusively that poles can be subjected to a preservative treatment which insures materially lengthened service. This treatment consists in impregnating the wood with antiseptics which prevent the growth of the fungi that cause decay. The treatment of telegraph and telephone poles, when attempted at all in this country, generally has been applied to the whole pole, requiring the use of air-tight cylinders 100 feet long or more. In these the poles are subjected to live steam for some time, when a vacuum is created. Creosote is then run in and pressure applied to force it into the wood. Manifestly this is a laborious process. Yet for telegraph and telephone poles only about one foot of the entire length needs to be made immune from fungus. If this foot at the fatal ground line can be preserved from decay, the rest of the pole will take care of itself. Experiments will now be made in treating the butts of the poles for a distance of about eight feet, thus carrying the antiseptics just beyond the zone of decay attack. The creosote method will be used and dead oil of coal tar forced through the butt of the pole.

The telegraph companies have made little use of preservative treatment. They employ millions of poles on their various lines, and it would be a tremendous economy to add even a few years of service to the life of each pole. But there will be another large saving both to them and to the forest through preservative treatment. To provide a good margin against decay, poles are now much larger than demanded by the strain upon them. It is expected that decay will quickly eat away a furrow around the pole at the ground line, and the diameter of the pole at that point is gauged to allow for this weakening process. When it is known that decay, in a certain number of years, cuts the diameter from perhaps 12 to 8 inches, and that below 8 inches the weakened pole falls, the course to be pursued is obvious. Antiseptics prevent, for the time of their effectiveness, the starting of decay, and thus permit at the outset the selection of an 8-inch diameter rather than a 12-inch. The 4 inches saved represent a tremendous difference in the size and age of trees used for poles. Both the companies and the owners of forests will be great gainers by this economy, with its shortening of the length of time necessary to grow a pole.

Corn Seed Not Everything.

It is a pleasure when traveling through the country at this time of the year to see the tall corn shocks thickly covering the wide areas of fertile land. Not many years since corn shocks were most found in the eastern districts and in those districts where dairying is made a specialty. Now one sees corn shocks everywhere, even towards the far west, where cattlemen begin to understand that there is much more nutriment in cut corn fodder than in the weathered corn stalks of the standing husked-out crop. There was a time when straw piles were burned to get rid of them, when manure piles suffered in the same way, when corn stalks were little thought of. These things are less common now, and year by year appreciation of corn forage is increasing.

Under the circumstances it should be apparent that exclusive attention to the improvement of the grain of the corn plant is wrong. It is quite true that corn seed needs improvement everywhere and that the work being done by Prof. Holden and other scientists is admirable and utilitarian. It is important to increase protein in corn, as is being attempted by Prof. Hopkins in Illinois. It will be wise to continue expert judging of corn at the agricultural colleges and by every possible means to educate our young men to a true scientific and practical knowledge of corn and other seeds. But equal attention should be paid to other parts of the plant, apart from the ears.

It is of importance that corn stalks should grow more than one good ear and that the ears should be at a proper distance from the ground; also that the leaves shall be large and numerous. Thirty-foot corn stalks, with ears ten feet from the ground are no improvement. Tall, spindly plants, with small, ribbonlike leaves and one large ear too far from the ground are not an improvement. The best corn plant must be a dual purpose one, combining fine ears of the best seeds on small cobs and withal a great abundance of large, wide leaves which will insure a bountiful fodder crop. Let us not lose sight of these things in seeking to improve corn seed. Let us endeavor to improve the entire plant for every purpose to which it can be put and in so doing there will result the greatest benefit to farmers.

Coal Ashes as Mulch.

I have believed for many years that coal ashes make a good mulch, and I still hold to the opinion, but with some modifications. It is true that the ashes will for a time prevent the growing of weeds, especially during the early part of the season. But in the ashes weed seeds will ultimately grow up and develop enormously. I might say that if ashes are put on a piece of ground in the summer the weeds will probably not appear during that year, for the reason that the seeds of weeds will not have time to fall upon the ashes and sprout before cold weather comes. But the next year, look out.

Last winter I put ashes between my rows of current bushes as well as between my rows of strawberries. The ashes were spread on fully six inches deep, so deep that I thought it impossible for any weed to push through. During the first part of this summer the weeds did not appear, but after midsummer showed a sudden vigor. The ashes then seemed to help instead of hinder them. I was away from home for some time in the middle of the summer, and when I came back those weeds were five or six feet and I had to pull up the stalks to make the presence of the weeds in my currant patch less obvious to the neighbors.

In my strawberry patch the result was the same. The weeds grew up and in addition every strawberry runner that got onto the ashes sent down a good system of roots and developed plants right amid the ashes. I am going to follow the matter further and see how deep I will have to pile the coal ashes to prevent the growth of weeds. I am sure, however, that coal ashes are a great help for a few weeks, but they will not accomplish much as a permanent destroyer.—Albert Bates, DuPage Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Fattening Fowls.

It is time to begin thinking of fattening fowls for the fall market and for the Thanksgiving table. When we are getting them ready for market we give them a thorough cleaning, to get rid of all vermin, and then confine where they will have plenty of fresh air, but very little exercise. We pay special attention to see that they are kept free from vermin now, for they have not a fair chance to look out for themselves when confined. Pure air in great abundance is very essential, but exercise will work off the flesh you are trying to lay on them. Corn is one of our best fattening foods, with some oats and buckwheat. A variety in the food tempts their appetite and gives better results. During the last ten days we feed nothing but soft foods and these we feed in great quantities. In confining the fowls for fattening, we separate the cocks and hens, and in case any individual fowl is inclined to be "scrappy" and persists in bothering his neighbors and worrying himself about them, we put him in a coop by himself. Anything which tends to worry the fowls or to work off flesh must be watched for and avoided.—Cora H. Porter, Grant Co., Ind., in Farmers' Review.

Small Flies in Milk.

I ship my milk to the city, usually sending about four cans. One day, a few weeks ago, I received all the cans back because in one there were a number of tiny flies, hardly visible unless they were in great numbers. I felt badly to have every can returned when only one was at fault, for I had taken great care with my milk and rather prided myself on my cleanliness. Just how the flies got in the milk I do not know, for it was all carefully strained and then put in the tank to cool, and fresh water pumped in. Whether the flies were in the can, or whether they came while the milk was in the water cooling, I do not know, and I have wondered if other farmers have been troubled in this same way. At any rate, I made up my mind that there would be no more flies in my milk, so now I use two sets of cans, and after I take the milk from the cooler I strain it again into clean cans. I have had no further trouble with the little pests, although it means some more work and a double number of cans to be used.—S. H. Langworthy in Farmers' Review.

Fresh manure is not available for plant food. It must be worked upon by bacteria and the elements [illegible] before the plants can [illegible].

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Forcible Expression of Opinion as to the Prisoner's Guilt.

George Washington Brown, an eccentric cousin of old Ossowatomie, lived at Coldwell, Ohio, and being a substantial citizen was often drawn but seldom served on a jury, because of his impulsive declarations when inquired of as to his preconceived opinions.

One day a man charged with grand larceny was on trial and Brown was called from among the bystanders to a seat in the jury box. Brown bolted in and sat down. Counsel for the prisoner rose and made the usual inquiry of him: "Have you formed or expressed an opinion touching the guilt of the prisoner at the bar?" the answer being, of course, simply yes or no. Brown electrified the court room by shouting back: "Yes, sir; he's guilty as hell." He was excused, amid roars of laughter.

How She Helped Him to Propose.

After a woman is happily married she is usually willing to admit that she had a good deal to do with the "proposing." A pretty young Atchison married woman confesses that she managed her only proposal in this way: One evening the man she afterward married attempted to kiss her. She drew back, saying, "The only man who can ever kiss me is the man I expect to marry." The young man laughed and said: "Well, Miss Alice, is that a hint?" The girl replied: "Well, that is the only condition under which you can kiss me." The man kissed her, and she began the next day working on her trousseau.—Atchison Globe.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Albert Behnke, St. Paul, Minn., lubricator; Kennedy Dougan, Minneapolis, Minn., T-square clamp; Julius Heilbron, St. Paul, Minn., vapor burning lamp; Howard McLeod, Great Falls, Mont., head motion; Charles Miller, Minneapolis, Minn., store service apparatus; Louis Olson, Minneapolis, Minn., ice shave; John Patty, St. Paul, Minn., wrench.

Mrs. Gould's Diary of Travels.

During her recent travels abroad Mrs. George Gould kept a journal, which she is now planning to have printed and distributed among her intimate friends. Mrs. Gould has been spoken of as being "in the distinguished list of automobile survivors."

Something Wrong.

Mrs. Homer—Our new cook seems to be shy of intelligence.

Homer—That's queer. I got her from an intelligence office.—Columbus Dispatch.

Here is Relief for Women.

Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Was Not Paid in Silver Dollars.

The most significant feature of Mr. Bryan's trip is the fact that a country editor is able to get so prosperous under a Republican administration he thinks nothing of a year's run around the world.—Pittsburg Gazette (Rep.).

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

It's queer how two men can accidentally exchange umbrellas and both get the worst of it.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Men who spend their time knocking never open any doors.

The things of life are likely to get in the way of life itself.

FITS permanently cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ltd., 931 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

God never calls a man to command until he has learned to obey.

OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Two Grateful Letters from Women Who Avoided Serious Operations—Many Women Suffering from Like Conditions Will Be Interested.

Margrite Ryan
Margret Merkley

When a physician tells a woman, suffering from ovarian or womb trouble, that an operation is necessary it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. As one woman expressed it, when told by her physician that she must undergo an operation, she felt that her death knell had sounded.

Our hospitals are full of women who are there for ovarian or womb operations!

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after the doctors had said an operation must be performed. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure instant relief, this medicine is certain to help.

The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who, by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, have escaped serious operations.

Margrite Ryan, Treasurer of St. Andrew's Society, Hotel English, Indianapolis, Ind., writes of her cure as follows:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I cannot find words to express my thanks for the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me. The doctor said I could not get well unless I had an operation for ovarian and female troubles. I knew I could not stand the strain of an operation and made up my mind I would be an invalid for life. Hearing how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had saved other women from serious operations I decided to try it, and in less than four months I was entirely cured; and words fail to express my thankfulness."

Miss Margret Merkley of 275 3d Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, severe shooting pains through the pelvic organs, cramps, bearing down pains, and extreme irritation compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said that I had ovarian trouble and ulceration, and advised an operation as my only hope. To this I strongly objected—and I decided as a last resort to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"To my surprise the ulceration healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared, and I am once more strong, vigorous and well; and I cannot express my thanks for what it has done for me."

Ovarian and womb troubles are steadily on the increase among women—and before submitting to an operation every woman should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. for advice.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been curing the worst forms of female complaints, all ovarian troubles, inflammation, ulceration, falling and displacement of the womb, leucorrhœa, irregularities, indigestion and nervous prostration. Any woman who could read the many grateful letters on file in Mrs. Pinkham's office would be convinced of the efficiency of her advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

As Selfish as Most of Us.

Wilson—What do you think of government ownership?

Gilson—Well, I should approve of it heartily if I had anything I wanted the government to buy.—Somerville Herald.

The Genuine TOWER'S
POMMEL SLICKER
HAS BEEN ADVERTISED AND SOLD FOR A QUARTER OF A CENTURY LIKE ALL TOWER'S FISH BRAND WATERPROOF CLOTHING
It is made of the best materials, in black or yellow, fully guaranteed, and sold by reliable dealers everywhere.
STICK TO THE
SIGN OF THE FISH.
TOWER CANADIAN CO. Limited, TORONTO, CAN. A. J. TOWER CO. BOSTON, MASS., U.S.A.

THE BEST COUGH CURE

Cough syrups are all cheap enough, but if you should get a gallon of cough syrup that does not cure for the price of a small bottle of

Kemp's Balsam

the best cough cure, you would have made a bad bargain—for one small bottle of Kemp's Balsam may stop the worst cough and save a life, whereas the cough "cure" that does not cure is worse than useless.

Sold by all dealers at 25c. and 50c.

W. L. DOUGLAS
$3.50 & $3.00 SHOES FOR MEN
W. L. Douglas $4.00 Gilt Edge Line cannot be equalled at any price.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES ALL PRICES
BEST IN THE WORLD
SOLE AGENTS FOR W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES
ESTABLISHED JULY 4, 1876

W. L. DOUGLAS MAKES AND SELLS MORE MEN'S $3.50 SHOES THAN ANY OTHER MANUFACTURER.

$10,000 REWARD to anyone who can disprove this statement.

W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes have by their excellent style, easy fitting, and superior wearing qualities, achieved the largest sale of any $3.50 shoe in the world. They are just as good as those that cost you $5.00 to $7.00—the only difference is the price. If I could take you into my factory at Brockton, Mass., the largest in the world under one roof making men's fine shoes, and show you the care with which every pair of Douglas shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas $3.50 shoes are the best shoes produced in the world.

If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makes, you would understand why Douglas $3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other $3.50 shoe on the market to-day.

W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, $2.50, $2.00. Boys' School & Dress Shoes, $2.50, $2, $1.75, $1.50

CAUTION.—Insist upon having W. L. Douglas shoes. Take no substitute. None genuine without his name and price stamped on bottom.

WANTED. A shoe dealer in every town where W. L. Douglas Shoes are not sold. Full line of samples sent free for inspection upon request.

Fast Color Eyelets used; they will not wear brassy.

Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles.
W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

THE COMFORTER

A congested vein pressing on a nerve accounts for the swelling, throbbing ache of

Neuralgia

St. Jacobs Oil

frees the circulation, allays the pressure and soothes away the pain.

Price, 25c. and 50c.

PRICE, 25 Cts.

ANTI-GRIPINE

IS GUARANTEED TO CURE GRIP, BAD COLD, HEADACHE AND NEURALGIA.

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PAXTINE TOILET ANTISEPTIC

FOR WOMEN

troubled with ills peculiar to their sex, used as a douche is marvelously successful. Thoroughly cleanses, kills disease germs, stops discharges, heals inflammation and local soreness.

Paxtine is in powder form to be dissolved in pure water, and is far more cleansing, healing, germicidal and economical than liquid antiseptics for all

TOILET AND WOMEN'S SPECIAL USES

For sale at druggists, 50 cents a box.

Trial Box and Book of Instructions Free.

The R. Paxton Company Boston, Mass.

Coney Island Souvenir Post Cards. Six beautiful colored scenes for 10c. Coney Island Postal Card Co., Coney Island, N. Y.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

When Answering Advertisements Kindly Mention This Paper.

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PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

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Woodward & Co., Grain Commission.

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Calumet

is the only
High Grade Powder
offered to the consumer at a
Moderate Price

It should not be confused with the cheap, low grade powders on the one hand, nor the high priced trust powders on the other.

Red Lake Courier.

Printed Every Thursday Evening at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE COUNTY
OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE FALLS CITY

$1.00 Per Year, in Advance.

THE Saturday Evening Post has defined the difference between the masses and the classes. The classes ride in automobiles and the masses get run over.

THE average policy in the Mutual is $2,346, on which is paid $95 a year. Last year the McCurdy family took all the premiums of 4,784 policyholders, or all the dividends of 109,922 policyholders.

THE state senators intended having a meeting last week to decide upon a candidate for governor, but too much publicity spoiled the plan. Nothing suits the senators so well as an air of mystery and star-chamber methods.

THE Republicans enter the campaign under a handicap. The admission that there is danger of reelecting a Democratic governor in a state so overwhelmingly Republican is worth a good many thousand votes to Johnson.

FRANK M. EDDY must mean somebody special when he says: "When a man has to put up an organization and establish a bureau to secure a nomination, it is a sure sign that the party would not select him if left to itself."

THE Minneapolis Tribune cannot be accused of friendliness to Governor Johnson's administration, but in a recent issue it says: "Governor Johnson has given the state a good administration. He cannot be beaten with the kind of ticket and platform republican conventions have been making."

THE state board of health has ordered that all teachers in public schools and all pupils attending these institutions must be wholly free from the white plague—consumption, says the Thief River Press. Of late years it has developed that tuberculosis is contageous and decidedly so, although it was once believed to be entirely hereditary. The edict of the state board is imperative and the order must be complied with. And why no? It is but just that healthy children should be protected as far as possible from the ravages of that dread disease.

Ayer's

Take cold easily? Throat tender? Lungs weak? Any relatives have consumption? Then a cough means a great

Cherry Pectoral

deal to you. Follow your doctor's advice and take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It heals, strengthens, prevents.

"For 40 years I have depended on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs and colds. I know it greatly strengthens weak lungs."
MRS. P. A. ROBINSON, Saline, Mich.

25c., 50c., $1.00. All druggists.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

for
Weak Lungs

Ayer's Pills increase the activity of the liver, and thus aid recovery.

ONE tenth of the deaths of the United States is charged to pneumonia. The germ takes up its residence in the nose, mouth and throat passages and 20 per cent of the people examined posses such germs. If a person lives a sanitary life he is immune from pneumonia. So cleanliness is an enemy to this dreaded disease.

A. R. McGILL, governor of Minnesota from 1887 to 1889, died at his home in St. Paul early Tuesday morning of heart disease. Mr. McGill was born in Pennsylvania February 19, 1840; came to Minnesota in 1861. He was insurance commissioner from 1873 to 1887, when he was elected Governor. At the time of his death Mr. McGill was state senator and postmaster of St. Paul.

AN error is made by the self-supporting, debt-paying wage-earner without property when he supposes that he pays no taxes. To the extent that he consumes, he pays. The tenants pay the landlords' taxes, finally. The customers pay, indirectly, the taxes of the merchants. And if the weight of taxes is oppressive, those whose names are on the books of the collector hold their money tighter, make fewer improvements on their property, employ less labor. There is no citizen to whom it matters more than to the working man, even though he owns no property, whether taxes are moderate or excessive.

A VOTE THAT MEANT A MILLION.

Republicans of the state are asking to what straits has their party organization come that the names of Senator Samuel Lord and Senator Ripley B. Brower are more frequently heard in connection with the gubernatorial nomination than any others. Had either of these men on March 28, 1899, voted as did John A. Johnson, the state treasury would have been richer by nearly a million dollars. Both Lord and Brower voted in favor of the indefinite postponement of a bill which would increase the gross earnings tax on railroads from 3 to 4 per cent, and which had previously passed the house with only five votes against it. John A. Johnson, then new to the game of politics, but with a heart beating true, voted with the people and against the corporations. With any people less forgetful of the direlictions of their servants, their votes on this important question would utterly condemn both Lord and Brower. And yet one of these men is more likely to be called by St Paul hotel regulators of the Republican party to be its standard bearer in the next campaign. The independent, tax-paying voters of the state should leave no doubt either as to their memories or their gratitude toward these men. The present state treasury, so far as the general revenue fund is concerned, is practically bankrupt. Last winter the legislature found it necessary to increase the rate of taxation and even with this extraordinary action, money is lacking to operate the machinery of the state. Had either of the two senators now so prominently before the people voted as did John A. Johnson, this condition would never have arisen. The state would have been a million dollars richer and the corporations a million dollars poorer.

Waterville Advance: A stranger drifted into the city of Montgomery last week and after preparing a mixture of cheap soap, tallow and lampblack, sold it to the farmers for harness grease. It is said that he did a land office business until taken in custody by the authorities.

MERCHANDISE ASSESSMENT.

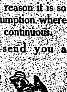
Several of the country newspapers have shown no disposition to be either fair or honest in criticizing the work of the late board of equalization regarding the assessment on goods and merchandise. Several classes of property were lowered this year, notably live stock, household goods and merchandise, and the reasons therefor are given by State Auditor Iverson, who ought to be high enough Republican authority to satisfy the most partisan of the Republican papers that are laying the blame on Governor Johnson and the Democratic members of the board. With regard to the matter Auditor Iverson says:

"The committe on goods and merchandise found that hardly a county in the state reported that item in the list as high as it was last year. The committe went down the list and figured out what percentage of raise was necessary to bring each county up to last year's assessment, but found sentiment, not only on the committe, but among members of the board generally, against putting merchandise as high as last year. After reducing cattle, sheep and hogs, and bringing down the per capita assessment on household goods, it was thought no more than to let merchandise also off easier. So the committe went down the list again and cut the percentages it had figured right in two. Where a county was to be raised 30 per cent, they made it 15 per cent, and a 10 per cent raise was cut to 5 per cent. Accordingly, the merchandise assessment of nearly every county was left lower than last year, and country merchants were relieved in about the same proportion as those in the cities.

STATE TAX LEVY.

Fifty Per Cent Increase in General Revenue Fund.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson has sent letters to the various county auditors throughout the state certifying to the tax levy for the ensuing year. It is in total 1 8-10 mills. It is made up of the soldiers' relief fund levy of one tenth of one mill, the funding tax levy of two tenths of a mill, and the state revenue fund levy of one and a half mills. It differs from the levy of the previous year in two points. The levy for the revenue fund is one half of one mill more, an increase of 50 per cent, and the three tenths of one mill tax for the agricultural college, which existed the two previous years and brought in $125,000 a year for the school is abolished. The increase in the general revenue fund is because of the lavish appropriations made by the last legislature. The previous year, when the general revenue levy was but one mill, there was but $800,000 to be raised. Mr. Iverson says that the general revenue levy the ensuing year will have to raise $1,200,000.



Consumption

¶ There is no specific for consumption. Fresh air, exercise, nourishing food and Scott's Emulsion will come pretty near curing it, if there is anything to build on. Millions of people throughout the world are living and in good health on one lung.

¶ From time immemorial the doctors prescribed cod liver oil for consumption. Of course the patient could not take it in its old form, hence it did very little good. They *can* take

SCOTT'S EMULSION

and tolerate it for a long time. There is no oil, not excepting butter, so easily digested and absorbed by the system as cod liver oil in the form of Scott's Emulsion, and that is the reason it is so helpful in consumption where its use must be continuous.

¶ We will send you a sample free.

¶ Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

Scott & Bowne
Chemists
409 Pearl Street
New York
50c. and $1; all druggists

The Busy Store

Snappy cold days these! Warm Wraps, Cloaks, Furs! Prices that are positively the lowest that high quality will permit. You would be interested if you saw the new style furs priced so low, with a Lanpher guarantee from .... **75c to $25.00**

You would distinguish features about LANDESMAN cloaks, after you tried them on, that you would not hesitate in saying, "they fit well, cloth is fine, finish beautiful and style most eastern." Styles from $5.00 to $50.00

BLANKETS, Cotton or wool, soft and warm.

10 x 4 Tan, fancy border only	65c.
10 x 4 Gray fancy border only	48c.
11 x 4 Gray, fancy border only	$1.00

Wool from $3.50 to $7.00

Tams and Sweaterettes in catchy designs and colors, an excellent assortment at . . . 50c.

SHOES of QUALITY.

QUEEN Quality for Women,
DOUGLAS for Men
and
RED SCHOOL HOUSE for Children.

MENS' FUR COATS

North Star Guaranteed Quality made since 1876.

Genuine Russian Dog, regular 18.00, we ask	$15
Something new, a Sheared Mocha Wombat collar, looks neat and wears like Buffalo, at	$19
Ladies' Mocha fur coat, very warm, guaranteed, only	$25

Underwear Special:

For women. Fine fleeced garments–ribbed only	25c
Pure white Jersey fleece downy only	50c

Underwear Special:

For Men. Extra heavy wool fleece lined, double breast and back only 50c.

Gray wool fleece lined, soft and warm, only 38c

Underwear for Children:

Heavy fleece lined any size rom 16 to 34 our secial only 25c

GARCEAU & ZAISER

According to recent press dispatches the Russian autocracy is crumbling and Czar Nicholas has consented to a number of radical reforms. He is willing to grant a constitution, giving the subjects of benighted Russia the right of free speech and free press, the right of assembly and the immunity of person, and many other fundamental civil liberties. Count Witte, the Russian ambassador in the recent peace conference, is made head of the new cabinet by an imperial manifesto. Hail the new Russia.

SEND BOOKS TO FARMERS.

Public Library Commission Will Increase Traveling Libraries.

The Minnesota Public Library commission has decided to enlarge the number of its public traveling libraries this fall. Aside from general reading there will be more libraries for the study clubs and also some collections in Swedish Norwegian and German which will be loaned to the smaller cities and libraries.

A new feature will be the house libraries of ten volumes which will be sent to families in isolated communities. The commission will have special libraries for students, the libraries to include books on any subject which may be desired by those studing at home.

The librarian, Miss Clara F. Baldwin and her assistants, are working on the orders so as to get the libraries into circulation before winter. They will have about 350 of the general traveling libraries of either twenty-five or fifty books. The number of the special libraries has not yet been decided upon, but will be according to the demand of the books.

The general libraries are loaned to any community upon the application of ten tax payers and the payment of 50 cents for the twenty five book library and $1.00 for the fifty book kind. The libraries are loaned both to communities which have no library and to libraries seeking a greater assortment of books.

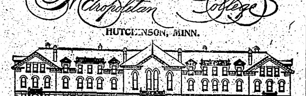
Counterfeiting The Genuine.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and [illegible]

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s
North'n Pacific Elevator Open

Our Elevator at the Northern Pacific Depot is now open and ready for business with Frank La Bissoniere as agent, who will buy all kinds of grain at highest market prices. FLOUR and FEED for sale.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.



Metropolitan College

HUTCHINSON, MINN.

Our new $50,000 College Building, located on a beautiful ten acre campus on Brooklyn Heights, overlooking the city.

OPENS NOVEMBER 6, 1905

Courses: Bookkeeping, Office Practice, and Higher Accounting; Shorthand and Typewriting; Telegraphy; Preparatory Department in English from the lowest grades and up, qualifying the student for entrance to high schools, or colleges; also courses in Civil Service and Music.

Individual and Class Instruction. Students enter at anytime. No entrance examination. Tuition, $50 for 10 months.

Board at the Dormitory, $2 per week. Elegantly furnished, steam heated and electric lighted rooms at $3 per month. Lavatories, toilets, and bathrooms on every floor of the Dormitory.

An ideal college, located in a model college city, two hours from Minneapolis; a college for men and women of all ages, nonsectarian; exemplary government; recommended by the mayors of Minneapolis and Hutchinson, and by every church, business house, and bank wherever known.

This college is under the management of the Metropolitan Commercial College, 329 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, and the student may change from one college to the other without the loss of a single lesson. Nowhere else in the United States can you find better equipped Commercial, Shorthand, or Telegraph departments. Our teachers are the best money can secure. The Employment Department connected with our Minneapolis College enables us to place all graduates in positions. Allow us to arrange a course for you, and we will guarantee you a good position as soon as competent.

For full particulars, address G. M. Langum, President Metropolitan College, Hutchinson, Minn., or 329 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

Cattle Sale, Fargo.

The Great Northern Railway will sell tickets at one and one third fares for the round trip on account of sale of blooded cattle and swine to be held at Fargo under the auspices of the North Dakota Agricultural College. Tickets will be on sale November 7th, final return limit [illegible]

The Wesley piano, a strictly high-grade instrument, endorsed by leading musicians and a piano of the highest merit, for sale by Anderson & Wander.

A Matter of Health

There is a quality in Royal Baking Powder which promotes digestion. This peculiarity of Royal has been noted by physicians, and they accordingly use and recommend it exclusively.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Tom Elliott made a trip to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Ed. Garceau of Polk Center was in the city Saturday.

Thos. Germo was a passenger to Thief River Falls Monday.

L. C. Simons was a business caller at Crookston Wednesday night.

Chas Huot a prominent farmer of Huot, was in the city Wednesday.

Go to Spillane's store for Groceries, Candies, Nuts, Fruits, Cigars, etc.

Ed. L. Healy returned Wednesday from a business mission at the Twin cities.

Theo. Garceau left Saturday for a short business visit at the Twin cities.

The 5c "I Lead" and 10c "B. B" cigars are the best to be had for the money.

Geo. Peppin of Willow city N. D. is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

T. G. Brunelle was a passenger Monday evening to Crookston for a few days stay.

Mrs. Henry Kaufer has been under the weather for a few days but is improving nicely.

M. O. Sortedahl left Monday on a business trip to northern Iowa and southern Minnesota points.

W. G. Myers of Worthington Minn is in the city to-day conferring with the Ed. L. Healy Land Co.

The claimed letters at the Red Lake Falls Post office for week ending Oct 58th are: Clifford Sherard.

O. G. Clay, the right of way man for the Great Northern, was a passenger for points up the line Wednesday.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleursr. No matter what names the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert.

Mrs. H. Gonigam of Walnut, Ill., a former resident of this place, is here for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Try an "I Lead" cigar, only 5c, guaranteed to give satisfaction; if you want something better smoke a "B. B."

J. P. Gonigam, of the Gonigam Land Co., is in the city looking over his land holdings and sizing up his crop returns.

Miss Albina Lemieux was very sick Wednesday. She is improving and her many friends hope for an early recovery.

Ildiage Baril returned from St. Paul the first of the week where he took a car lood of cattle. He reports prices quite low.

John E. King returned to the Capitol Saturday after a couple of weeks spent looking after his business interests here.

Miss Iza Tibbits resumed her duties this week as teacher of the Roi school in Louisville Twp after a couple of weeks vacation.

Some of the members of the famlies of E. A. Moran and Nic Helm are suffering from r mild attack of scarlet fever and are in quarantine.

Wm. Zaiser was called to Grand Forks yesterday having received a message that his daughter Bertha was in a very critical condition.

The Misses Orilla Hennemuth and Iza Tibbets drove in from their schools to attend the Halloween party at the Presbyterian church.

For Sale, or will Trade for cattle, one team of three year old colts. Call on undersigned, three miles east of city. Geo. Walker. 4-6

The Northern Pacific announces an excursion rate of one fare plus fifty cents to the Minnesota-Wisconsin foot ball game. Tickets on sale Friday Nov. 3d good for return Monday Nov. 6th.

A Good Stove Cheap

is what you can truthfully say about a WILSON AIR-TIGHT HEATER..

All WILSON HEATERS are made of POLISHED STEEL, and are lined all the way to the top with *heavy sheet steel.* They have *cast iron lids, cast iron pipe collars* and that *outside pipe draft* that you have heard so much about. A Wilson, if taken good care of, will last *seven or eight years,* and you can buy one large enough for any ordinary-sized room for $6.50.

"Salamander" Air Tights

from $2.25 up. We are exclusive agents for the

Beckwith Round Oak Stoves and the Radiant Home Base Burners

Would be pleased to show you our line.

FRANK E. HUNT

Established 1878 **Gen'l Hardware**

Brunelle Bros. are working nights to keep up with their cigar orders. Speaks well for the boys. Give them a lift.

Miss Lizzie Ford, who is attending the University at Grand Forks, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her uncle James E. Ford.

Jack Lagassy is in the city after six months spent in the Dakotas. The many friends of Jack are glad to see him again and to hear that he has done well.

Sunday evening at the Presbyterian Church there will be a special service in commemoration of the "Protestant Reformation" and its benefits to the world.

Fred Richards is in town and says that he had to have a few days off from his ardous duties as "Schoolmaam" in order to take in the foot ball game at Mpls. next Saturday.

The Great Northern has made a specisl rate of $9.05 round trip to the Minnesota, Wisconsin foot ball game, on rate the 3rd good until the 6th.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Thomas Welsh was a pleasant caller at our office today. Tom is more than pleased with crop returns, just as a sample his macaroni wheat went 27 bushels per acre.

A little girl arrived at the home of Frank Jeffers last Thursday and was so well pleased with the reception that she has concluded to stay there indefinitely. Mother and child doing well.

The Universal Favorite Bob and Eva McGinleys comedy company at opera house Nov. 3. songs and dances and their famous comedy the N. Y. news boy. You can't afford to miss this one.

Mrs. Wm. Zaiser returned Monday from Grand Forks where she has been for a short time with her daughtor, Mrs. Louis Adams. She reports Bertha as still in a dangerous condition.

A ten cent lunch will be served from four to six o'clock and a twenty five cent supper will be served from six to eight o'clock on Wednesday, Nov. 8th, in the parlors of ibe Presbyterian Church.

Walter Garceau conducted a little experiment with a match and a quantity of powder this week resulting in a badly burned face. Boys should be careful in matters of this kind and a look at Walter will convience them of this fact.

Theo. Garceau, cashier of Eirst State Bank, while in the Cities purchased the bank stock of James I. Wyer and G. A. Archer, thus gaining a controlling interest in the bank There will be no change in the officials or management of the bank at this time.

Bob and Eva McGinleys comedy Co. will show November 3 at the opera house this season they have Miss Lezette Hoskins, the Chicago Vanderville in new songs dances and illustrated songs, and Mr. Claude Woods from Indiana in his own orginal comedies, plays etc will be heard.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Jacob Thill, one of Wylie's oldest residents let yesterday for his new home at Berthold, N. D. at which place he will buy grain. Mr. Thill has a host of friends throughout the county who deeply regret his removal from Wylie.

Mrs. Thill will will remain in Wylie for some months yet.

The High School foot ball team accompanied by 30 or more local enthusiasts left on the G. N. for Crookston to night. Tomorrow our boys will play the Crookston high school team. This will be the heavy game of the season and the results are anxiously awaited.

A number of the boys will go from Crookston to Minneapolis and take in the Minnesota—Wisconsin.

Eli Blair employed at the St. Hilaire Mill as edger met with a fatal accident last Saturday. In some manner the board he was running through flew back and struck him, death resulting a few hours afterwards. He will be remembered by Red Lake Falls people as he was employed in a aimilar capacity at the mill here a few years ago. A wife and five small children are left to mourn his early demise.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble; others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert.

Wanted—a girl for general housework in a small family. Scandinavian preferred. Apply to COURIER office.

The following births are reported this week; A boy at the home of Joe. C. Renoit; A boy at the home of Joseph Belair: A boy at the home of Hubert Cardinal, and a boy at the home of W. A. Reichel.

Alfred Blondin and wife, former residents of this city, returned on Monday from St. Hiliare where he has been employed. They will spend a short time visiting relatives and friends and will make their future home at Grand Rapids.

On Thursday evening Nov. 9th, Mr. R. F. Sulzer of Minneapolis, State Sunday School Missionary, and Mr. D. K. Laurie of Crookston will hold a meeting at the Presbyterian Church in the interest of Sunday School work. All are invited, old and young.

Mr. L. A. Kaufer's harness emporium is now located in the H. H. Zaiser building, formerly occupied by Shorty Brunelle. Mr. Kaufer will be pleased to meet his many patrons at the new stand and assures them the same fair treatment that has marked their past dealings.

Oliver W. Stewart of Chicago, the great temperance oralor, will give an address at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. Mr. Stewart is a lecturer of national reputation and regularly commands $50.00 a night for his lectuaes. Do not fail to improve this opportuniry to hear one of the finest orators awno has ever visited Red Lake Falls.

Auditor Ford reports the following totals resulting from the State Land Sales last week. Total number of acres sold 5307.06, bringing $41840.75, making the average price close to $8.00 per acre. Nearly one half the land offered was sold and the State is $7231.79 richer as a result of the sale. The bigest price paid was $31.00 per acre and none sold at less then $6.00.

The "Halloween Social" given by the Christian Endeavor Society at the parlors of the Presbyterian Churce on Tuesday evening was largely attended. The rooms were tastefully decorated and the evening was spent in Halloween frolics. About $17.00 was realized, which will be used in payment on the Vocalion, which is now nearly paid for.

Harry Ives the genial editor from the Saintly city to our north went through the city Tuesday afternoon in his automobile on his way home. He had engineered the machine from Crooskton covering the distance in less than two hours. Harry must be taking some nerve tonic to get so far away from home, the last time we saw him he was out of St. Hilaire a little ways pushing the "auto" home.

K. O. Gigstad and A. M. Edstrom of St. Hilaire sbent Friday night at the county seat on business matters.

The first indoor band concert of the season last Friday night was well attended and those present all report the concert as in every way up to the standard set for last season and in fact better than ever. If you have not made it a practice to attend the concerts heretofore it would be well to commence now. Get the habit.

Fred, the 22 year old son of Louis Perrault of Terrebonne Twp., met with a fatal accident Monday. He was threshing and in taking the blocks from under the engine preparatory to moving he slipped and in some manner fell under the wheels of the engine, death resulting instantly. Fred was well and favorably known in this end of the county being a young man of good habits and every acquaintance became a friend. Interment was had at St. Anthony's Cemetery at Terrebonne, Wednesday. The sympathy of the community goes forth to the parents and relatives of the deceased.

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Rates For Foot Ball Game.

On account of the Foot Ball game between North Dakota Agricultural College and the University of North Dakota on November 18th at Fargo, the Great Northern Railway will make a rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Date of sale November 17th and for trains arriving in Fargo before noon of the 18th, final return limit November 20th. Ask your local agent for full particulars.

George Dupont of Dupont & Sons Terrebonne, was in the city Tuesday and reports that their store at Terrebonne was broken into late Monday evening and the safe blown open. The robbers secured about $175.00, mostly Uncle Sams money and made good their escape and at the time of going to press had not been apprehended. This is the second robbery of the kind in the county in the past few months. County Attorney Germo and Sheriff Linnihan threw out the drag net as soon as notified and a couple of suspicious characters were rounded up but as their movements were satisfactorily explained to Judge Lewis they were discharged.

Milk in Tea.

The use of plenty of milk with tea is a wise precaution and must be regarded as a sound physiological proceeding, since the proteids of milk destroy astringency and probably prevent the otherwise injurious action of tannin on the mucous membrane of the stomach. In the intestinal juice the proteids are separated and the tannin propably combines with the sodium salts. The immoderate drinking of tea is an unquestionaple evil, but the repular use of golden grain belt beer will improve your health. Order a case and serve it regularly with your meals. Order a case of your nearest dealer, Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

At the city election to be held next Tuesday the following are candidates for the respective offices. Mayor John A. Duffy is up for re-election with no opposition. Mayor Duffy has given the city a clean business-like administration and that it is appreciated is manifest. For the offices of alderman-at-large W. P O'Brien and Henry Hennemuth, two to be elected. Mr. Hennemuth is a member of the council and Mr. O'Brien seeks the chair vacated by Mr. Hatton. Aldetman, 1st Ward, James Brady; 2nd Ward for re-election Fred Borchers. In the 3rd Ward Simon Paul and Joseph Belair seek to represent their ward, may the best man win. For Justice of the Peace there are three aspiracts, two to be elected. S. L. Lewis is a candidate for re-election having served two years. S. A. Swanson a former Justice is a candidate and Adam Zeh, former County Auditor, is the other seeker. With the above named citizens anxious to serve the interests of the city the people may rest assured that the coming administration will be honest and all transactions conducted in a business-like manner.

Found—mouthpiece for a horn. Owner can have same by calling at COURIER office.

BADGER.

Miss Alma Quesnell returned home Friday after a weeks visit with Red Lake Falls friends.

Mr. Desire and Mrs. O. Robillard drove to Gentilly Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

Maggie the eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Luxumberg is seriously ill with inflamation of the bowels, her many playmates hope for a soon recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Quesnell of Mentor dined at the home of A. Laurent Sunday.

Mr. Armand Clement of lower Canada is visiting with friends here this week..

Mr. John Demerais of Gentilly drove to his brother Philip of this place Monday returning home Tuesdoy.

Miss Alice Quesnell who has been staying at Mr. L. C. Cadieux's of Terrebonne for the past several months return home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lacourcier of Lambert spent a few days of last week at the home of Mr. Lacourcier's parents,

Favored by Both Parties.

Republicans and Democrats alike praise Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs bolds and all throat and lung diseases, as no other remedy can compare with it. It is safe and sure, F. T. Slater, merchant, 171 Main St., Gloucester, Mass., writes., "Foley's Honey and Tar cured me of a very bad cough which I had for three months though other remedies failed to benefit me. I can highly recommend it for coughs and colds." Sold at A. L. Reichert.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidey Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years although I am now 91 years old." Sold at A. L. Reichert.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my Mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a Cougd or Cold, I have taken Dr King's New Discovery for Consumplion, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Hr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure or coughs and colds. Price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed at All Druggists. Trial bottle free.

TIME GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:35 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
10:40 A. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
11:30 A. M.	Middle River	3:32 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcoma	3:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

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Red Lake Falls, Minn

Japan owes a billion and a quarter of dollars. She is getting civilized fast.

The man who forced his wife to get up and play the piano at 2 a. m. should marry a pianola next time.

Becoming engaged to the king of Spain seems to be a favorite occupation among European princesses just now.

However, the angels must be women, for is it not written that "man was created a little lower than the angels?"

A New York man has offered $50,000 for the secret of Behring's consumption cure. If it's a cure the offer is small.

"Kid" McCoy says he quit prize fighting because it ceased to pay. Mr. McCoy, it will be seen, is not an artist for art's sake.

Grand Duke Cyril of Russia is the latest to take a second-hand bride. He married the divorced grand duchess Victoria of Hesse.

Moscow's rioters may not have heard that they have acquired the blessings of free government and are thoroughly contented.

A New Jersey woman testifies that her husband has not been once sober since 1905. She ought to be exhibiting, not divorcing him.

Their fig leaves are to be removed from the statues in the Detroit Museum of Art. This seems cruel, with cold weather coming on.

Goldwin Smith thinks married men should have two votes each. But it isn't likely that this kind of female suffrage will ever be accepted.

That Brooklyn financier who wants to fight a duel with Castro need not be surprised if he is haughtily told to go and get a reputation first.

Seattle says it does not want the Christian Endeavor convention. It is just as well. Christian endeavor would have a tough time in Seattle.

In the prevailing excitement it has been generally overlooked that the Washington baseball club this year lost the distinction of holding lowest place.

Chinamen may know how to make superior bombs, but they would never make successful anarchists, as they cannot grow the whiskers that go with the trade.

Considering the superior and satisfied look which science habitually wears, one must think it ought to come forward with a real cure for consumption.

To sue for loss of one's wife's services does not necessarily mean that had the services been available one would have forced one's wife to earn the amount named.

The Japanese are a thrifty people. If it becomes necessary for them to find something cheaper than rice to live on while they are paying their war debt they will find it.

In the recent balloting for the admission of candidates to the New York Hall of Fame two of the three men admitted were poets. They were, of course, dead when the votes were cast.

The Baltimore man who says $15,000 a year is the ideal income probably enjoys an income of $2 a day. Why, $15,000 a year is no more than enough to pay your wife's dressmaking bills.

There never was a man who had as good a time as his wife thinks he does when she is away for the summer. (Later: There never was a man who would acknowledge that he had as good a time, etc.).

American traveling men who have become so proficient that they can converse freely with the natives of New Jersey are not going to be scared by the announcement that they may have to learn Chinese.

What a pity that the seventy tons of dynamite which have blocked the Suez canal could not have been employed in cracking the rocks of Panama. It's another instance of the total depravity of inanimate things.

Miss Amanda Clement of Hudson, S. D., has just completed her first season as a professional baseball umpire, and will apply for a position in the western league next year. Come, Mere Man, this is getting serious.

Homeopathists in New York are advocating the passage of a law making it necessary for people to obtain certificates of health before they can get married. Don't laugh. Sillier laws than that have been passed in New York.

The bible says nothing about female angels. You remember that there is no marrying or giving in marriage in heaven, and there is also a text which asserts that "there was silence in heaven for the space of half an hour."—Chicago Journal.

The News of the Week

Washington.

Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador, denies the report that he is to succeed Count Lamsdorff as minister of foreign affairs at St. Petersburg.

A. F. Dueber, chief clerk of the St. Cloud land office for several years, has been summarily removed by order of Secretary Hitchcock. It was found that Dueber had been selling and speculating in scrip, and that his transactions were quite extensive.

Lieut. Commander Albert A. Key, U. S. N., who has been assigned to duty at the White House, is the second southern man to be appointed on the president's staff. The other is Capt. Fitzhugh Lee, Jr., the oldest son of the late Gen. Fitzhugh Lee. The lieutenant commander is a native of Tennessee.

The board of visitors to the military academy, in their report to the secretary of war, recommend that greater limitations be placed upon admission to the academy and suggest that the minimum height of the cadet necessary for admission to the academy be increased. The report says that the management of the academy, both in dicipline and efficiency, is all that could be desired.

The interior department has granted substantially all that Senator Clapp contends for in relation to the White Earth timber sale. In other words, the Indian office admits that the advertisement of sale says one thing and that the department means another. The rules and regulations will be changed, but it is a mighty safe wager that there will be no sale as originally contemplated, and that there will be no logging operations on reservations this coming winter.

Casualty.

John C. Dondero, aged 27, died at Willimantic, Conn., as the result of an injury received in a football game in Jewett City.

Two children of Fred Piel of Bladen, Neb., sixteen and four years old, were burned to death and their mother was so badly burned that she cannot recover, in a fire which destroyed their home.

Carrying a lighted lamp down stairs, Miss Flora Richards, principal of Ironwood school at Marquette, Mich., slipped and fell. Her night dress was set on fire and she was so badly burned that death is expected.

While returning to Beverly to Marietta, Ohio, in a motorboat, M. L. Williamson, dentist; Probate Judge Nixon and Will Selby, son of a wealthy oil producer, went over a dam at Lowell, on the Muskingum river, and Williamson was drowned.

Fire originated simultaneously in three places in the central part of Ridgeway, Pa., destroying the buildings in which it started. The opera house, the finest in this section, was burned, the loss on the building amounting to $60,000.

A tornado near Jennings, Payne county, Okla., killed two small children of Irvin Anderson, living on House creek, badly injured Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, and demolished the house of Edward Root, breaking his daughter's ankle. The storm followed the Cimmarron river, and in Yale destroyed many homes. The residents escaped injury by fleeing to caves.

Two Polish trackmen were killed and six fatally injured on the Boyne City, Gaylord & Alpena railroad, five miles northwest of Elmira, Mich, when a locomotive rolled down an embankment where the men were at work. Work was in progress for a crossing over a creek and a temporary bridge gave way under the weight of the locomotive. The engine crew escaped by jumping.

George Stadler was shot and killed by Frank L. Busche, his brother-in-law, at the Busche home at Plattsmouth, Neb. Stadler was trying to force an entrance to the house where his wife and children had taken refuge after he had threatened to kill them. He threatened to kill Busche unless admitted, and had broken down a door when the shot was fired. A coroner's jury acquitted Busche.

Foreign.

The Chinese imperial granaries burned just previous to the distribution of rice. The immense loss is apparently due to incendiarism.

The question of the friar lands purchase was practically settled at Manila when the commission paid the Dominican order $3,225,000, which is the last payment.

An incendiary fire which occurred at the arsenal at Cherbourg, where three submarine boats are being built, did extensive damage to the boats and other property.

The Belgian genre painter, Florent Willems, died at Neuilly, France. He was born at Liege in 1823. Some of his best known pictures are owned in the United States.

The correspondent at Tokio of the London Daily Express says it is understood that King Edward will send to Japan early in the new year a mission headed by Prince Arthur of Connaught to confer the Order of the Garter on the emperor of Japan.

King Victor Emmanuel recently received $10,000 anonymously for the benefit of the sufferers by the recent earthquake in the province of Calabria. Baron Kotchen, the Russian Consul at Messina, now states that the contribution was made by Emperor Nicholas.

Crimes and Criminals.

Justice of the Peace Daniel Q. Kelleher of Beechwood borough, a Pittsburg suburb, was found lying unconscious beneath a bridge near his home and died later. His watch, money and papers were missing.

Three thieves, two men and a woman, believed to be members of the gang that has been operating extensively in the West, entered the Gem Manufacturing company's store at Louisville and escaped with $1,300 worth of goods.

Mary Mabel Rogers, under sentence of death in Vermont for killing her husband, was granted leave to proceed on appeal before the supreme court of the United States, as a pauper, without payment of costs. The record in the case will be printed at public expense.

Crazed with grief over the death of his son, who committed suicide with illuminating gas, Herman Schulz, of New York, shot himself through the head while the funeral service was being read over the body of his son, and fell prostrate across the coffin dead.

Mrs. Zeta Eckles shot Constable Peter Martin through the head at her home at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. The woman shot once into the ceiling as a warning, and then turned her weapon against the officer. The officer was attempting to serve a writ of execution and remove some furniture from the house.

Judge G. W. Burnham of Dubuque has imposed the shortest term in the Iowa state penitentiary ever given. Edward Frondel and John Lang, found guilty of obstructing the right of way of the Rock Island railway at Vinton, have been sentenced to one day each in Anamoosa prison. The sentence is the minimum fixed by law.

Burglars got away with $1,500 worth of goods after blowing the safe of J. C. Vicker's jewelry store at Hull, Iowa. An attempt had previously been made to rob the Iowa State bank, but the vault could not be penetrated. Several guests at the Lincoln hotel saw the burglars, but did not give the alarm for two hours. There is no further clue.

Seven robbers dynamited the safe in the Ridgeville State bank at Ridgeville, Ind., and escaped with about $6,000. The explosion aroused Cashier Branson, who hurried to the bank, and received a bullet in the ankle. Before going to the bank the robbers met the town watchman, overpowered, bound and gagged him. There is no clue.

Theodore Yauren arrived at Winnipeg from St. Anthony mine at Sturgeon Lake in New Ontario, reports the brutal murder of a miner, Jack Mackay. His body was found at the door of a place kept by a woman named Morrow, about a mile from the mine. It is supposed that Mackay had a row with the woman and her male companion. His head was pounded to a jelly and the club with which the murder had been committed was found by his dead body. Yauren related the details to the officers and was taken to Fort William, where a case will be prepared.

General.

Justice Stover of the New York supreme court has appointed Arthur D. Truax receiver for the Haight & Freeze Co.

Mrs. Elizabeth Widener, aged 24, died at Easton, Pa., as the result of excessive smoking of cigarettes. Eight years ago it was stated that her former husband, Frank Fisher, sold her for 50 cents to Samuel Widener.

Feeling the time is long overdue for the proper recognition of the grave of Betsy Ross, members of the Sons of Veterans have taken action which will probably result in the erection of a monument over the "Mother of the Star-Spangled Banner."

University of Chicago students were advised to be "mixers" by Dean Frank J. Miller, who addressed the students of the lower senior college. He said that if a young man failed in the quality of making acquaintances and impressing himself on men, his success in life would be impaired.

One of New York city's most conspicuous ventures in municipal ownership took form last week when the new ferry line between the Battery and Staten Island was put in operation. It is owned and operated by the city and its five splendid ferry boats are the largest in New York harbor, aggregating in value nearly $2,000,000.

Strenuous opponents of race suicide are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heise of Owosso, Mich., whose twentieth child has just arrived. All the score of youngsters, from Fred Jr., who is 21 and the oldest, down to the last little girl, who has just opened her eyes on the world, are healthy and happy. Heise has the contract for coaling the Grand Trunk engines here, and is a respected German citizen.

Announcement is made by the police department of Philadelphia that a recanvass of 22 of the 42 wards showed 15,861 names were illegally on the latest voting lists of these wards. The director of public safety said that his department would make every effort to prevent the voting of the alleged fraudulent names, and that the whole power of the police would be directed toward securing an honest election.

President Stuyvesant Fish of the Illinois Central road announces that the Illinois Central and the Southern railroad have jointly secured control of the Tennessee Central railroad.

PRESIDENT'S LIFE IN DANGER

LIGHTHOUSE TENDER IS STRUCK BY A FREIGHTER LATE AT NIGHT.

ROOSEVELT IS A REAL HERO

CLAD IN PAJAMAS HE ASSUMES COMMAND OF THE SINKING VESSEL.

GREAT PRESENCE OF MIND

SAVES LIVES OF HIMSELF AND OTHERS ON BOARD BY PROMPT ACTION.

New Orleans, Oct. 29.—In an effort to avoid running aground at a sharp turn in the Mississippi river, sixty miles below here, the British fruiter Esparta of the United Fruit company's fleet, collided with the lighthouse tender Magnolia, which was conveying President Roosevelt, Secretary Loeb and Dr. Rixey to the cruiser West Virginia, lying at anchor awaiting the president's arrival three miles off the mouth of the river.

The accident occurred at 11 o'clock Thursday night in a bright moonlight, and almost cost the president his life. He only escaped after he had taken command of the Magnolia while clad in his pajamas, with a biting wind almost chilling him to the bone.

Mr. Roosevelt and the members of his party were finally transferred to the Ivy, a sister ship of the Magnolia, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and boarded the West Virginia on schedule time.

President Is the Hero.

That the president or some one else was not drowned is miraculous, and due to the remarkable presence of mind of Mr. Roosevelt. The strenuous day he spent in New Orleans the day preceding the accident fatigued him so much that he retired two hours after leaving this city for the trip to the gulf. He was sound asleep in a state room located well forward. The Esparta's prow smashed through the Magnolia's bow within a foot or two of where the president was sleeping. The force of the collision was so great that he was almost thrown out of bed.

Mr. Roosevelt hastily drew on his trousers, and further clad in a pajama shirt and slippers, he sallied forth on deck, the coolest man aboard either the Magnolia or Esparta. He gave orders to run the Magnolia on the bank to beach her and prevent her from sinking in probably 200 feet of water. After the ship was put in a safe position he assured himself that there was no further danger, and with his customary disregard for his personal safety he deliberately went back to bed after remarking that it was a strenuous birthday for him, as he was forty-seven years old yesterday.

Sends for another Vessel.

The first news of the accident was received here yesterday morning about daylight in a long distance telephone message from Capt. Rose of the Esparta, who asked that tugs be immediately sent to the assistance of the Magnolia. Two tugs left under forced draught, but before their arrival the president had been transferred to the Ivy.

The transfer was made in a lifeboat, which was brought up alongside the Magnolia and rowed to the Ivy, which had been intercepted and ordered back for the purpose from Pilot Town by a telephone message. A boat was sent ashore immediately after the accident to communicate with the Ivy, as the president did not want to defer his trip longer than necessary.

Spoken Off Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 29.—The cruiser West Virginia, with President Roosevelt on board, was spoken yesterday by wireless telegraphy, the ship at the time being about 300 miles off. The message was received at the Pensacola navy yard and stated that the West Virginia would reach Key West Saturday night.

REPUBLICANS PICK JEROME.

He Is Unanimously Nominated at Reconvened Convention.

New York, Oct. 29.—William Travers Jerome has been unanimously nominated for district attorney by the Republican county convention. Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to England, last night offered his services to speak in behalf of Mr. Jerome for district attorney during the rest of the campaign. A meeting will be held at Carnegie hall next Wednesday night at which Mr. Choate will be the principal speaker.

LAWSON SUES STEVENS.

He of Frenzied Finance Fame Wants $20,000 From Mining Writer.

Hancock, Mich., Oct. 29.—Alleging that his character has been damaged to the extent of $20,000, Thomas W. Lawson of frenzied finance fame, has brought suit for that amount against Horace J. Stevens, a well known copper mine specialist of Houghton. He charges libel. Mr. Stevens is an extensive writer on copper mining topics, and it is presumed he hit the Bostonian hard in some of his articles.

17 ORPHANS POISONED.

Children Taste Fatal Drug While Attendants Are Away.

Burlington, Vt., Oct. 29.—It became known yesterday that seventeen girls whose ages range from two to six years, at the St. Joseph's orphan asylum in this city, were taken suddenly ill Thursday night and three of them died within three hours. At an autopsy held yesterday under the auspices of the state board of health it was determined that the death of the three girls was due to poisoning, but that the cause had not appeared. The girls who were taken ill all remained at the asylum Thursday evening, while the remainder of the 250 inmates were taken to an entertainment. It is supposed that in the absence of some of the nurses the children obtained something of a poisonous nature, which they all tasted.

DYNAMITERS GET ONLY $20.

Terrorize Village and Wreck Two Safes but Miss $4,000.

Muskegon, Mich., Oct. 29.—Bold robbers who are working down Michigan's west shore terrorized the village of Mears, Oceana county, yesterday morning, breaking into the Pere Marquette depot and dynamiting the safe, then scurrying across the street to where the village postoffice stood. Both the postoffice and depot were sacked before any one could sound the alarm. The depot is also the office of the American Express company, and by rare fortune $4,000 of Chicago commission money had been taken away the previous night. The thieves, who had been given a tip regarding the big sum, secured about $20 from both scenes of wreckage.

FIVE WOMEN BADLY BURNED.

Explosion Sets Fire to Woman's Clothing.

Newark, N. J., Oct. 29.—Five women were badly burned, two of them probably fatally, in a fire which destroyed the hardware factory of M. Gould & So., last night. The fire started just as the factory was about to close, when one of the girls upset a candle in a pot of lasquer, causing an explosion which set fire to her clothing and that of her four companions. The girls rushed screaming down the stairs but were caught on the floor below by workmen who beat out the flames and carried them out of the building. The flames caused a property loss of about $60,000.

WILL TAKE THRONE NOV. 12.

Prince Charles Is Ready to Go to Norway.

Paris, Oct. 29—Information reaching the highest quarters here shows that definite arrangements have been made whereby Prince Charles of Denmark will accept the throne of Norway, following a plebescite on Nov. 12. Prince Charles will leave Denmark to assume the royal functions immediately after the official notification of his election is conveyed to him.

LAWYER MUST DIE.

New York Court Declines to Reopen the Patrick Case.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 29.—The court of appeals yesterday denied the motion for a rearrangement of the appeal of Albert T. Patrick from conviction of murder in the first degree and sentence of death for the killing in 1900 of W. M. Rice, an aged millionaire of New York city. The motion was made Oct. 2 by former United States Senator David B. Hill.

"Bill" Club Will Meet.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., Oct. 29—The "Bill" club held its annual meeting last night. The date of the "Bill" banquet was set for Dec. 14. The meeting was enthusiastic and it bids fair for a large attendance. "Bill" Warner, "Bill" Stone and "Bill" Wallace are expected to make speeches. The initiation fee was fixed at a dollar bill. Excelsior Springs is the home of the only "Bill" club in the world.

Taft Saves $9,717,922.52.

Washington, Oct. 29. — Secretary Taft has transmitted to the treasury department his estimates of the appropriations required for the war department for the fiscal year 1907. These estimates aggregate $104,988,267.75, being $9,717,922.52 less than the total appropriations made by congress for the use of the war department for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 1906.

Shoots Wife and Baby.

Chicago, Oct. 29. — Daniel Francis, colored, last night shot and fatally wounded his wife, wounded her baby, which she held in her arms, and fatally shot Dora Scroggs, a young woman who was with Mrs. Francis at the time. Francis and his wife separated some time ago, and her refusal to return to him caused the shooting.

Murderer Is Hanged.

Tampa, Fla., Oct. 29. — Edward Lamb, who shot and killed Christopher D. Kennedy, also white, in Manitee county two years ago, was hanged yesterday at the county jail.

Crisis In Spain.

Madrid, Oct. 29. — According to a semi-official note a meeting of the cabinet last night resulted in the ministers unanimously offering to resign. The premier will confer with King Alfonso relative to the situation.

Seven Persons Injured.

Golden, Colo., Oct. 29. — A runaway switch engine crashed into the rear of a west-bound passenger train on the Colorado & Southern railroad in the yards here yesterday, injuring seven persons.

WORK FOR RATE LEGISLATION

TWO REGULARLY ORGANIZED BODIES SEEK TO ATTAIN SAME OBJECT.

THEIR VIEWS ARE DIFFERENT

REGULAR CONVENTION INDORSES ROOSEVELT'S PLAN FOR RATE CONTROL.

WILL EMPLOY STRONG LOBBY

VIGOROUS CAMPAIGN WILL BE WAGED TO SECURE LEGISLATION.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Both conventions of the interstate commerce law league were adjourned sine die yesterday without making any efforts at reconciliation, and as a consequence there will be two regularly organized bodies working in the interests of railroad rate legislation. The title of the new association after much discussion was selected as "The Federal Rate Association." N. W. McLeod, the temporary chairman of the "anti" convention was elected president of the organization, and an executive board of vice presidents from the different states represented was elected by different state delegations and ratified by the convention as a whole. The purpose of the new organization as outlined by President McLeod and G. X. Wendling of San Francisco, are to be the same as that of the regular body, except that the views of the regular body are not to be followed as set forth in their resolutions.

Indorse Roosevelt Plan.

The regular convention before adjourning adopted resolutions indorsing President Roosevelt's plan for federal government rate regulation by enlarging the powers of the interstate commerce commission. It was also decided to send a copy of the platform as adopted direct to the White House by a committe of five.

In addition to such action the convention, on motion of Former Lieut. Gov. T. F. Campbell of Ohio, determined to send President Roosevelt a telegram saying the convention, representing forty-four states and territories and a large number of business, commercial, producing manufacturing concerns, had adopted resolutions indorsing the president's position on the rate question as

Laid Down In His Message.

At the close of the regular convention the executive committee met and organized for the ensuing year by electing these officers: Chairman, E. P. Bacon, Wisconsin; vice chairman, J. E. Howard, Kansas; secretary, Adolph Mueller, Illinois; treasurer, R. S. Lyon, Illinois.

It was decided by the executive committee to organize in every state and enter upon a vigorous campaign for the success of the Roosevelt rate legislation plan.

According to present plans, a strong lobby will be sent to Washington at the next session of congress, and business and commercial bodies in each state will be asked to petition the United States senators of their respective states to vote for the Roosevelt measure. In addition to this the proceedings of the convention will be published and distributed along with other literature in the interest of the movement.

Keep Railroads In Check.

After several amendments to the report submitted by the resolutions committee of the "antis" had been considered, the report as presented was adopted by a unanimous vote. The resolutions as adopted declared "the railroads shall be kept within their defined rights" and that "such legislation be taken as will remedy existing evils."

In addresses of its members this convention protested that its delegates had not come to Chicago in the interests of the railroads.

WIDOW SUES LYNCHERS.

Kentucky Woman Wants $50,000 Damages From Men Who Made Up Mob.

Cincinnati, Oct. 29.—A sensational suit, the echo of the lynching of William Thacker at Flemingsburg, Ky., in 1903, was filed in the federal court of Covington, yesterday by Mrs. Mary Thacker, the widow. She is suing George Gordon and other citizens of Flemingsburg for $50,000 damages for lynching her husband, who had been indicted for the killing of the son of Gordon. The most sensational charge is made by Thomas Wallingford, that an arrangement existed between the mob and Jailer Morris to get the keys.

PASSENGERS HAVE CLOSE CALL.

Train Is Hurled From a Bridge Into Creek Forty Feet Below.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 29.—Passengers on the Louisville Southern train No. 8 had a narrow escape last night when the train was hurled from a bridge seven miles from here into a creek forty feet below. Twelve persons were injured, but none was killed. The tender, mail and baggage cars, and smoker were splintered and thrown into the creek, and the bridge, which was 150 feet long, entirely destroyed.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

The I. O. O. F. lodge at Bagley is planning for the erection of a hall in the near future.

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Johannes Clausen of the town of Winsor was committed to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls.

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Falbe & Lease, the firm that has been doing the railroad grading east of Eden Valley, has completed its contract.

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Rev. W. C. Rice, formerly of Faribault, has entered upon his ministry as pastor of the Methodist church at Hastings.

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Carl Umlauf, who has resided at Fergus Falls for twenty-eight years, died from cancer. He was 60 years old and leaves a family.

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At a meeting of the Hastings city council the tax levy for the ensuing year was fixed at $20,720. It is regarded as exorbitant, the figure last year being a little over $18,000.

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A young man was assaulted and robbed of $25.85 by a companion in the railway yards at Hastings. The victim of the robbery said he and his assailant came here from the Twin Cities.

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Arne J. Higdem of Bagley is preparing for the erection of a two-story frame store building to adjoin the hardware store of Higdem, Heltne & Bugge. It is to be completed this fall

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The Ennis flour mill at Hastings, owned and operated by the Hastings Electric Light and Milling company, was burned. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is estimated at $19,000; insurance, $6,500.

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Two new altars were installed and dedicated in the Catholic church at St. Nicholas. Right Rev. J. Trobec of St. Cloud and all the former priests of that parish and many others were present.

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Willie Russell, 11 years old, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of Stephen, while hunting in company with his 14-year-old brother, Charles, was shot and instantly killed by the accidental discharge of their gun.

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Rev. S. F. Kerfoot has moved his family from Winona to Mankato and will make that city his headquarters for the next year while engaged as special agent in raising an endowment fund of $50,000 for the superanuated ministers in the Methodist conference.

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A stranger who gave his name as Henry Yang stopped at the home of Mark Wood at Fergus Falls, after spending the day at Mr. Wood's farm, pretending that he wanted to purchase it. In the night he robbed the house, taking Mr. Wood's pocketbook containing $38 and other articles, and succeeded in making his escape.

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The annual inspection of A. Devereau corps, W. R. C., at Janesville, was conducted by the department inspector, Mrs. Phoebe Fuller of Redwood Falls. Among the guests were the department president, Mrs. Mary Plymat, and a dozen others from the Mankato corps, also the past department secretary, Mrs. Ida Martin of Minneapolis. The inspection was followed by refreshments and a reception to the "old soldiers."

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The Duluth, Missabe & Northern road, one of the big ore roads of the steel corporation, is to build in Duluth what will be the largest ore dock in the world, this winter. It will cost in the neighborhood of $600,000 and will be the fourth dock of the company's ore shipping system here. Teh dock will have 384 pockets and will be 72 feet high. The structure will be ready to go into commission May 1, 1906. A year hence No. 1 dock of the Missabe system will be rebuilt.

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About three months ago J. W. Potter Son traded the livery stock at Caledonia, valued at $2,500, with one H. Thompson, for a quarter section of land in Clearwater county. Thompson never was on the land, but purchased it on the representation of the land company's listing, and offered to pay Potter's expenses to go and view the property before closing the deal. Potter failed to do so, but gave Thompson a bill of sale on all his horses, harness and rolling stock. Potter then went to see the land and if possible dispose of it. He found it not as represented, there being more water and sloughs on it than farming land. He commenced replevin proceedings to recover his livery stock, claiming for his cause of action, misrepresentation. The matter was adjusted by Potter paying Thompson $1,050 and reconveying to Thompson the land he traded, and receiving back his livery stock.

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Fergus Falls business men have organized a Commercial club, with a view to advertising the city and county and inducing manufacturers to locate there. Officers were elected as follows: President, J. G. Durrell; vice president, George H. Woodhouse; second vice president, Nate Desky; secretary, Leonard Eriksson; treasurer, A. G. Anderson. An effort is to be made immediately to secure better freight rates.

A farmer named Hedlund of Pine Lake broke and seriously twisted his arm in a threshing machine.

In and About the State

COUNTY TRIES TO BEAT STATE.

Repudiates Debt Contracted in Times of Need.

The refusal of a county in the western part of the state to pay its debt to the state surprised the employes in the state auditor's office a few days ago. The debt amounts to $4,833.25, and is for loans made to the county to help the farmers buy seed wheat The amounts were loaned in different years from ten to fifteen years ago.

The loans were due the state at the end of a year and since their maturity the state auditor has been annually sending notice to the county auditor to make a tax levy to pay the debt. No reply has been received until recently when the auditor received a letter containing the information that the county commissioners had consulted the county attorney who had informed them they do not have to pay the debt. The auditor turned the matter over to the attorney general. If he does not find out on what grounds the county refuses to pay, he will be instructed to take some action toward recovering the money.

The money was paid to the county and to several other counties under acts of the legislature of different years when the farmers had lost their crops through frost, hail, blight and destruction by the Russian thistle The legislature of 1891 appropriated $25,000 to aid the farmers in buying seed; the legislature of 1889 and some subsequent legislatures had also appropriated larger and smaller amounts. The farmers in many localities had lost their entire crop and it was absolutely necessary that something be done to give them a start the following year.

The money was sent to the county auditors upon bonds given by the counties to the state. The county auditor, through the town clerks, was to distribute the money to farmers who made application certifying that they needed the aid. From the crop of that year the farmers were to sell sufficient to repay what they had borrowed from the state. The county auditor was to collect this money and in case of failure to collect he was to make a tax levy upon the property in the county to pay the loan. The bonds were to bear 3 per cent interest before maturity and 6 after.

Most of the counties that secured loans paid them within a short time or at least made no attempt to repudiate the bonds. The county in question owes $341.05 from the appropriation of 1889, $3,772.43 from the appropriation of 1891, $321.27 from the appropriation of 1895, and $398.50 from a special fund for sufferers from Russian thistle. The total is covered by bonds now in the state treasurer's office, and the attempt to repudiate them cannot be accounted for by the state officials.

If the county auditor failed to collect from the farmers receiving the loans, that is no fault of the state. The law plainly directs the county auditor to make a tax levy to pay any deficit

MANY HAVE GLANDERS.

Lyon County Is Afflicted With Both Glanders and Cholera Outbreak.

Lyon county is keeping the state live stock and sanitary commission busy this season. Besides the outbreak of hog cholera, which has had the attention of the department officials for about two months, there has been an outbreak of glanders among the horses of the county. The board has killed eight horses and quarantined several more.

The outbreak of glanders is not confined to Lyon county. Minneapolis has had a number of cases, and horses in the counties near the North Dakota line have been affected. During the last quarter the commission inspected 782 horses and killed 153. The commission is killing all horses that show any symptoms and quarantining all that have been in contact with the sick horses.

NO VIOLATION OF LABOR LAWS

Injuries to Raymond Mills Will Not Be Further Investigated.

State Factory Inspector Julius Moersch has returned from Rock Creek, Pine county, and states that there will be no further inquiry into the injuries of Raymond Mills, the 11-year-old boy who was hurt in a saw mill at that point last week.

Mr. Moersch says the boy was injured in his father's mill and that there was no violation of the labor laws except that the shaft on which he was hurt was not as fully protected as it might have been. In this matter, however, the inspector believes the father has been sufficiently punished. The boy is in a serious condition, but will probably recover.

DIES AT AGE OF NINETY-NINE.

Aged Pioneer of Appleton Just Misses Century Mark.

Appleton, Minn., Oct. 24.—Mrs. Amy Barton died at the residence of her son-in-law, W. V. Lathrop, in this city, aged ninety-nine years. She was the oldest person in Western Minnesota, and had been very active both bodily and mentally until a short time before her death. She was a pioneer, having lived in Minnesota nearly sixty years, and in Appleton for more than thirty years.

NATIVITY OF CITY PEOPLE.

State Census Bureau Statistics for St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Nativity statistics for St. Paul and Minneapolis have been given out by the state census bureau.

The St. Paul statistics show 98,698 born in Minnesota, 41,412 in other states of the Union, and 56,912 foreign born. These are divided among different countries as follows:

Germany, 15,868; Sweden, 11,901; Canada, 5,698; Ireland, 5,097; Norway, 4,155; England, 2,114; Russia, 1,984; Austria, 1,952; Denmark, 1,344; Poland, 1,225; Bohemia, 1,065; Scotland, 872; Hungary, 841; Italy, 671; Switzerland, 523; France, 272; Finland, 74; Wales, 65; Syria, 79; at sea, 31.

The statistics show that in Minneapolis 115,987 persons are natives of Minnesota, and 68,321 were born elsewhere in the United States. There are 77,466 foreign born, or 29 1-3 per cent of the city's population. The foreign born are divided as follows:

Sweden, 25,561; Norway, 14,953, Germany, 9,074; Canada, 7,803; Ireland, 3,248; Russia, 3,007; Austria, 2,779; England, 2,347; Denmark, 1,904; Roumania, 1,191; Scotland, 979; Poland, 891; Finland, 844; Hungary, 602; Bohemia, 388; Italy, 349; Switzerland, 297; France, 239; Wales, 202; Holland, 159; Greece, 110; Syria, 105; Belgium, 55; Turkey, 35; at sea, 43.

The percentages of population in the two cities are:

St. Paul—Minnesota born, 49.9; total native born, 71.2; foreign born, 28.8.

Minneapolis—Minnesota born, 44.3, total native born, 70.7; foreign born, 29.3.

No account is taken in the state census of the "native-born of foreign parents," which must be taken with the foreign born to give an idea of the real strength of the different nationality elements.

STATE A BIG BAKER.

Buys $30,000 Worth of Flour for State Institutions.

Flour contracts aggregating $30,000 have been let by the state board of control. This represents the flour which will be used by the state institutions during the next nine months, and the amount contracted for is based upon the quantities of flour used at former periods.

Contracts were awarded for nine months on account of the probable rise in wheat and flour prices. This will supply the institutions until Aug. 1, 1906.

The largest consumer of flour among the institutions is the Fergus Falls hospital for the insane, which uses 1,800 barrels in the nine months, or 2,400 a year. The total consumption at the institutions for nine months is 7,725 barrels, and the average price paid is not far from $4.

The James A. Quirck Milling company of Minneapolis got the contract to supply 525 barrels to the asylum at Anoka, 525 barrels to the asylum at Hastings, 550 barrels to the training school at Red Wing, 600 barrels to the state reformatory at St. Cloud and 1,400 barrels to the three institutions at Faribault. The John A. Cole Milling company will supply 1,200 barrels to the hospital for the insane at Rochester. The Red River Milling Company of Fergus Falls will supply 1,800 barrels to the insane hospital in that town. Sackett & Fay of St. Peter will furnish 1,050 barrels for the hospital for the insane at St. Peter. The Owatonna Milling company will supply the state public school at Owatonna with 75 barrels. The Minnesota Flour Mills Company of Minneapolis will furnish 1,000 barrels to the state prison at Stillwater.

BUTTER SHOWS BETTER GRADE.

Dairy and Food Department Finishes October Scoring.

The October scoring in the twelve months' educational contest conducted by the state dairy and food department has been finished and H. J. Roseneau of Meriden won first place with a score of 97.50. H. A. Goetsch of Money Creek was second, with a score of 97, and N. E. Anderson of Norseland third, with 96.50.

The quality of the butter this month was better than last month, owing partly to an improvement in the feed given the cows. There were 129 entries, which was somewhat less than usual, as those who scored low in the first months drop out during the latter contests. The butter was scored by J. C. Joslin and Frank Shrewsbury. There are two more contests before the end of the twelve months' trial. The next one will be held in connection with the State Butter and Cheesemakers' convention at Mankato in November.

Bank of Central America.

New York, Oct. 28.—Cable advices from Berlin announce that the Deutsche Uerbesche Bank of Berlin, Speyer, Ellison of Frankfort-on-the-Main, and the Frederische Credit Anstalt of Zurich have founded a bank with a capital of $2,500,000, to be called the Bank of Central America, and which will have its head office in Berlin. The business of the bank will be started in Guatemala with the ultimate intention of opening branch offices in the surrounding Central American countries.

BLOODSHED IS INEVITABLE

RUSSIAN REVOLUTIONISTS AND TERRORISTS BENT ON FORCING CONFLICT.

MUST EMPLOY ARMED FORCE

TROOPS ARE ORDERED TO SHOOT EVERY AGITATOR CARRYING ARMS.

STRIKERS SURE OF SUCCESS

MONSTER MASS MEETINGS HELD WITHOUT POLICE INTERFERENCE.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 29.—That the present situation cannot end without bloodshed is the conviction prevailing in the higher government circles which from moment to moment are expecting a conflict between the troops and the revolutionists in St. Petersburg and news of trouble in the provinces, especially at Kharkoff, which has been declared in a state of war. The governor of Kieff has been instructed to take all necessary measures to restore order, which the local government and the commander of the troops are unable to maintain.

Must Employ Armed Force.

One of the most prominent members of the emperor's council received the Associated Press yesterday and said with every evidence of deep emotion: "The situation is a grievous and a painful one, and I see no way out of it except by the employment of armed force. Please do not misunderstand me. I look upon the prospect with tears, but it is becoming more and more evident that the troops will be compelled to fire. I can see no other possible outcome. The revolutionists and terrorists are absolutely bent on forcing a conflict upon us, and nothing we can do will satisfy them. The extension of the suffrage and the right of assembly will be nothing to them. They are determined to have bloodshed, and we cannot avoid the issue. It is a frightful disease from which Russia is suffering, and, sad and painful as it is, the government must act with force."

Tell Police to Shut Their Eyes.

Realizing that any attempt to interfere with the moster meeting at the university would inevitable lead to a bloody outbreak, Gen. Trepoff, who announced during the afternoon that he intended to prevent the assembly, instructed the police to close their eyes to the fact, and the meeting which was attended by between 15,000 and 20,000 persons, passed off quietly without a conflict.

Big meetings were also held in the technological and art institutes and in two engineering schools. The students at neither of these meetings took a prominent part in the deliberations, yielding the hospitality of the college buildings without attempting to cloak the meetings with the guise of student assemblies.

Concedes Right of Assembly.

With the hope of avoiding further meetings at the university, Gen. Trepoff later placed halls in three different parts of the city at the disposition of the people for meeting, thereby practically conceding the demands of the agitators of the right of assembly.

The scene inside the university beggars description. In the great open-air court, with no light except a few flickering candles on a hastily constructed tribune, from 4,000 to 5,000 workmen, students and professional men stood wedged together in the cold and wet snowfall, listening to

Revolutionary Harangues.

Another great meeting was held in the central hall of the university and scores of smaller meetings of the separate trades and professions were held in the other rooms of the building.

In all the sections a strong minority urged conservatism, but these were carried from their feet by the general enthusiasm and resolutions for a general strike in every branch of social democracy were adopted with a hurrah.

A remarkable feature of all the speeches was the spirit of complete confidence that the success of the movement was at hand, and the manifest intention, as the minister quoted in the first part of this dispatch said, to

Force an Armed Conflict

upon the government. The meetings continued far into the night.

In the city, in spite of the absence of disorders, there is a condition of actual panic. Half of the population is compelled to rely on candles or kerosene lamps for light, while the street lamps in a large part of the city have been extinguished.

Orders Troops to Shoot.

Warsaw, Oct. 29.—The governor general has ordered the troops to shoot every agitator armed.

Act Without Mercy.

Lodz, Oct. 28.—The governor has ordered the officers in the event of disturbances to act without mercy.

Cubans to Be at The Hague.

Havana, Oct. 29.—The Cuban government has accepted the invitation of Emperor Nicholas, conveyed through Baron Rosen, to [illegible] second peace conference [illegible] Hague.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

SUICIDE TO AVOID ARREST.

Mad Act of a Chicago Man Charged With Conspiracy and Fraud.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Leaping through a plate glass window, headlong four stories down to the street, to evade arrest on warrants charging conspiracy and fraud, Adolph Perbohner, who conducted a real estate and loan business at 151 Washington street, was dashed to death yesterday on the pavement, dying instantly. Prebohner's spectacular leap to death was witnessed by scores of people passing, and by many occupants of near-by offices. Slamming the door of a private office in the face of the police when they appeared with warrants, Perbohner hurled himself through the window Apparently the man was so overwhelmed mentally by the sudden imminence of arrest that his power of reflection was paralyzed and he had only one idea—escape.

TAFT OFF FOR PANAMA.

Secretary of War Will Look Over Canal Work.

Washington, Oct. 29. — Secretary Taft and his party started on their Panama trip last night, leaving here at 6:30 o'clock by boat for Norfolk. He will transfer to the United States cruiser Columbia at Old Point. Mr. Taft was overwhelmed with work up to the time of his departure. In the forenoon he went over the estimated expenditures of the canal commission since July 1. It is expected the purchase of the necessary plant to build the canal will be completed by January or June of next year.

IS BURIED IN TRENCH.

Eighteen Feet of Sand and Dirt Fall on Laborer.

Madelia, Minn., Oct. 29. — A most horrible accident here yesterday morning when Felix Bastien, a laborer, was buried alive in a sewer trench in St. Paul street at a depth of eighteen feet. A connection was being made with the sewer main at that point for the purpose of extending the sewer into a hotel. Mr. Bastien was doing the excavating. The nature of the soil for several feet is quicksand. He was at the bottom of the trench when a man on the bank called his attention to the fact that it was caving, and he started to climb out, but only succeeded in climbing a few feet. It was an hour and a half or two hours before the body was reached.

DEATH IN GIRL'S CARESS.

Jealous Woman Slashes Lover's Throat With Razor.

Des Moines, Oct. 29. — Placing her arms about the neck of her lover, Harold Stepp, and lovingly caressing him, Myrtle Williams of Albia last night opened a razor, and as she broke away slashed his throat. Jealousy was the cause. She claimed Stepp had been paying too much attention to another woman. She invited him to her home, and engaging him in embraces, attempted to murder him. The woman is under arrest pending developments, and the young man lies in a critical condition, with forty stitches in the wound. Doctors say it is doubtful whether he will recover. The girl feels no remorse for her act.

STONE CRUSHES LEG.

Mass Weighing Several Tons Falls on Man.

Wabasha, Minn., Oct. 29.—A bad accident occurred at the new orphanage here yesterday. Workmen had just placed in position over the main entrance a stone lintel fourteen feet long and weighing several tons. With but a moment's warning it broke in the center and fell to the landing some twenty feet below, carrying the pillars with it and doing great damage to the stone steps and decorative work. Donatus Koch, a stonemason, was pinned beneath a portion of the huge mass. His left leg was crushed to a pulp and it was found necessary to amputate the leg at once.

YOUTHFUL GROOM ARRESTED.

His Mother Makes Charge of Theft to Get Him Away From Aged Bride.

Sioux City, Iowa, Oct. 29. — Tom Eassa, the seventeen-year-old boy who eloped with a forty-year-old widow, Mary Eassa, his cousin, is under arrest for embezzlement, the charge being preferred by his mother. The arrest was made at Yankton, S. D. The boy is being brought here, while the elderly wife will go to Akron, Iowa, to visit relatives. The boy's mother made the accusation that he stole $200 in order to get him home. She will endeavor to have the marriage annulled.

CHICAGO MAN IS ARRESTED.

W. P. Tuttle, Fleeing From Indictment, Is Taken in North Dakota.

Steele, N. D., Oct. 29.—William P. Tuttle, a prominent board of trade man of Chicago, is under arrest here as a fugitive from justice on an indictment by the grand jury of Cook county for wife abandonment. The arrest was made by Deputy Sheriff Thomas V. Morrison of Cook county.

Bank Robbed.

Aberdeen, S. D., Oct. 29.—Telephone messages from Rockham, Faulk county, state that the bank at that place was robbed last night by cracksmen, [illegible] and succeeded in [illegible]

FATAL WRECK AT FAIRFIELD.

Fast Trains Collide and Four Persons Are Killed.

Fairfield, Iowa, Oct. 28. — Two fast passenger trains on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway collided head-on at a point one mile south of Fairfield early yesterday. Four persons were killed and between fifteen and twenty injured, none fatally. The cause of the accident is now laid to the train dispatcher's office. At the time of the accident the trains were running at the rate of about thirty miles an hour. Both engines, which are of the large Pacific type, were demolished by the impact, which was terrific.

REOPEN OLD IRON MINE.

Cleveland Cliffs Company Buys Property as New Field.

Ashland, Wis., Oct. 28.—It was authoritatively made public yesterday for the first time that the Cleveland Cliffs Iron company has purchased a two-thirds interest in the Shores iron properties near Iron Belt, Wis. The consideration is about $50,000. The representatives of the Cleveland Cliffs company have been looking over the property and it is learned that $150,000 has been appropriated to carry on the work on the Iron Belt and Shores properties. The Shores mine has not been worked for four years.

IOWA STATE GETS WEALTH.

George W. Catt Bequeaths Scholarships and Libraries.

New York, Oct. 28.—By will of Geo. W. Catt Iowa State college at Ames is to be endowed with property worth $35,000 after the death of the widow, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt. Mrs. Catt is to enjoy the use of the property during her life, after which the revenue from it is to be divided into $100 scholarships for Iowa State college. Mr. Catt's library on economics also goes to the college after Mrs. Catt's death, and his engineering library is bequeathed to the college immediately.

FARMER FOUND DEAD.

Evidently Apoplexy Caused Fall From Wagon.

Aberdeen, S. D., Oct. 28. — August Abraham, a farmer of Riverside township, was found dead in a field between his home and Groton. He had been to Groton, and persons who met him on the way observed that he appeared to be ill. It is believed that he became unconscious and that the horses entered the field, where he fell from the wagon. The horses then ran away and were caught several miles distant. Apoplexy is given as the cause of death.

CALLS IT CONTEMPT.

Judge Makes Decision Against Company and Its Attorneys.

Superior, Wis., Oct. 28. — The Superior Milling company and its attorneys, E. F. McCausland, J. A. Murphy and Charles Crownhart, were held in contempt of court by a decision announced late yesterday afternoon by Judge Smith of the superior court. The judge held that the company was in contempt for operating its mills in Superior in violation of an order issued by the court restraining it from so doing.

ENGINE BACKS; KILLS MAN.

Threshing Engine Runs Away When Belt Breaks.

Ada, Minn., Oct. 28.—A man named Amundson was run over by an engine and instantly killed while working with a threshing crew on a farm near Gary. He was stretching the belt, when it broke, and the engine ran backward, the drive wheels passing over his body. He is survived by a widow and five children.

TWO CHILDREN DROWNED.

They Were Skating on a Pond and Went Through the Ice.

Stephen, Minn., Oct. 28. — Robert Richard, aged 7 years, and Vina Esther, aged 9, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook of Bridgeport, Kittson county, sixteen miles northeast of Stephen, were drowned yesterday afternoon while skating on a pond used for watering stock.

WHITEMAN SENTENCED.

Awarded Eight Years and a Half in Auburn.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 28.—A. J. Whiteman was sentenced yesterday to serve eight years and five months in Auburn prison. He will appeal. Whiteman was convicted of defrauding the Fidelity Trust Company of Buffalo by means of raised and forged checks.

Escaped From Jail.

Grand Forks, N. D., Oct. 28.—A man arrested at Larimore on a charge of bootlegging, made his escape from the city jail by digging a hole through a brick wall at a point where a gas pipe entered.

Threshing Machine Burned.

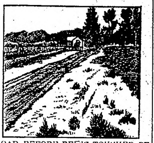
Perham, Minn., Oct. 28.—Johnson & Rasmussen's threshing machine and two wheat stacks were burned last night on the Johnson farm north of town. A man was seen running away just before the fire was discovered.

ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

GOOD ROADS IN IOWA.

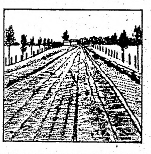
What That State Is Doing to Improve the Highways in Rural Districts.

The Iowa highway commission recently held at the Iowa state college an institute for the training of road officers in building and caring for the highways of the state, and the stimulus given to the interests of good roads will prove of lasting benefit to the state. Prof. W. H. Stevenson, in making report of the institute, says: "In Iowa there are approximately 100,000 miles of public roads for the maintenance of which the enormous sum of $4,456,000 in road taxes is raised each year, in addition to mulct tax moneys and the poll taxes. If this money were used by men trained in the science and practice of road building and skilled in business methods, as are the men intrusted with the affairs of great business concerns, it would be entirely possible to maintain every mile of roadway in the state in good condition and gradually to build hard surfaces along the main traveled roads without increasing the present road tax a single penny. Contrast the highways of Iowa of to-day with those which it is possible to have by earnest, thoughtful attention to this important subject. Without doubt there is a state-wide need for trained road builders and the good-roads school, within a few years, must prove a most potent factor in solving the good-roads problem.



ROAD BEFORE BEING TOUCHED BY GRADER.

"In the road demonstration work, three sections of earth roads were built, two with reversible graders and one with an elevating grader, all operated by experts. In addition, six kinds of road drags were exhibited and five were operated at the school. These included, besides the widely known King drag, the V drag, the Stevenson "ditch cleaner," the Russell road leveler and the Smith steel road drag. These drags were all shown and operated by the inventors, themselves, and it was made plainly apparent that all can do first-class work. So much interest was aroused in these road drags that the commission has decided to thoroughly test each kind on a section of earth road and to report the results in a bulletin.



SAME ROAD IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION SHOWING PROPER WIDTH AND CROWN.

"No feature of the many demonstrations in road construction attracted more attention than the building of a reenforced concrete culvert. At the present time many road experts in Iowa are carefully considering the advisability of displacing expensive and unsatisfactory wooden culverts with durable structures of concrete reenforced with steel. The commission has prepared standard plans and specifications of simple and inexpensive concrete culverts for distribution among Iowa road officers."

BREVITIES.

"No" is the shorter, but it seems easier to say "yes."

Land is a good thing to own, but the man "land poor" is to be pitied.

It is harder to get a crop in an overwet year than an unusually dry one.

Turnips make a good catch crop. Sheep will pasture them well in the fall.

A consolidated rural school means that the country boy and girl will have the same chance their city cousins now enjoy.

Rain barrels should be covered with mosquito netting or a little skum of kerosene to prevent their becoming a breeding place for the pests.

To Cure Clover Hay.

The way to cure clover hay, is to cut the grass in the morning as soon as the dew is off. At noon shake out the bunches, rake into windrows before evening dews get on it, and leave it lie until next day. Next day, shake out the hay as soon as the dew is off. You ought to be ready to haul, on a hot day by 11 o'clock or certainly after dinner. It spoils clover hay to get too dry. It should never be put in the barn when wet with rain or dew; but a little sap won't hurt it.

ON A DIVERSIFIED FARM.

There Is a Greater Demand on the Farmer for Skill and Energy Than on Single Crop Farms.

The man that has to run a diversified farm has his "hands full," if we may use a slang expression that has almost ceased to be slang. The man that has to look after 20 different crops needs a mental development far above that of the man that has to look after one crop only. The man with many crops to look after has to acquire 20 times the information about crops that the man does that has to look after one crop only. On the other hand, he does not have to do so much worrying about the sale of his crop, as the community around any farm will largely absorb the crops of the farm where diversified farming is practiced.

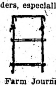
On a diversified farm all the ground is kept in use, and sometimes several crops are grown on the same piece of ground in one summer. One crop may be dove-tailed into another crop, so that a new crop is being started before the old one is off the ground. The mixed farmer generally breaks the old Jewish commandment not to sow mixed seed in the field. He does not find that the growing of two, three or even four crops in the same field the same season damages his fields, provided his land is kept well manured and well supplied with humus.

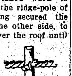
On a diversified farm, declares the Farmers' Review, labor can be used to better advantage than on a farm devoted to the production of any one crop. On the diversified farm there is a demand for labor from one part of the season to another, and the owner is also enabled to utilize all of his own time. This is a great thing to the man that is running a small farm. In this day it is not possible to make money out of any establishment that is run on half time, even a farm.

A ROPE FIRE-LADDER.

Safety Device Which Every Farmer Should Have Handy in Case of Fire.

There is always danger of fire catching the roof of farmhouse or barn. Quick work will often save much loss. But if one happens to be alone, it is almost impossible to raise long, heavy ladders, especially the one needed to reach any place on the roof. A very convenient ladder to keep on hand is one made of light ropes, as shown in the cuts, suggests the Farm Journal. At one end are two hooks and a connecting cross-bar which any blacksmith can make in a few moments. To the center of the cross-bar is attached a long cord with a bit of weight fastened to its outer end. It is but an instant's work to throw this cord over the ridge-pole of a building, and having secured the weighted end upon the other side, to draw the ladder up over the roof until the hooks cross the ridge. Then pull the ladder back into place with the hooks biting into the wood of the saddle boards, and one can go anywhere upon the roof. This ladder should be long enough to reach the ground from any building. One person alone can raise a wodden ladder to the eaves, and with this rope roof ladder he has command of the situation. The "rounds" of the rope ladder need not extend to the ground, but the ropes should, that the ladder may be manipulated from the ground. It will be seen from Fig. 2 that a staple over the rope keeps the latter from slipping off the "rounds."



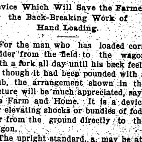


SHOCK CORN LOADER.

Device Which Will Save the Farmer the Back-Breaking Work of Hand Loading.

For the man who has loaded corn fodder from the field to the wagon with a fork all day until his back feels as though it had been pounded with a club, the arrangement shown in the picture will be much appreciated, says the Farm and Home. It is a device for elevating shocks or bundles of fodder from the ground directly to the wagon.

The upright standard, a, may be attached to wagon frame in the center or at the front or the hind end and braced in such a manner as will hold it rigid. The boom, b, is attached to a by an iron band or collar shown at d, so arranged that the boom may swing entirely around upright a, which may be secured to the bed of wagon by anchor chains or by setting into block as shown at c. The cable, e, is used to adjust the height of boom, elevating it to highest point in finishing out the load.



DETAILS OF CORN LOADER.

The farm telephone proves its worth in haying and harvest. It is quicker to telephone for repairs than to ride in and find they are not in stock.

DYNAMITE MAKES CHANNEL

Ice in Long Island Sound Was Blown Up to Permit of Navigation.

The severity of last winter in the neighborhood of New York is emphasized by an occurrence at Port Chester, N. Y., on Long Island Sound, says the New York Tribune. Usually the harbor of that place is not closed in the winter by the ice. The steamers from New York are able to make their way up the Byram river, the mouth of which forms the harbor of Port Chester, to the wharves. In the winter just ended it has been impossible for them to do this, for ice more than a foot in thickness formed and effectually blocked navigation in the channel.

The manufacturers became tired of waiting for nature in the form of gentle spring to release them from their icy bonds. When March came roaring in, and the ice was found still to be from a foot to 18 inches in thickness, they decided to treat the ice themselves. Procuring 450 pounds of dynamite, they set to work. Beginning at the open end of the ice field the ice was divided into huge blocks with plows. Then sticks of dynamite were inserted in holes made for the purpose. The dynamite was exploded by an electric current, and three or four miniature geysers of mixed ice and water would shoot up into the air.

Foot by foot the ice was broken away. Finally after five days of ice breaking of this sort the channel was opened sufficiently to permit a steamer to reach a wharf.

AN APPEAL FROM AFRICA.

What the People of the Dark Continent Ask of Those of Other Nations.

It is but very little that we ask—the right to work on our own soil, among our own people, ruled by some, at any rate, of our rulers, and to be permitted to eat and drink what we think good for us, instead of having deadly poison poured down our throats, says an extract from "Africa's Appeal to Christendom," in Century. Even if foreign powers should for a time be financial losers, they cannot eventually be anything but gainers—aided by a country almost unlimited in its capabilities, and the willing, grateful service of 20,000,000 of people rescued from the moral as well as physical death now staring them in the face. They will not have the obstacles presented to them in their own country; all will be with them in this crusade; leaders and people alike are stretching out their hands for aid. We appeal, not to England, not to France, not to Germany, not to other empires and states, but to the consciences of the individual men forming such nations. We appeal, not for a gift or favor, but for our right. Even as the Americans appealed for their rights, and obtained them by heroic measures, so do we claim the right for "freedom to worship God," and to worship Him by sobriety, industry, good will and all the Christian graces.

FOUND IN "LEMON" PIES.

Analysis of Restaurant Pastry Fails to Bring to Light Any Lemon.

Three lemon pies brought from the shelves of downtown restaurants were analyzed in the office of the state food inspector, and this is the composition of the filling of one of them, as announced by the chemist, reports the Chicago Record-Herald.

"Starch, in thick, firm paste, flavored slightly and very little acid; 21 per cent. sugar. Aniline coloring (methyl-orange group). The color is made synthetically from aniline, and aniline from coal. Method—di-methyl-aniline on diazo-benzine sulphonic acid. Methyl orange is poisonous in large doses. Found to contain very little flavoring and acid from lemon. Filling of starch paste, sugar and colored deep yellow."

In plain English, it was explained by the chemist that aniline is used instead of eggs. The butter was neglected altogether and the lemon juice was slighted.

Another lemon pie was beginning to decompose when it was delivered to the laboratory. There was dough at the bottom. The third lemon pie examined was said to be tolerably good. The much-abused mince pie escaped with good reputation, but one of the two pumpkin pies examined was said to be old.

Largest Known Sun Spot.

The Abbe Moreux has published a chart of the great sun spot made at the Observatory of Bourges, when on February 2 it attained its greatest extension of about 175,000 kilometers long and 102,000 kilometers wide—that is to say, about one-twenty-ninth part of the solar disk. It is the largest yet known. Lengths of 200,000 kilometers have been noted, but they represented a group of spots. One in 1858 was 250,000 kilometers long, but owing to its narrowness only measured one-thirtieth of the solar surface. The spot passed the central meridian of the sun on the night of February 2. It lay in the southern hemisphere, and varied notably in its aspect.—London Globe.

Pa's Theory.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the meaning of "noblesse oblige?"

Pa—I don't know, my son, unless it has some connection with those foreign nobles who are obliged to marry for money.—Chicago Daily News.

[illegible]

He—I understand [illegible] has been assigned a very [illegible] role in your amateur theatricals.

She—Yes, [illegible] [illegible].

Strikers Admit Defeat.

New York, March 13.—Admitting defeat in their fight against the Interborough company, the old employes of the subway and elevated railway crowded the offices of the company seeking their former positions. Some 3,000 men applied for reinstatement, but not more than 500 were accepted.

Nevada to Be Monte Carlo.

Reno, Nev., March 13.—The bill compelling all gambling to be conducted on the second floor has been repealed. The measure practically makes Nevada a state where gambling can be carried on in any place, either on the street, or in the house, so long as the gambler pays the license.

Awful Ravages of Plague.

Calcutta, March 10.—Deaths in India from the bubonic plague last week numbered 34,000. Statistics show that the deaths from bubonic plague in India within a few years reach nearly 3,000,000. In 1903 the mortality in India from the plague alone was 850,000.

Tragedy in Indiana.

Fort Wayne, Ind., March 11.—Joseph Jobst, 44 years old, a driver of a brewery wagon, shot his wife Friday and then committed suicide. The woman will live. She had applied for a divorce from Jobst.

Editor Munn Dies.

New York, March 13.—Henry Norcross Munn, editor of the Scientific American, is dead at his home in this cty. He was a member of the firm which publishes that paper.

A Record Price.

New York, March 13.—A seat on the New York stock exchange has been sold for $82,500. This is the high record price. The name of the purchaser is not disclosed.

Robbers Secure $2,700.

Renfrow, Okla., March 13.—Robbers blew open the safe of the Renfrow bank and escaped with [illegible] in cash. An armed posse is in pursuit.

WASHINGTON'S ARMY HOME

House at Valley Forge Which Sheltered the General for Six Months.

It is hardly more than an hour's ride from Philadelphia to Valley Forge, and one alights from the railway train about 100 yards from the ancient, pointed stone house of miller Isaac Potts; the structure which all America cherishes to-day as the home of Washington for the half year the continental army was encamped in that country. As nearly as can be ascertained, writes W. H. Richardson, in Four-Track News, the building is very much the same as it was when it was getting its right to a high place on history's page. "The log cabin to dine in," about which Mrs. Washington wrote, has been rebuilt, and otherwise the restorations have been carried on in a consistent manner. Externally the substantial and comfortable look of the building is very impressive, and its simple, dignified proportions appeal at once to the good taste of every visitor. The curious porch over the front door, the exquisite hand-made moldings and other details of its architecture are charming notes in the very pretty harmony. Interest in the interior is heightened by the presence in the various rooms of rare old furniture, prints, engravings and other relics of the colonial and revolutionary eras.

Elastic But Not Stretchy.

Customer—I thought you said that last pair of rubber shoes you sold me were elastic?

Salesman—So they were; what was the matter with them?

"Nothing; only I couldn't make them stretch from one end of the winter to the other."—Chicago Journal.

Notice to Property Owners.

Property owners in Red Lake Falls city are warned that banking houses or other buildings with manure is not allowed unless the manure is covered with earth. Straw and hay stacks are not allowed within seventy-five feet of buildings, and no ash heaps will be premitted in close proximity to buildings. Violations of these rules will be summarily dealt with.—John Drier, Fire Warden. 2 w.

RHEUMATISM ROBS LIFE of PLEASURE

Rheumatism does more than any other disease to rob life of pleasure and comfort. It is so painful and far-reaching in its effects on the system that those afflicted with it find themselves utterly unable to enjoy bodily comfort or any of the pleasures of life. Some are bound hand and foot and suffer constantly with excruciating pains, swollen, stiff joints and muscles, and often distorted, crooked limbs, while others have intervals of freedom, during which they live in constant fear and dread of the next attack, when, at the least exposure to damp weather, or slight irregularity of any kind, the disease will return.

I had been troubled with Rheumatism for two years, had been under the treatment of physicians, and tried everything recommended to me, but all to no avail. My knee and elbow joints were so stiff that I could not use them. I was unable to do my household work, and was truly in a pitiable condition. S. S. S. cured me after using it for awhile, and I unhesitatingly give it the credit it so much deserves.

Sta. A., E. Liverpool, O. MRS. M. A. DECKER.

The cause of Rheumatism is a sour, acid condition of the blood, produced by food lying undigested in the stomach, poor bowel action, weak kidneys and a general sluggish condition of the system. External applications, such as liniments, oils, plasters, etc., do not reach the cause and can only give temporary relief. The blood must be cleansed and purified before a cure can be had. S. S. S. attacks the disease in the right way—it neutralizes the poison and filters out every particle of it from the blood, stimulates the sluggish organs and clears the system of all foreign matter. It cures the disease permanently and safely because it contains no harmful minerals to derange the stomach and digestion. Book on Rheumatism and any advice you wish, without charge.

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THE CITY ELECTION RESULTS

Vote was Very Light, Only About 225 Votes Being Cast.

Not much interest was manifested by the citizens at the city election last Tuesday there being contests on for but two offices, Alderman for the 3rd ward and Justice of the Peace, with the result that only about half of the vote was polled.

For Mayor, John A. Duffy received	186
For Treasurer, OvideEmard received	173
For Aldermau -at-Large.	
Wm. P' O'Brien received	169
HenryHennemuth received	158
For Alderman 1st ward,	
James Brady received	39
2ndward FredBorchers rec'd	35
3rd ward Simon Paul rec'd	59
3rd ward JosephBelair rec'd	56
For Justices of the Peace,	
Adam Zeh received	143
S.A. Swanson received	138
S. L. Lewis received	88

For the coming two years dating from January, the following officers will serve the city's interests. John A. Duffy, Mayor; Ovide Emard, Treasurer; Aldermen-at-Large, Wm. P. O'Brien and Henry Hennemuth; Aledrmen, 1st ward James Brady' 2nd ward Fred Borchers and 3rd ward Simon Paul: Justices of the Peace, Adam Zeh and S. A. Swanson.

The proposition to buy a chemical engine was turned down by the voters by a vote of 126 against to 46 for. The contest for the honor of representing the 3rd ward was as close and exciting as anyone could wish for.. There was no telling who was to be Alderman until the judges came to the last five ballots when it was apparent that Mr. Paul was elected. There was the usual scattering complimentary votes for nearly all the offices of which no mention is made.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what names the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert's.

GONE TO HER FINAL REWARD

Mrs. Louis R. Adams Dies After Lingering Illness.

Bertha, the beloved wife of Louis R. Adams, died last Thursday night at Grand Forks after an illness of six weeks duration.

Bertha was the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. William Zaizer of this city. She was born near Red Lake Falls 22 years ago last March and resided at this city up to three years ago when she was married. She lived at St. Hilaire for a time and then moved to Grand Forks.

The funeral services were held at St. Mary's church Sunday afternoon Rev. Father Ansgar officiating and thd remains were interred in the cemetery at this place. Bertha was loved by a wide circle of friends, who deeply deplore the sudden severing of life's tiny cord. Besides the husband, father, mother and other relations, two little children, a boy two years old and a baby girl two months old are left to mourn her untimely demise. The Courier extends its condolences to the bereaved relatives.

A CITIZEN LEAVES.

Ed. H. Chase and family left on Wednesday evening for St. Louis, Mo., where they will wake their future home, Mr. Chase having secured an excellent position with one of the large printing concerns of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Chase have only been with us since the early part of this year but during their stay have made hosts of friends all of whom are grieved at their departure from our midst. They were both popular in social circles and their home was always open to their friends. Mr. Chase stood well with our business men and was a valued member of our band. Their many friends all unite with the Couries in wishing them all the good in life in their new home.

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PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

Meeting Held at City hall October 12. Ordinance Passed.

The meeting was called to order President Borchers, all members being present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The following bills were approved and allowed:

W. A. Schreiter, medicine	$ 3.20
Ed Bray, drayage and street work	2.50
Thief River Lbr Co., lumber	156.47
Red Lake Falls Elec. Light light for Sept. 05	111.16
Henry Proutx, street work	4.50
John Deforge, " "	19.80
J. E. Wilkinson, services as health officer	7.00
Julius Kubl, street work	16.50
Alfonse Roy, drayage	7.40
Frank Jeffers, recording 3 deeds	3.00

The tax levy for the ensuing year was fixed at eight thousand dollars ($8000.00).

The following were appointed judges for the city election to be held Nov. 7, viz:

1st ward—JosephTschirhart, John Marleau, Louis Alstadt.

2nd ward—J. P. Harren, Elus Normandeau, Wm. McIntosh.

3rd ward—Frank Cyr, A. L. Reichert, J. C. Matthews.

Voting places were designated as follows: 1st ward—Theo. Schmitz building. 2nd ward—City hall. 3rd ward—Pouliot hotel.

On motion duly carried, an ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba R'y Co., its accession and assigns the right to lay down, construct, maintain and operate a pipe line and the appertanances therewith on First St. in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn. was introduced and passed its first reading. On motion meeting adjourned.

Approved this 18th day of October, A. D. 1905.

Aitest: J. A. Duffy,
A. P. Toupin, Clerk. Mayor.

The COURIER, $1.00 per year.

OUR TRIP TO CROOKSTON

As Viewed by Superintendent, Faculty, Pupils and Football Team.

From first that it may seem extravagant for a superintendent to dismiss his whole school for a day and go to visit a neighboring school, But when you come to know that on that same day at least ten superintendents visited the Minneapolis schools with the teachers coming from at least four diffrent states you will conclude that there is something good in the practice.

Yet when you stop to think of the many thousands of things that teachers have to do you will see at a glance that a day spent in any well organized school would suggest enough of good, enough of plan, enough of new and helpful method to make such a day the most profitable day of the year. As I look back upon our visit to Crookston I can but feel that it was a day most profitably spent.

Crookston is a large town with a corps of thirty-six teachers. They have a live superintendent who has no teaching to do but who can spend all his time studing out plans and suggestions for his teachers and seeing that they are rightiy applied. They have six buildings besides the High School building and in no room did I find as many as forty pupils. The rooms are comfortable and well lighted but poorly planned.

Their High School is well equipped but when we think of that we must remember that they have been accumulating material at least ten years longer than we have and that it takes time to get those things.

Their chemical laboratory is not so well equipped as ours is but their physical laboratory is much better equipped as far as the teachers use in class is concerned, but they have not so much apparatus for the individual pupil to use. They have a fine start towards a splendidly equipped biological laboratory while we as yet have but little.

In the matter of reference books they are well supplied and thatought to secure better habits of industry and study on the part of their pupils.

While their schools are widely equipped with apparatus and books they are much better equipped with excellent teachers.

The superintendent has but to suggest a line of work and most of his teachers appreciate his thought and apply it at once. Yet without any doubt the best part of Crookstons educational equipment is the superintendent. Here they are certainly to be congratulated. Mr. McIntyre is a man with large experience in the school room an experience acquired in several states as is manifest from the meeting in vogue in his class rooms. But of this more below. One of the most helpful features and the most helpful one to the whole teaching force is the training department. Here we find about twenty prospective teachers who are taking a thorough review of the common branches under a special teacher. Their class work work is all finished in the forenoon and in the afternoon they are sent to the different rooms to aid the various teachers. Before being sent they are carefully instructed by the training teachers as to what they shall do and how they shall do it. In the lower rooms they have charge of the seat work of the littler ones and are responsible for correct work on the part of the pupils. This relieves the teachers of a larger part of the discipline allows her to spend all of her energy with her class. It also secures a better grade of preparation work thus insuring more harmonious results all along the line.

By a Student.

I visited the Crookston high school on Friday of last week. As the Crookston high school is much larger than ours and it is ten or fifteen years older I was prepared to see something much better than our own school. After I entered the building what seemed strange to me was the order in the halls and room before school began. The halls were thronged with pupils laughing and talking, which I did not expect see in a school of that standing. In our school we are not allowed to stand a minute in the hall after taking off our wraps but pass immediately to the assembly room, where we are not allowed to assemble in groups to talk and have a good time and where we do not speak above a whisper. This is done so that whed pupils come in early in the morning to study the room is quiet and it is kept quiet up to ten minutes to nine. Then the ten minutes that are left we use to speak to oneanother about our lessons, but this is done very quietly. This I think is a very good plan. In Crookston they commence at once with their work while we have ten minutes for singing, which we heartily enjoy. It braces us up and puts fresh life in us before we take up our studies. Two years are given there for ancient and modern history while here we take it in one. When I visited the history class I couldn't help but wish that our teachers would do as much of the reciting for us as she did for them. The English classes are doing about the same work in the two schools. It was impossible to visit all the classes, but the outlook was meagre.

By the Faculty

We found in vogue in the grades and to some extent in the highs a system of teaching known as the group system. This systen while purely in an experimental stage at Crookston and practically in Minnesota has been used in other parts of our United States. Prof. Aiton, our state high school inspector, advocated it strongly last year and Supt. McIntyre of the Crookston schools, generally recognized as one of the foremost educators of the state, has instituted it in their schools on trial. We were much impressed by its workings and its advantages but generally agreed that it could be carried too far.

The object of the system is to give each scholar moro opportunity for individual recitation than can be given by one lone teacher controlling from forty to fifty pupils. The system is used generally in the teaching of reading, spelling and arithmetic add the greatest aevantage is to be gained without a doubt in the teaching of reading. Here the teacher first goes over the advance lesson taking the pronounciation of the new words; then the lesson for the day is read and also the lesson of the previous day. As each lesson constitutes but one page, this takes but about half of the recitatiou period.

Continued Next Week.

State Butter Awards.

H. J. Roscneau of Meriden won first place in the October butter-scoring contest in the awards just announced by the State dairy and food department. His score was 97½. H. A. Goetsch, of Money Creek got second place with a score of 97 and N. E. Anderson of Norseland third with 96½.

There were 129 entries, a few less than in previous months, none of them scoring less than 93.

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RED LAKE'S FOREIGN BORN

Norway and Sweden Furnish Most New Citizens in Our County—Official Figures.

The state census bureau has finished the compilation of its reports on nativity, and concludes that there has been practially no immigration into the state during the last five years, except from Sweden, Norway, Finland and Austria. The gain during the five years, in the percentage of Swedes, is 9.36 per cent; of Norwegians, 6.4 per cent; of Austrians, 62.3 per cent and of Finlanders, 85.1 per cent.

The German population has increased but 2.34 per cent.

The Swedish born population constitutes 8.89 per cent of the total of the state, the German born 6.05 per cent, the Norwegian born 5.64 per cent and the Canadian born 2.4 per cent. The Norwegian born lead in twenty-nine counties of the state, the Germans in twenty-eight counties and the Swedish born in twenty-five counties. The Swedish born constitute 34.4 per cent of the total population of Isanti county. The principal Swedish gains have been in Aitkin county, which gained 342, or 35 percent. Carlton county gained 533, or 50 per cent: Itasca county 737, or 300 percent, and Lake county 408, or 49 per cent. The principal Norwegian gains are in Red Lake county, which gained 886 or 65 per cent, and Roseau county gained 530, or 40 per cent.

Some of the nationalities show a decided decrease during the five years. The Irish have decreased 2,897. the English 424, the Bohemians 2,744, the Polanders 3,482, the French 172, the Welsh 157 and the Canadians 167.

Hennepin county during the five years has gained 5,860 Swedish born, 3,586 Norwegian born and 1,700 German born inhabitants. Ramsey county has gained 2,900 German born, 2,102 Swedish born and 1,396 Norwegian born. St. Louiscounty has gained 3,097 Swedon born and 2,240 Norway born.

In Red Lake county the native born population is 10,938, and the foreign-born 5,017. The countries from which the foreign-born residents of the county are accredited are given by the bureau as follows:

Norway	2,252
Canada	1,157
Sweden	884
Germany	371
Denmark	85
Austria	57
Ireland	47
Finland	41
England	30
Bohemia	23
Scotland	21
Poland	21
France	10
Russia	5
Wales	3

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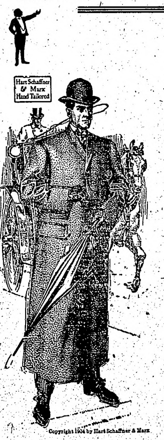
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Red Lake Falls, Minn

"Business is war," says a magazine writer, and Gen Sherman told us what war is.

"Can a husband be cruel to his wife by too much kindness?" Well, few husbands are.

The principal thing noticeable about women's attire this fall is its multifariousness.

A Chicago pugilist is writing popular songs. Prize fighting is a fearfully demoralizing pursuit.

We knew it would come some day. Somebody wants photography taught in the public schools.

Sergius Witte, after looking over New York City, declared it a "clearing house of undigested nationalities."

Miss Susan P. Fowler of Vineland, N. J., has worn trousers for fifty years, and expects to die with them on.

As Rockefeller says, money is not the only thing in the world. There are mumps, measles and banana skins.

People say they might as well be hung for a sheep as a lamb, but that only shows lack of discrimination in appetite.

Kissing may be dangerous, as that doctor says, but you may have noticed that more people haven't died from it than have.

Courts uphold a Buffalo man who put a rattrap in his trousers pocket and caught his wife. Dissenting opinion filed by wife.

Diamonds have gone up again, but this is a hardship that isn't likely to bother the man whose last year's coal bill is still unpaid.

No one need have any difficulty in identifying New York after this. It is the town that holds the world's baseball championship.

The wages of sin remain the same as heretofore, but frequently the sinner has to wait a long time to get what is coming to him.

An old man used a "want ad." to get a wife and then he paid $50,000 to get rid of her. She will testify that "want ads." bring results.

The latest report of the coming marriage of King Alfonso is semiofficially denied. When you get your invitation to the wedding you'll be sure.

Harry Liberty is in jail at Burlington, Vt., charged with stealing a horse. Somehow the pun suggested by his name doesn't come out right.

A woman is suing for divorce from her husband on the ground that he hasn't taken a bath for twenty-two years. Naturally she wants to duck him.

Now that they have fixed up a rapprochement between France and Germany the sultan of Morocco will awake to the fact that the drinks are on him.

The "anesthetic highball" is likely to become popular, but many chronic sufferers will continue to take the highball without the anesthetic attachment.

A Connecticut man went out to haul his lobster pots, and came back with a live deer. Here, here! Stop that! If this keeps on, we shall all be in the dizzy house.

A Pittsburg man who is the father of fourteen boys has adopted a little girl. This case would seem to upset the theory that hope springs eternal in the human breast.

It is kind and considerate on the part of Mr. Edison, but the obstinate people of this country will go on pounding their ears and clogging their intakes as heretofore.

A farmer in Berks county, Pa., aged 90, has his third set of natural teeth. Imagine the trouble Uncle Methuselah may possibly have had, with thirty or more experiences in cutting teeth.

Maybe the ameer of Afghanistan really needs the dentist whom he has summoned from a distance and maybe this is merely his wily oriental way of bidding for the world's sympathy.

A new $10 counterfeit is in circulation which we are told may be distinguished by its size, being longer than the genuine note. What is wanted is a $10-bill that will not merely look longer, but last longer.

A general merchant advertises for a man who is a good saw filer and a bass singer. If the man is expected to sing at his work we're glad we don't have to sit around and listen when those two kinds of noises effect a juncture.

Marie Corelli is reported to be discouraged because she is developing a double chin. That's where Hall Caine has the advantage of Marie. Nobody can tell about his chin, because in looking like Shakespeare he has to have whiskers.

The News of the Week

Washington.

Charles A. Darling has retired from the office of assistant secretary of the navy, which post he has held since Dec. 16, 1901. He was succeeded by Truman H. Newberry of Detroit, Mich.

Announcing the results of recent investigations of the future of the cotton-protecting kelep of Guatemala, a report now being issued from the department of agriculture declares kelep to be "wonderfully adapted to the destruction of the cotton boll weevil" and portrays its possibilities in checking pest ravages.

Secretary Taft has transmitted to the treasury department his estimates of the appropriations required for the year 1907. These estimates aggregate $104,988,267.75, being $9,717,922.52 less than the total appropritions made by congress for the use of the war department for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 1906.

In his testimony before the joint printing committee Foreman Brewer of the senate folding room said there are 375,000 un-called-for publications stored in his department. Amzi Smith, who has been in the senate document room for thirty years, said that the supply for documents there has quadrupled during his incumbency, but there are not too many to meet the demand.

The president has appointed Charles A. Stallings of Boston as public printer. Mr. Stallings is manager of the printers' board of trade of New York city. The appointment of Mr. Stallings was not forecast by any discussion of his candidacy for the place. The large printing firms of New York and Boston indorsed him as a practical printer and executive. He was also strongly indorsed by Senator Crane.

Casualty.

Fire in the plant of the Michigan Malleable Iron company in Delray, Mich., caused $50,000 damage.

Ainsworth, Iowa, has been fire-swept. All the business district was destroyed. The loss is $50,000.

Jacob Bosdeck, a pioneer farmer, was killed at Iowa City, Iowa, by a fall of twenty feet from a haymow. His neck was broken.

A South Shore train ran down and instantly killed an unknown man walking on the track east of Marquette, Mich. The victim is believed to be a Finnish woodchopper.

Leslie Wise, aged fourteen years, died at Milwaukee of injuries received in a boys' game of football. He fell in such a manner that a weed was thrust up his nostril into the brain.

A runaway switch engine crashed into the rear of a west-bound passenger train on the Colorado & Southern railroad in the yards at Golden, Colo., injuring seven persons.

Three shotfirers were killed in an explosion that occurred in the mines of the Central Coal and Coke company at Hartford, Ark. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by gas.

Six persons were killed in a head-on collision between two freight trains on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad at Casey, Iowa. Both trains were badly wrecked and engines piled up into a confused mass.

Three persons were seriously injured, one of whom subsequently died, and a dozen others had a narrow escape from the flames in a fire that destroyed the priest's house at Nazarine orphanage at Raleigh, N. C.

Walter Scott, the Death Valley miner who was thrown from an automobile at Los Angeles while running fifty miles an hour and was severely hurt, will recover, according to the statement of physicians who examined his injuries.

Passengers on the Louisville Southern train No. 9 had a narrow escape when the train was hurled from a bridge seven miles from Lexington, Ky., into a creek forty feet below. Twelve persons were injured, but none was killed. The tender, mail and baggage cars and smoker were splintered and thrown into the creek, and the bridge, which was 150 feet long, entirely destroyed.

W. F. Granger, one of the members of a company playing a melodrama at Toledo, Ohio, was shot in the eye during the progress of a play. The action of the drama includes the rescue of a girl from a cage of lions. Last night one of the lions showed anger and a revolver carried by the rescuer was accidentally discharged. Granger may lose his sight.

Foreign.

A dispatch from Corunna, Spain, says that the Spanish armored cruiser Cisneros foundered off Villanova after striking a rock. All on board the vessel were saved.

The Cuban government has accepted the invitation of Emperor Nicholas, conveyed through Baron Rosen, to send delegates to the second peace conference at The Hague.

The preparations which were going on at Constantinople for the execution of Ghirdis Vartanian, who claims American citizenship and who was condemned for the murder of Apik Undjian, a prominent Armenian, were suddenly stopped on the receipt of a note from the American legation, setting forth in unequivocal terms that such an act would inevitably produce serious consequences.

Capt. J. W. Broatch and twenty-six marines, constituting the American legation guard, have left Chemulpo on the cruiser Cincinnati, after a stay of eleven months in Seoul.

The retiring viceroy, Lord Curzon, who has been making a farewell tour of India, is prostrated at Lahore with fever. His departure from Lahore has been indefinitely postponed.

Christopher Robinson, Canada's great constitutional lawyer, is dead of pneumonia. In the Bering sea arbitration it was said that it was his presentation of the case that brought a Canadian victory.

An expedition to the north pole under the patronage of the Belgian government is about to be organized. The expenses, estimated at $2,000,000, will be defrayed by a national lottery on an extensive scale.

King Victor Emmanuel laid the corner stone of the new harbor works at Genoa. Over 500,000 spectators were present and in the harbor were forty-three warships, including the United States cruiser Minneapolis.

The announcement that King Edward had charged Prince Arthur of Connaught to proceed to Tokio early in 1906 on a special mission to bestow the Order of the Garter on the emperor of Japan has caused the greatest satisfaction among all classes at Tokio.

Crimes and Criminals.

Because his wife refused to live with him on account of his propensity for liquor, John Lee Phillips, an engineer, shot and fatally wounded her in front of a boarding house at Pittsburg, Pa. Then, before any one could interfere, he turned the revolver on himself and sent a bullet into his brain, dying in a few minutes.

George Washington Murray, a negro once a member of congress from South Carolina, will have to spend the next three years cracking rocks and road building as a member of the chain gang of Sumter county, Ga., although he is the largest land owner in that county. The supreme court denied the appeal of his attorneys for a rehearing. His punishment is for forging the names of ignorant negroes to land leases.

Edward Rehel, late of Grand Marais shot his wife five times at Munsing, Mich., and leaving her for dead, jumped from a dock and drowned. The woman is expected to recover.

The New York court of appeals denied the motion for a rearrangement of the appeal of Albert T. Patrick from conviction of murder in the first degree and sentence of death for the killing in 1900 of W. M. Rice, an aged millionaire of New York city. The motion was made Oct. 2, by former United States Senator David B. Hill.

Elias Johnson, who shot and killed his wife at their home near Slater, Salina county, Mo., was convicted of murder in the first degree and his punishment fixed at ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. Johnson, on Dec. 8, 1904, shot his wife and afterward made the claim that he thought he was shooting an owl.

Tom Eassa, the 17-year-old boy who eloped with a 40-year-old widow, Mary Eassa, his cousin, is under arrest at Sioux City for embezzlement, the charge being preferred by his mother. The arrest was made at Yankton, S. D. The boy was brought to Sioux City, while the elderly wife will go to Akron, Iowa, to visit relatives. The boy's mother made the accusation that he stole $200 in order to get him home. She will endeavor to have the marriage annulled.

General.

Judge Worthington of Peoria has overruled the motion of the attorneys for N. C. Dougherty to reduce his bail to $25,000.

The National W. C. T. U., in annual convention in Los Angeles re-elected all the officers of the organization now serving as executive heads.

Oscar Lindinger, aged 12, is dead at Mason City, Iowa, from milk sickness, the fourth member of the family to die from the same cause within a few weeks of each other.

The convention of the supreme lodge and the encampment of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will be held at New Orleans, La., the third Tuesday in October next.

The "Bill" club held its annual meeting at Excelsior Springs, Mo. The date of the "Bill" banquet was set for Dec. 14. The meeting was enthusiastic and it bids fair for a large attendance "Bill" Warner, "Bill" Stone and "Bill" Wallace are expected to make speeches. The initiation fee was fixed at a dollar bill. Excelsior Springs is the home of the only "Bill" club in the world.

Alleging that his character had been damaged to the extent of $20,000, Thomas W. Lawson of frenzied finance fame has brought suit for that amount against Horace J. Stevens, a well known copper mine specialist of Houghton, Mich. He charges libel. Mr. Stevens is an extensive writer on copper mining topics, and it is presumed he hit the Bostonian hard in some of his articles.

The population of Greater New York, as counted by the state enumeration bureau on June 1, is 4,014,304, as compared with 3,437,202 in 1900 and 2,507,414 in 1890. The population of the state is 8,066,672.

Frank A. Vanderlip, vice president of the City National bank of New York, was the chief speaker at the Chicago Commercial club's first banquet of the season. His subject was "Old Age Pensions for Workmen" He declared that the present industrial system was severe on the older workers and advised the annuity plan now adopted by many large corporations.

RAPINE, MURDER AND PLUNDER

GIVEN FULL SWAY IN RUSSIAN PROVINCES, ESPECIALLY IN THE SOUTH.

KISHINEFF IS DESTROYED

RUSSIAN CITY REPORTED TO BE COMPLETELY WIPED OUT BY FLAMES.

1,000 KILLED; 10,000 WOUNDED

IS DAY'S BLOODY RECORD IN FIFTY PROVINCIAL TOWNS OF RUSSIA.

London, Nov. 5. — All Russian dispatches are still suffering considerable telegraphic delay. Apparently the text of the amnesty ukase has not yet been published. All dispatches received here go to confirm the continued seriousness of the situation throughout Russia, especially the anti-Jewish excesses.

Kishineff Wiped Out.

The Daily Mail's Odessa correspondent gives an unconfirmed report that Kishineff has been absolutely destroyed by fire. He says that the three suburbs of Odessa, Persessyp, Seaslav and Moldvandak, have been completely devastated.

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from St. Petersburg states that Prince Alexis Obelonsky has been appointed to replace M. Pobiedonesteff as chief procurator of the holy synod.

The Daily Telegraph's Odessa correspondent also reports Kischineff in flames.

Driven Back From Helsingfors.

A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company from Haparanda, Sweden, Sweden, says that the military officers at Kotka, Viborg, Frederikshamm, Lovisa and Borga have pledged themselves to assist the civilians in defense of the fatherland. A company of Russian artillery which had advanced toward Helsingfors was forced to retreat without an engagement.

Given Over to Plunder.

The Kieff correspondent of Reuter's Telegram company, under date of Nov. 3, says:

"The Jewish quarter has been given over to plunder, rapine and murder ever since the emperor announced the granting of a constitution. On that day during a monster demonstration in front of the town hall a shot suddenly was heard. The Cossacks and dragoons immediately charged into the crowd, firing right and left, and the police and others dragged away the dead and wounded, numbering more than 130, into the neighboring court yards, while the terror-stricken demonstrators fled, pursued by a mob of ruffians, who attacked them as they ran.

Murder and Pillage.

"At 7 o'clock in the evening an organized attack on the Jewish quarter began on the pretext that during the week a portrait of the emperor had been insulted in the town hall. The lower quarter of the town, Podol, was sacked, and, although the authorities promised a Jewish deputation protection, the pillage lasted all night long. Warehouses were looted and people robbed; incendiarism was indulged in and many were killed. On Wednesday the pillage assumed colossal proportions and the police and military stood absolutely impassive, only firing upon persons who defended themselves against looters, and on houses where Jews had fired on their assailants. While almost all the Jewish houses were laid in ruins, Christian establishments were untouched.

1,000 Killed and 10,000 Wounded.

A dispatch to the Daily Mail from St. Petersburg, timed 9 p. m., reports the discovery of a plot to massacre the Jews in that city. It is semi-officially calculated, says the correspondent, that at least 1,000 persons have been killed and 10,000 seriously wounded ing the leading fifty provincial towns of Russia in the last twenty-four hours, and the death roll is still mounting.

Amnesty Is Signed.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 5. — The amnesty ukase has been signed.

Deplorable rioting in the provinces is still in progress, especially in the south. The most horrible stories of massacre and pillage by mobs and attacks on the Jews continue to pour in.

All is quiet here. There is no attempt at holding processions and the Cossack patrols are everywhere. Shops have been barricaded and railway communication with the frontier has not yet been restored.

Anti-Jewish disorders are reported from Theodosa, where a number of Jews and others were burned to death.

In a revolutionary outbreak in Krostroma many were killed or wounded. Rioting and anti-Jewish outrages occurred at Saratoff, where many shops were plundered. A bomb was thrown during the conflict between rioters and soldiers and several were killed or wounded.

A dispatch from Rostoff-on-Don gives the official figures of Wednesday's rioting at 34 killed and 159 severely injured.

Odessa in State of Siege.

Odessa, Nov. 5.—On this, the fourth day of terror, the peaceful population is practically under a state of siege. Even the markets and restaurants are closed and it is impossible to get bread or meat. The mob pillaged a number of Jewish shops in the main streets and among others the biggest wholesale grocery, that of Rabinovitch. The rioters also burned three factories and killed a physician and two assistants who were dressing wounds.

Last evening the rioters pillaged the biggest dry goods store in the city. The loss in this case is estimated at $175,000. A hardware store was also looted, involving a loss of $100,000. In addition twelve fur stores were sacked. The consulates and hotels are guarded by troops.

Warships Go to Finland.

Reval, Russia, Nov. 5. — Warships have sailed from here for Helsingfors.

MISSION MURDERS.

China Will Be Held to Strict Account for Slaughter of Americans.

Washington, Nov. 5.—China is to be held to strict accountability for the murder of the five American missionaries at Lien-chow mission station, in the southern province of Quang-tung. The guilty persons must be beheaded, the officials who failed to accord protection to the Americans must be degraded, removed from office and otherwise punished, should any evidence of their complicity with the murderers be found. The state department will send instructions immediately to American agents in the Far East to insure protection for the Americans still alive at Lien-chow, and for reparation.

DRUGGISTS IN SYNDICATE.

Retailers Organize With a Membership of 1,000 and Large Capital.

New York, Nov. 5.—There was organized in New York yesterday the American drug syndicate, which includes 1,000 retail dealers. The syndicate has a Rhode Island charter and is capitalized at $200,000. The organizer is C. F. Goddard, formerly of San Francisco, who controls 10 per cent of the stock. The organization is intended for mutual protection, to combat inferior and injurious drugs and compel a standard in the staple products. The president is George Ramsey of this city.

TRY TO STOP MORGAN'S SHIP.

Strikers Interfere With Vessel of American Capitalists.

Stockholm, Nov. 5.—George W. Perkins, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., Mr. Baring and other financiers arrived here yesterday from St. Petersburg on board the Russian steamer Olhonna. Mr. Morgan proceeded immediately to London. Mr. Perkins remains here a day or two. Mr. Perkins said that when they succeeded in chartering the Olhonna at Helsingfors the strikers tried to prevent the vessel from sailing for St. Petersburg. Her captain, however, succeeded in eluding them.

GIVES COLLEGE $100,000.

New Jersey Man Endows Huron, S. D., Institution.

Huron, S. D., Nov. 5.—Ralph Voorhees of Clinton, N. J., has promised to give $100,000 to Huron college for use in the erection of a new central building for the college. The college will pay Mr. Voorhees an annuity of 5 per cent during life. The new building, which will be secured to Huron college by the gift, will contain recitation rooms, offices and, for a time, a chapel, library and gymnasium. It will be called the Ralph Voorhees hall.

CONDUCTOR IS SENTENCED.

Found Guilty of Manslaughter Because of Wreck on Railroad.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 5. — Found guilty of manslaughter, because his carelessness resulted in a collision on the Boston & Maine railway at Fitchburg on July 3 in which three men were killed, G. E. Powers, a railway conductor, yesterday was sentenced to eighteen months in the house of correction.

Accused of Fraud.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 5. — Sheriff Jackson of Sioux City came here yesterday morning to take back Fred Storms, a farmer residing near Oto, Iowa, who is charged with obtaining money under false pretenses from the Western Elevator company, in taking advantage of the payment of $50 on grain he never delivered. Storms was arrested at St. Charles.

Cranberry Prices Mount.

Chicago, Nov. 5.—Owing to the alleged failure of the Cape Cod cranberry crop, the prices of the berries here ranged yesterday from $10 to $11 a barrel as compared with $6 to $7.50 the corresponding day a year ago. A further rise to possibly $15 a barrel within the next two weeks is predicted by dealers here.

Powers Threaten Turkey.

Paris, Nov. 5. — The exchanges of communications going on between the powers have reached a stage where a joint naval demonstration against Turkey is practically assured unless the sultan promptly accepts the plan of the powers for financial reforms in Macedonia.

Was First White Settler.

Lac qui Parle, Minn., Nov. 5.—William M. Mills, a territorial pioneer and a pioneer of the Minnesota valley and the first white settler to locate and take possession of a claim in this county, died at his home here yesterday in his eighty-first year.

Explosion Kills Two.

Petersburg, Ind., Nov. 5.—By the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill yesterday, William Casey, the proprietor, and Jacob Dedman, an employe, were instantly killed.

NATION WATCHES JEROME'S FIGHT

WIDESPREAD INTEREST IN NEW YORK MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN.

PUT END TO RULE OF BOSSES

BOSSES IN OTHER CITIES WATCH UPRISING OF VOTERS WITH ALARM.

JEROME IS THE BIG FIGURE

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP IS ISSUE THAT IS WATCHED WITH INTEREST.

New York, Nov. 5.—Widespread national interest in the present municipal campaign here has become intense. Newspaper correspondents from Boston, Baltimore, Pittsburg, Chicago, Cincinnati and Washington have arrived here to look over the situation and report the indications.

The correspondents are all men experienced in reporting campaigns, conventions and other political events. They say that every political boss and leader and the general public in all the large cities of the country are intensely interested in the outcome of the Jerome fight to free the voters from boss rule. Correspondents from Baltimore, Cincinnati and Pittsburg say that local bosses in those cities

Are Thoroughly Alarmed

by the uprising of the voters in this city for Jerome. The bosses in those cities fear that the election of Jerome will mean their overthrow at the next primary election they face.

Correspondents from Washington say that at the national capital there is intense interest in the situation here because the question of municipal ownership of everything has been brought to the front so prominently, and many far-reaching consequences are involved. Chicago is reported to be watching the New York city campaign closer than it ever watched a national election. The present mayor of Chicago was elected on a platform of municipal ownership and has not been able to make good. He has not been able to take over the street railroads of that city as his platform promised. The voters of Chicago are therefore awaiting the result of the election here to learn whether or not the movement is rising or receding.

Ownership Big Issue.

Politicians at Washington are interested to the extent of excitement as to whether the chief city will vote to overthrow and change existing political economic conditions. Those politicians are reported to believe that if one of the candidates for mayor should win the question of government ownership of every kind of public utility would become at once a national issue and would have to be met by the next congress at the coming session.

But all the visiting correspondents agree that in all the cities of the country the most widespread and intense interest among politicians and voters of all classes is centered in the fight that Jerome is making against partisan bosses.

RICH MEN GET PENSIONS.

Millionaire Uses Money for Charitable Purposes.

Washington, Nov. 5. — Pensions for millionaires is one of the new developments under the executive orders of last year making age the only disability necessary for the granting of a service pension. According to Commissioner of Pensions Warner the application of a millionaire for a pension has been recently favorably passed upon. He did not want the pension, according to the commissioner, on account of the money it carried with it, but simply to perfect his record of honorable service in the Civil war. This view of the age disability order is being taken by many well-to-do veterans who would not otherwise apply for pensions. In the case of the millionaire pensioner, the commissioner has knowledge that the recipient has just made a bequest of a hundred thousand dollars for benevolent purposes.

ENGINE BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Boiler Explosion Derails Train and Kills Two Men.

Ennis, Tex., Nov. 5.—While running under full head of steam a freight engine was blown to atoms by the explosion of the boiler yesterday near Ennis. Practically the entire train was derailed, seven of the cars being ditched and four of them totally destroyed. Two men were killed and one probably fatally injured.

$2,500,000 in Land Deal.

Uniontown, Pa., Nov. 5.—The sale of 25,000 acres of coal land was closed yesterday. The property is located in Monongahela and Marion counties, W. Va., and the price paid by a syndicate is said to be $2,500,000.

Fled Fire in Night Garb.

Mauch Chunk, Pa., Nov. 5.—Fire which broke out in the American house yesterday partly destroyed that structure. Guests were compelled to flee in their night clothing. Loss $25,000.

In and About the State

SHIFT FROM SOUTH TO NORTH.

Census Director Finds a Tide in State Population.

George F. Wright, director of the state census bureau, has found some startling facts in the returns from Northern Minnesota. His deductions show that a small part of the population gain in those counties has come from other states and countries. The greater part of the new population has come from other parts of Minnesota.

Mr. Wright's researches indicate that there has been a great shifting of rural population from Southern to Northern Minnesota, while new families from other states have come into the southern counties to take the places of those moving to the north.

The figures are taken from twenty-three northern counties, embracing everything north of Chisago, Isanti, Sherburne, Stearns, Becker and Clay, and counting out the cities and villages. The gain in population for the rural districts of these twenty-three counties was approximately 83,000 in the five years since 1900. This represents the people who have lived in that part of the state five years or less, according to the residence tables.

Of this number only 12,242 have come from outside the state. They are found in the various counties as follows:

Carlton	380
Crow Wing	435
Wadena	502
Benton	232
Cass	686
Itasca	460
Kittson	425
Marshall	513
Mille Lacs	388
Pine	846
Red Lake	450
St. Louis	1,305
Beltrami	217
Todd	760
Hubbard	408
Morrison	566
Aitkin	945
Kanabec	310
Lake	112
Clearwater	140
Norman	575
Polk	1,070
Roseau	514

In his forthcoming report Director Wright will say concerning these figures:

"The increase of 83,000 in the northern part of the state includes births, which will amount in the five-year period to about 10 per cent of the total increase, or a little over 8,000, leaving about 74,000 people who have lived in that part of the state five years or less. No definite information can be secured as to this shift of population. There are about 62,000 people in that part of the state who have lived there five years or less and who were not born there; nor did they come into the state from other states or territories or from foreign countries. This increase came from other parts of the state, presumably many thousands from the southern part of the state.

"It is not alone in the northern counties of the state where there has been an influx of settlers from outside the state, for this element of new settlers can be found in every county in the state, even in counties which have decreased in population. In Dodge county, which has decreased nearly 600 in the last five years, over 300 new settlers have moved into that part of Dodge county outside of the villages in the last five years. From this it seems quite clear that the newer counties of the state have not always been the chosen fields of the newcomers, who have found homes for one reason or another in every nook and corner in the state. The increase in the population of the state is one constant addition and subtraction — a human ebb and flow—well-called a 'tide in the affairs of men.'"

CONSUMPTIVES CANNOT TEACH.

State Board of Health to Send Out Instructions.

Stringent methods to prevent the spread of tuberculosis have been determined on by the state board of health. A circular letter will be issued to the county school superintendents instructing them not to hire a teacher affected with tuberculosis nor to permit a child suffering from the disease to attend school.

This action was decided upon as a result of a conference with Dr. F. F. Wessbrook, director of the state laboratory, and Dr. H. W. Hill, the assistant director, who appeared at the quarterly meeting of the board and discussed plans for educational methods of dealing with tuberculosis from a laboratory and executive point of view. The action taken, according to Dr. Bracken, not only will provide for the safety of the public, but will be a godsend to the afflicted persons themselves, as the very worst thing they can do is to remain cooped up in a schoolroom.

Another matter taken up by the board was with regard to the abbatoirs and the rendering plants in the Midway distrist, St. Paul. Owing to the numerous complaints the board of health decided some time ago to take a definite stand and the matter was referred to the attorney general. Mr. Young stated that the board has jurisdiction over the plants. As a result of the decision the board will hold a hearing on the matter at its meeting Jan. 19, 1906.

MUST DRAW FOR EXPENSES.

State Revenue Fund Is Overdrawn $558,727.16.

The state revenue fund has been overdrawn $558,727.16 up to date, according to the balances made at the state treasurer's office at the close of business on the last day of October. The total overdraft permitted is $600,000, so only about $40,000 more can be drawn.

There will be some money coming in from the November tax settlements from the counties and the railroad taxes will begin to come in during December, but this will hardly make up the amount needed for current expenses till the close of the year. A section in the general appropriation bill provides that the governor, auditor and treasurer may make arrangements with the banks and other parties to pay the warrants issued against the revenue fund prior to the time when money to meet such appropriations comes into the state treasury.

The total balance in the other state funds is $1,004,545.98. From this the overdraft for the revenue fund has been drawn, leaving a cash balance in the state treasury of $445,818.82.

The balances in the different funds are shown by the following table:

	Debit.	Credit.
Revenue overdraft	$558,727.16	
Soldiers' relief		$32,290.01
Agricultural college		236,173.23
Funding tax		155,190.38
Permanent school		176,881.54
General school		19,714.61
Permanent university		35,486.81
General university		114,351.81
Internal improvement		29,073.05
Internal improvement land		36,703.04
State institutions		6,927.28
State institutions fund interest		57,455.39
Swamp land		2,059.44
Swamp land fund interest		6,095.21
Grain inspection		94,640.29
Hay inspection		604.55
Cash balance	445,818.82	
Totals	$1,004,545.98	$1,004,545.98

WAS ELECTION LEGAL?

Moorhead's City Council Considers an Important Problem.

The Moorhead city council is in doubt as to the legality of the recent special election. The law provides the hours during which the polls must remain open in cities of different sizes, and under the old census, Moorhead being under the 4,000 mark, the hours prescribed were from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Since the state census this year Moorhead has passed beyond that mark, and under the law for the cities the prescribed size of Moorhead the polls must be kept open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The city voted on Tuesday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., contrary to the statutes, and it looks as if the city attorney had slipped a cog in the preparation of the notice of election. It is claimed, however, that the old census figures hold good until the new figures have been officially given, and this, it is said, has not yet been done.

A serious difficulty arises in this connection that might affect the sale of the certificates of indebtedness. Investors in securities of that character are usually careful to look up all legal phases of the matter and a shadow of suspicion that the election was not strictly and technically legal, might make it impossible to secure the money for the improvements contemplated in the amendments voted for.

TOWNSHIP IS THREATENED.

Water Mysteriously Overflows Most of Land at Ramsey.

In the township of Ramsey, three miles west of Anoka, is a phenomenon which is puzzling the farmers.

Many years ago, according to Indian legends, a big lake covered part of the township. When civilization came the land was found tillable, no water being there. For fifty years crops have been raised with unbroken regularity.

This year the crops were planted as usual, but to-day much of this land is under water. There is water in the cellars of the farmers to a depth of several feet.

From the Stein farm to A. E. Merrill's is one broad expanse of rippling water. Along the railroad tracks the water is six and eight feet deep. Roads that have been passable since the time the old territorial road was laid out and when it was but a trail, are now under water.

Where it comes from is a matter of conjecture. Some are wont to ascribe it to springs. Others believe it due to the wet season. Yet other seasons have been as wet and cellars did not fill or fields disappear beneath a sheet of water.

Extends Mail Delivery.

Notification has been received in Winona that complete rural mail delivery in Winona county will be established on Jan. 2. An inspection for the establishment of the system was made last summer, but a reinspection was ordered by the postoffice department and only recently completed. This delayed the beginning of the service.

As mapped out the rural delivery includes twenty-two routes in Winona county and one in Wabasha county, extending over into Winona county. Two will start from Stockton, and one each from Altura, Homer, Lemoille, Minnesota City and Utica. The combined Wabasha and Winona county route will start from Minneiska.

In Far Northland

Tid-Bits of News for Scandinavians.

ORATOR FLAYED NORWAY.

Hr. Lithander Bitter in Criticism of Storthing's Act.

Swedish chauvinists had a fine opportunity to show themselves during the debate in the riksdag over the adoption of the Karlstad treaty, and several of them took advantage of the opportunity. Hr. Lithander, in the second chamber, made a heated address which attracted considerable attention in Scandinavia. He declared that it was the continued concessions by Sweden which had encouraged the Norwegians to carry out their treacherous plans. He could not bear to let all the untruths and distorted representations in the Norwegian storthing and press go unanswered.

The truth was, he said, that Norway was a vassal state when it was taken into the union, and Sweden had engaged in three wars and given up Pomerania and Rugen for the union. Since then Sweden had continued to make sacrifices for Norway, such as the reduction of charges for Norwegian ships in Swedish harbors; free trade in a splendid market like Sweden; the benefit of a diplomatic service at a nominal expense, etc.

All this, he declared, represented hundreds of thousands of millions, and was a clear debt on the part of Norway to Sweden, and it was incredible that no demand for an accounting had been made. At least Norway should have been grateful.

Hr. Bendicks was not satisfied with the terms of the treaty because, he said, Norway had secured more benefits than Sweden.

In the first chamber there was little or no debate, at least there was not much impassioned oratory, and the inevitable was accepted without any stir.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen has been engaged in a newspaper duel with an anonymous writer in the Westminster Gazette, who is supposed to be none other than Sir Horace Rumbold, former British ambassador to Sweden and Norway. The diplomat is anything but flattering in his references to the Norwegians, whom he accuses of having been driven to their course by an exaggerated and morbid patriotism, the movement being hastened by republican doctrines sown by returning Norwegian-Americans.

He claims that it was the conduct of the Norwegian people during the Selmer crisis which converted Joseph Chamberlain from his home-rule ideas and made him a unionist. He was in Norway at the time and observed the trend of affairs at short range.

Norwegian Socialists have been clamorous for the establishment of a republic in Norway, and have insisted upon a referendum to determine the future form of government. According to the latest papers the sentiment was centering on a limited monarchy with Prince Carl of Denmark as king. The young prince, by the way, has Bernadotte blood in his veins, as his mother was a daughter of Carl XV.

Copenhagen understands that if Prince Carl is called to the Norwegian throne he is to pledge himself to take the name of Haakon and go down in history as Haakon VII. The last king of independent Norway was Haakon VI., who ruled in the latter part of the fourteenth century.

Lund Students Howl at Wiksell.

Prof. Knut Wiksall created a sensation in a students' meeting at Lund on Oct. 4 by declaring that Russia had as much right to demand the demolition of the Swedish fortifications at Boden as Sweden had to demand that the Norwegian frontier forts be razed. His address was soon drowned in a storm of yells and general uproar. He was advised to retire, but stood his ground, at which his friends surrounded him, as the situation appeared threatening. President Segerstedt advised the dissatisfied to leave the hall, which they did. The gas was turned out, after which Prof. Wiksell and his friends left the hall, first giving a cheer.

Death of Dr. Leman.

Dr. Philip Leman, one of the leading citizens of Gothenburg, died in that city Oct. 3, after a long illness caused by cancer. He had been a member of the municipal council for many years, represented his city in the first chamber of the riksdag, and had held many other important positions. He was born in Gothenburg, graduated from Upsala, studied law and was one of the leading jurists of Sweden.

The Lid on Throndhjem.

The municipal authorities of Throndhjem have passed a resolution prohibiting the sale of beer or wine in the city on Sundays and all holidays. The act is to take effect Jan. 1.

Honor to Ernst Sars.

Prof. Ernst Sars, the noted Norwegian historian, celebrated his seventieth birthday Oct. 11. He received delegations from the university at his home, a book of appreciations from his friends, including a poem by Bjornstjerne Bjornson, and many letters and telegrams. In the evening there was a torchlight procession by the university students and a banquet attended by Premier Michelsen, four other members of the ministry and the most distinguished men of science, art and literature.

PEASANTS ARE PROUD.

Gudbrandsdalen People Trace Their Ancestry to Important Conqueror.

The peasants of Gulbrandsdalen, in Central-Southern Norway, are very proud of their ancestry, writes a correspondent of the New York Post. They claim to be direct descendants form Harald Haarfagre, who, after defeating the many petty Norwegian kings in 872, made himself sole ruler of the land. Those royal peasants consider it beneath their dignity to marry outside their own class. The result is that in Gulbrandsdalen there are more cretins and degenerates than in any other part of the land. The following case illustrative of this family pride came under my observation:

Thor Sve, now dead, was some years ago one of the wealthiest farmers in his county; but his chief claim to outside notice was the unusual beauty of his three daughters. For the home education of these girls Thor Sve employed the best foreign teachers. While availing themselves of their many advantages, the girls did not object to the picturesque peasant costume, on which their father insisted.

One day—I know this sounds a bit like romance—the 18-year-old Marit stood by a gate which opened on a private road, when a good-looking, well-mounted stranger came riding up. He raised his hat to the beautiful Marit, and was about to dismount, when she opened the gate and bowed for him to pass. At first sight the horseman fell in love with the girl. Being single and a gentleman, the man sought out Thor Sve and boldly asked for the hand of Marit. He said he was an Englishman of wealth and position, but this had no effect on the royal peasant. "I will look into it," was the only response.

Finding that Marit reciprocated the stranger's love, Thor Sve at once started for England. There he learned that the young man had actually understated his wealth and position, for he belonged to the nobility. Returning to Norway, the peasant gave his consent to the marriage of his daughter, and never, since the days of Harald Haarfagre, was there such a grand event. But the other kinsmen were not satisfied. Sadly they shook their heads and muttered: "It is a disgrace that Marit should marry outside the family."

The Englishman took his bride to his own country, where her beauty made a sensation. They return to Norway every summer, living at Gulbrandsdalen, where they have built a fine house and where they are glad to entertain the other descendants of Harald Haarfagre and all the less royal who come within their gates.

ARDENT LITTLE SWEDE.

Ava Lagercrantz, in Her New York Studio, Belittles Norway.

Miss Ava Lagencrantz, a daughter of Vice Admiral Lagerkrantz of the Swedish navy, has opened a modest little atelier in New York, where she paints miniature portraits, in which she does remarkably good work. She has received many fine commissions and will undoubtedly enjoy a splendid success in America. She studied her art in Paris under Jerome Constant and others and is well known among the artists located in Paris.

Miss Lagercrantz is an ardent little Swede, judging from her remarks to a newspaper interviewer on the late crisis in Scandinavia, in which she said:

"I's good riddance," she assured her visitor, making a pretty moue at the thought, "for they never gave us anything but trouble. The only one I pity from the botoim of my heart is any monarch who is destined to rule them. We are all tremendously pleased at the turn affairs have taken. We will have at least fifty years of peace, for, according to the contract, the separation will cover that length of time, and then they must give five years' notice if they want to come back."

Away With Norsk Lion.

Thoraly Klavenes, one of the leaders of the movement for a new form of government in Norway, has attacked the design of the national coat of arms in the bitterest language. The lion as an emblem of Norway he characterizes as ridiculous, as the animal never inhabited Norway. He suggests the adoption of the elk in place of the lion. The idea has not won universal favor.

Danish Explorer in London.

Hr. Mikkelsen, the Danish Arctic explorer, is in London, the guest of Sir Clements Markham. He has a plan for reaching the unknown lands north of Alaska which is said to be indorsed by Mr. Markham. Mr. Mikkelsen is in London for the purpose of placing his plans before the Royal Geographical society.

A Sad Experience.

"How do you make such good bread?"

"By following my recipe closely."

"Can you let me have it?"

"I can, but it's like this: I gave that recipe to my next-door neighbor, and she didn't follow the directions, and her husband quarreled with her over the miserable stuff and she put all the blame on me and my recipe. And now she won't speak to me when we pass and her husband sicks his dog on our little boy."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

FIRE SWEEPS WISCONSIN TOWN.

Business Portion of Brooklyn Almost Wiped Out.

Brooklyn, Wis., Nov. 4.—At 8 o'clock last night the business portion of this village was nearly wiped out by fire, which originated in the Brooklyn Mercantile building, destroying that structure, Frank Buchman's general store, A. G. Ellis' drug store, Snyder & Roberts' meat market, the postoffice and other smaller buildings. The Bank of Brooklyn was saved. This is the third time this village has been burned in the last twenty years. The loss will reach about $50,000. Fire departments from Evansville and Madison responded quickly, but on account of scant water supply could do but little.

JURY SUSPECT A CRIME.

Find Mystery in Winona Butcher's Sudden Death.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 4.—The coroner's jury which served at the inquest held over the remains of the late John Hamernik, who was found dead on the street on Wednesday morning from a farctured skull, would not accept the theory that the injury was sustained by a fall, and returned a verdict that the manner of receiving the injury was to them unknown. The police are still making a thorough investigation, but have been unable to find any further suspicious circumstances.

COLD BURSTS HYDRANTS.

Winona Water Service Suffers from Early Winter.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 4. — Winona has had a most unusual experience for the first of November. Many of the sprinkling hydrants around the city have been burst because of freezing, on account of which it has been necessary to stop springling, and the pipes have been very badly damaged. The "oldest inhabitant" says that such severe cold weather has never been experienced in this city at this season of the year.

AGED NEGRO IS CREMATED.

Colored Man, Believed to Be a Centenarian, Burned in His Shack.

Minneapolis, Nov. 4. — Paul Brown, an aged negro expressman, was burned to death yesterday in his shack here. Brown is supposed to have been more than a hundred years old. He was smoking in bed and the bed clothing took fire from his pipe. He was suffocated before help could reach him. Brown was a well-known character on the East side, where he had been an expressman for more than fifty years.

WOULD LOOK AT HER LUNGS.

Mayor of Ballard Defendant in Breach of Promise Suit.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Seattle, Wash., says:

Because Rosena Grover refused to allow him to inspect her lungs by means of the X-ray in a hunt for suspected tuberculosis germs, James Zook, mayor of Ballard, broke his engagement with the young woman. He has been sued by her for $25,000 damages for breach of promise.

MISMANAGEMENT IS CHARGED.

Petition Filed Asking for Receiver for Jewett Typewriter Company.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 4.—Thomas D. Morley of Mentor, Ohio, yesterday filed a bill in the federal court asking for a receiver for the Jewett Typewriter company, incorporated for $2,500,000. Charges are made of mismanagement, misappropriation of funds and discrimination in using dividends among preferred stockholders.

LAND SALES ARE ENDED.

List at Fergus Falls Is Now Practically Cleared.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 4. — A state land sale occurred here yesterday and was attended by 150 farmers. The land generally sold for good prices, and the state auditor announced that the list was nearly cleared up and that it was probable that no more sales would occur here for several years.

MILK FOR THE ROOSEVELTS.

Wisconsin Cattle Are Added to Eastern Dairy.

Janesville, Wis., Nov. 4.—Theodore Roosevelt and his family will soon be enjoying milk and cream furnished by Wisconsin cows. J. E. Foreman last week sold seven Guernsey cows to F. E. Patterson of Wilmington, Del. These cattle are a part of the herd that furnish the White House with milk and cream.

Sentenced for Murder.

Houghton, Mich., Nov. 4. — Egista Sabbatini was sentenced to from ten to twenty years in the Marquette penitentiary for the murder of Pia Lombardin last March at a christening ceremony.

Killed While Hunting.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 4.—Edward J. Briske of La Crosse was accidentally killed while hunting. He and E. Sloat were in a boat and a flock of ducks came up, and in getting his gun it was accidentally discharged.

NEW ULM RECALLS TRAGEDY.

City Shows Respect to the Memory of Dr. Gebhardt.

New Ulm, Minn., Nov. 3.—Yesterday was the anniversary of the murder of Dr. L. A. Gebhardt. In commemoration of the tragic event a flag floated at half-mast above the Otto Meyer block on Main street, the scene of the murder. As a token of respect to the memory of the dead dentist a floral cushion was sent to Mrs. S. Gebhardt, mother of the murdered man, at Black River Falls, Wis., by members of the citizens' committee in behalf of the citizens of New Ulm. The crime seems to be as much of a mystery as it was on the night of the tragedy. Little hope is entertained here that the guilty person will ever be discovered.

TELLS STORY OF MURDER.

Grensberg Put Acid in Nyman's Whisky to Get Rid of Him.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 3.—Nels Grensberg, the self-confessed murderer of Halvor Nyman, was brought to the city yesterday and bound over to the grand jury. Grenberg states that he poured soldering water into Nyman's whisky, this soldering water being a preparation of muriatic acid used in cleaning tinware before putting on the solder. Grenberg had a contract to support Nyman during the balance of his life and was to have his farm upon his death. He was hard pressed for money, and being unable to raise anything on contract while Nyman was living, he decided to put him out of the way. Nyman was seventy-eight years old and was ill.

ALEXANDER BOTKIN DIES.

Famous Politician Falls Victim of Long Continued Disease.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Alexander C. Botkin, chairman of the commission to revise the criminal laws under the department of justice, died here yesterday. Mr. Botkin had been for twenty-five years a sufferer from paralysis brought on by exposure in a storm during President Arthur's administration. He was a native of Wisconsin and at one time served as lieutenant governor of Montana. He was prominent in politics and was a friend of Senator Carpenter, Senator Thomas H. Carter and others. During the twenty-five years just passed, although afflicted, he had been active in business and political life.

TO BE HANGED IN DECEMBER.

Gov. Johnson Fixes Date for the Execution of Elk River Murderer.

St. Paul, Nov. 3. — C. D. Crawford, the Elk River box car murderer will hang Tuesday, Dec. 5. The date was fixed by Gov. Johnson yesterday. The selection of the date followed the receipt of the supreme court's findings, denying Crawford's application for a new trial and affirming the decision of the lower court. This is the second time a date for Crawford's exit from this life has been fixed. Originally he was to have been hanged Aug. 15, but through his attorneys, he secured a respite and later a hearing by the supreme court.

AID TO NAVIGATION.

Vesselmen Ask for Storm Signal Reporting Station on Devil's Island.

Duluth, Nov. 3. — A meeting of a committee of vesselmen to prepare a memorial to Willis M. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, urging that steps be taken to establish a storm signal vessel reporting station on Devil's Island, Lake Superior, was held yesterday. Capt. J. T. Rose was elected chairman and H. W. Brown, agent of the Pittsburg Steamship company, secretary. A memorial was prepared setting forth the need of the proposed station.

Remarks Cost Him Five.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 3.—The first arrest made in Fargo for years on the charge of being a masher was made last night. Fred Catlin, who claimed Iowa as his home, was the prisoner. He was released on depositing $5 bail, and failed to materialize when the case was called. Catlin was standing in a crowd waiting for a long train to pass and made some remarks to young ladies standing there.

Typhoid in Lumber Camps.

Hayward, Wis., Nov. 3.—An epidemic of typhoid fever prevails in the logging district fifteen miles southeast of this city. Three Indians have died of the disease. A number of other cases are reported. The disease first manifested itself in the lumber camps on the Chippewa river, and it is thought its spread was occasioned by lack of proper sanitary precautions.

His Home Was Too Desolate.

St. Paul, Nov. 3.—Erden Schroeder was found in his bedroom with his throat cut and a razor clutched in his right hand at 7 o'clock yesterday morning by his son, Lloyd Schroeder. He was despondent over the disappearance of his wife, who left home three weeks ago.

Dies on Way to Early Mass.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Katherine Hanson, wife of a prominent citizen here, fell dead on the sidewalk yesterday morning from apoplexy. She was on the way to early mass at the cathedral.

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WELL, Alice Roosevelt is home again safe and sound, and the yellow correepondents must find another mark for sensations.

MINNEAPOLIS news note: Messrs. Smith, Jones, Brown and Johnson, and a number of other gentlemen whose names we did not learn were at St. Paul between trains Sunday.

THE Republican newspapers continue their onslaughts on the traveling men. The traveling men supported Johnson almost to a man, and we haven't heard one of them express himself as being sorry.

THERE is a law on the statute book which imposes a fine of $10 on every boy under 18 and on every school attendant under 21, who smokes cigarettes, with an alternative of five days in jail. Selling or giving cigarettes to minors is punishable by a fine of $50 or 30 days in jail.

THE Slayton Gazette thinks that "more men should be employed in our public schools to give virility to our young people." When we were a boy there were schoolma'ams around endowed with all the virility and strength necessary, and we doubt if there has been a noticeable deterioration.

"HAZING" at the colleges and universities ought to be prohibited. From an innocent and fun-loving sport it has degenerated into a brutal and murderous custom. A few weeks ago a new student in a Ohio college was tied to a railroad track and killed by a train. It is all right for college boys to have their fun, but when they descend to barbarity it is time for the authorities to take a hand in the game.

THE Fairmont Independent, with a sort of ghoulish glee, points to the fact that John A. McCall is a Democrat. We are obliged to admit the corn. McCall is the sort of a Democrat who three times contributed $50, 000 of the policy-holders' money to the Republican national committe to save the nation's honor. McCall has been so concerned about the nation's honor that he has forgotten what personal honor and integrity is like.

DEATH is rapidly decimating the ranks of the ex-governors of Minnesota. Horace Austin, who was governor from 1870 1874, died at a Minneapolis hospital Tuesday forenoon, failing to survive a surgical operation. Mr. Austin was a St. Peter man, and for a quarter of a century was prominent in public affairs. The former governors now living are Lucien F. Hubbard, Will R. M[illegible], Knute Nelson, David M. C[illegible], John Lind and Samuel R. Van [illegible]ant.

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THE Chicago American tells a story of how the money of the policy holders in one of the old line companies was used to defeat a bill that would have given the policy holders a chance to bring suit against the company to recover money illegally used. Four of the leading legislators called on the agent of the company at Albany and sat down with him to a game of poker. On four hands he managed to loose $1,000 to each of the legislators, and then they went out to work against the bill. No one could prove in court that those men had been bribed, but the work was just as effective as if they had been handed the money directly for their votes.

MARY MCFADDEN tells it so well that we cannot add to the sympathy and philosophy expressed in the following: "The newspaper fraternity will extend its sincere sympathy to Editor Greeley of the Big Fork Compass, whose aged mother was frozen to death in the woods near her cabin on the Big Fork, last week. A searching party found her in the drifted snow, where she had evidently fallen after vain attempts to locate her home. She had wandered into the woods before the storm began. The tragedies of pioneer life are especially cruel, its hardships many and its pleasures all to those who follow the trail blazer."

WILLIAM E. CURTIS, the renowned correspondent of the Chicago Record Herald has been in Canada lately and has explained the tariff fight in in that counry. The lumber interests of Canada are demanding a high tariff on lumber shipped in from this country. He says that in 1904 more than nine million dollars worth of lumber was shipped from the United States across the border and entered Canada free, and during 1905 there was considerable increase. The lumber barons of this country ship their product to Canada, pay the freight and undersell the Canadian competitors, yet, claim it is necessary to have a tariff on Canadian lumber. They can pay freight and undersell their Canadian brothers in that country, but cannot compete with them if they pay freight and come here. But that is as consistent as all argument in favor of a protective tariff.

IN the past the state board of control has maintained a silence that was almost dignified, but hereafter more publicity will be given to a portion of its dealings, says the St. Peter Herald. Through the efforts of Hon. L. A. Rosing, the democratic member, the board has voted to receive public bids for construction work and many contractors who have refused to prepare estimates for state buildings may now compete with the knowledge that they will receive a square deal. Mr. Rosing's stand in this matter is to be commended. The purchasing agents of the state should not engage in transactions which will not bear the light of day and the starchamber session is woefully out of place. Their course was one calculated to arouse suspicion and they will be wise to extend the new practice to all of their transactions.

THE officials who wrecked the Northwestern National Life Insurance company of Minneapolis are to be brought to the bar of justice. W. F. Bechtel, the president, W. A. Kerr, Dr. J. F. Force and Wallace Campbell, directors, have been indicted by the Hennepin county grand jury, and must stand trial for the misappropriation of funds. Elmer H. Dearth, former insurance commissioner, has also been indicted for accepting a bribe to suppress a report affecting the solvency of the company. John J. O'Shanghnessy, also a former insurance commissioner, has been censured for accepting a bribe, but no indictment would lodge against him because the statute of limitations has run. It will be remembered that this is the company which was saved from total wreck by the prompt action of Governor Johnson and Commissioner O'Brien last winter in compelling the old officers to resign and turn the affairs of the concern over to a citizens' committee headed by Hon. Loren W. Collins. The company is now paying its losses and getting a firm hold in the insurance world. In this single instance the people of Minnesota have seen the direct benefit of having capable and honest state officials on guard.

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PEANUT POLITICS.

Hon. Frank M. Eddy, four times Congressman and long prominent in Republican councils, has an article in last week's issue of his Sauk Centre Herald relative to state politics worthy the consideration of every voter. He flays unmercifully the small-bore country newspaper editors, who have been indulging in petty criticism of Governor Johnson and his administration, and advises the Republicans to take higher and broader ground by admitting the governor's honesty, ability and popularity. Mr. Eddy says:

"Some misguided writers in the dailies have taken it upon themselves to criticise Governor Johnson for his attendance on the various county fairs or as they sneeringly term them "the pumpkin shows" held in various parts of the state this fall, and there are some few country papers that draw their inspiration from the city dailies aforesaid whose original ideas are as scarce as their subscribers who take up the refrain.

"As a matter of fact these "pumpkin shows" have done more to advance the agricultural interests of this state than all the fast horse, high wire, trained dog, guideless wonders, Dan Patch, fire works hippodromes that have been held at Hamline since the institution of the state fair. These "pumpkin raisers" who give these "pumpkin shows" are the men that have placed Minnesota in the very front rank of states. They are the ones and not the railroad builders, wholesale jobbers and lumber barons, that have made our state what it is and have made it possible for the millionaires to accumulate their millions and if they want the govenernor of the state to appear at their "pumpkin shows" it is his duty to attend if he can do so without neglecting the duties he was elected to perform. It is the duty of the governor to make himself intimately acquainted with the citizenry of the state over whose destinies he presides, and in no way can he better do this than by attending the "pumpkin shows" that are annually held in the various counties. It is the duty of the governor to attend every gathering of the people that he can attend without neglecting his official duties and the course of Governor Johnson in attending county fairs, school commencements and similar meetings in the various parts of the state should be commended by right thinking men and not condemned. We do not imagine that the Governor takes any great amount of pleasure in attending these assemblages, no one but a natural born egotist finds any satisfaction in placing himself constantly on exhibition but it is one of the duties that he assumes when he assumes the office.

"We are getting tired of the small bore criticism of the present governor. He was an experiment it is true, but he made good and the only legitimate criticism that can be made on him is his politics. The fact that Governor Johnson has made a good governor makes him all the more dangerous to the continued republican supremacy in this state. It is not the Tim Murphys, the Dave Hills and the Arthur Gormans that the republicans need fear. It is the Bryans, the Folks and the Johnsons that are going to make us shuck our clothing to get out and work as we never worked before if we maintain republican supremacy in the nation and the state. And we cant win with Lodges, Forkers, Grosvenors and men of that ilk for standard bearers, We must have Roosevelts, LaFollettes, Nelsons, men from the people and of the people, to lead us in battle. Men that stand for something and who dare proclaim their position."

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New Game Law Ruling.

Deer and moose skins, purchased in good faith from persons who have taken them from animals legally killed, may be lawfully shipped out of the state for tanning purposes.

The supreme court, in a decision today, so holds, and further denies the right of the game and fish commission to confiscate such hides so shipped.

The decision was written by Justice Elliot in a case to decide this point from Crow Wing county, where C. A. Allbright as executor of the estate of L. E. Warren, deceased, shipped several deer and moose hides to New York to be tanned.

Mr. Garceau's Recent Purchase.

The sale of the J. I. Wyer and G. A. Archer interests in the First State Bank to Theo. Garceau, cashier of that popular financial institution, is of more than passing moment. The interests held by Messrs. Wyer and Archer aggregated 149 shares of the bank's stock and the price paid by Mr. Garceau was $20,115, all cash. While the people of Red Lake Falls will regret the retirement of Mr. Wyer from the business circles of the city, they will be glad to know that the sale was made to a local business man of the high standing of Mr. Garceau. Mr. Garceau's recent purchase carries with it a controlling interest in the bank, his holdings now representing more than two thirds of the bank's stock. The transfer means no change in the management of the bank, since Mr. Garceau has been the active head for a great many years.

NORTHERN MINNESOTA.

What Others Say About This Section Pertinent Facts for Your Careful Perusal

The following from "The Farmers Call" of Quincy, Ill., contains some observations made during the editorial trip make through this section last summer that are worthy of pretty careful perusal by the valley farmers. The Call says;

"As we rode through northern Minnesota on the railway trains, or were driven around in buggies, the thought frequently came to us that there is no hardship any more in pioneering, judged by the standards of fifty or seventy-five years ago. Indeed, it is a fair question if there is any real pioneering nowadays. We found no place in Northern Minnesota where apparently every farmer did not have a buggy and a good, stylish team to attach to it. Everywhere we found on the farms self binders, mowers, sulky plows, etc. We found these on the farms just being made from the wild land. We did not see 2 percent of the farm machinery given any shelter of any kind. It is certainly a rich soil and it is certainly profitable farming that will stand such expenses for farm machinery allowed to rot and rust without hinder and will yet permit farmers to pay for land out of which they make good farms, and have for their enjoyment such things as buggies and organs.

"The useful clovers and grasses here grow most luxuriantly, and it certainly will not be difficult to provide a dairy farm with an abundance of pure, cool water and also of ice. We believe that before twenty-five years southern Minnesota, which has achieved such creditable results and notable victories in dairying, will be pushed closely, if, indeed, it is not surpassed in dairying, by the northern half of the state."

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DARING OF LIONS.

Incidents to Prove That the Brutes Are Not Cowardly.

It has been said many times that lions are cowardly brutes, but of the many lions with which I have had personal dealings, expectedly and unexpectedly, the epithet cowardly is the last I should consider appropriate in describing them. I have been charged by a lion, and he certainly did not look cowardly. I have come face to face, at a distance of some twenty feet, with a family party of half a dozen, fortunately full fed. They stood, with quiet dignity, looking at us, and then slowly moved away, stopping every few yards to stand and look again. There was neither fear nor meanness in their appearance or behavior.

I have seen lions stalking game, and I have myself been stalked by them. If I could have encouraged myself with the conviction of their cowardliness when I was the quarry and they the hunters, it would have put a different aspect on the situation. We were at this time living in a station over seventy miles from the nearest connecting link with the outside world, and when man eating lions took possession of the one road which led to this link things became serious.

A large troop was reported, and the natives maintained that this troop ran along in the grass parallel with the caravan road (a path some ten inches wide), and, having selected the most edible member of the caravan, jumped upon him like a flash, and, seizing him, disappeared as quickly as they came.

Our mail runners, attached to whom were a couple of native police armed with rifles, were several times attacked. Finally, as the mail party was camping one night, fortunately for it, with a native caravan, the lions became so bold that, in spite of fires, they sprang upon a native and carried him off into the bush.—Mrs. S. L. Hinde in Blackwood's Magazine.

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If it is like the average watch, it will be built up of no fewer than 175 different pieces. These pieces will have passed through more than 2,400 separate operations, each being a distinct form of manufacture.

The fourth jewel wheel screw is so very small that it is almost invisible. To the naked eye it appears to be but a speck of dust. When examined under a magnifying glass it will be seen to be a perfect screw, having 260 threads to the inch, each thread being well cut. Actually the diameter of this screw is so little as the four one-thousandth part of an inch, and it would take no less a number than 100,000 similar screws in order to fill an ordinary thimble as used by the ladies.

Each screw has a double head and has to be hardened. After the hardening process the screws are arranged in frames, being placed in with the heads upward. This delicate operation is done by the sense of touch alone instead of by sight, and great rapidity marks the skillful operator. Somewhere about a hundred screws are placed in each frame, and the frames are attached to a machine which polishes the heads of the screws 10,000 at a time.

It will be seen how marvelous these screws are, yet one of them forms but one tiny piece of a watch. Still, this will show the remarkable nature of that everyday article. When special watches are considered there is indeed room for wonder.

For instance, take the watch which was presented to Catherine I. on her coronation as empress of Russia. This watch was one of the most remarkably constructed instruments ever made.

On the opposite side of the works of this extraordinary timekeeper there was an exact representation of the holy sepulcher, with a carved image of the Roman guard stationed outside it. As soon as the watch case was opened the imitation rocks would roll away from the mouth of the sepulcher, the soldier would kneel, angels would appear at opposite sides of the opening, and sweet strains of music would be heard. This remarkable watch took nine years' uninterrupted labor in order to construct.

The first clock in any way resembling those in use at present was made by Henry Vick in the year 1370, and it was made for Charles V. of France. This monarch was surnamed the Wise, but his education was imperfect in many respects, and he knew it well. As a result he was very obstinate in his claim to know everything. He showed this obstinacy when Vick brought the new timepiece for his approval. The king could not find any fault with its working, so he criticised the figures on the dial.

He told the maker that he had made a grievous error, as the figures to denote the hour of 4 should be four I's. Poor Vick ventured to tell the king that he was wrong. "I am never wrong!" thundered the irate monarch. "Take the clock away and correct the mistake at once upon pain of my displeasure!"

Vick had to do as he was told, with the result that all our timepieces have the fourth hour labeled IIII instead of IV, as should be the case if the correct numeration were followed.

How many people have the slightest notion why sixty seconds make a minute and why the hour is divided into sixty minutes, and so on? Why are there not ten hours to the day and ten to the night?

The reason is very simple. It is because the people of Babylon reckoned not only by a decimal system of notation, but also by a sexagesimal system. That is to say, they not only reckoned by tens, but also by sixties. The Babylonians were very clever people, and they saw that the decimal system was by no means the best.

They knew that no number had so many divisors as has sixty.

How about the division of the day into hours? The Babylonians began by comparing the progress made by the sun on its daily journey to the distance covered by a good walker, this being done at the time of the equinox. The astronomers divided the sun's journey into twenty-four parasangs, whence our hours.

The Babylonian system was adopted by the Greeks. It is one of the most remarkable facts of history that the system has survived through many changes made since the days of Babylonia. [illegible]

[illegible] we may be, [illegible] is always wanting to mar [illegible] fortune.—Horace.

TRAFALGAR.

The Swiftness of Action of This Great Naval Battle.

The world will see other sea fights, but never one like this, so close, so swift and with so much in it of the personal element. And what may be called the pace of the battle, the swiftness with which incident follows incident, is almost without a parallel in the history of war. The first gun was fired at 12:15; at 12:22, or only seven minutes after the French guns opened on him, Collingwood, with the British ships nearest to him, was through the enemy's line.

Only one brief minute later, or at 12:23 by the log of the Euryalus, Nelson is in the fight, and is pouring his first dreadful broadside into the stern of Villeneuve's flagship. Two minutes later the French and Spanish topmasts begin to fall. At 1:32, or sixty-seven minutes after the first gun was fired, Blackwood reports "the center and rear of enemy's line to be hard pressed in action." The fate of the battle is practically settled. Already some of the enemy's ships have struck. The swift moments run on, and the pulses of the great fight keep time with them. The advantage is not all on one side.

At 2:36, for example, or less than two hours from the moment when, a shape of majestic pride, the Royal Sovereign moved into the zone of the enemy's fire, she lies a mastless and helpless bulk. She has done her work, but she has paid a terrible price for it. There is at this moment a flutter of flags on the masthead of the Victory, for Nelson has a great captain's watchful vision, and a frigate—it is the Euryalus—comes down with every inch of canvas set, groping her way through the smoke, to take the battered hull of the Royal Sovereign in tow, so that her broadsides—the mighty ship can still fight, though she cannot sail—bear upon the enemy's ships within her reach.

This is not a battle spread through days. It is compressed almost into minutes. The first shot was fired at 12:15; before 3 o'clock flag after flag is going down; a great fleet is crumbling into ruin. By 5:30 o'clock all is over.—Cornhill Magazine.

FINGERS AND FORKS.

Never use a fork when taking a piece of bread.

Avoid using a spoon for anything that is not liquid.

Pastry should be eaten with a fork; also ice cream where the proper forks are served.

It is permissible to eat celery, corn, asparagus, water cress and undressed salad with the fingers.

Olives should be lifted from the dish with the olive fork or spoon, but should be eaten from the fingers.

Lemon is often served with fish and pancakes. The lemon should be taken in the fingers and squeezed upon the viands.

If cut sugar is served and there are no sugar tongs in the bowl, lift the pieces out as delicately as possible with the tips of the fingers.—New York Press.

Composite Pronoun Wanted.

The want of a composite pronoun to express both "he" and "she," and, what is sometimes more important, to express neither he nor she, must have embarrassed every one at some time or another. There are ungrammatical ways of shelving the difficulty, such as, for instance, by translating the convenient French "on" as "they," when we really mean one person who may be either masculine or feminine. The lack of a portmanteau word to express both sexes without specifying either did not, however, trouble the new maid who approached her mistress with the ingenious remark, "Please'm, a friend of mine has called—and may I ask it to tea?"—London Chronicle.

A Point In Punctuation.

For a century past, probably longer, the rule of the best printers and publishers has been, "Three words in the same construction are separated by commas." Two examples will illustrate the rule:

"John, James and Thomas have come."

As so punctuated the first name is vocative, the second and third nominative. Two persons have come.

"John, James, and Thomas have come."

And now the three names are all nominatives. Three persons have come.

The two meanings can be indicated otherwise only by a footnote.—New York Times.

A Stubborn Opening.

The head of the household was going through her husband's pockets the next morning.

"What kept you out so late last night?" she suddenly demanded.

"It was the opening of the campaign, my dear," the lesser half replied.

"Well, it didn't take three corkscrews to open it, did it?"

And she drew the offending articles from his side pocket and waved them before him.—[illegible]

"Yes [illegible]

"I am [illegible]

[illegible] throat [illegible] then, of [illegible] to that when we [illegible] a living together."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Try It.

"Don't you smell fire?"

"No, I don't think I do."

"I don't either, but most people do if you ask them."

THE MUSSULMAN.

His Devotion Is Intense and He Is Proud of His Religion.

A traveler in Africa writes: "This is a land of religion. The Mussulman's devotion is intense, ever present and all pervading, being not an accessory tacked on, as it were, to his life to be practiced more or less surreptitiously, but an essential part, wherewith and wherein he lives at all times. A Mussulman prays openly and publicly, in nowise afraid to be seen. Every man wears his string of beads whereon he records the number of his daily prayers. Notwithstanding its, to us, uninviting appearance, the religion has made and still is making great strides in Africa, and one can only attribute this to the fact that here at last is a religion of which its adherents are in no way ashamed. It offers to the faithful absolute assurance of salvation and engenders that blind, unhesitating faith therein which is so comforting to the native mind.

"Seeing a crowd of pilgrims bound for Mecca patiently—nay, with pleasure—enduring the worst treatment that one could imagine meted out to herds of driven slaves, one envies the excess of faith that can engender such a disposition. Though robbed, slain, starved, herded with pestilence and subjected to countless hardships and annoyances, yet year after year they come from far and near thousands and tens of thousands strong on this the most wonderful and far reaching of latter day pilgrimages.

"At Jedda one sees pilgrims from all corners of the globe—Dutch subjects from Java, Chinese from Peking, shiploads from India and Farther India, Russian subjects from all parts of the great empire, French subjects from Algiers, from Morocco, and dusky negroes who have tramped for months from the western shores of Africa. Through many lands and midst many tongues they come, all to meet at this thronged center of the maelstrom of the Mussulman faith."

GREEK ATHLETES.

The Way They Ran and the Style of Track They Used.

"In the foot races of the ancient Greeks," says a writer, "the shape of the stadium caused a great difference, since it was not circular, but long and narrow, with one or both ends semicircular. Consequently the runners had to take a sharp turn at the end of each lap, while except at the turn they were running a straight course. Evidently this turn needed much practice, for the pictures on the old vases show athletes practicing this one part of the race as a kind of drill, taking each movement separately.

"In early times, when all the runners turned round the same post, the turn gave opportunities for foul play, and there are stories of one competitor tripping another at the post or seizing him by the hair to prevent his winning. But later, in the shorter distances at least, each runner had his own track and post to turn round, and probably the separate courses were roped off in much the same way as they are now in sprint races. For the start elaborate arrangements were made and at Olympia the stone slabs are still to be seen with the grooves at regular intervals that had to be toed at starting.

"Greek long distance men ran in the most approved style of the present day. But the sprinters apparently employed a considerable amount of arm action and took very long steps, rising well on to the toes. Then there was the race in armor, an event highly praised by several of the Greek writers as a valuable preparation for war and which is supposed to explain the famous running charge of the Athenians at Marathon."

A Literary Coincidence.

"My father, W. Clark Russell," said Herbert Russell in telling of a literary coincidence, "had finished maturing the plot of his novel, 'The Death Ship,' which is a version of the legend of Vanderdecken. I was his amanuensis at the time. He said to me, 'Tomorrow we will begin the story.' On the following morning when I entered his study to take his dictation of the opening lines he showed me a letter he had just received. It was from W. S. Gilbert, the well known dramatist, asking him why he did not write a novel about the Flying Dutchman."

Funerals In the Highlands.

A Scottish correspondent writes of funerals in the highlands: "There are no undertakers here. A carpenter makes the simple coffin, relatives and friends carry it, hip high, to its last resting place, which is dug when the end of the journey is reached, and having walked perhaps six miles to the chosen kirkyard, they take a refreshment of sandwiches and whisky and walk home again. The [illegible] absence of pomp is maintained, but there is the added embellishment of pipe music."

Got Down to Them.

[illegible]

Force of Habit.

"How many times has your husband been under the knife?"

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WASHING CLOCK FACES.

Some Timepieces Grow Soiled More Quickly Than Others.

"I've been washing the faces of the city clocks nigh on to ten years, I guess," said a pleasant Scotch-Irish-American, "and before that I did it in the old country. There aren't many face washers in this land, and the few who know the business do well at it." He looked prosperous in his tweed suit and derby hat.

"Is your work anything like that of the steeple climber?" he was asked.

"Bless you, no," he replied, with twinkling eye, much amused, "only in one thing, and that is that mostly sailors take up with the trade. That's because we're good climbers, you know. I've washed the faces of city and church clocks that were 180 feet from the ground, and it took me two and three weeks to do it. I'm a practical clock repairer, too—have to be, you know—and do my work in a huge wooden cradle made for the purpose. Some clocks get their faces dirty in a year or so; others remain clean ten years, and so on. Old Ben, Westminster's great clock, is expected to keep clean fifteen years.

"In the old days the trade was more dangerous. We used to work from scaffolds and got many dangerous falls. Now we have the cradles and all the fixings and comforts, and if a man keeps his head he can work as well as on the curb. How is the pay? Well that's hard to figure, for we work by the job. We don't clean clock faces in winter, so we make enough in the summer to last the year round. Of course sometimes the clocks are taken out of their cases and repaired in the shops. Last year I cleared $2,000 and visited only two other cities, Chicago and Boston. This year I'll make more, because building operations have grimed the clocks and given our trade a lift."—New York Post.

The Word Derrick.

The word derrick for a machine used to lift heavy weights is curiously derived from a London hangman in the beginning of the seventeenth century whose name was Theodoric and who is often mentioned in old plays. [illegible]

A Blot of Ink.

[illegible] used to tell how on one occasion he had visited the famous house of the Thrales in that suburb of London where Dr. Johnson was at home. "Johnson," said the canon in recalling the visit, "had occupied two rooms, and these were left as he had used them. The sight was an extraordinary one, for ink was splashed all over the floor and even on the walls. It was one of the doctor's habits to dip his pen in ink and then shake it."

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Mr. Orton has been a victim of Stomach Trouble for several years. His food did not digest and would ferment in his stomach causing him no end of pain and sugering.

In a recent letter regarding his experience, Mr. Orton said: "every thing I would eat seemed to disagree with me. I had continuous pains and a depressed feeling all over my body. Time passed and I grew worse and worse. Doctors could not relieve me nor did the many remedies that I tried. At last I gave up hope. One day while speaking to a friend about it, he induced me to try the famous Cooper Medicines that are so talked of and reluctantly I purchased several bottles. When I had finished two bottles I marveled at the change in my condition. My pains had stopped; my appetite returned two-fold. Now I eat everything and have forgotten what indigestion is. I feel better than I have for two years."

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ST. HILIARE

Miss Helen Hannay returned from Minneapolis, Monday.

Joel G. Winkjer, of Crookston was in the village Monday.

Henry Enderle, of Plummer was a visitor here last Sunday.

C. H. Martz, took a car load of cattle to St. Paul returning Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Brady, of Red Lake Falls visited at the home of Prof. J. B. O'Brien last week.

The recent snow has spoiled the most delightful skating the young folks have had for years.

A. R. Jones left last Wednesday for Rollitte N. D. where he will run an elevator the coming year.

Mrs. David Collins and children returned from visiting friends at Thief River Falls, the last of the week.

The ladies of the Norwegian Synod church will serve warm supper in their church Thursday Nov. 16 from 6 o'clock uutil 9.

It is reported that Hotel Markham has been sold to Crookston parties and that Mr. Thompson of that city becoms its owner.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Bjerkness have the sympathy of the community on account of the death of their infant son which occurred last Thursday.

Alton and Ella Jackson have been confined to their home the past week with severe colds. Ella is able to be up around but Alton is still in bed.

News of the death of Ole O. Opperud who left here this spring, reached his friends here Saturday. The remains were brought here for interment.

Oliver W. Stewart, of Chicago one of the best known prohibition lecturers of the country delivered a very able address Sunday afternoon in the opera house.

John Makerud had the misfortune to have his large St. Bernard dog killed by the evening passenger Friday, just as the train crossed the creamery crossing.

A. O. Davison, of Wylie, has moved his family into rooms over Mrs. Duntley's confectionery store and will assist Cashier Gigstad at the Merchants State bank.

The band boys will give a rag ball social at Imperial hall, Wednesday evening, Nov. 8th. The boys will furnish music and it is hoped there will be a large crowd out.

The many friends of Mrs. Lewis Adams will be grieved to learn of her death at Grand Forks last Thursday night. Mrs. Adams had been ill for several months. The remains were taken to Red Lake Falls, her childhood home for burial.

At the creamery meeting of the share holders held in the town hall Monday it was decided to extend the creamery, build new ware house and ice house and install a new churn. This will make the creamery one of the largest in the northern part of the state.

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BADGER.

Donna Laurent hauled a load of hay at the Falls Monday.

Mr. Gedeon Gagnon called on a few Badger people Tuesday morning.

Mr. Mrs. Robert Quesnell dined at Adelard Laurent's home Sunday.

Zelia Quesnell visited with Terrebonne friends a few days of last week.

Mr. Willie St. Ives and wife of Crookston visited with friends here Sunday.

Messrs Edward and Eli St. Ives entertained a few friends Sunday evening.

Mr. Havens and wife were business callers at the county seat last Saturday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Demerais is quite ill at the present writing.

Mr. Desire Robillard and Mrs. Orilla Robillard visited with Gentilly friends a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Puesnell, visited with their daughter Mrs. Bourcier of St. Hiliare a few days this week.

Mrs. J. Ducharme has been confined to her bed for the last several days with a severe sickness. Improvements are hoped by her numerous friends.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclos[illegible] Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that, by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09), at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905, at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota. o26d7

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Red Lake }

In the matter of the petition of A. T. Gorden and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 24.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 24, beginning at the southwest corner of section 6 in township 151, range 42, running thence north on the range line between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 1 in township 151 north, of range 43 west in Red Lake county, thence north on the range line between the southwest quarter of section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west and the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, thence running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, to the west line of section 33, thence in a southwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 32 in said twp. 152 range 42 a distance of 400 feet and there terminating at a creek which empties into Red Lake river.

Also a branch ditch, commencing at the northeast corner of Section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west and running thence south on the range line between 31 in township 152, range 42 and section 36 in township 152, range 43 and terminating in the main ditch at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of said section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west.

Also a branch ditch specified by the engineer in his report as being necessary for the proper drainage of lands affected by the main ditch and described as follows: Commencing at a point 1249⅔ feet east and 750⅔ feet south of the northeast corner of section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west, thence running in a northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section 6 to the township line, thence west along said township line, between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west to the southwest corner of said section 31 in township 152 north of range 42 west, terminating at and emptying into the main ditch at the last named point as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of owners of lands and names of municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned, are as follows, to-wit: Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company; Andrew Johnson, John G. Anderson, C. C. Bergan, A. A. Cooper, Bernhard Thelander, Solomon Swenson, Peter Hogquist, Ole Wedul, Charles H. Foy, Otto Swenson, Sarah Hogquist, Henry J. Enderle, Hubert Haupt, G. A. Konikson, Anna Emanuelson, D. M. Clark, Fred Ulrich, Emil Just, Wilhelmina Just, R. E. Farley, William F. Seiter, E. A. Satterburg, Frank Satterberg, Charles A. Swanson, Anne Gordon, Annie Fangstrom, State of Minnesota, K. O. Gigstad, Ole Hanson, John Mahla, Lars A. Swenson, McCormick Harvesting Machine Co., Christ Martenson, Town of Wyandotte, Town of River Falls, Town of Gervais and Town of Emardville and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said county auditor; and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

And that therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the 24th day of November, 1905, at the county auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county at two o'clock p. m., of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor.
Red Lake Co., Minn.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota } ss
County of Red Lake }

In the matter of the petition of Aug. Konikson and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 23.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 23 beginning at the southwest corner of section 12 in township 151. Range 43, (town of Gervais), in said county running thence through the following described lands to-wit: North on the section line between sections 11 and 12 in said town and range, thence west on the quarter section line through section 11 in said town and range to about the center thereof, thence running in a southwesterly direction through said section 11 to the southwest corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the eastern part of section 15 in said town and range to the southeast corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the northeast quarter of section 22 and the west half of section 23 all in twp. 151, range 43 aforesaid and terminating at the southeast corner of section 22 in said Twp. 151, range 43 and having its outlet a creek or coulee as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit: Ingra Hammer, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry Co., C. A. Swensen, Oscar Anderson, Sjur M. Harbolen, Bengt Anderson, J. B. Kempton, William Schwalen, James L. Taylor, Middlesex Banking Company, H. M. Martinson, L. O. Thorpe, Peter A. Konikson, Frank O'Meara, J. C. Brown, Abraham Johnson, the township of Gervais, Caroline Lunde, August E. Craft, Henry M. Martinson John Loffelmarker, W. M. Erb, Andrew N. Ydstie and John Suchomel; and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County auditor; and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

Aud that, therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minne[illegible]a, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the [illegible] day of November 1905, at the county auditor's [illegible] in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, at [illegible] o'clock a. m., of said day, for hearing and co[illegible]tion of said petition and of said surveyor'[illegible] [illegible]ewers' report thereon, and that all persons [illegible]terested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1905,

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn.

The Natural Effect.

Father—From my observation of him last night I came to the conclusion that young man of yours was rather wild. Daughter—Of course. It was your constant observation that made him wild. He wanted you to go upstairs and leave us alone.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Stole a House.

Bonesteel, S. D., Feb. 21.—As one result of the claim jumping and general lawlessness that have prevailed among settlers on the Rosebud Indian agency lands, recently thrown open to settlement, a house was picked up, put on bobsleds, and hauled several miles across the prarie last night, while its owner, Hans Oleson, and his family were asleep in the structure.

The house movers intended to appropriate the building to their own use. They had thought it was unoccupied, but when they opened the door they found Oleson and his family at home.

Four Killed.

St. Clairsville, Ohio, Feb. 21.—Four men are dead and fourteen injured as the result of an explosion yesterday of a stationary boiler at a mine of the Provident Coal company.

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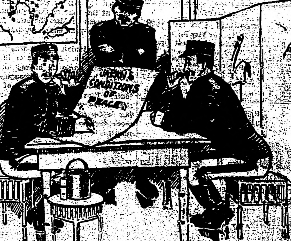
By McCutcheon, in Chicago Daily Tribune.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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

J. K. Hannay of St. Hiliare was in the city Monday.

Julius Pleth of Plummer, was here on business Monday.

Prof. A. Onstad made his regular trip to St. Hiliare Tuesday.

Sheriff Linnihan returned Monday from a business trip to Crookston.

I. D. Converse of Cass Lake arrived Monday for a few days visit.

Go to Spillane's store for Groceries, Candies, Nuts, Fruits, Cigars, etc

Bob and Eva McGinley played to fair sized audiences Friday and Saturday evening.

Attorney Perl W. Maybe, of Thief River Falls was in the city Monday on legal business.

Marcus Johnson arrived Tuesday and will spend a few days looking over his business interests.

Miss Bertha Lafraniere came from her school north east of Lambert and spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Risch of Crookston spent Sunday in the city the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter returned Monday from a few days visit with relatives at the Upper Falls.

P. B. Gaass left the latter part of the week for a business trip to Central and Northern Iowa points.

K. O. Gigstad, cashier of the Merchants State Bank of St. Hiliare was a county seat visitor Monday.

T. M. Brevig, one of the prominent farmers of River Falls Twp. was here on business Monday.

S. M. Sivertson made a trip to Crookston on business connected with the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. returning Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Milton Converse and children accompanied Mr. I. D. Converse Monday for a two weeks visit at the Converse home at Cass Lake.

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Thos. Germo was at Crookston on legal business Wednesday.

Dan Patterson of St. Hiliare was a caller in the city Tuesday.

A. P. Toupin made a business trip to Crookston Wednesday.

Telesphor Morinvill of Crookston arrived for a days visit Wednesday.

W. W. Prichard of Thief River Falls spent Tuesday night at the county seat.

Wm. Krueger, our popular hotel man, was a visitor at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissonier is enjoying a few days visit from her mother Mrs. Martin of Crookston.

There will be a dance Friday the 17th at Woodman Hall. All Woodmen and Royal Neighbors invited.

Mrs. Tibbitts was a passenger north Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davidson at St Hilaire.

Miss Lizzie Gedde was an outbound pessenger Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives at Crookston.

A. O. Davidson, who for some time has been in charge of the Bank of Wylie, is now assisting Cashier Gigstad in the bank at St. Hiliare.

The rivers at the junction were frozen over the latter part of last week and the boys all took advantage of the occasion to cut a few capers on the ice.

Paul and Jim drove to Crookston Sunday to meet Hart, Schaffner, and Marx's traveling salesman. Jim went to Grand Forks for a day and Paul returned in the evening.

Exerie Chetal Sundayed at the city having finished his job near Greenbush. He shipped his grading tools and horses to Wyoming Monday where he has a large contract.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

H. A. Seigne, the veterinarian who has made this place his home for the past year and a half left Monday evening for Antlers, N. D., where he will reside in the future.

On account of Saturday next being an open date for our football boys they have been trying to secure a game from some one of the High School Elevens in this part of the state but so far have been unsuccessful.

C. O. Kankel, the Terrebonne miller, was in the city the first part of the week and reports the mill running in fine shape. So far they have bought 7000 bushels of No. 1. Northern and 800 bushels of No. 1. Hard Wheat.

The many friends of Anthony Lafranier, a former Red Lake Falls boy, will be glad to learn that he has branched out still further and that the Itasca Iron News, published at Bovey, Minn., is the latest addition. This makes three papers under his control.

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The ladies of St. Mary's church will give a card party at the home of Mrs. W. A. Schreiter on Friday evening the 17th. All are cordially inviteb.

At the home of Mrs. F. E. Hunt on Wednesday, Nov. 15, at 2:30 P. M. there will be an important meeting of the Ladies Aid Society Presbyterian church.

District Court will convene on Monday the 13 inst. All Grand and Petit Jurors are to appear at 10 a. m. This is a continuation of the October term and will probably be a week or ten day session.

Lee Healy, at the close of Tuesday evening's practise as spokesman for the band boys in a well chosen speech, presented Ed. H. Chase with a beautiful suit case as a testimonial of the band's appreciation of his services.

Those being present to a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. John Drier's last evening were Mrs. Doran, Miss Alice Boyd, Mrs. Posel, Mrs. Chas. Bourdon, Miss Frances Orr, Mrs. Healy, Mrs. Ittner, and Mrs. Groshong.

The hearing on the injunction proceedings against the Great Northern Railway, restraining them from discontinuing the Wylie St. Hiliare branch, has been continued to the 21st of November. In the meantime the restraining order is in force.

The Ladies' Aid of the Lutheran church will serve lunch at Mrs, P. O. Floan's home Saturday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock. An auction sale of the society's "Friendship Quilt" will also be held at the same time. All are cordially invited.

The Plummer creamery was closed last week and the machinery will be thoroughly overhauled and other improvements made which will materially increase the capacity of the creamery. It will remain closed until early in January when it will be started again.

Red Lake Falls High School football team trims up Thief River Falls High to the tune of 85 to 0 and Thief River High beats Fertile High 68 to 0. Query, what would be the score if Red Lake Falls played Fertile? Any answer should be addressed to captain football team.

Those from here who attended the Minnesota—Wisconsin game last Saturday were N. M. Watson, Mrs. Marshall, E. G. Buse, Sam Hunt, F. A. Grady, Carl Krueger, Ralph Healy, Hugo Ittner and Fred Richards. They all report having seen a good game but regret that Minnesota was beaten.

Thief River Falls has received $26,700.00 the proceeds of the city waterworks bonds. River water will be pumped into the mains in the near future as they have been unable to secure an adequate supply otherwise. Work on the well continues at a depth of 360 feet but no water yet.

Gus Krueger and family left on Monday evenings' passenger for their new home at Antlers, N. D. Mrs. Krueger will stay a few days at Crookston and will join her husband the latter part of the week. Their many friends regret their removal from our midst but trust they will do well in their new home.

Prof. Frank E. Miller of Dayton Ohio, arrived Tuesday morning. Mr. Miller is the new band instructor and comes highly recommended. He is taking hold in earnest and reports himself as more than pleased with the personuel of the band. We all welcome Mr. Miller into our midst and trust his stay with us will be pleasant.

The engagement of Harry E. Ives to Miss Catherine Pirath is announced. Mr. Ives is the genial publisher of the St. Hilaire Spectator and the bride-to-be is a Red Lake Falls girl who has been teaching in the St. Hilaire schools the past two years. The legion of friends of the contracting parties will extend sincere congratulations and wish for them a long and happy married life.

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Man's Unreasonableness

is often as great as woman's, But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth. Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties," Guaranteed by all Druggists, 50c.

FOOTBALL

RED LAKE VICTORIOUS

Local High School Football Team Defeats Crookston in Excellent Exhibition.

Last Friday the high school team met the Crookston team on the gridiron at the latter place in an exciting and interesting game. The weather was ideal and the grounds in good condition.

About fifty of the local rooters and enthusiasts accompanied the team.

At 3.45 Crookston kicked off followed by a rapid advance by Red Lake toward the Crookston goal. By the tackle shift and end runs, calmly walked over the line for a touch down and goal. Score 6 to 0.

Healy kicked to Crookston and ball advanced but fifteen yards. By continued line bucking a gain of twenty-five yards was made. Ball was fumbled and covered by Red Lake Falls who punted and was held by Crookston, who lost on downs. Red Lake was then bound to score, touch down and goal. Score 12 to 0. Time called for first half.

Second half.

Crookston kicked off. Ball advanced twenty yards. The locals then started "things" by going down the field in a hurry. Lost the ball on fumble and gained by Crookston. Short gains were made but were held for downs on Red Lake's thirty yard line Red Lake advanced down the field for a third touch down. Score 18 to 0.

Red Lake kicked off and ball was advanced thirty yards. Crookston forced to punt and Healy by one of the cleverest catches and runs of fifty yards was interfered with by "side liners" on the field which resulted in a loss of several yards that meant a touch down. Red Lake punted and catch was fumbled by Crookston, Red Lake recovering the ball making a thirty five yard run for touch down and goal. Score 24 to 0.

The final touch down was made on end runs and line bucking by Red Lake. Try for goal failed. Score 29 to 0.

Time was called with ball in Crookstons' possession. The line up of the teams are as follows:

Crookston:	
Hamel,	C
Middleton, Anderson	R. G
Burkhardt	R. T
Maloney	R. E
Dahl	L. G
Heydte	L. T
Dodds	L. E.
Red Lake:	
E. Toupin	L. E
Richard	L. T
J. Toupin	L. G
Zaizer	C
Ittner	R. G
Lafraniere	R. T
Garceau	R. E
Healy	Q. B
Brunelle	R. H. B
Blake	L. H. B
Buse, Capt.	F. B

"U. OF M. DEFEATED,

To Minnesota's Sorrow, the Pride of Her Athletics Goes Down to Defeat.

By grace of a field goal Wisconsin triumphed over the gophers last Saturday in what seemed to all, not a foot ball game but something like it. Two end runs and a field goal in the badger camp undid the gophers to the extent of raising the score to 16 against their 12.

Will Ittner, the famous left tackle of the Minnesota team was the star of the contest, making the first touch down and many clever tackles and runs. Will is a Red Lake Falls boy and at one time a member of the high school team here, which undoubtedly accounts for his rise in the realms of football.

Rates For Foot Ball Game.

On account of the Foot Ball game between North Dakota Agricultural College and the University of North Dakota on November 18th at Fargo, the Great Northern Railway will make a rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Date of sale November 17th and for trains arriving in Fargo before noon of the 18th, final return limit November 20th. Ask your local agent for full particulars.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidey Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years although I am now 91 years old. Sold at A. L. Reichert's.

The Study Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boughton Nov. 15th. The lesson will be a review of the work of the club. Each member having had a paper is requested to present a review or a summary of same at this meeting.

A Comparison.

Between the modern overland trip to California and that of fifty years ago, reflects credit upon the great railroad builders. One of the greatest improvements is the establishment of through tourist car service via the North Western Line, providing the maximum comfort at the minimum expense. These cars leave Minneapolis and St. Paul every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for California. For rates and other information write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul.

A New Bicycle.

A novel bicycle has been built in London which has been pronounced as comfortable "as a rocking-chair," and which shows remarkable mechanical ingenuity. It has a chair-like antivibrating saddle which affords wonderful relief to a tired back. The rear wheel is about the standard size, but front is about half this size, and the handle-bars are almost directly under the saddle. The steering gear is under perfect control, and allows a low diamond-frame wheel that ladies may mount and ride with ease. We are not trying to induce you to order one of these wheels, but to urge you to order a case of golden grain belt beer. It is the ideal family beverage. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A man is great by just how little those around him are.

Nobody ever thinks he is having real fun unless he is spending money for it.

A girl with a lot of money generally needs it to make up for marrying her.

Boys would get very little satisfaction out of being bad if the people expected them to be.

It is all right to advise people not to invest their money, but if they don't, how are the financiers going to get it?

Found—mouthpiece for a horn. Owner can have same by calling at COURIER office.

NEED EXCUSE.

Pupils Not Going to School Need Official Excuse.

To be legally excused from school, children of school age must have an excuse from the school board, according to an opinion rendered by Assistant Attorney General C. S. Jelley in reply to a query from State Superintendent J. W. Olsen. The state law provides that children between the ages of eight and eighteen must attend school the whole time it is in session unless they are excused for the following reasons: Inability of the parents to clothe the children properly, if the child's bodily or mental condition is such as to prevent his attendance or application to study, if the child is taught at home in the common branches, if the child has finished the common branches taught in the grades, if child is actually engaged in some useful occupation or service permitted by the law. The attorney general's department holds that all must attend unless excused by the board or some one authorized by the board for one of the named reasons. This makes the school board the sole judge of the inability of the child.

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So that you'll harmonize and be au fait.
But oh, how dreadful tired I should get
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Her rooms are low and broad, and quiet green—
That restful green, and all the pictures lean
At comfortable angles, and you chat
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8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar.	7:10 A. M.
8:11 A. M.	Crookston		6:45 P. M.
8:50 A. M.	Dugdale.		6:00 P. M.
9:25 A. M.	Red Lake Falls		5:25 P. M.
9:55 A. M.	St. Hilaire		4:55 P. M.
10:20 A. M.	Thief River		4:30 P. M.
10:48 A. M.	Steiner		4:05 P. M.
11:03 A. M.	Sandridge		3:52 P. M.
11:39 A. M.	Middle River		3:21 P. M.
11:55 P. M.	Strathcona		2:57 P. M.
12:25 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv.	2:25 P. M.

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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

November Weather Averages.

A summary of November weather for fifteen years has been issued by the weather bureau. While it is of little value as a forecast, it is interesting as a statement of the records which the coming month must break if it is to uphold the standing of 1905 as a freak year.

The average temperature for fifteen years is 32 degrees. The warmest November came in 1899, when the mean temperature was 41 degrees and the coldest in 1896, when the temperture averaged 23 degrees. The warmest day was Nov. 6, 1893, with a temperature of 73 degrees, and the coldest, Nov. 29, 1891, when the mercury fell 13 degrees below zero.

The average precipitation, rain or melted snow, is 0.98 inches, and the average number of days with a precipitation 0.01 inches, or over, is seven. The wettest November came in 1896, and brought 3.80 inches of water, and the dryest, that of 1904, shows but 0.10 inches of precipitation. The heaviest precipitation for twenty-four hours was 2.01 inches, on Nov. 25-6, 1896, and the deepest snow was 9.0 inches, on Nov. 21-2, 1898.

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The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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CHAPTER II.

The Terrible Julian.

In fear and trembling sat Ulin, awaiting the coming of the terrible robber. Half an hour passed, and she had not been troubled; but during that time she had witnessed transactions which were not calculated to allay her fears. She had seen over fifty of the king's guards bound and led away, and she saw that a number of the robbers had been placed on guard at the entrance of the rocky passage. They were wild, savage looking men, appearing to her fear-wrought vision, like the evil spirits she had heard her old black nurse tell about.

At length the sound of feet was heard near at hand, and very shortly the door of the apartment was opened, and a black slave entered. It was a woman, and one of those whom the king had left.

"Good lady," she said, trembling as she spoke, "the hour of doom has come. I am a slave to a new master, and that master has sent me to tell you that he wishes to see you."

"Who is he?" asked Ulin.

"I don't know, but I think he is Julian, the Scourge. His look is terrible.. Upon his brow sits the thundercloud, and in his eye flashes the forked lightning!"

"Will he come up here?"

"He said so."

"I have no power to prevent him. Tell him I am weak and defenceless, and at his mercy."

The slave bowed and withdrew, and in a little while some one else came. A heavy footfall sounded without, and the door was slowly and carefully opened.

But, who is this? What spirit has thus appeared in the palace! A man had entered the chamber alone. He was youthful—not more than three or four-and-twenty—with kindly look, and of noble bearing. He was not larger of frame than common men; but the perfect symmetry of form, the exact correspondence of all the parts; the delicate rounding of the graceful outline, and the filling up of all points where sources of strength could be deposited, gave token of a power which might lead the careless observer to pronounce him a giant.

He gazed upon the beautiful maiden for some moments without speaking, seeming to drink in a new inspiration from her loveliness, as the student of nature does when some new and unexpected scene of grandeur bursts upon his vision.

"Fair lady," he said in softest tones, "permit me to hope that this intrusion may be pardoned. I would not give you pain, and if you have been alarmed, be assured that you have cause for it no more. Tell me how I may serve you."

He approached her as he spoke, and she, without hardly realizing what she did, arose and gave him her hand. If he had gazed upon her with admiration, her own feelings had not been entirely different. Her woman's instinct told her that here was a man whom she could trust; and her woman's heart beat with an emotion entirely new and strange.

"Noble sir," she said, meeting his gaze with the strength of perfect trustfulness, "Heaven has sent you to save me from the dread man who has made his way to this place. If you have the power to do it, you will lead me to bless you forevermore."

"Of what man do you speak?" asked the stranger, still holding her hands.

"I speak of him who is known as the Scourge of Damascus—of the terrible Julian."

The man was silent for a few moments, but he did not withdraw his gaze from the maiden's face.

"Sweet lady," he at length said, speaking very lowly and tenderly, "I am informed that the king of Damascus has sent you hither to keep you safely until he can make you his wife."

"He hath done so, sir."

"And yet it seems that he did not provide so wisely, after all. Would you wish to be carried to the king?"

"No, no, sir—not to the king. I would be carried to my father."

There could be no mistaking the character of the emotions under which the princess spoke. With all the king's power her hope was not in him. The stranger marked the changes of her countenance; and, while a warmer light shone in his handsome eyes, he resumed—

"I cannot say when you shall be returned to your father; but I can give you my solemn assurance that I can protect you. I will protect you from the hands of those whom you have cause to fear; and, at the same time, I will regard you as a sacred trust, to be respected and purely cherished. And now, lady, have I your confidence?"

He let go her hands, held until now, and when he had taken a seat not far from her, he continued:

"Lady Ulin, you have spoken of Julian, and I see that you fear him. Did you ever see him?"

Ulin shuddered as she answered in the negative.

"Did you ever hear his story?"

"No, sir. Albia has told me something, but not much."

"I can tell you the whole, if you would hear it."

"I should like to hear it, fair sir."

"Believe me, lady, when you have heard what I shall tell you, you will not regard Julian with so much of abhorrence. But of one thing I give you warning: In telling the story of Julian I must speak harsh words against your affianced husband."

"My—affianced—husband?" repeated Ulin, with a troubled pause between her words.

"I mean Horam, King of Damascus," said the stranger, regarding the beautiful maiden as though he read her every thought.

"I am not keeper over the character of Horam. The truth, spoken in a true cause, will not offend me."

"Then, lady, let me first assure you that Julian is not the monster your fears have painted. He has never done wrong to any, save the powerful of Damascus. Go to the forests and mountains of Lebanon, and you shall find a thousand poor peasants whose families he has befriended. He has taken gold and jewels, and precious stuffs of silk and linen, from the stores of Horam; but he hath not made himself rich therefrom. He and his followers have lived, and beyond this the booty has been bestowed upon the poor and needy. Julian hath also waylaid and broken up caravans; and turned back many expeditions which the king had sent out. He may be just what hath been said—he may be the Scourge of Damascus, but he has no wish to trouble honest men. His aim has been, vengeance upon the king."

"And why should he seek such vengeance upon the king?" asked Ulin.

"I will tell you, lady. But for the king of Damascus Julian might be now one of the most free and happy men living; but as it is, he is a stranger and an outcast upon the face of the earth. He is a wanderer, without a home, and with only such friends as are bound to him in his adventurous and dangerous course. Once many years ago—he had parents and the prospect of life was bright before him; but in an unhappy hour the gloom and the darkness came. Horam, in wicked, jealous wrath, swept away all that was bright and promising from the path of Julian and shut out the star of hope forever. O, sweet lady, I dare not pain your ear with all that Horam did. Were I to tell you all, you would regard the king as such a monster that your heart would close against him, and your very soul would shrink at the sound of his name. As true as the heavens are above us, so true is it that the heart of Julian is not evil. When he looks back upon the utter desolation of his young life, and realizes that the king of Damascus malignantly and cruelly brought the curse upon him can you wonder that his soul is fraught with vengeance?"

"I never heard this story before," said Ulin, her voice trembling with deep emotion. "If it is true, as you have told me, I cannot blame Julian so much."

"And yet you fear him, lady?"

"I cannot help it. He hath come hither in battle array, and made war against me."

"Nay, nay, sweet lady. You do much mistake his intent. I can tell you why he came hither. He heard from a messenger whom he met upon the plains of Marthal, that a fair damsel was shut up here—a maiden whom the king intended to marry. It might have pleased him to deprive Horam of a wife; but it pleased him more to release a gentle lady from such enslavement. He knows what the king of Damascus has, ere this, done unto his wives. He has heard that the dark waters of the Pharpor are but a short span from the royal bed. And hence he came to set free one whom he feared might meet a worse fate than the encountering of the Scourge of Damascus. Did he commit a grievous sin in this, lady?"

"Indeed, sir, I know not what to say."

"Will you not see Julian? Do not shudder. I assure you that he will be most gentle in his bearing. But I know he would like to speak with you—he would hear from your own lips that you do not think him a monster; and he would also know your pleasure."

"When will he come?"

"Let it be tomorrow morning, lady. It is near evening now, and your rest shall not be disturbed. You may sleep as safely tonight as ever you slept upon your mother's bosom, and so shall you be safe while I am near you. You will see Julian in the morning?"

"You will come with him?"

"If you wish it, lady."

"I do wish it, for I feel that I am acquainted with you; and, furthermore, I have said that I would trust you."

"It shall be so."

And thus speaking the visitor arose, and moved towards the door. He turned, with his hand upon the latch, and added:

"I trust that your dreams may be sweet and pleasant. If dark phantoms come to your pillow they shall not be of Julian. There is another whom you have more cause to dread—one who, in hard and hoary age would feast upon the charms of your loveliness. Pardon me, for I go with a blessing breathed upon thee."

In a moment more the man was gone, and the door was closed behind him. Ulin gazed vacantly upon the spot where he had stood, until she felt a hand upon her shoulder. She started, and looked up; and it was only Albia.

"My dear mistress, is not this a strange adventure?"

"Very strange," replied the princess, casting her eyes to the floor, and then slowly raising them to that vacant spot.

"What do you think of the strange man?" the slave girl pursued, sitting down by her lady's side.

"What do you think of him?" said Ulin.

"I think he is very handsome. He is the most noble looking man I ever saw."

Ulin showed by her look that she was grateful for this answer. It pleased her, though she may not have known it.

"Such a man could not be a bad man," she said. "Deception cannot dwell in such a face."

"I should think not," returned Albia, to whom the remarks had been put in the form of questions.

"And what do you think of the story he told concerning the robber Julian?"

"I think he told us the truth, my lady. As he went on with the tale, I remembered that I had heard it just so before. He told us the truth."

"Then the king must be a hard, bad man, Albia?"

"I must not answer you lady. The king is to be your husband, and it is not well that you should urge me to speak against him."

"Indeed, girl, I asked you to do no such thing. I did not mean that you should speak against the king."

"Then you should have asked me no question touching his character. I would rather talk of this man who has just left us. I, who am only a poor slave, could love such a man."

Ulin lifted her hand to her heart, and pressed it there as though some new feeling had crept in to worry her, and, as she sat thus, one of her black slaves came in to see if she would like her supper.

"Not now, Calypso," said the princess, starting up. "You may bring me some grapes, and a few dates. But first, tell me what these strange men are doing. How many of them are there here?"

"Not more than a score of them are in the palace, my mistress, but there are thousands of them outside of the valley."

Ulin had no disposition to argue the point; so she asked what the robbers were doing.

"Albia," said the princess, after the black slave had gone, "I do not believe that Julian is such a terrible looking man, after all. What do you think?"

"I think," replied Albia, "that people have described him who never saw him, and that their fear-fraught imaginations drew the picture."

"So I think," returned Ulin. She gazed a few moments upon that old vacant spot, and then added: "I shall see him on the morrow, and I must say that the thought is not frightful. I feel assured that he means me no harm."

"Yet," ventured Albia, "it is a curious whim which should lead him to seek to release you from the hands of the king. But I don't know as we can wonder at it. Perhaps he thought you were some friendless girl who did not know—"

The princess motioned for her companion to stop.

"We will not talk of the king, Albia; and, touching this Julian, we shall know more when we see him."

(To be continued.)

COURTSHIP ENDED.

The Marriage of a Couple Stops Gossip in the East.

The end of the troubles of Miss Jennie Howell of Scranton, Pa., and Edward B. Dean of Hackensack, N. J., came when they were married. The courtship of Mr. Dean and Miss Howell was attended by unusual difficulties. The young couple met at Atlantic City last summer and were mutually attracted. Miss Dean was a woman of 31, and an invalid. Mr. Dean was a widower of 48, and each was well situated with regard to worldly goods. Mr. Dean frequently visited Miss Howell in Scranton, and a story was soon circulated that they were engaged. This was violently opposed by Miss Howell's brother, Franklin Howell, who instituted proceedings to have her declared a lunatic. How these proceedings finally collapsed in the face of the testimony of expert physicians from Philadelphia was told in the papers a short time ago. In answering the questions of the marriage license docket in court, Mr. Dean had placed on the records mention of the fact that he was divorced from his first wife in Cameron county in December, 1879, and his second wife died on March 17, 1900.

Cork Industrial Exhibition.

The Cork Industrial exhibition, which is to be held next year, has not only been supported by substantial subscriptions from both Cork and Dublin, but it has now been given the support of the Irish department of agriculture and technical instruction, of which Mr. Horace Plunkett is president. The department, it is announced, has allocated a sum of £5,000 for the purpose of the exhibition, subject to the general scheme being approved by the department. A portion of the sum will be devoted by the department to the organization of an exhibit of products, appliances, and processes relating to industries, which are capable of being introduced into Ireland, or when already established, or being developed.

To get people interested in you, you have got to make them think you are interested in them.

The highest reach of human science is the scientific recognition of human ignorance.—William Hamilton.

HORTICULTURE

The Man with the Hoe.

In the production of fruit the man with the hoe is a necessity. We may get along without him in the open field, but in the orchard or the garden there is much that horse tools cannot do. The hoe must come in to eradicate the last of the weeds that establish themselves among the plants or near the trunks of the trees. The man with the hoe must be a comparatively cheap laborer. The owner of the fruit farm cannot afford to put his own time into doing the work of the man with the hoe. He is too necessary for the planning and the superintendence of the carrying out of the plans. Some fruit growers and general farmers make the mistake of trying to do all the work themselves, to the detriment of the operations that depend on fine brain work. We have been trying to invent machines that would do away with the work of the hoe, but they have all proved inefficient in a way. The hoe is swung in accordance with a human intelligence, and it will be a long time before we become wise enough to find some other way out of the difficulty. In the cultivation of the orchard there are usually left some weeds that only the hoe can reach. It is the same with the small fruit plantation. As much as the Americans have tried to get away with hand labor they must still confess that it is yet a very large factor on every farm.

Tillage and Fruit Growing.

A thoroughly pulverized soil is as advantageous to the fruit orchard or fruit plantation as to any other form of crop production. This fact has been learned but slowly by the American farmers. The first orchards were permitted to fight their own way in the ocean of greensward and if they lived so much the better for the orchardist. In the beginning cane fruits were little cultivated. The wild ones grew without cultivation and it was argued that Nature in that way pointed out the profitable method of producing fruit. Little by little it was demonstrated that better crops of fruits could be produced if the fruit plants were grown a considerable distance apart and the ground was kept free from other vegetable growths. Tillage for the fruit plantation that is to be used should begin in the fall if possible, and the ground should be plowed several times. In that way the grasses and weeds decay, and so do all the weeds that have sprung up after the first plowing. It is sometimes advisable to plow the ground very late in the fall. In old fruit plantations that have not been deeply cultivated it is not advisable to plow the ground late in the fall, as this will increase the chances of winter killing or spring killing.

Pruning Points.

Prof. W. M. Munson says: Since in large fruits one spur bears one fruit, the alternate bearing of individual spurs will continue and it will be necessary to remove all of the fruit from individual spurs, thereby allowing a portion of the spurs to bear one year and others the next. It is doubtful, however, if any amount of thinning can produce an annual bearing habit unless the trees receive other necessary good care. It is probable that the better course to pursue in attempting to get fruit every year, is to change the bearing year of entire plants through a part of the orchard and allow these to bear one year and others the next year. It is not to be understood that these results will always follow, but the tendency is in the direction indicated. The season in which pruning is done has some influence on fruit bearing since winter pruning tends to produce wood, while summer pruning does not. The healing of the wound is, however, but slightly affected by the season in which the cut is made.

Land Suitable for Truck Gardens.

The man that would choose soil suitable for gardening must not select cold clay soil that is flat nor must he select steep clay uplands. With such soils it is about impossible to do much in gardening. A good many farmers that have such soils try to raise garden truck on them, believing that the only thing they need to do is to apply manure and cultivate thoroughly. That is true for some kinds of crops, but not those that come within the list of market garden crops. Level ground and soil of a sandy loam character are necessary for the growing of garden truck. Such soil warms up quickly in the spring, and at all times when it is not frozen lets in the air and the heat. The manure that is put into it is quickly found by the minute rootlets, which ramify everywhere through it.

Habits and Fruit Trees.

It seems absurb to suppose that fruit trees form habits as do human beings, but that seems to be the case. Professor Bailey and others that have looked into the matter declare that it is their opinion that if a tree begins to bear crops every other year it will continue to do so; and no amount of pruning or thinning will change that habit after it is once established. If, however, the orchardist is able by pruning and thinning to start the tree as an annual bearer it will remain that kind of a bearer. We have yet to see this theory thoroughly demonstrated, but on the face of things it appears to be true.

SEAT AND SHOE BOX

BEDROOM ACCESSORIES EASY OF CONSTRUCTION.

Box, a Few Boards, and Some Spare Time to Do the Work, All That Is Needed—Shoe Screen a Serviceable Piece of Furniture.

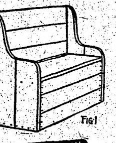
For a bedroom a comfortable seat and shoe box is shown in the illustration, and fir its construction a box and some boards may be employed.

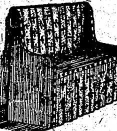
At a grocery store find a box three feet long, eighteen inches high and eighteen inches wide, or nearly so, and to the top of it fasten a cover with hinges.

From two tongued and grooved boards make the two sides, and attach them to the ends of the box, as shown in Fig. 1.

The shape of these sides may be cut with a compass saw or a draw knife before the boards are fastened to the box.

Across the back fasten a few boards with matched edges to form the back to the seat. These are to be screwed fast to the rear edge of the uprights, and as a result the frame will be ready for the upholstering and draping.





Shoe box and seat.

Line the box with heavy unbleached muslin, denim or other heavy, serviceable goods, and all around the front and ends form pockets of denim to accommodate shoes and slippers.

This can be done by taking a long strip of the material and tacking an end at one corner, using a pair of shoes or a shingle one as a model around which to wrap the material to determine the size of the pocket.

Between the pockets secure the material with a vertical line of large tacks, driven well into the wood.

From a mattress-maker obtain some curled hair and spread it over the seat over which the upholstery material is to be drawn and tacked.

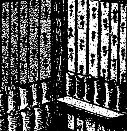
Treat the back in a similar manner and cover the uprights with the upholstery material, under which a thin layer of sheet wadding has been placed.

Across the front of the box arrange a flunce of the material so it will hang evenly, and tack it to the upper edge of the front boards just under the lid; and to cover the tacks use a piece of gimp and large headed nails.

A shoe screen will be found a very serviceable piece of furniture for the bed or dressing room, and a simple one can be made from the pattern shown in the illustration by any clever woman.

The framework of this screen is made from pine or white wood and the sticks are an inch thick by two inches and a half in width.

The bottom cross rails for each wing are four inches above the floor, and fifteen inches above them another rail is placed, against which the shoe pockets are attached. The sides of the screen are separated by a strip of wood four inches wide, to which the wings are fastened by means of hinges. This piece will allow the screen to be partially closed with shoes in the pockets, when it becomes necessary to remove it.



A shoe screen

The wings are to be covered with some effective material, such as China silk, cretonne or silkoline, and fastened at the edges with small tacks, over which gimp may be placed and caught down at regular distances with brass headed upholsterers' nails.

Pockets of denim, in a color to match the draping material, are made and securely tacked in place against the middle cross-rail, and on one of the wings a narrow foot shelf or ledge may be supported on brackets that are screwed fast to the side uprights of the wing.

If care is taken in making this screen the results should be very satisfactory, and the complete piece of furniture will be found a very useful accessory.—New York Herald.

Calumet Baking Powder

Health—Economy

The Dear Creatures.

Rosa—Miss Flipp says she has her clothes fitted on a dummy.

Tess—So? I just met her and she said she was all tired out from standing up at her modiste's.—Detroit Free Press.

According to Dorothy.

Dorothy is a sweet little maid of two and a half. Her father never carries a cane, and when a caller came in with one one day she was observed standing before it rapt in contemplation.

"Well, Dorothy," said her mother, "what's that?"

Dorothy looked up with a puzzled expression. "Umbwella wivout any clothes on," she said.—Lippincott's Magazine.

CAPT. GRAHAM'S CURE.

Sores on Face and Back—Tried Many Doctors Without Success—Gives Thanks to Cuticura.

Captain W. S. Graham, 1321 Eoff St., Wheeling, W. Va., writing under date of June 14, '04, says: "I am so grateful I want to thank God that a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. I suffered for a long time with sores on my face and back. Some doctors said I had blood poison and others that I had barbers' itch. None of them did me any good, but they all took my money. My friends tell me my skin now looks as clear as a baby's, and I tell them all that Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment did it."

BOILING WATER KILLS IT.

Life Energy and Natural Carbonating Are Lost.

"There is a vast amount of ignorance at large on the important subject of water," said ex-Congressman Thad Pound of Chippewa Falls. Many are satisfied with the knowledge that it consists of two parts of hydrogen and one of oxygen. Pure water (that least impregnated with foreign matter) is the most powerful solvent in nature, and to this quality is due its highest office. Boiling impure water precipitates some of the foreign matter held in solution, but fails to remove much of the most harmful elements, while boiling it the oxygen, which constitutes the life energy of water, is almost exhausted. It is significant that fish will not survive in boiled water. The life is gone from it. Filters remove solids in form, but leave an indefinite quantity of harmful salts and deleterious foreign matter in solution. From the start they begin and continue by their own process to become corrupted, until soon rendered hatching places for imprisoned disease germs. Distillation absolutely destroys the life energy of water, and the natural carbonic acid, so essential as a preservative, is lost. These elements cannot be restored artificially.—Milwaukee Free Press.

OLD FASHIONED FARE.

Hot Biscuits, Griddle-Cakes, Pies and Puddings.

The food that made the fathers strong is sometimes unfit for the children under the new conditions that our changing civilization is constantly bringing in. One of Mr. Bryan's neighbors in the great state of Nebraska writes:

"I was raised in the South, where hot biscuits, griddle-cakes, pies and puddings are eaten at almost every meal, and by the time I located in Nebraska I found myself a sufferer from indigestion and its attendant ills—distress and pains after meals, an almost constant headache, dull, heavy sleepiness by day and sleeplessness by night, loss of flesh, impaired memory, etc., etc.

"I was rapidly becoming incapacitated for business when a valued friend suggested a change in my diet, the abandonment of heavy, rich stuff, and the use of Grape-Nuts food. I followed the good advice and shall always be thankful that I did so.

"Whatever may be the experience of others, the beneficial effects of the change were apparent in my case almost immediately. My stomach, which had rejected other food for so long, took to Grape-Nuts most kindly; in a day or two my headache was gone, I began to sleep healthfully and before a week was out the scales showed that my lost weight was coming back. My memory was restored with the renewed vigor that I felt in body and mind. For three years now Grape-Nuts food has kept me in prime condition, and I propose it shall for the rest of my days.

"And by the way, my 2½ year old baby is as fond of Grape-Nuts as I am, always insists on having it. It keeps her as healthy and hearty as they make them." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason.

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GRATIFYING PRAISE.

Letter from Marcus Mayer, the Great Patron of Music and Drama.

Marcus R. Mayer, who brought to America Mme. Patti, Duse, Salvini, Coquelin and other famous singers and actors, writes:

Gentlemen: I wish as many suffering men and women as I can reach to know the excellence of Doan's Kidney Pills. I was greatly benefited by this remedy and know it cured several who had kidney trouble so badly they were agonized with pain in the back, head and loins, rheumatic attacks and urinary disorders. I am glad to recommend such a deserving remedy.

(Signed) MARCUS R. MAYER.

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Indebted to Tobacco.

"What an immense debt the race owes to tobacco!"

"Oh, immense!"

"Oh, immense!"

"Only to-day I was reading that the cigar shape has proved to be the best not only for airships, but for submarine craft as well."—Puck.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Zacharias Anderson, Minneapolis, Minn., building block and wall construction; Harry Colestock, assignor Sanitary Water Filter company, St. Paul, Minn., filter; Elisha Cutten, Butte, Mont., magneto dynamo electric machine; August Gagnon, Forest Lake, Minn., potato digger; Harry Herrick, Owatonna, Minn., self-indexing ledger; John Jamieson, Stillwater, Minn., hitching device.

A Cinch.

Nell—Mrs. Closeleigh is getting up a fair to help a poor widow pay her rent.

Belle—I didn't know Mrs. Closeleigh was so philanthropic.

Nell—She isn't. She owns the house the poor widow lives in.—Philadelphia Record.

Polite by Comparison.

Junior Partner—That fresh client addressed me by my first name.

Senior Partner—You ought not to mind that. You should hear the names he calls you behind your back

IF YOU ARE A WOMAN

What Mrs. Ford Says Concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will Surely Interest You.

"I wish I could help other women get rid of certain physical troubles as completely as I have succeeded in getting rid of mine," said Mrs. B. B. Ford, of Pushmataha, Miss., recently. "You know," she continued, "that a woman's health depends chiefly on the regularity of just one function. If she fails to keep that properly regulated she has no end of physical misery. I suffered from that one cause for two wretched years, during one of which I was kept in bed all the time. I tried medicines enough to cure any illness, but nothing gave me the slightest benefit until I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They cured me. Why, I was suffering all the time practically from sickness of the stomach, dizziness or swimming in my head and pain in my back. Now I am entirely free from discomfort of that sort. I am not only able to keep on my feet, but to do my work as a teacher, and to enjoy the pleasures that come through the possession of sound health.

"Within three weeks after beginning the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I experienced such relief that I knew they must be adapted to the needs of my case. After using them for a short while longer I became and have since remained a well woman, and the reason why is simply that I took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

These pills make uterine action regular and painless, banish headaches, languor, nervousness, create appetite, promote digestion, put color in the complexion, build up strength and health.

Every woman should send to the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N.Y., for a valuable booklet, entitled "Plain Talks to Women." It will be mailed free in sealed envelope to the address of any applicant. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists.

Charitable.

First Parrot—I wish that canary over there would stop screeching.

Second Parrot—Oh, well, it's got to do something! Poor thing, it can't swear.—Detroit Free Press.

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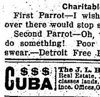

WHEAT RAISING RANCHING

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LIVE STOCK

Better Judging Needed.

Watching judges of horses at their work at the state fairs it becomes apparent that in very many cases insufficient attention is paid to soundness as a requisite of winners in the breeding rings. It would seem that some of the judges see prominent unsoundnesses, but dislike to throw out animals on that account, as rules are not strict in this connection, and to reject the unsound horse would be to get into trouble with the exhibitor and eventually with the management. Other judges do not see unsoundnesses, and, indeed, either do not look for them or are not educated as to location and appearance of some of the most common defects. Not long since we watched a judge going over several classes of draft horses, and his lack of attention to unsoundness was not only woeful, but positively unfair to the exhibitors. This is plain language, but it is deserved, when we state that a stallion was placed fourth although he had huge ringbones on one hind pastern and an enlarged fetlock on the same limb, which was not handled perfectly. The judge placed this horse over several animals that were at least sound and to all appearances quite as good in other ways as the one chosen for honor, writes A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

An unsound horse should be disclassed, no matter how perfect he may happen to be in show points. He is intended for breeding purposes, and if affected with a disease such as ringbone, which is notoriously hereditary, or any other disease of similar seriousness, he should be sent to the stable before the judging commences. In order to do this, veterinary inspection is required, and we are fast coming to the time when that must be instituted at every great horse show. We have temporized with this matter too long as it is, and although alleged veterinary inspection has been provided for at some of the horse shows it has not been carried out to the letter, and, indeed, has seldom been resorted to, except at the request of a judge who has found something that he did not feel like dealing with personally.

Expert veterinary inspection is practiced at every great show of horses in Great Britain and doubtless in Europe also, the result being that horses exposed in the judging ring are known to be sound, and the judge has not to decide such matters. At the last show of Shire horses in London, England, many horses were rejected from each class, but the work was done in private and prior to the adjudication of prizes. One of the great live stock papers of that country in reporting the show stated, as regards each class, just how many horses went before the veterinary examiners and how many of them came back to enter the competition after being pronounced sound. In some instances, if our memory serves us aright, as many as five horses were rejected from a single class.

This is good work, and if done in each country from whence come pure-bred stallions to America it conduces to the breeding of sound horses locally, but throws out numbers of unsound horses that cannot be used in their own country, because pronounced unsound, but which too often sell at a figure that just suits the importer, who forthwith imposes them upon our breeders at fancy prices and possibly on the prestige of foreign show winnings earned before they turned unsound. These are in many cases the very horses our lenient judges fail to reject at our state fairs and other shows.

The unsound horses we have seen lately in the judging ring were imported horses. They were not blemished horses, nor injured horses new off the cars, but horses suffering from unsoundnesses such a ringbone, sidebone, spavin, curb or chorea. They should never have come across the ocean. They should have been rejected at the sea board, but as the government pays no attention to such matters the rejecting work should have been done in the first judging ring entered in this country, or, better still, veterinary inspection should have excluded them from competition. We have been speaking plainly, for there is no sense in glossing over matters of such vital importance. The question should be taken up at once and in real earnest, for it cannot longer be safely overlooked.

The Bacon Hog.

The English bacon hog is said to be the type toward which the bacon hogs of the world are being developed. The Danes and the Irish are producing fine bacon hogs, but they are doing so because they are closely following the English standard. The English have always been lovers of fine bacon and have a very well-fixed opinion as to what it should be. The price paid for bacon from the English hog is far above the price paid for the bacon from lard hogs produced in the American corn belt.

Swine of the Nations.

According to recent statistics the hogs of the leading nations of the world number as follows: United States, 47 million; Germany, 17 million; Russia, 11 million; Hungary, 7 million; Canada, 3 million; Spain, 2 million; Roumania, 2 million; Poland, Belgium, Denmark, Australia and the Netherlands, 1 million each; all other countries, together with the above, 117 million.

FARM

MISCELLANY

Spree of an English Cow.

We sometimes hear of farm animals becoming partly intoxicated on the stuff thrown out from breweries and distilleries and cutting up queer pranks. Whether the cow told about by "Cow Keeper and Dairymen's Journal" of Chatham, England, had been eating sour malt or some such by-product we do not know, but here is what the paper says occurred:

A cow was being driven home from market by the purchaser, when it started in pursuit of a little girl named Dickenson, who had started running on seeing the animal. The girl ran into her home, and her mother had barely time to barricade the sitting-room door with chairs and a sewing machine, when the cow commenced to butt the door. Unable to secure any degree of satisfaction here, the animal proceeded to stumble upstairs, and in the front bed room wrought sad havoc among the furniture and fittings. A great crowd had by this time assembled in the street, and one of the spectators ran in and opened wide the bed room window. Almost immediately the animal put its head and forelegs out of the window, and its hoofs slipping on the zinc covered roof of the bay window, the animal slid bodily into the street, to the accompaniment of a great smashing of glass. The crowd bolted in all directions, but the frightened beast, which was apparently uninjured, was secured without any further damage being done.

Atavism.

Atavism is that quality in plants and animals that is always working against improvement, when we consider improvement away from the natural type of plant or animal. Every man that has to do with the production of plants or animals finds a constant tendency to revert to the original type. Thus, if all the improved animals to-day were turned out into the wilds, they would in a very short time revert back to what they were before man took them in hand. The reversion would be very much more rapid than the progress has been away from the regular type. This force of atavism has its illustration in all breeds of animals. The Aberdeen-Angus is supposed to be purely a black animal, and yet many of us have seen pure-bred animals of this kind that were entirely red. Some of them even have horns. So frequently are animals of this kind produced that their presence causes little remark. It would be possible, by the choosing of such animals, to produce new breeds; and, in fact, this is just what is sometimes done when new breeds are brought before the public notice. This new breed may not be an improved breed. It may be simply a new breed lacking many of the qualities of the best breeds. Breeds produced from these sports would have more hardiness, that is, ability to withstand hard conditions, than the stock that is most suitable to the needs of man.—Albert Hicks, Cook Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Lime in the Garden Soil.

I have read in papers that there is sufficient lime in the soil to last for a long time, and that men need not consider the lime in their estimates of the dressings to be used on the land. I notice, however, that in some soils the lime has washed down to a layer several feet deep in the soil and that in such cases sorrel grows on the land, especially if it is a hillside. There was one farm on which I lived where the soil was underlaid at a depth of about two feet by a layer of stones that had all the appearance of having been rounded by the action of water on the shore of some prehistoric ocean. The lime in the soil had washed down and acted as a mortar to hold these stones together. The top soil was a light sandy loam, but no water seemed able to get through that layer of rock and lime. All the wells in the vicinity were very hard, the water containing large quantities of lime. The soil above did not do well for the clovers or garden truck till we had made an application of lime. So I am convinced that the chemist cannot tell us exactly how much lime is in the soil and available for use. I believe land should be limed anyway if the owner does not know that it does not need lime. Of course if red clover and sweet clover grow on it abundantly, it does not need additional lime, for these plants will not thrive in soil that is acidy or where lime is deficient.—Mabel Goodchild, Clark Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Making the Most of Land.

The farmer in the western part of the United States has never learned to make the most of his land, and is learning the lesson but slowly. He found at the beginning more land than he could take care of under intensive methods and arranged his work so that cattle, sheep, horses or hogs would do the work he had not the labor to do. This is why the Western farmer now finds it hard to place his land under intensive conditions. But with the increase of value of farm land the time is here when every acre must be made to yield the largest possible revenue. In the farming of the past in the middle west the cheapest thing was land. Now the conditions are becoming reversed and the most expensive thing is land.

Easily Detected.

"So they found out that the alleged 'bearded lady' was a fraud, did they? How did it happen?"

"Absentmindedly raised her hat when a girl spoke to her the other day. No woman would have done that, you know."—Chicago Tribune.

It is always a pleasure to the average man to boost another sinner down.

Accidents and Calamities.

"In Monte Carlo," said a New York musician, "I had the honor last winter to meet Calve.

"Calve was playing 'Carmen.' She talked to me of Prosper Merimee, the creator of 'Carmen.' She knew many anecdotes of Merimee. Once, she said, he was conversing with the young prince imperial.

"'What is the difference between an accident and a calamity?' the prince imperial asked.

"Just then the lad's cousin and rival Prince Napoleon appeared, and Merimee, smiling, said:

"'If your cousin fell into the Seine, it would be an accident; if somebody pulled him out, it would be a calamity.'"

Ask Your Neighbors.

Gelatt, Pa., Nov. 6th.—(Special)—Mrs. H. W. Sterns, a well respected resident of Gelatt, tells in convincing words what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for her. She says:

"I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism, caused through my Kidneys being out of order. I was subject to it for years. It would take me without warning, and while the attack lasted I was so lame I could not get around. So I had to send for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took them for three days, but didn't feel much benefit, but on the fourth day I noticed a great change, the lameness in my back was gone, and the pains I used to suffer were less. I kept on with Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I am glad to say I have no lameness nor pain of any kind. I feel as if I didn't know what Rheumatism was. I shall never be without Dodd's Kidney Pills in the house and I bless the day I first heard of them."

Went the Limit.

"My wife went shopping to-day, and she had exactly $32.19 when she started out."

"How are you so sure she had just that much?"

"Because, when she came back, she told me that was the amount she had spent."—Philadelphia Press.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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In Use For Over 30 Years.
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Explanation.

Tom (at the reception)—That young widow is acting rather kittenish to-night.

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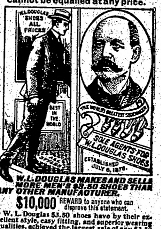
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With sun-kissed hair and azure eyes,
  With pensive mien, and sad.

So meek he seemed—so poor—alone,
  I wept at such ill-faring—
Regardez! When he entered in
  He proved a robber daring.

He barred the door, he barred the pane,
  (Defenseless quite he found me),
A prisoner in my own demesne,
  With braggart oaths he bound me.

He mocked my tears, he stole my heart,
  With jest and gibe to flout me;
With rose-leaf strung on rose-leaf red
  He wove his chains about me.

Quoth he: "Such sorry garb as yours
  No thief would deign to borrow!"
He stripped me of my Cynic's robe,
  Of Loneliness and Sorrow.

He found my store of Doubts and Fears,
  Made loot to merry measure;
He scattered far to left and right
  A hoard of doleful treasure.

He sealed my lips with kisses three,
  And swore he'd stay no longer,
But though he made to loose my chains
  I felt the links grow stronger.

Ay, strong as steel, these shackles sweet
  I would not break nor sever—
A prisoner in my own demesne,
  Love holds me fast forever.
—Meribah Philbrick-Reed, in Life.

A PORTRAIT

TWO children, a boy and a girl, stood before a painting that hung upon the wall. The boy gazed with all his soul in his eyes, dimly conscious, perhaps, of what the picture would some day mean to him. It represented a soldier mounted on a black charger, and the man's face was eager, ardent and earnest. With sword in his uplifted hand he seemed urging men to battle.

The little girl indifferently glanced at the portrait from time to time. She had seen it so many times, and then, too, patriotism had not yet awakened in her undisciplined little heart. She was proud in the thought, however, that she possessed something of absorbing interest to her new neighbor. Finally, she began to relate the story she had heard so often.

"You see, it's a really true man, and he painted himself on papa's horse. Those are the clothes he wore in battle—"

"Humph!" said the boy scornfully, looking at her with the superiority derived from his sex and his four years' seniority. "Those aren't fighting clothes, Lucile! He's on parade."

Lucile wondered vaguely what that might be and then begged him to "come and play."

They played for many a day to come, and then the boy's parents moved to another city.

Seven years later he came back for a visit. He had now attained the great age of 17 and when he had met his former playmate, who had just proudly entered upon her "teens," that long-looked-for period, he said most condescendingly:

"Why, this must be little Lucile Felton!"

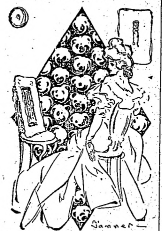
Straightway Lucile felt she hated him and they spent a few weeks of turbulent companionship in strife.

"I thought you were going to be a soldier," she said one day, "like the man on horseback in the picture!"

"What's the use of being a soldier?" he laughed. "There are no wars. I'd rather be the man that painted the picture than the soldier he represents. Let's go and look at it again."

"Papa gave it away—to the man who gave him the horse."

Ten years passed before Paul Willis saw his little playmate again. It was evening of a summer day at a fashionable watering place. He had just arrived and was instantly surrounded by a group of old-time friends who claimed his attention and recognition after his years of foreign travel. Looking beyond the little group about him into the ballroom, his roving gaze was instantly caught and held by the vision of a girl with a pair of wonderful dark and deep eyes, an exquisite face and a quiet dignity in the carriage of her svelte figure.



SHE GAZED INTENTLY AT THE PICTURE.

"Who is she?" he asked of the man nearest him, and even before the answer came he knew the name would be "Lucile Felton."

"Look out!" he was warned, "Lucile cannot be accused of flirting, but she attracts all men and always turns them down."

She saw him coming across the room and knew him by the winsome brown eyes that were still the eyes of the little boy she had played with years before.

"Oh, yes!" she said carelessly, as he recalled himself to her memory. "I remember all my old playmates."

Then she turned to a man immaculate in evening dress who claimed her for the waltz.

Paul Willis stood gazing after them, all his ardor and impetuosity dampened by her nonchalent greeting. She smiled softly to herself through the waltz. The "little" Lucile Felton at 13 had at last been avenged. All the evening he watched her dancing and chatting with her partners, always gay and careless. His whole heart went out to her.

Just before the last dance he found an opportunity to speak with her alone. He was tongue-tied from this new, strange feeling.

"Are your parents well?" he finally asked abruptly. A shadow came over her face. The fan she had trembled.

"Did you not know? They died four years ago."

"Forgive me—I did not know," he said.

"And the old home," she continued, lifting saddened eyes to his, "burned down and all its contents."

She was more beautiful still with this sudden sorrow in her eyes.

"And you—where is your home?"

"I live with my sister, Mrs. Lothrop, in your home city."

Then others came up to her and he was outside the little circle.

But the next day and the many that followed showed no more of her momentary softening, and she resumed her old careless manner toward him. The season ended, and they both returned to the city, where he became a frequent caller at Mrs. Lothrop's. Always was the longing in his heart, but Lucile did not relax.

Her sister chided her one night after he had left them.

"He loves you, Lucile," she reproached.

"Oh, I don't know," said the girl, turning away her lustrous eyes. "They say he has always been sought after by women, but is never serious."

"That's what they say of you, Lucile," returned Mrs. Lothrop, accusingly.

But Lucile was humming a gay little French chanson, and made no response.

Paul Willis stood before his easel, gazing at the unfinished picture—the picture of a fair-haired boy and a perfect darling of a little girl, who were both looking up at the wall. One of his old photographs had served as his model for the lad's portrayal, and love had brought to his memory her childish face, but the picture that was to hang on the wall he could only dimly recall. The subject and the attitude of the man on the horse that had so stirred his young fancy were in his memory, but not perfectly enough to transfer to canvas.

The next day, while rummaging through the old stock of a picture dealer's he saw a small painting, in antique frame that brought forth an exclamation of surprise and joy.

"Where did you get this?" he cried

"A lady sold it to me," replied the dealer. "She had met with reverses and—"

"Do you know where she got it?"

"Yes. She said the man who once owned the original of the horse in the picture gave it to her."

Willis secured the prize, and hastened to his studio, painting "the picture on the wall" with haste and skill.

It was Lucile's birthday. She was glancing with a half pleasure and half humor at the array of books, flowers and confectionery that covered the library table when a maid brought her in a note.

"There is a great, big package just come," she announced, "shall I have it fetched in here?"

"Wait!" and Lucile opened the envelope and scanned the note.

"Oh, Ethel!" she cried to her sister. "Paul Willis has sent me a picture—one he painted! Yes (to the maid) have them bring it in here and opened here."

She was not a little excited and curious. Paul was attracting notice in the world of art and to possess one of his pictures was a privilege. What would the subject be?

When the final wrappings were removed, she stood before it silent and memory-moved.

Her sister gave a little cry of pleasure.

"Oh, Lucile! I understand how he could paint you, but how could he remember that picture—the one we all loved so and we were so provoked when papa gave it away. Why, Paul was a mere child when he saw it!"

The maid now brought in a second package, a small picture, with explanatory note.

Lucile unpacked the portrait—the one thing left to her from her old home.

Later, when Paul Willis called, he found her still standing before the picture he had painted. He stood beside her as they had stood in their childhood, only now she was gazing intently at the picture, while his eyes were upon her.

She began to fear lest he should hear her heart-beats.

"Paul," she said tremulously, "I love it so!"

"Lucile!" he said in low, passionate tones, "Lucile, love me, too, can't you? I have loved you so long!"

"Paul," very softly, "I have loved you since the night at the ball."

"Lucile!"

He gathered her in his arms.

"But you were so cold—so indifferent—always, Lucile!" he said presently. "How could you hurt me so?"

"I was afraid," she murmured, "that you did not really care. I hoped you did, and then I remembered your tone once when you said: 'And this must be little Lucile Felton!'" His laugh was good to hear.

And the children so long separated were again united.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

TURNING BACKWARD

By BELLE MANIATES

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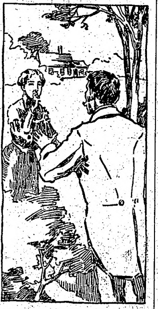
It was the night of the wedding of Mrs. Baxter's youngest daughter. The mother had bidden her a fond farewell and watched her with her lord depart. When the wedding guests all had gone save those who were to remain all night Mrs. Baxter went to her room, dismissed her maid and gave full sway to her unwonted hour of solitude. She had loved her youngest daughter even more devotedly and fondly than she had her other two children, but she was not grieving over her departure now. Instead she was reveling in the first taste of freedom she had known in years, for her children—the practical Walter, the domineering Julia and the spoiled Dolly—had each and all in turn and en concerto ruled each movement, great or small, of her life.

When five years ago her husband had been the hero of a little adventure that had shocked a shocking world and her fond, foolish heart would have forgiven him as he desired, Walter had taken the affair into his hands, ably seconded by his sister Julia, and before the prostrated, bewildered wife had fully grasped the situation she had found herself divorced. David Baxter, contrite and conciliatory, had been most generous in settlements and had then completely effaced himself from the lives of all he held dear and had taken up his abode in a distant city.

Dolly had been too young to know much about the affair, and to her mother's timid proposal that the father should be asked to give the hand of his youngest and his favorite child in marriage she had lent a willing ear but Walter and Julia had emphatically vetoed such an outrageous act.

An hour after the wedding ceremony Walter had started on an important business journey and Julia had taken the same train to her home and children. Her mother was under orders to follow in a few days, when the big house should be closed for the summer. Julia had arranged for some cousins to remain also until her departure.



A TALL, FAMILIAR FORM CAME QUICKLY TOWARD HER.

"I feel," thought Mrs. Baxter, with a nervous little giggle, "as I used to when I was a little girl and my mother went away and left me alone in the house. It seems as if I ought to play with the clock or do something forbidden."

Suddenly she arose and went to her writing desk. Opening a secret drawer, she drew forth two photographs—David Baxter, boyish and debonair, aged twenty-one, and David Baxter, shrewd and jovial at the threshold of middle age, as when she had last seen him. There was also a slip of paper bearing his present address, for Mrs. Baxter had surreptitiously mailed him newspapers with marked articles from time to time, though she had never dared to write or hope to hear from him.

A tender look came into her eyes, and she swiftly reviewed her past. "It was my fault," she thought. "I neglected him for the children and their friends. Their wishes came first."

She carefully restored the pictures again and renewed her reverie.

"We were perfectly happy that first year only—before David got so very rich, and we lived in that dear little cottage on the forty acres. I wish—I will!"

A sudden bold resolution came to her, and fearful lest her weak nature should make her change her mind she dashed off two letters, one of which was to the people who lived in their old home, which she had never sold, but had allowed some needy friends to occupy rent free.

Her dreams that night were happy pictures of woods, meadows and country lanes. In the morning she looked almost girlish. At the breakfast table she made a welcome proposal to her cousins, who were left in charge of her. She asked them if they would not like to stay in the house for awhile and entertain their friends as they willed, while she made a visit to some friends in the country.

"I am so tired out," she explained. "I need the rest and quiet, and there is no need of the children knowing anything about it. I'll send my letters back here to be remailed to them."

The cousins, who had ever disapproved of the Julia and Walter espionage over their mother, heartily concurred in the little conspiracy. The following day brought a response to her letter to the farm. They would be only too happy to receive her, not as a summer boarder, but as a guest. The next train bore her to her old home, where she planned to stay a few weeks and live again the olden days in her memory and associations.

She gave a little cry of pleasure as they drove up to The Nutshell, as David had named it. Here time seemed to have stood still. The vine covered porch, the flower beds, the old apple orchard and the little rustic seat in the arbor were the same. She went over the whole place. Every spot was replete with beautiful memories. The next morning she arose with a little tremor of excitement running through her veins.

Never, not even for Dolly's wedding, had she taken such care with her toilet. She was glad the day gave promise of being one of extreme heat. It would account to the farm folk for the light, delicate gown she was donning. Her hair still waved softly back from her brow with an occasional escaping ring, as it had in her youth. Her thoughts and hopes had brought a delicate pink flush to her cheeks.

After breakfast she went through the meadows and down the lane to a piece of cool, dark woods that skirted the river. Her heart beat almost painfully as she came nearer to her destination.

"I am a foolish old woman," she told herself. "Of course no one will be there!"

Some one was there, however. A tall, familiar form came quickly toward her.

"Oh, David!" she cried, with a little gasp. "I was afraid you wouldn't come."

"You knew I would," he asserted. "But wait."

He put his arms about her and half led her through the woods. Not a word was spoken. She guessed what was in his mind and smiled happily when he led her to a certain tree apart from the others.

"There," he said. "Now I feel thirty years younger, and, Helen, you look not a year older than you did when we were here last."

"Oh, David! When I was left alone there in that big house the longing came to see you once more, but I didn't dare hope you would come."

"I have been waiting for the letter you wrote for five long years!"

"Have you, David? I didn't want a divorce—it was Julia and Walter"—

"Yes, I know. It was always Julia and Walter, but their day is over."

"I thought we'd have a little visit here in our old home for just this once, and no one need know."

"Helen," he said gravely, "you can't retract now. You called me and I came. I have the license, and we will either go to the old parsonage or have a little wedding up there at the house. We'll spend our honeymoon here, and then we will go abroad, and"—

"Oh, David! And the same minister who married us is still living here!"

Taking Chances.

A small boy had been punished and in consequence was feeling at enmity with all the world, but with his father in particular. When he came to say his prayers at night he gabbled through them at a high rate of speed, and while asking for the customary blessing on all the other members of the family, including the cat, he left out his offending parent.

His mother understood, but thought it best to "appeal to his better self."

"Harold," she said sweetly, "what about papa? You forget, dear."

"Didn't. Don't want papa blessed!"

"Why, Harold, when you love him so! Just think, dear. Papa has gone downtown now, and how would you feel if he got lost or hurt because you hadn't prayed for him?"

This rather worked on the boy's mind, and slowly he began to clamber out of bed, when just as he got on his knees he heard the familiar click of his father's key in the lock. "I guess I'll risk it!" he announced and quick as a wink jumped back into bed.—Lippincott's Magazine.

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DISTRICT COURT CONVENES

For a Busy ten Day's Term Grand Jury in Session.

District court convened Monday the 13th for the adjourned October term. Hon. Wm. Watts, judge and Chas. M. Lohn, stenographer, Adam Zeh was appointed deputy clerk, J. Kivel and Fred Zaiser were appointed court baillifs. The grand jury were sworn Monday morning and under charge of Joseph Bergeron, foreman, retired to their work. Chas. Fellman of St. Hilaire was appointed baillif in charge of the grand jury. Joseph Bergeron was excused on Wednesday and the court named Louis Doucet foreman. They have brought in three iudictments, one against Casper Wiener for violation of game laws and two against Chas. McKenzie one charging forgery, the other larceny. They are considering other matters and it is expected they will complete their labors today.

There are no criminal cases on the calendar, although there are some offenders bound over to the grand jury. The civil calendar is quite large there being 13 cases continued from last term and 49 new cases, making a total of 62 cases on the calendar. The jury cases will be finished today and it is probable that conrt will adjourn the latter part of the week.

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PROCEEDINGS OF CITY DADS

Regular Meeting Held et the City Hall, November 9.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers President. Roll called: Alderman all present except Brady. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Wm. McIntosh	Judge of election 2nd ward	$ 6.60
E. Schlesinger	Clerk of election 1st ward	2.60
Lewis Alstadt	Judge of election 1st ward	6.60
Eus. Normandeau	Judge on board of Reg. 2nd ward	4.00
Chas. E. Boughton	Clerk of election 2nd ward	2.60
John Marleau	Judge of electien 1st ward	6.75
Joseph Normandeau	Judge of election 2nd ward	2.60
Joseph Salley	Clerk of election 2nd ward	2.60
Frank Cyr	Judge of election 3rd ward	6.60
Joseph Tschirhart	Judge of election 1st ward	7.10
J. C. Matthews	Judge of election 3rd ward	6.60
John Deforge	street work etc	20.40
Julius Kuhl	"	16.50
Wilfred Bisson	"	20.25
J. P. Harren	Judge of election 2nd ward	6.60
Arthur Lizee	Tending to fire engine Oct. 05	3.00
Wm. Belair	Special police	2.25
Fred Cyr	"	2.25
Jim Campbell	"	2.25
John Drier	Services as fire warden etc	31.00
Joseph Salley	Drayage	12.00
Alphonse Roy	Drayage	7.15
Walter S. Booth & Son	City blanks	1.00
August Kreuger	Drayage	3.00

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers President.

Approved this 15th day of November, A. D. 1905.

Aitest: J. A. Duffy

A. P. Toupin, Clerk. Mayor.

MAYORS PROCLAMATION

Calling Especial Attention to Thanksgiving Day

The past year has been one of great prosperity. The nation is at peace with the world. Throughout the entire chuntry there is an awakening of the people and a quickening of the public conscience, which is making for better citizenship and better government. In our own state we have abundant cause for rejoicing and general thanksgiving. Never have our fields and mines been so bountiful in their products, and in all that tends to material wealth our people have been enriched in greater degree than ever before.

Labor in all departments of human endeavor has been generously rewarded, and its efforts have been crowned with deserved success.

For all these bounties I would earnestly recommend that on Thanksgiving day our people abstain from their usual avocations and, meeting in their regular places of worship, join in general thanksgiving to the Divine Author for all our blessings and invoke the continuance of His favor.

California

with its fascinating panorama of lofty mountains fertile valleye and vast orchards, has long bee nthe mecca of the tourist. Nowhere is there to be found such delightful climate, such variety of sight seeing or health giving atmosphere as in California. The North-Western Line is now selling thru tickets to California at very low rates. For information as to train service, rates, etc., write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul Minn.

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THE RED LAKERS

Compliments to Our Teachers by the Crookston Journal.

The city of Red Lake Falls may not be eligible to the county seat of Red Lake county in face of the claims of Thief River, but—if the teachers of Red Lake Falls are a fair example of the character of the inhabitants that make up that well known little city we are in a position to say that Thief River will have to show some ability that no doubt rears itself in the domains of its walls. At the last foot ball game that was played in this city the teachers of the Red Lake schools were very observant of the manner of the doings that were going on around them during their visit on that Friday into the school rooms of the Crookston city schools.

"From first thot" they say "it may seem extravagant for a superintendent to dismiss his whole school for a day and go visiting to a neighboring school. But when you come to know that on the same day at least ten superintendents visited the Minneapolis schools with their teachers, coming from at least four different states you will conclude that there is something good in the practice.

"Yet when you stop to think of the many thousand of things that teachers have to do you will see at a glance that a day spent in any well organized school would suggest enough of good, enough of plan, enough of new and hopeful methods to make such a day the most helpful of the year. As I look back upon our visit to Crookston I can feel that it was a day most profitably spent."

The papers that were published in the press of Red Lake Falls are papers that set forth the wideawakeness of the persons who wrote them and no doubt also of the people that surround them and from which the inspiration arises. The paper takes up the elements of the Crookston schools and sets forth the better things and less commendable things that they saw therein as compared to schools of R. L. Falls. They pass criticism on the handling of the schools in this city and comment on the things in which they excell with a subtle suggestion thruout that it is but a little way before their school will possess this added improvement and urge their people on to such improvement.

It is not for the Journal to say that it believes that the Red Lake teachers are wrong in some of their criticisms But there is certainly deep down in the makeup of the High School teachers of Red Lake Falls a strong disposition to arise higher and reach the acme of public improvement and a deep inspiration to themselves to be the engines of that improvement.

The extensive scope of the observation, and the avidity with which every subject is brought up and discussed does credit to the teachers of that city of the country above and for her as well as her sister city (tho at the present time one is pouting at the other) there is much in the many years that are to come and open the great north country to the settlement of the world

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FARMERS INSTITUTE NOV. 23

Dr. Curryer and Corps of Trained Instructors To Hold Meeting In R. L. F.

A state farmer's institute under direction of Dr. J. C. Curryer will be held at Red Lake Falls on Thursday, November 23, at the Metropolitan opera house. Five or six of the prominent agricultural experts and lecturers will be here on that occasion to address the farmers, their wives, sons and daughters.

This institute will be absolutely free, and it is hoped that every farmer within driving distance of the city will take advantage of this unusual opportunity to hear the eminent and trained speakers.

A very instructive book will be given away to those farmers attending the morning session. This book is full to overflowing with the results obtained by the experiences of others and should be in every farmer's home. It forms a ready reference book and should be studied carefully in order that you may profit by the experiences of others.

Everyone should turn out and make this meeting a great success.

OUR TRIP TO CROOKSTON

As Viewed by Superintendent, Faculty Pupils and Football Team.

(continued from last week.)

The other half is then spent in reading in groups, each group containing from 4 to 5 pupils. One pupil is the leader of the group and conducts the class much as the teacher would, having them read any of the work that has been gone over by the class. He is responsible for perfect order and holds his position only so long as he maintains the interest of his group. Our teachers were much impressed with the way each little teacher maintained order. Some were seen to shake their pupils for laughing, others to ask them not to lean on the desks or against the walls for they stand during this work! One little fellow in the second primary was quite indignant because one of his pupils insisted on not paying attention. Great tact of course must be used by the teacher in selecting these leaders. Each group know where they will recite and the same leader presides from day to day. The great advantage of this group reading is at once evident in that each pupil is required to read out loud more than four times as much as under the old system. We tried and used a similar plan in reading in our schools only last year and found it to work to an advantage but this group system is an improvement over what we call the Chinese system. In spelling the work is carried on entirely by groups each pupil having an opportunity of spelling every word once at least. In arithmetic the group work constitutes only mental drill and fundamental processes with no work in practical problems, that being entirely carried on by teacher. Here it is a great time saver in the class and gives much individual practice which cannot otherwise be accomplished. In every case the teacher always had charge of the poorest groups. No group work was done in language, grammar or history but in certain lessons without doubt it could be worked advantageously. In the first primary practically no group work was done. It was used a very little in reading. In the high school it is not yet in working order but has been used to some extent in physics and algebra. It promises however to be as useful in high school subjects as in the grades and will without a doubt be instituted.

Some of our teachers have given it a trial this week and there is not one who has anything but words of praise for the system, its workings and its advantages.

Well you say what of it! What good did it do you? Much. First, I received many excellent suggestions which I could never have culled out of my books and educational papers, I saw their successful working and can the more easily apply them.

Second, my teachers saw the same things and were pleased with them. This means that any prejudice they may have had, the greatest dfficulty a Superintendent has to overcome, is removed. It also means that with few words I can tell them to do what it would otherwise have taken days for me to show them. And while our equipments will not allow us to put into use all of the suggestions we received still we will be able to apply many of them to the bettering of our work all along the line.

By Football Team,

The recent foot ball game between the High School of Crookston and Red Lake Falls shows that we no longer have any reason to fear mistreatment at the hands of Crookston as they played a good clean game and were as nice a lot of fellows as we ever played against. They played a good, hard game but were weak on defense. They had splendid material for a good foot-ball team but the team is not supported in the right way. We do not mean financially but by the people's lack of interest in them. But we do think that the people would take more interest in them if they went after the game in the right spirit and trained hard.

Training is something that most of the Crookston players do not know and without which no team can play or expect to play in any kind of championship form. From one in Crookston who knows and who is an earnest supporter of their team, we learned that a majority of the players smoke. What can a team expect to accomplish if all candidates for a team adhere to this habit while playing football. Every person who intends to play the game should have and show the moral courage to give up such habits, to keep regular sleeping hours to eat only plain food (that is, to cut out coffee, pastries, etc.) and above all things, to turn out as regular to pratice as if football was one of his studies. Our

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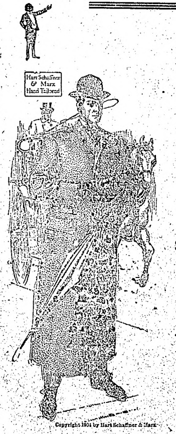
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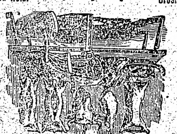

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

THE COURIER

JOHN E. KING, Pub.

Red Lake Falls, Minn

Castro gets more ultimatums than picture postal cards and his wall-space is limited.

Somebody suggests there is no dispute about the sex of Lucifer. This takes the angel cake.

Nature is pretty wise, after all. When she gave Alaska its climate she also filled it with coal.

Castro is at present endeavoring to conquer the American language. He may tackle America itself next.

The Pittsburg embezzler who put $20,000 in large bills into the fire doubtless thought he had money to burn.

Three bears have been killed in Duluth, but the dispatches do not say what stocks will be affected by their demise.

An Omaha negro has trained his dogs to rob hen roosts, but watermelons will have to be "lifted" in the same old way.

The people who have been accustomed to speak of the Atlantic ocean as the "big pond," now call the Panama canal a ditch.

Statistics show that America makes more barrels than any other country. And bigger ones, too. Look at Rockefeller's and Carnegie's.

A revolution broke out the other day in Korea, but it luckily happened that forty or fifty Japanese soldiers were on hand to put it down.

If men ever do the cooking, at least two proverbs will have to be revised to "the sort that father used to make" and "feed the dear."

It is difficult for mere man to pick out the sound chestnuts from the wormy ones, but bright-eyed little Mr. Squirrel can do it every time.

An American who tried to introduce the quick lunch in London has failed. Perhaps he made the mistake of having coffee instead of tea on tap.

The "Empress of the Sahara" is singing songs in German variety halls. The Lord only knows what has become of "Emperor" Jacques Labaudy.

The total profits of baseball this season are estimated at $800,000. We wonder what the total profits were in the other great American national game.

A New York girl has invented a machine by which she claims one may count a million dollars a minute. John W. Gates will no doubt hail this as a real boon.

A New York girl has had her lover arrested "because he kissed her too much." One of the first things a lover should learn is to kiss the girl just enough.

Joseph H. Choate says the opportunities for young men are greater than ever. This may be so, but what about the opportunities for men who are over forty-five?

The English novelist who committed suicide in order to advertise her new book set an example that the most enthusiastic literary aspirant will hesitate to follow.

It has been necessary to place a special guard on duty to keep Princeton students from daubing a statue of Washington. Princeton should have a kindergarten department.

A German savant says the bite of a pretty girl is as deadly as a rattlesnake's. If any pretty girl wants to be shown, we offer ourself as a sacrifice in the cause of science.

In a recent race of carrier pigeons one bird made 200 miles in three hours. In aerial navigation the pigeon easily holds the lead over all other flying machines yet invented.

A recent count shows that there are 10,080 millionaires in the world, more than half of whom live in this country. Still, we had supposed that Pittsburg alone had more than 10,000 of them.

An advertisement in the Yorkshire Post asks, "Would any lady of means care to marry poor, crowded-out clerk, aged 37?" This sort of thing is almost the only fact behind the query, "Does advertising pay?"

Sir Thomas Lipton's promise that if all goes well he will be at Sandy Hook in 1907 with a new yacht to challenge for the America cup, means only that some American designer will also be there with a better one.

For the successful conduct of the war the mikado again gives credit to the illustrious ancestors. It would be interesting to know how far the ancestors would have been held to blame if the war had gone the other way.

Prof. Henry Van Dyke is quoted as saying: "If I can persuade men to see the difference between Shakespeare's writings and 'Fables in Slang,' I think I will accomplish a great task." We do hope, however, that Prof. Van Dyke really said, "I shall accomplish."

RESUME OF THE NEWS

Fresh—Reliable—Brief

Washington.

President Roosevelt informed a delegation of residents of Oklahoma that he would recommend in his forthcoming message to congress single statehood for Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

Postmaster General Cortelyou will remain at the head of the postoffice department and will not be transferred to the treasury next February when Secretary Shaw retires. Several influential persons have requested the president to keep Mr. Cortelyou at the head of the postoffice department.

Notice was received at the Georgetown customs house that the foreign gifts consigned to Miss Alice Roosevelt were to be examined at the customs house and not taken to the executive mansion. They will go through the regular routine and will be examined by the authorities without any representative from the White House being present.

Criminal.

The Sandborn bank, a branch of the German National bank of Vincennes, Ind., was blown to pieces and robbed of $5,000.

Judge S. F. Smith has called a grand jury to meet at Owosso, Mich., Dec. 4. Rumors of corruption in county affairs will be investigated.

Arnold V. Peterson, an American dentist, lately arrived in Winnipeg, is under arrest charged with burglarizing W. N. Brown's fur store on Oct. 20.

Garfield Hines was shot and killed by his wife at Cairo, Ill. Mrs. Hines was arrested and placed in jail. She says her husband was attacking her with a knife.

Arthur E. Clark, a theatrical manager who has been directing the rehearsals of the company which will present the extravaganza, "The Gingerbread Man," committed suicide in New York.

S. W. Sangster, who was recently arrested in Kansas, following charges that he had sent poisoned candy to his wife and daughter, was arraigned in court at Chicago. He pleaded not guilty and in default of bail was taken to jail.

The federal grand jury at Moscow, Idaho, engaged in ferreting out land frauds, has completed its work and was discharged. Eight indictments were returned, but United States Attorney Ruick declines to give out the names of those indicted at this time.

The grand jury of Marshall county, Ind., has returned sixty indictments against cigarette smokers. Plymouth, the seat of Marshall county, is the home of Senator Parks, author of the anti-cigarette law, and he will prosecute the offenders indicted by the grand jury.

Found guilty of manslaughter, because his carelessness resulted in a collision on the Boston & Maine railway at Fitchburg, Mass, on July 3, in which three men were killed, G. E. Powers, a railway conductor, was sentenced to eighteen months in the house of correction.

Everett B. Thomas, former supervisor of the government forest reserves in Southern California, has been indicted by the United States grand jury at Los Angeles, charged with having presented false and fictitious claims for expenses to the secretary of the interior during his incumbency.

A sensation has been caused by the arrest at Hampton, Ia., of M. G. Ogle, agent of the Iowa Central, charging larceny. It is claimed that he was implicated in the wholesale theft of coal from the railroad, and it is said that prominent citizens of the town will be involved, and that other arrests will follow.

John Cummings, arrested in Denver, has been identified as Jack Havlin, wanted in St. Paul on the charge of having murdered Policeman Charles Mayer on the night of Feb. 1, 1902. Cummings escaped from jail at Greeley, Col., a few nights ago. He is being held on a charge of highway robbery.

Foreign.

Emperor William is sending to the emperor of Japan six black stallions from his stock farm.

The queen of Portugal was thrown from her horse at Cascares, but her injuries were slight.

A dispatch to the London Daily Telegraph from Tokio says that China has opened the port of Haichau to foreign trade.

Stockholm has the largest death rate from the use of alcohol of any city in the world. The number of deaths from this cause is 90 in 1,000.

According to a dispatch received by the Berlin Tageblatt from Kiel, Emperor William will start in February on a six weeks' tour in the Mediterranean, which includes visits to Italy and Constantinople.

It is considered certain that a secret consistory will be held Dec 11 and a public consistory Dec. 14, and Mgr. Cagaino de Azevedo, majordomo of the Vatican; Archbishop Cavalcanti de Albuquerque of Rio de Janeiro; Archbishop Samasa of Elau, Hungary, and another prelate whose name is not yet known, will be created cardinals.

The American Asiatic association, representing the sentiment of the entire business community of Yokohama and the mission body of Japan, has sent a request to President Roosevelt that Minister Griscom be retained at Tokio as ambassador.

The remainder of the German battleships to be built under the naval program will have a displacement equal to the displacements of the large ships of the other naval powers.

Wu Tingfang, formerly Chinese minister to the United States, is reported to be totally deaf as the result of the explosion of a bomb thrown by a fanatic when the Chinese commissioners were leaving Pekin to visit foreign countries.

A typhoon which took place Nov. 7, has wrought extensive devastation in the province of Oshima, Japan, and the islands adjacent thereto. Over 2,000 buildings have been destroyed, and a steamer, it is said, has been wrecked. No loss of life is reported.

Paul Deroulede, the founder of the League of Patriots, has arrived in Paris after an exile of six years. It is said that M. Deroulede will be re-elected to the chamber of deputies, and further that he will take an important part as a Nationalist in the proceedings of that body.

Accidental Happenings.

A fire in the lumber yards of McPhee & McGinty at Denver destroyed lumber and cement to the value of $85,000.

Fire at Los Angeles completely destroyed the Bimin bath and sanitarium in the west end of the city, entailing a loss of $250,000.

One person, the engineer, was killed and six were injured by a headon collision of trains on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway in the western part of Troy.

Fire which broke out in the American house at Mauch Chunk, Pa., partly destroyed that structure. Guests were compelled to flee in their night clothing. Loss $25,000.

Five persons were killed and several were fatally injured in a wreck on the Deleware, Lackawanna & Western railroad about ten miles south of Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Jacob Haugh, his wife and son Jesse, were cremated in a fire which destroyed their cottage, eight miles north of Dayton, Ohio. Oliver Haugh, another son, was seriously burned and was taken to the hospital.

The Southern Pacific south-bound coast limited passenger train dashed into a train of tourist cars at Santa Margarita station, fourteen miles north of San Luis Obispo, Cal. Nineteen people were hurt, several of them seriously and two probably fatally.

William McManaway saved a special train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad from crashing through a bridge over the Oakaw river at Pana, Ill., and but a few minutes later fell sixty feet while helping to repair the structure, receiving probably fatal injuries.

Mrs. F. Douzuk, wife of a progressive Galician farmer, at Valley River, near Douphin, Man., was found dead at her home. The woman's death was the result of a gunshot wound. From what can be learned Mrs. Douzuk's death was accidentally caused by her youngest son, aged 12.

While running under full head of steam, a freight engine was blown to atoms by the explosion of the boiler, near Ennis, Tex. Practically the entire train was derailed, seven of the cars being ditched and four of them totally destroyed. Two men were killed and one probably fatally injured.

General.

William Tod Otto, former district court judge of Indiana, friend of Lincoln, educator and author, is dead at his home at Philadelphia, aged 89 years.

W. D. Vandiver, state superintendent of insurance of Missouri, suspended the certificate of authority of the New York Life Insurance company to do business in that state.

The United States army transport Sherman sailed from San Francisco for the Philippines with the Fifteenth infantry and companies I and J of the Fourth cavalry, which are being transferred from Monteray to Camp Kieley on the island of Mindanao.

Preliminary figures indicate that 4,000,000 tons of iron ore were shipped from the upper lake ports in the month of October, bringing the total for the season beyond 29,500,000. Shipments this month are expected to bring the total for the year to 33,000,000, which will exceed any previous yearly record by about 5,000,000 tons.

In the death of Mrs. Alma Hake at Hanover, Pa., a nurse sacrificed her life for her patient. She was nursing Mrs. Albert Rodgers and her babe, when a kerosene lamp exploded in the bedroom. Unable to open the windows, the heroic nurse picked up the burning lamp and carried it down stairs. She was so terribly burned that death resulted soon afterward. Neighbors removed the mother and child and saved the house.

Keyed to such a high pitch of excitement after eleven hours of work under trying and exciting conditions, that his heart gave way, Matthew Kurtz, aged 25, Republican election inspector of New York, died suddenly. Kurtz was a small, slight young man, and the work was too much for him.

At a meeting of the chapel of printers in the composing room of the Baltimore News office, Prince Louis of Battenberg was elected a member, it having been developed during his visit to the office of that newspaper that his highness learned the printing art when he was a young man.

MASSACRES BY BLACK HUNDRED

ST. PETERSBURG AND MOSCOW SCHEDULED FOR SOME BLOODSHED.

BETTER CLASSES IN A PANIC

TREPOFF'S SUCCESSOR GIVES ORDERS TO CRUSH DISORDER IN INCIPIENCY.

A STATE OF WAR IN POLAND

SOON EXPECTED, BUT ORDER IS BEING RESTORED IN RUSSIAN INTERIOR.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 12.—Except in the kingdom of Poland, where the rapidly growing nationalist movement and the state of tension among the proletariat will soon bring about the declaration of a state of war, Russia seems for the time being at least to be generally tranquil. Telegrams from interior points report the restoration of order in nearly all cities and towns, but in many cities, notably St. Petersburg and Moscow, the better classes of the population are greatly disturbed owing to the rumors of approaching

Attacks by the "Black Hundred,"

composed of the most ignorant types of the populace, which, according to these rumors, are scheduled to take place in St. Petersburg to-night and in Moscow to-morrow. The apprehension in St. Petersburg has become so great that the prefect, who succeeded Gen. Trepoff in command of the city police, has instructed his subordinates to take the fullest measures to crush any disorder in its incipiency so as to disabuse the minds of the "loyalists" of the idea that the police would remain inactive. In such an emergency the strong hand of Gen. Trepoff is being missed even by the factions which most execrated him.

Witte's Cabinet Ready.

Count Witte's cabinet may now be regarded as constituted, Count Lamsdorff, minister of foreign affairs, and M. Manuekin, minister of justice, will retain their posts, leaving only the posts of minister of the interior and minister of education to be filled. Dmitri Shipoff of Moscow, who was president of the first zemstvo congress, has definitely declined to accept any position in the cabinet.

Denies Responsibility.

A long official communication published this morning denies that disorders in any part of the country have been fomented by the government and promises a most careful inquiry into the outrages against life and property and the adoption of measures to prevent their recurrence. It says that even were the accusations against the government confirmed they would not form a pretext for the recent terrible occurrences. The government recognizes that its duty is to remain quite impartial and to give its protection to all persons requiring it.

Quiet at Kronstadt.

All is quiet at Kronstadt. The mutinous sailors have all submitted and the leaders, to the number of several hundred, have been deported from the island. The others are thoroughly repentant. Troops are pouring into Kronstadt from all sections by water. Beside machine guns, other street artillery and a battery of quick-firing field guns have arrived there, and any further disorder at present is utterly out of the question.

The mutineers and rowdies gutted the Tartar and Jew markets, and on Pavloff street, near the barracks, destroyed ten modern business blocks and several smaller stores.

FORMER MILL CITY MAN DIES.

John Dixon Is Found Dead in a Kansas City Hotel.

Kansas City, Nov. 12.—John Dixon, formerly private secretary to United States Senator William A. Clark of Montana, was found dead in his room at a local hotel yesterday. Dixon had been ill for some time. The coroner took charge of the body and an autopsy will be held. Several years ago Dixon moved from Minneapolis to Butte, and later practiced law in Oklahoma City. His parents live in this city.

SHAW WILL GIVE NO AID.

Says He Sees No Reason for Helping Out Wall Street.

Washington, Nov. 12. — Secretary Shaw returned from New York yesterday. He said that he saw nothing in the present situation in the New York money market to warrant any action by the treasury department.

PROSECUTE STANDARD OIL.

Federal Inspectors Have Evidence Regarding Rebate Infringements.

Chicago, Nov. 12. — The bureau of corporations of the federal commerce and labor commission is planning a prosecution of the Standard Oil company officials. The proceedings, it is said, will be similar to the action brought against the packers. Four inspectors have established headquarters in this city, where, it is said, they have quietly been carrying on an investigation.

BLOODY TRAGEDY IN KENTUCKY.

Cheer for Jeff Davis Starts Row in Which Three Men Are Killed.

Naugatuck, W. Va., Nov. 12. — A cheer for Jeff Davis, uttered by a drunken man on Beaver Creek on the Kentucky side of the river yesterday, resulted in a bloody tragedy in which three men were killed and three others were wounded. There had been much drinking after election on Tuesday. Con Estep, an old Confederate soldier, was among the men who had become intoxicated. When he yelled "hurrah for Jeff Davis," C. Prater, a young man in the crowd, told Estep to "shut up or he would kill him." Enock Bentley, another member of the crowd, told Estep to "hurrah for any one he pleased." Prater turned upon Bentley and emptied his pistol at short range, all five shots taking effect. After he had fallen Bentley shot and killed Prater. Rube Morgan, a friend of Prater's, who had shot Bentley after the latter had fallen, fired at Tom and John Bowling, friends of Estep, and then fled, but he was shot and mortally wounded by the Bowlings. Bentley died soon after the shooting and Morgan died two hours later. During the fight John Sadler, belonging to the Prater gang, was dangerously wounded. The Bowlings were both hit, but not fatally hurt. An election bet had caused hard feelings between Estep and Prater. The excitement over the the tragedy is intense and another clash of the factions is expected.

DISCHARGE FOR BURBANK.

Court-Martial Makes Recommendation to Department of War.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 12. — Advices received at Fort Leavenworth yesterday from the Philippine islands, state that the court-martial proceeding in the case of First Lieut. Sidney S. Burbank, Sixth infantry, have been concluded, and that the papers, which have been forwarded to Washington, recommend his dismissal from the service. Lieut. Burbank was charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, the charges being based on his conduct toward Concepcion Vasquez, a Philippine woman whom the Philippine courts recently decided was Burbank's legal wife.

LETTER FROM LINCOLN SOLD.

Hundred Dollars Paid for One Sixty Years Old.

New York, Nov. 12.—A letter written by Abraham Lincoln in 1841, relating to political affairs in Illinois, one of a number of autographs collected by Mrs. George M. Moulton of Chicago, and sold at auction here yesterday, brought $100. An autograph poem signed by James Russell Lowell brought $23. A one-page letter signed, but not written by George Washington, Feb. 20, 1790, sold for $28.

MILLIONAIRE IS DEAD.

Pioneer Lumberman of Menominee River Region Dies of Cancer.

Menominee, Mich., Nov. 12.—W. O. Carpenter, a member of the firm of Carpenter, Cook & Co., wholesale grocers, died last night of cancer. He was over eighty years old. He was one of the pioneers of the Menominee river lumber region. His fortune is estimated at anywhere from $5,000,000 to $10,000,000.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Nov. 13. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 85@86c; No. 2 Northern 82 1-2@83 1-4c; No. 3, 78@83c. Corn —No. 3 yellow, 52 1-2@53c. Oats—No 3 white, 28 1-2@29c.

Duluth, Nov. 13. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 85 1-8c; No. 2 Northern 83 1-8c; flax, 99 7-8c; rye, 66c.

Minneapolis, Nov. 13.—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 86c; No. 1 Northern 85 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 83c. Oats—No. 3 white, 28 5-8c.

Milwaukee, Nov. 13. — Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 88@89c; No. 2 Northern 84@87c. Rye—No. 1, 72 1-2@73c Barley—No. 2, 55c. Oats—Standard 31 1-2@32c.

Chicago, Nov. 13. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 89 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 87@89c; No 1 Northern, 89c; No. 2 Northern, 87@89c. Corn—No. 3, 47c. Oats—No. 2, 30 1-4c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Nov. 13.—Cattle—Beeves, $4 @ 5.75; cows, bulls and mixed, $2 @ 3.75; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.75; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.40. Hogs—Bulk, $4.72 1-2 @ 4.77 1-2.

Chicago, Nov. 13. — Cattle—Good to prime beeves, $3.75@6.40; stockers and feeders, $2.10@4.30; cows, $2.50@4.50; heifers, $2.20@4.80; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $4.70@5.10; bulk, $4.75@5.05. Sheep, $4.25@5.80; lambs, $4.75@7.65.

South St. Paul, Nov. 13. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50 @3.75; good to choice milch cows, $20@35. Hogs — Range price, $4.60 @4.90; bulk, $4.70@4.80. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $5@5.85; fair to good, $4@5; good to choice yearling wethers, $4.50@5.50; good to choice ewes $3.75@4.40.

Horace Lewis Stricken.

Brookline, Mass., Nov. 12.—Horace Lewis Smith, well known as an actor by the stage name of Horace Lewis, died at his home here yesterday of heart trouble. He was 51 years old and had been on the stage 30 years.

Ship 9,450 Sacks of Potatoes.

Stockton, Cal., Nov. 12. — The biggest shipment of potatoes that ever went East left here yesterday over the Santa Fe. It consisted of a solid train of thirty-five cars, containing 9,450 sacks of potatoes.

ELECTION FULL OF SURPRISES

TAMMANY HALL LOSES IN FIGHT AGAINST JEROME—McCLELLAN ELECTED.

HEARST CHARGES FRAUDS

TAKES APPEAL TO COURTS TO CONTEST McCLELLAN'S ELECTION.

OHIO SWEPT BY DEMOCRATS

PATTISON'S PLURALITY IS OVER 50,000—LEGISLATURE IS DEMOCRATIC.

The election of John M. Pattison, Democrat, as governor of Ohio, by approximately 40,000 plurality over Myron T. Herrick, the present Republican governor; a working majority in both houses of the Ohio legislature; an immediate appeal by William R. Hearst, the Municipal Ownership candidate for the New York mayorality, to the supreme court to contest McClellan's re-election in that city, on the basis of alleged evidence of wholesale illegal acts at the polls; a plurality of 3,485 votes for McClellan; and immediate contest by the fusionists in the courts against the election of Democratic municipal officers and members of the legislature, were the most important events of Tuesday's election.

Gigantic Frauds.

McClellan's plurality is the minimum on record for a successful mayorality candidate in New York. Mr. Hearst's managers claim evidence of illegal acts against 1,000 inspectors of election, and that 30,000 of his adherents were turned back from the polls because their names had already been voted. District Attorney Jerome has announced he will immediately make a searching investigation of the alleged wholesale frauds, and has ordered the returns from the Eighteenth and Sixth assembly districts to be carefully guarded. These are the home districts of Tammany Leader Murphy and "Tim" Sullivan.

Victory for Jerome.

W. T. Jerome was re-elected district attorney of New York by a large plurality.

Jerome's triumph was almost entirely a personal one, and showed that an appeal may be made successfully to voters on the strength of personal honesty and persistent, systematic denunciation of graft.

Fraud in Louisville.

In Louisville the fusion party managers claim a non-election in fourteen precincts because of the disappearance of election paraphernalia; that Democratic workers confiscated the ballot boxes in fourteen other precincts and allowed falsification of returns, and allege activity of "thugs" and repeaters.

Democrats Sweep Ohio.

All through Ohio the belated returns show Republican losses, and Republicans concede Pattison's plurality reaches 25,000. The Democrats claim Pattison's plurality approximates 55,000, which would elect the entire Democratic ticket. Republicans concede the Democrats between two and five majority in the senate and ten to fifteen in the house, while the Democrats claim a majority of five in the senate and twenty-seven in the house.

Reform Wins in Philadelphia.

The City party's (reform) plurality in Philadelphia is 43,333 for sheriff, and the fusionist candidate for state treasurer (Berry) carried the city by over 36,000 plurality. The upheaval was the greatest in Pennsylvania for many years.

The Maryland legislature is Democratic.

In Rhode Island the Republican gubernatorial candidate has a plurality estimated at 5,000, and Providence elects a Republican mayor for the first time in many years.

In Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts, Democratic threats are made for a recount of the vote for lieutenant governor. The Republicans in Massachusetts score 23,116 plurality for Guild for governor, though Draper, for lieutenant governor, got less than 2,000 plurality. The Democrats gained three senators and one representative in the legislature.

Every candidate of the Union Labor party in San Francisco was elected by a substantial majority.

In Salt Lake City the anti-Mormon victory is made complete by the election of the entire American party city ticket.

Democratic Legislature.

The Kentucky legislature, which will elect a successor to Senator Blackburn, apparently will include 31 Democrats, 5 Republicans and 2 doubtful in the senate and 79 Democrats, 14 Republicans and 7 doubtful in the house. The Democrats elect a mayor in Louisville by about 2,000.

Nebraska was swept by the Republicans. Returns from other states and cities show notable changes.

FINES GO TO COUNTY.

Attorney General Says Fines for Game Law Violations Belong to County.

Fines collected by city municipal courts for violation of the state game laws must be paid into the county treasury and not into the city treasury, is the opinion of Attorney General Young given in reply to a query from S. F. Fullerton, state game and fish commissioner. The matter came up through a conflict between the charter of the city of Mankato, which provides that all fines collected by the municipal court shall be turned into the city treasury, and the game law passed by the last legislature which provides that all fines collected under the law must be paid into the county treasury. County Auditor Weaver wrote to Fullerton about the matter and claimed that the district judge of Winona had held that the provisions of the Winona charter, which was similar to those of the Mankato charter, prevailed over the general law of the state.

The attorney general states in his reply that Judge Shaw, the judge of Winona, ruled on July 21, 1904, on a question whether a fine for a violation of the state pharmacy law should be turned into the treasury of the city of Winona as provided by the charter or to the state board of pharmacy as provided by the general law. Judge Shaw, after a hearing, decided that the provisions of the general law prevailed over the provisions of the city charter. Under this principle fines paid in the municipal court for violation of the game law should be paid into the county treasury instead of into the city treasury.

The reply continues: "It seems clear to me that by passing the game and fish law at the last session the legislature established a rule which applies to the entire state, and it cannot be that the legislature intended that the disposition of the money shall be made to depend upon the nature of the charter of the city in which the fine is paid. The fact that the municipal court of the city of Mankato, established under the charter of the city, had jurisdiction in an action of this kind would not itself be a sufficient reason why the provision of the city charter should be superior to the general law, which applies to all portions of the state. I think this fine ought to be paid into the county treasury, in whatever court it is imposed."

TO LOOK INTO INSURANCE.

Commissioner O'Brien Going to New York as Governor's Representative.

State Insurance Commissioner O'Brien has gone to New York as the special representative of Gov. Johnson to get facts concerning the big insurance scandal there.

During the past month hundreds of Minnesota policyholders, both in the New York Life and the Mutual, have written Gov. Johnson to act for them in the event of any trouble. This situation was intensified when the State Traveling Men's association met and agreed to make him the special representative of those members holding policies in the big companies.

The association, through the medium of a committee, tendered the governor all the proxies held by the members of the association to use as he saw fit, and these have since been augmented by hundreds of others. Before taking any action, however, Gov. Johnson decided on a thorough investigation as to the insurance situation, and this Mr. O'Brien has been delegated to accomplish.

Both Gov. Johnson and Mr. O'Brien were asked if the sending of the latter was preliminary to shutting the big companies out of Minnesota, but they denied that this was contemplated. "We simply want to be ready for anything, if it happens," said Gov. Johnson.

"I am going to New York," said Mr O'Brien, "at the request of the governor, whom many Minnesota policyholders desire to care for their interests. Hundreds of proxies have been tendered him and these can be used by him in any important meeting of the directorates that may be called. We desire to approach this thing calmly and with caution."

The Traveling Men's association is taking an unusual interest in the insurance troubles, and is preparing to call meetings all over the state in order to get expressions.

TWINE NOTES STILL DUE.

Stillwater Prison Receives $600,000 of Total Amount Outstanding.

Stillwater, Minn., Nov. 11.—The outstanding twine notes due Stillwater's prison are fast being taken up by farmers and others throughout the state. To date $600,000 has been received, leaving about $150,000 still out. This amount is expected to be paid before Dec. 1.

From Mikado to President.

Tokio, Nov. 11.—Lloyd C. Griscom, the American minister, had a farewell audience with the emperor yesterday, who asked him to convey his thanks to President Roosevelt for his care of Japanese interests in Russia throughout the late war.

London, Nov. 11.—King Edward celebrated his sixty-fourth birthday yesterday at Sandringham. Congratulatory telegrams poured in from all parts of the world. The usual salutes were fired.

Farmer Commits Suicide.

Faribault, Minn., Nov. 12. — Peter Woolstrum, aged 55, committed suicide yesterday. He left a note telling where his body would be found. He shot himself in the left breast. No reason is known for the act.

News of the Northwest.

RUNS AMUCK WITH AX.

Delirium Tremens Victim Creates Terror on Busy Street.

Minneapolis, Nov. 10. — James Patterson, a wandering laborer who recently came to Minneapolis from Chicago, created a miniature reign of terror in the neighborhood of First street and Third avenue north yesterday. Patterson suddenly was seized with a violent attack of delirium tremens and, armed with an ax, cleared the street of pedestrians and threatened to do great bodily harm to any one who crossed his path. He was finally arrested and now occupies a padded cell.

GOLL'S CASE IS CONTINUED.

Cashier's Trial Under Indictment Will Be Heard in January.

Milwaukee, Nov. 10. — The trial of the case of Henry G. Goll, former assistant cashier of the Milwaukee First National bank, charged in various indictments with aiding and abetting Frank G. Bigelow in his big defalcation, has been postponed until the January term, upon request of United States District Attorney Butterfield. Judge Quarles, who has been listening to arguments on the demurrer in Goll's case, will render a decision next week. In the meantime Goll will continue to be at liberty on bail.

EIGHT MEN ARE INDICTED.

Federal Grand Jury Announces Results in Idaho Land Frauds.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 10.—The official list of those indicted by the United States grand jury, which has been investigating land frauds at Moscow, Idaho, has just been made public. The following are indicted: W. F. Kettenbach, on three counts; George H. Kester, two counts; Clarence W. Robinette, three counts; William Dwyer, two counts; Ed Knight, one count; C. W. Colby, one count; Fred Emery, one count; W. B. Benton, one count. All the indicted men reside in Lewiston. Kettenbach and Kester are bankers who were indicted by a previous grand jury.

RIVER SEASON CLOSES.

Best Year Since the Old Days Is Enjoyed on Mississippi.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 10—The season on the river in this section has closed with the exception of a few raft boats which are bringing down the last brails of logs before cold weather. The local packet Lion has gone to the bank. The government fleets now are being taken to the winter quarters in the Black river at La Crosse and in Fountain City bay. The season now closing is said to have been the most prosperous for all connected with towing and transportation of any since the old days.

33,000,000 TONS SHIPPED.

Year's Ore Movement From Upper Lakes Breaks Records.

New York, Nov. 10. — Preliminary figures indicate that 4,000,000 tons of iron ore were shipped from the upper lake ports in the month of October, bringing the total for the season beyond 29,500,000. Shipments this month are expected to bring the total for the year to 33,000,000, which will exceed any previous yearly record by about 5,000,000 tons.

MINING TOWN IS BURNED.

Supposed Incendiary Fire Destroys Fourteen Buildings.

Deadwood, S. D., Nov. 10.—Fourteen dwelling houses and store buildings were destroyed by fire yesterday at Roubaix, a mining town twelve miles south of this city. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. The property loss is partly covered by insurance.

Railroad Agent Arrested.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Nov. 10. — A sensation has been caused by the arrest at Hampton of M. G. Ogle, agent of the Iowa Central, charging larceny. It is claimed that he was implicated in the wholesale theft of coal from the railroad, and it is said that prominent citizens of the town will be involved, and that other arrests will follow.

Sangster Pleads Not Guilty.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—S. W. Sangster, who was recently arrested in Kansas, following charges that he had sent poisoned candy to his wife and daughter, was arraigned in court here yesterday. He pleaded not guilty and in default of bail was taken back to jail.

Arrested on Forgery Charge.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 10. — George Monroe and Samuel Jacobson were arrested here yesterday, charged with forging two checks at Mankato, Minn. They will be taken back by officers from that city.

Worked Bogus Checks.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 10.—A man representing himself as a traveling glassware salesman from St. Paul worked two Dakota village merchants to cash bogus checks for small amounts and made his escape.

Crack Saloon Safes.

Yankton, S. D., Nov. 10—Safes in the saloons of Matthias Olson and Martin Olson at Volin were cracked Tuesday night. The robbers secured $150 and left no clue to their identity. They cut all wires and isolated the town.

ATTORNEY IS FINED.

St. Paul Man Held in Contempt of Judge Webber's Court.

Redwood Falls, Minn., Nov. 12—Fred B. Phillips, a young St. Paul attorney, was fined $250 for contempt of court by Judge Webber in the district court yesterday. An alternative was six months in jail. Either is the limit in such a case. Phillips immediately took an appeal to the supreme court. Phillips, with E. S. Cary of Minneapolis, has been engaged for a long time in attempting to prevent the Mos of Sleepy Eye from obtaining absolute control and possession of 400 acres of land in Springdale township, this county, valued at $16,000, for about $6,000. The land formerly belonged to Phillips' father, Rev. Robert Phillips, a superannuated Methodist minister of Ceylon. During the harvesting of the crop this year Hans Mo got out an injunction restraining the Phillips people from interfering with him in the cutting and threshing. When court opened here on Wednesday Mo submitted an affidavit to the effect that he had been interfered with by Fred B. Phillips, and asked that the latter be punished for contempt. The testimony of Mo was offered and Judge Webber adjudged Phillips guilty of contempt and imposed the fine of $250, or six months in jail.

$3,400 IS MISSING.

Express Cashier Is Accused at Billings.

Billings, Mont., Nov. 12. — Charles E. Sollin, cashier of the Northern Pacific company's office in this city, was arrested here yesterday afternoon on the charge of grand larceny. The particular shortage for which Sollin was arrested was the theft of two express packages, each containing $50, but it is expected that his entire shortage will reach about $3,400. Sollin had become infatuated with a woman upon whom he is said to have lavished large sums, far beyond his income. Sollin is well educated and of good appearance and dress. He was a member of the Episcopal church choir here. His father and family reside in Valley City, N. D., and are said to be prominent people.

HEIRESS HELD FOR RANSOM.

Agnes Pfifer Kidnapped Near Prairie du Chien.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Nov. 12.—Agnes Pfifer, an orphan sixteen years old, was kidnapped from the school grounds during recess at the Ryder schoolhouse in the town of Wauzeka Thursday afternoon, and it is believed is being held for ransom. Two men seized the girl from among a crowd of children at play, forced her into a closed carriage, and drove away at a gallop. The school teacher saw the affair, but did not report it to the authorities until she dismissed her pupils for the day. The girl is heir to considerable property and it is believed that she will be held for ransom. No clue to her whereabouts has been found.

FIRE BURNS SIX STACKS.

Incendiary Believed to Be at Work at Spring Valley.

Spring Valley, Minn., Nov. 12.—W. A. Hall of this city lost by fire on his farm, nine miles south of here, four stacks of wheat and one each of oats and barley. The fire is supposed to be the work of incendiary. There were thirteen stacks in that setting. Those destroyed were in the center. The remaining stacks were not burned, because of the recent rain and snowstorm.

ECKLUND GOES FREE.

American Embassy Directs His Release at Scotland Yard.

London, Nov. 12. — Peter Auguste Ecklund, who surrendered himself to the authorities of Scotland Yard on Oct. 23, charging himself with the embezzlement of $11,000, while secretary and treasurer of the Clay County Land Company of Moorhead, Minn., was released yesterday by request of the American embassy. He is not wanted by the Minnesota Authorities.

HARVESTING OATS.

Farmers Unable to Cut Grain Until After the Ground Was Frozen.

Moorhead, Minn., Nov. 12.—The oats harvest is on full swing in many parts of the Red river valley. Many fields were so wet that binders could not be run on them until the ground froze. It is said that a good many farmers will be able to save a good part of their oats in this way.

600 Miners Are Idle.

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 12. — More than 600 miners are idle in the Hocking coal district near Oskaloosa and not a bushel of coal is being mined where the output was nearly 2,000 tons per day. Trouble arose over operators' charges for hauling miners to and from mines over the Iowa Central railway. The miners objected to the charges.

State Wants Evidence.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 12.—The body of Halvord Nyman, the old man whom Nels Grenberg admits having poisoned, has been exhumed by the coroner and the stomach has been sent to the state chemist for analysis.

PAY TRIBUTE TO GOV. AUSTIN.

Many Old Friends of Former Governor Attend Funeral.

St. Paul, Nov. 11. — Many friends, comrades and former associates of Former Gov. Horace Austin gathered to do honor to his memory at the funeral which was held from the residence of Gen. Mark D. Flower yesterday afternoon. The services, which were simple but very impressive, were conducted by Dr. Samuel G. Smith, pastor of the people's church.

The honorary pallbearers were Gov. J. A. Johnson, Judge H. C. Hicks, Capt. H. A. Castle, Former Gov. Hubbard, Gen. Flower, Congressman Loren Fletcher, Senator M. E. Clapp, Congressman F. C. Stevens, Former Gov. S. R. Van Sant, G. S. Ives, Col. Donahower, H. W. Childs, Prof. Judson Jones and Dr. W. W. Folwell, all of whom were present except Former Gov. Van Sant.

The active pallbearers were C. H. McGill, R. C. McGill, Trevor McClurg, Dr. James Gilfillan, H. W. Benton and Dr. A. G. Bennett.

The interment was at Oakland, following crematory services at Forest cemetery.

IS WORLD'S MILLET CENTER.

Claremont, S. D., Develops Shipping Facilities for All Grains.

Claremont, S. D., Nov. 11.—It is the proud boast of the people of Claremont that during the past two years the city has taken its place as the greatest primary market in the world for the shipment of millet seed. The town has also made a great record as a wheat shipping point. During the current season a single elevator has shipped out about one hundred carloads of wheat, and has paid to farmers in exchange for grain as much as $6,000 a day. This is only one of a number of elevators, and it is probable the others have done equally as well corn raising has also proved a success in this locality during the last few years, and Claremont is becoming a great market for the shipment of the finished product in stock for beef and portk.

BOY DROWNS IN LAKE.

Minneapolis Youth Meets Death While Hunting.

Minneapolis, Nov. 11.—John Lecelle, fourteen years of age and living in Minneapolis, was drowned while hunting at Peltier lake, near Centerville Lecelle took his gun Tuesday morning and started for the lake, which is about half a mile from the village. He got a boat and rowed out into the lake and that was the last seen of him. It was not known until yesterday, when the boat was found bottomside up upon the water, that the boy had been drowned. A search is being made for the boy's body, but so far it has not been discovered.

MURDERED FROM AMBUSH.

Menominee Man Gets Rifle Bullet in His Heart.

Marinette, Wis., Nov. 11. — Frank Lucas of Menominee was murdered late yesterday afternoon while driving along the state road north of here, a rifle bullet entering his heart. A coroner's jury last night found Lucas died by a shot fired by an unknown person. It was at first believed the shot was accidental, but an investigation showed there was a clearing on each side of the road, giving a view for some distance, and the shot was fired from a clump of bushes near the road. Lucas leaves a family.

KILLED BY WAGON.

Frank Rogge Victim of Fatal Accident at Jordan.

Jordan, Minn., Nov. 11. — Frank Rogge was instantly killed in an accident. While driving a load of wood down an incline a swerve of the road dislodged some of the contents of the wagon, which, falling on the horses, frightened them. Rogge was thrown off his seat and fell beneath a wheel He was badly crushed. Andrew Erkens, who was with Rogge, was also thrown off the wagon, but he escaped with a few bruises.

LEARNS THE FULL RESULT.

Man Who Wrecked Train as an Experiment Gets Life Sentence.

Marengo, Iowa, Nov. 11.—Erick von Kutzleben, an alleged German baron, who caused a train wreck on the Rock Island at Homestead last spring just "to see what would happen," was sentenced to life imprisonment yesterday. Attorneys entered the plea of insanity, but failed to substantiate it, and after deliberating a few hours the jury found a verdict of guilty. A number of lives were lost in the deliberately planned wreck.

State Land Sales.

St. Paul, Nov. 11.—At the state land sale in Wadena county last Monday 5,000 acres of land were sold at an average price of $8 per acre, and at the sale in Todd county on Tuesday 6,500 acres were sold at an average of $9 an acre.

Thieves Rob Winona Residence.

Winona, Minn., Nov. 11.—The residence of J. R. Watkins, one of Winona's wealthiest men, was entered last night and furs and silverware valued at over $1,000 were taken. A reward of $400 is offered for the apprehension of the thieves.

BUY AT HOME

The Difference Between Ordering by Mail From a Catalogue House and Buying at Your Home Store.

There is much difference between buying goods at a home place of business and ordering them by mail from a catalogue house from a mere picture or description.

We want to point out to you a few facts that you may never have even thought of. Here you go into a store and make your wants known. The salesman shows you the desired article and if necessary helps select or suggests to you the article best suited to you. Right there you have a chance to examine the quality, to see the style, to select the size and color, as the case may be; you can compare the different qualities, etc., and then if all is satisfactory, and in your judgment the price right, you will make the purchase. When you get home and upon a rigid examination you find a flaw or crack in your purchase, or maybe in size too large or small, or blue instead of black, then the next day or a week after you go to town to your Mr. Dealer, who will gladly exchange the item or refund you the money.

Then how many times does your home dealer extend you credit? Has he not waited on you until your crops matured or until your produce is ready for market or until pay day? All these are accommodations you can get only at home, and are, at times, of much help.

Pictures Lie.

On the other hand, you order an article by mail. You look through the catalogue. The item is there (that is, a picture and a smoothly written description). We know that the picture of a $5.00 suit looks as good as the one for $20.00. You read the description; it seems to be what you want, and you send the money, because they want the money with your order. You can order the goods on inspection by sending part in money, balance C. O. D., but there is usually so much inconvenience in refusing a shipment that nine times out of ten you will accept the goods though they are not what you expected to get.

When the article comes it is not what you expected, it may not fit, or something is broken or has a flaw in it. If Mr. Catalogue man was right there you would not accept it, but he is so far away, he has your money. He says he will send money back, but rather than go to all that trouble you would accept the shipment. We know of one particular instance where a good fellow ordered a heating stove, think it was $8.95. When the stove came he was very much disappointed. It was a very small size. He told us he never got any use of it. Now if this same man had gone to one of our dealers and seen this same stove at $8.95 he would never have bought it; he would have selected one at $12 or $14 and obtained the right kind for his use and been satisfied.

More Illustrations.

Another case came under our notice recently. A certain young man needed a suit of clothes. Our home dealers had them, but after reading the glowing description in these catalogues, he thought we were entirely too high priced. He ordered—the suit came. It was to have been all wool (we know it wasn't). Then the style of the coat was from a few years back. It was a misfit, being fully a size too large, but he had sent the money.

Another time a good farmer ordered five rolls of barb wire. When it came and he had paid the freight, he found he could have saved $1 and a good deal of time and trouble by buying at home. Also this came to our notice: A man ordered wire fencing. The picture looked so good he desired to put it up around his home. When it came it was so different that he stored it away in his smoke house, as it was not suited for his use at all. We know of scores of other instances where goods received were not up to expectations.

We know it to be a fact that vehicles and farm machinery bought from some of these concerns which looked cheap at the time of purchase, but after a few years' usage proved that had these people bought from their home dealer, although at a higher price, they would actually have received more for their money—and so it is all through the line.

Harness Poor Grades.

Take harness and saddlery; there are several good reasons why you should buy of your home dealer. First, all the harness is made right here at home in a careful manner out of the best quality oak tanned leather—not like Mr. Catalogue Man does—who simply goes to a manufacturer and says, at what price can you make so many sets of harness, something that I can give a good description of, but caring not how it is made or how long it will last? He does not expect to sell more than one set to a customer, for experience has proved that when some one had a set sent they did not desire a second one. Another thing. If you have an old set of harness or collar to repair, does Mr. Catalogue Man repair them for you? No! If you want a new set of harness you can bring your catalogue with you to the home dealer and he will be glad to figure with you and save you from $1 to $3 a set. Then here you can examine the goods, have changes made if you like, and your money will stay at home and do this community some good.

The Way They Do It.

The mail order house will take a well-known brand of shotgun, say the Smith Hammerless, and offer it at $25. This gun they describe with a few lines and send a small cut or picture of it.

Next page they will use a large cut of their own brand of gun, and what they do not say about this gun is not worth saying. This wonderful gun they price at $19.87, and according to description this gun is worth a great deal more.

The reader orders the $19.87 gun, on which the supply house makes a profit of 50 per cent, while if he had ordered the $25 gun they would not have made 5 per cent. But listing a well-known brand at a cheap price establishes confidence and helps them gain their point to sell their own brand at a big profit.

It would set city people wild if these supply houses actually had values with style and quality. They would not need to leave their own large cities to sell at the prices they quote, as the city people would go wild over the bargains. But with style and value lacking they dare not show their goods in the city where the prospective customer would have the opportunity for comparison, but by cleverly worded and exaggerated description they make the country people believe they are offering more desirable wares than the country merchant keeps at a less price, and having no opportunity for comparison before buying, many people are actually duped.

Baits of Leaders.

We know it is a fact that many articles are priced in these catalogues cheaper than you can find them in your home stores. Have you ever thought of the reason why that is? It is not because he cannot get these goods and sell them to you at just as low prices, but it is because he is afraid to sell you articles that have no merit and because you can reach him daily and expect him to make it good. You expect to get goods of satisfactory quality or he may lose your trade. He is your personal friend and is afraid to sell you goods he cannot recommend. If he had never seen you nor expected to, and is several hundred miles away and could get the money first, he would be in a different position.

Remember we don't want to say that you can't get good goods from these concerns, for we know that you can, but these better grades cost you as much and more than they do at home, with the exception of a few baits and leaders.

There is still one more thing to bear in mind and which we think a serious one. Supposing the mail order houses could sell goods cheaper and everybody would order their goods from them—the local stores would soon be no more and you would then be obliged to send for everything. Remember a store cannot be kept up with the small purchases if the money is sent away for the big things. You have then succeeded in ruining your home trade and you have helped to build up an enormous corporation in some faraway city. Your home consumption and market would decrease, the value of your farms and houses would become less valuable, for you well know if a town goes back the value of it and its surroundings decrease. Sending your money away you get nothing but the goods; spending it at home it will come back to you in better towns, better stores, better schools, better churches and better social advantages.

Home Industries.

Is not the building up of your small town more to you than the building up of some faraway city? Is it not a fact that if our town had 10,000 population instead of 1,000 it would be better for us all? Would there not be much more employment; would not these people consume more products and consequently make a better market; would not the small homes with one lot be doubled in value and every farm within a radius of ten miles be worth $10 to $50 an acre more? Therefore is it only a good thing for the merchant or tradesman if you buy of him? Is it not just as good a thing for you?

Another thing. You probably have a family and some time one of your sons may think of going into business for himself. Where is there a chance for the young man with a limited capital to ever become a merchant when the people send their money to build up these gigantic corporations to compete with your son or your son's son?

Home Interests First.

True citizenship is not all in rallying around the "Star-Spangled Banner" of our country and singing "Hail Columbia." The spirit of true patriotism is shown by the man who patronizes home industry first, last and all the time.

It is quite amusing to read the smooth talk used in catalogues to deceive readers into sending their orders. They say that goods are sent in plain packages because many merchants who buy of them to sell again object to having their name appear on boxes, etc. We want to tell you we honestly believe not a single merchant in this United States orders any goods from these concerns. He cannot buy from them and stay in business. A good merchant buys from the manufacturers. The statement is made to make you, Mr. Reader, believe that you can buy as cheap as your merchant.

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A BLOW TO BOSSISM

Bossism was given a blow at the elections last week wherever the voters had a chance.

In New York City Hearst was undoubtedly elected mayor, even though he may be counted out, over the combined opposition of Republicans and Democrats. Jerome, the fearless district attorney, who has fought graft and machine politics with all the vigor at his command, has been reelected, although he was not nominted by either of the great parties

In Ohio, Herick has been defeated for governor and a Democratic legislature elected; which insures the defeat of Senator Foraker, one of the prize exhibits in the boss gallery.

In San Francisco the labor candidate for mayor wins over the combined opposition of Democrats and Republicans.

In Philadelphia the reform ticket wins by an overwhelming majority, and Pennsylvania elects a Democrat is state treasurer.

In Cleveland, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Buffalo and other cities where municipal elections were held, the gangs have been cleaned out, and representative governments established.

The elections do not show a Democratic victory, though the Democratic victory, though the Democratic party profits most by the overturning of Republican states and cities. It is rather a victory over "graft" and machine politics. The people are aroused, and they have shown by their votes that they will no longer submit to the insolent dictation of corporations political machines.

A new era in politics has been reached. The wave of independence last year that gave us Folk, LaFollette, Deneen, Jonnson and Douglas is still spreading until its force is irresistible. The day is gone, may we hope forever, when any man can ask for an election to an office because he is a Republican or a Democrat. Honesty and a high sense of public duty are the prime requisites for positions of trust and power.

For the results of Tuesday's elections let every good citizen rejoice that they tend to make politics better and purer. The agitation of the past few years has had the effect of quickening the public conscience to a sense of duty, and the voter is clubbing a dishonest political head wherever it is raised.

THE GOVERNOR AT WINDOM

Governor Johnson was at Windom last week to make an address on the occasion of the dedication of Cottonwood county's new court house. The people of Windom, quite naturally, fell in love with the governor and the Reporter, one of the strong Republican papers of the state — and one which supported the Republican nominee last year, says of him:

"Chairman Ewert then introduced Gov. Johnson who has become one of the really finished orators of Minnesota, who spoke for half an hour. Being forced to return to St. Paul on the first train he necessarily had to be brief but for half an hour held his audience in a trance with his eloquence and appeal to the people to insist upon a rigid and healthy enforcement of the law. As a building stands for justice he urged the people to insist that justice be done to the big as well as the little offender He told the people that when they demanded enforcement of the law the officers would follow their demands and give it, but told them that enforcement of law is in response to public opinion and if public opinion is not right grafters and thieves will overrun the public. His address was logically correct, learned and wise, and made him many friends. If he were not known to have been elected as a democrat his sentiments could not have been distinguished from those expressed by President Roosevelt. In fact the governor was elected by Republican votes and the Republicans who voted for him were not disappointed in his oration.

"The Reporter only regrets that it could not get a verbatim report of his address. It was so candid, so strong, so patriotic, so good, that it ought to be preserved and filed in the archives of the county. In a hundred years from now people would rejoice to read what was said at this dedication, and nothing could be more interesting than the address of the governor of Minnesota on this memorable occasion."

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

A number of country newspapers have enlisted in the cause of arousing the people to the importance of having a people's man for lieutenant-governor. It is well. That officer names the committees of the corporation controlled senate, and these committees shape the legislation. In the they might expect. Some one else past the people have got just what than a Ray Jones should deal the cards.—Elbow Lake Herald.

Thus another good paper is talking along the right lines on the matter of lieutenant governor. The country newspaper can do great work from now until convention time next year by impressing upon voters the importance that should be attached to the office of lieutenant governor. In order to get good, clean men on senate committees you must have a good clean man as president of the senate, and none should lose sight of the fact that senate committees have a great power in shaping legislation.—Brown's Valley Tribune.

The Lieutenant Governor plays an important part in the state government and for a great many years the people have been indifferent to the need of a good man in this position. This indifference gave us the spectacle of D. M. Clough as governor, and the record of the present occupant of the office does not savor of high political ideals. It is time that both parties put forth good men for minor state offices and it is also time that the voters spent a little time investigating the fitness of candidates all the way down the line.

A WESTERN editor has come to the conclusion that the people who desire "puffs" in his paper must pay for them and has establishet the following prices: "For telling the public that a man is a successful citizen when everybody knows he is as lazy as a government mule, $2.75: referring to a deceased citizen as one who is mourned by the entire community when he knew he will only be missed by poker circles, $1.08; referring to some gallivanting female as an estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet, when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, horns hoofs, and all, than to see her coming towards them, $3.10; calling an ordinary pulpit pounder an eminent divine, 60c; sending a tough sinner to heaven with poetry, $5.00"

THE editor of the Fairmont Independent urges that as the editor of THE COURIER would not support the Savior of mankind if he was on the Republican ticket, there is no excuse for THE COURIER'S "butting in" on the Republican game. As the editor of the Independent would support his Satanic Majesty if approved by a Republican convention there is every reason in the world why he should "butt in" to his heart's content, but this furnishes no argument why the plain citizen, desirous of good government regardless of party, creed or nationality should follow the Independent's lead.

THE Duluth News-Tribune discovers that "the public is rapidly getting around to the frame of mind wherein a prominent citizen who betrays the trust reposed in him looks no better than a common grafter, and a common grafter no better than any other thief."

GOV. JOHNSON will within a few weeks appoint three members of the state highway commission. This commission was created by the last legislature, and provides that the commission shall handle all the money in the road and bridge fund. They will apportion it out among the various counties of the state, no one county to receive over 3 per cent of the fund or less than one half of one per cent. The commission must employ a clerk at a salary of $1,800 per year, who shall be a civil engineer. They can also employ a stenographer at $50 per month.

EX-CHIEF DEVERY of New York has coined a new phrase. He says: This feller Hearst got the zephyr vote yesterday. What's the zephyr vote? Why, I had 25,000 of them voters two years ago. A zephyr voter is a feller that comes up to you, gives you the glad hand, and tells you he's going to vote for you. Then he blows away into thin air on election day."

FORAKER of Ohio is a standpatter and an opponent of the president's railroad policy. He heard from his constitnents the other day. A Democratic governor was elected by 55,000 majority and both branches of the legislature are Democratic. Bossism and corporation dictation are getting a swat whenever the voter gets a chance.

STANDPATTISM was on trial in Massachusetts the other day. The Republican candidate for lieutenant governor made his campaign on the "no revision" platform and ran 33,000 votes behind his ticket, escaping defeat by less than 2,000. Will somebody carry the news to McCleary?

THERE must certainly be a decadence of party spirit when prominent Democrats urge the re-nomination of President Roosevelt by all the parties, and when strong and influential Republicans of Minnerota ask that their party indorse the candidacy of Governor Johnson for re-election.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a Cough or Cold, I have taken Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Hr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed at All Druggists. Trial bottle free.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY } ss

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905, at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
[illegible], Minnesota.

THE soliciting agents of the great insurance companies do not attempt to excuse the misconduct of their chiefs, and no class of men in the country regrets so deeply the recent exposures, says the Alexandria Post-News. As an exchange remarks, it hurts the soliciting agent financially and it hurts him personally. No man connected with the insurance business is made to suffer so keenly the disgrace which has come upon the three great companies. He comes in direct contact with the people, with the policy holders and with those who need life insurance and necessarily receives the blunt of the attacks upon the company which he represents. Don't jump upon the agent. He is doing the best he can.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota
County of Red Lake } ss

In the matter of the petition of A. T. Gorden and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 24.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 24 beginning at the southwest corner of section 6 in township 151, range 42, running thence north on the range line between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 1 in township 151 north, of range 43 west in Red Lake county, thence north on the range line between the southwest quarter of section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west and the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, thence running west on the quarter section line through the center of sections 36, 35, 34 and 33 in township 152 north, of range 43 west, to the west line of section 33, thence in a southwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 32 in said twp. 152 range 42 a distance of 400 feet and there terminating at a creek which empties into Red Lake river.

Also a branch ditch, commencing at the northeast corner of Section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west and running thence south on the range line between 31 in township 152, range 42 and section 36 in township 152, range 43 and terminating in the main ditch at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of said section 36 in township 152 north, of range 43 west.

Also a branch ditch specified by the engineer in his report as being necessary for the proper drainage of lands affected by the main ditch and described as follows: Commencing at a point 1249½ feet east and 750½ feet south of the northeast corner of section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west, thence running in a northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section 6 to the township line, thence west along said township line between section 6 in township 151 north, of range 42 west and section 31 in township 152 north, of range 42 west to the southwest corner of said section 31 in township 152 north of range 42 west, terminating at and emptying into the main ditch at the last named point as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of owners of lands and names of municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit: Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company, Andrew Johnson, John G. Anderson, C. C. Bergan, A. A. Cooper, Bernhard Thelander, Solomon Swenson, Peter Hogquist, Ole Wedul, Charles H. Foy, Otto Swenson, Sarah Hogquist, Henry J. Enderle, Hubert Haupt, G. A. Konikson, Anna Emanuelson, D. M. Clark, Fred Ulrich, Emil Just, Wilhelmina Just, R. E. Farley, William F. Seiter, E. A. Satterburg, Frank Satterberg, Charles A. Swanson, Anne Gordon, Annie Fangstrom, State of Minnesota, K. O. Gigstad, Ole Hanson, John Mabla, Lars A. Svenson, McCormick Harvesting Machine Co., Christ Martenson, Town of Wyandotte, Town of River Falls, Town of Gervais and Town of Emardville and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said county auditor, and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

And that therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the 24th day of November, 1905, at the county auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county at two o'clock p. m. of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon; and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn.

Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Ditch Petition.

State of Minnesota
County of Red Lake } ss

In the matter of the petition of Aug. Konikson and others, for a public ditch in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as county ditch No. 23.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the county auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch, designated and numbered by the county auditor of such county as county ditch No. 23 beginning at the southwest corner of section 12 in township 151, Range 43, (town of Gervais), in said county running thence through the following described lands to-wit: North on the section line between sections 11 and 12 in said town and range, thence west on the quarter section line through section 11 in said town and range to about the center thereof, thence running in a southwesterly direction through said section 11 to the southwest corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the eastern part of section 15 in said town and range to the southeast corner thereof, thence running in a southerly direction through the northeast quarter of section 22 and the west half of section 23 all in twp. 151, range 43 aforesaid and terminating at the southeast corner of section 23 in said Twp. 151, range 43 and having its outlet a creek or coulee as appears by the report of the engineer hereinafter mentioned and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of the municipal and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as appears in the report of the viewers hereafter mentioned are as follows, to-wit: Ingra Hammer, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ry Co., C. A. Sweneen, Oscar Anderson, Sjur M. Harbolen, Bengt Anderson, J. B. Kempton, William Schwalen, James L. Taylor, Middlesex Banking Company, H. M. Martinson, L. O. Thorpe, Peter A. Konikson, Frank O'Meara, J. C. Brown, Abraham Johnson, the township of Gervais, Caroline Lunde, August E. Craft, Henry M. Martinson, John Loffelmarker, W. M. Erb, Andrew N. Ydstie and John Suchomel; and that the engineer appointed by the board of county commissioners of said county to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon, and filed the same in the office of said County auditor; and that the viewers appointed by said board of county commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said county auditor.

And that, therefore, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Friday, the 24th day of November 1905, at the county auditor's office in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyor's and viewers' report thereon, and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said board of county commissioners at said time for or against the construction of said ditch.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
(Seal) County Auditor,
Red Lake Co., Minn.

OLD PEOPLE

Their Pains and Ailments

Any taint of the blood quickly shows itself with old people, and troubles, which a younger, more vigorous constitution holds in check, take possession of those of advanced years. A mole, wart or pimple often begins to inflame and fester, terminating in a sore that refuses to heal. Wandering pains of a rheumatic character are almost constant, the joints get stiff and the muscles sore, while sleeplessness and nervousness make life a burden. The natural activity of the body is not so great in old age and all the organs get dull and sluggish, failing to carry out the waste matters and poisons accumulating in the system and they are taken up and absorbed by the blood, rendering it weak and unable to properly nourish the system. There is no reason why old age should not be as healthy as youth if the blood is kept pure and strong. S. S. S. is purely vegetable and is the safest and best blood purifier and tonic for old people, because it is gentle, but at the same time thorough in its action, purifying the blood of all poisons and foreign matter, strengthening it and toning up the entire system by its fine tonic effect. Almost from the first dose the appetite increases, the general health begins to improve and the pains and ailments pass away.

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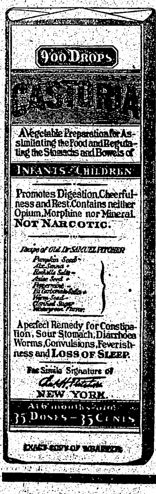
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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

The Courier $1. one year,

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans,

Rev. Christman of Grafton, spent Sunday in the city.

L. C. Simons was a business visitor at St. Hilair Wednesday.

Rev. Fr. Ansgar returned from a trip to Crookston Friday.

S. M. Sivertson was at St. Hiliare on business last Saturday.

Mrs. Kinseth went to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a short visit.

Miss Etta Zaiser was was a passenger on Saturday last for St. Hilaire.

Anthony Quesnell, a former resident, is making a few days visit in the city.

Ed. L. Healy made a hurried business trip to Grand Forks last Saturday.

Mrs. Con Short, Mrs. Walker and Mr. Lynch drove in from Lillo Sunday.

A. M. Anderson was at Thief River Falls last Saturday between trains.

Ed. Vandrin of Gentilly was an over night visitorat Philip Demerais Monday.

Miss Bergen of Crookston is the stenographer at the Bank of Red Lake Falls.

Dr. and Mrs. I. Lemieux were over Sunday visitors at the Stuhr home at Euclid.

Arthur C. Bandur, of the Crookston Journal is foreman at the Courier office this week.

Lars Klove and party left Tuesvia Great Northern for Greenbush on a hunting trip.

Julius Pleth the land man of Plummer was transacting business at the county seat Tuesday.

James Haule, a former resident of Terrebonne is now living in the Sieff house on Champagne Ave.

Mr. Iver Amundson of Rice Lake, Wis., is looking over land in this vicinity with a veiw of purchasing.

Nauman Bros. report the purchase and arrival at the Glen Oak Farm of a Registered Oxford down ram.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Champeau of Red Lake Falls visited with Terrebonne and Badger relatives Sunday.

Try an "I Lead" cigar, only 5c, guaranteed to give satisfaction; if you want something better smoke a "B. B."

Count Surveyor Wood is here on business matters pertaining to the new ditches.

K. M. Hansen and family are moving into the Frank LaBissonier house on Champagne Ave.

Robt. Eitel of Marshall, Minn., spent a few days at this city and vicinity looking over his land holdings.

Mrs. Hoernig after an extended visit at the Schreiter home returned to her home at Oskosk, Wis., Wednesday.

Mrs. Kretzschmar returned to Thief River Falls Saturday after an extended visit at the W. A. Schreiter home.

Mr. Lloyd, now of Fargo, formerly on the Courier staff was a business visitor here the latter part of last week.

Henry Viegel is now occnpying the house known as the Wm Zaiser home. He says he really has moved this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufer moved into the Deloge house last Monday where they will make their winter quarters.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Inquire at the Big Store.

Will Cyr departed Wednesday evening for Willow City, N. D., where he will remain for the winter months.

There is but one unclaimed letter at the Red Lake Falls Postoffice for the week ending Nov. 11 namely, Bert Reves.

F. J. Parker of Marshall is spending a few days looking over his land holdings and seeing to the threshing of his crop.

Miss Clara Marchand spent Saturday with her mother in Red Lake Falls. She returned here Sunday after-noon.

Miss Catherine Pirath came down last Friday for an over night visit with her parents returning to St. Hilaire Saturday.

Rufus Poirier a former Red Lake Falls boy, now of Brooks where he has charge of the lumber yard was a Sunday visitor.

Miss Florence Gervais will entertain at Mrs. W. P. O'Briens on Thursday afternoon, the 23rd of Nov. All are cordially invited.

F. J. Parker and a party of landseekers arrived this morning and are being shown over the country by Bourdon and Simons.

John R. Gotheir just north of town was a pleasant caller at our office this week. He reports fairly good crop returns this year.

Great Northern carpenters are building a new pump house. A gasoline engine will be installed in lieu of the old steam engine.

Aug. Morin, the contractor, was in from Brooks Sunday. He has the contract and is now erecting the new school house at Brooks.

For Sale, or will Trade for cattle, one team of three year old colts. Call on undersigned, three miles east of city. Geo. Walker. 4-6

There will be no church services at the Presbyterian Church Sunday but the Sunday school and Young Peoples meeting will be held as usual.

The auction sale held at the James Suttor farm west of Wylie last week was largely attended and almost everything offered was sold at a fair price.

Street Commissioner Deforge has about completed the gravelling of the important street crossings in town. This is a commendable piece of work.

J. L. Cohoon, State Agent of the Phoenix of Hartford was in the city Saturday adjusting the loss on the millinery stock of Miss Katherine Ford.

Mrs. Wm Findeisen entertained Mrs. Hoernig, Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, Mrs. W. P. O'Brien and Miss Marie O'Brien at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday.

Miss Marie O'Brien left Wednesday evening for her home at Belvediere, Ill., after having spent a year or more at the home of her brother Wm. P. O'Brien.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Found a good pair of buckskin mits at the elevator in charge of James Hance. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Lost, between the Chas Bourdon residence and the school house a pin with an opal setting prized as an heirloom. Call at the Courier office for suitable reward.

Ole J. Romsos left Wednesday for his new home at Sarles, N. D., at which point Romsos Bros., formerly of Wylie, are engaged in the general Merchandise business.

The many friends of Mrs. Jos. Normondin will be pleased to leann that she is gradually gaining in strength and recovering nicely from herrecent dangerous illness.

The card party under the auspices of the ladies of St. Mary's church at the home of Mrs. W. A. Schreiter is postponed to Tuesday evening the 21st. All are cordially invited.

The out of town attorneys attendcourt are C. H. Schellback, E. M. Slanton, Perl W. Maybe, H. W. Lee, S. Cooke all of Thief River Falls. C. M. Johnson of Detroit and H. L. Gaylord of Fertile.

E. E. Sugden who has been foreman at the Courier plant for the past few weeks departed for St. Paul Saturday where he has secured a position with one of the large printing concerns of that city.

Miss Anna Sutor, of this city, who has been engaged as one of the instructors at the Queen City Business College at Crookston for the past few months was a visitor at home between trains Saturday.

Messrs Simeon Vandrin and Joe Lecuiller and wives of Gentilly and Mr. Laframbois of N. Yakima Wash. passed through here Saturday on their way to the L. C. Cadieux home at Terrebonne. They were passers by again Monday afternoon.

The cabosse on the local Great Northern freight certainly looked the worse for wear on Friday of last week. While at Thief River Falls in some manner the cabosse caught fire, presumably from an exploding lamp, and the cabosse was burned to the wheels.

E. E. Fletcher, F. F. Fletcher and Charley Seegar were the first hunting party from here this season. They report deer as not very plentiful and hunting very poor on account of the fact of there being no snow. They got one deer and considered themselves very fortunate.

Thos. Cromp is enjoying a visit from his aunt, St. John of God, the Mother Provinicial of the Congregation of Jesus and Mary, of Montreal, Quebec. She will visit here but a few days and will then resume her journey to Portland, Oregon where she will be stationed for some time.

Men's Unreasonableness.

is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured and can now perform all her household duties." Guaranteed by all Druggists, 50c.

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John Kirsch one of the firm of Kirsch Bros publisher of the Crookston Journal spent Tuesday in the city giving us the benefit of his years of experience in the printing business. Needless to add we were very glad to him and he can rest assured of a hearty welcome whenever he comes this way again.

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players have lived up to these requirements with a result that has been clearly shown. Crookston certainly had favorable conditions to work under and the chief one is the large number of boys they had to pick their team from. A team that has enough candidates so that rivalry is created for a position on the team and then have enough players left over to form a second team, certainly should show better results. Here, the team was picked from a High School that contained 18 boys, creating no rivalry for positions and not enough players for a resemblance of a second team.

But spirit is what counted here and what would have counted at Crookston if they had only possessed it. The team that shows it, shows up well in all other requirements for a "Championship Team."

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Important Change of Time.

The Great Northern Railway announces that on and after November 19th new passenger service will be inaugurated between Crookston and Greenbush, daily except Sunday, as follows: Leave north bound Red Lake Falls at 10;25 a m leave south bound Red Lake Falls at 5;35 p m.

How About John Lind?

Wadena Pioneer-Journal: Within a week two former governors of Minnesota died. Gov. McGill died last week Thursday, and Monday night Gov. Austin died at Minneapolis. Both of these governors were elected from St. Peter. At present there are but five living former governors, Govs. Hubbard, Merriam, Nelson, Clough and Van Sant.

SEE HOW, WE HAVE GROWN

$25,000 Increase Since last Statement.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK

Bank Statement.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF MERCHANTS STATE BANK, at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on Nov. 9, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts			$82,942.28
Overdrafts			713.04
Banking house, furniture and fixtures			5,149.74
Other real estate			757.75
Due from banks		$35,196.69	
Checks and cash items		3,507.53	
Currency	$3,100.00		
Gold	1,005.00		
Silver	800.00		
Fractional	46.16		
Total Cash assets		43,655.38	43,655.38
Total			$133,218.19

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$15,000.00
Surplus fund		3,000.00
Undivided profits, net		2,817.09
Dividends unpaid	$ 750.00	
Deposits subject to check	48,331.54	
Demand certificates	1,192.52	
Cashier's checks	567.53	
Total immediate liabilities	50,841.59	
Time certificates	61,559.51	
Total deposits	112,401.10	112,401.10
Total		$133,218.19

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, ss.

I, J. A. Duffy, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. DUFFY, Cashier.

Attest:

CHAS. N. BOURDON } Directors.
THEO. LaBISSONAIRE }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Nov. A. D. 1905.

P. P. POULIOT, Notary Public.

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Good Rice, 22 lbs for	$1
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Good clean Raisins 16 lbs for	$1
Crackers by box	6½c
Dried Pears	lb 8c
Smoking Tobacco	lb 15c
Tapioca 25 lbs for	$1
Pearl Barley, 25 lbs for	$1
Heinz, 5 lb preserves.	85c
1 Gal. Rock Candy Syrup	42c
Olives, per qt.	30c
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It was at a big meeting that all this was said, more of a citizens' meeting than a church gathering, and Mr. Dukes asked:

"Now, what can you do for the preacher? I don't intend to put the burden of my living upon any one family, but upon all of you, turn and turn about. I will not, however, go where the latch string is not hanging out of the door. What can you do for the preacher?"

One old lady who had a dim recollection of a small church in the pine woods of Georgia, when she was a girl, said:

"I kin eat him, but I can't sleep him."

"That's good; now who next?" asked the missionary.

"Well, if Sister Jenkins is gwine to eat him, I'll agree to sleep him, but I can't wash him."

"That's good; who next?"

Then another sister spoke up and said:

"Well, I'll wash him, but I ain't much on biled shirts."—Florida Times-Union.

A Real Wonder.

"So your ancestors were Revolutionary heroes, Mr. McBluff?" said Mrs. Blugore.

"Oh, sure," replied the Westerner, "particularly my great-grandfather. Washington commended him."

"For gallantry in action?"

"Yes. He practically won the battle of Chicago."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Get at the Cause.

Sacramento, Ky., Nov. 13th (Special).—A typical illustration of the way Dodd's Kidney Pills cure Rheumatism is well told by Catherine Devine, who is very well known here. She says:

"For over four years I was greatly troubled with Rheumatism. It used to take me worst in my legs and feet. At times I would be so bad I could not put my feet to the ground. As I am over seventy-three years of age I began to think I was too old to get cured and should have to bear my Rheumatism the best way I could. But I heard about Dodd's Kidney Pills and thought I would give them a trial. So I got a box and began taking them. Well, I must say Dodd's Kidney Pills did me a wonderful lot of good. They eased the pain from the first, and today I am in better health than I have been for many years."

The Gospel of the Links.

The bishop of Manchester declares that of the people will not come to the church the church must go to the people, and follow them to their week-end resorts. It is, we hear, proposed to make a start by supplying golf links with missionaries, who will sing a short hymn after each drive. In the event of a foozle, the hymn will be sung with extraordinary vigor, in order to drown any lay remarks that may be made.—Punch.

Spoiled All

W. Carl Ely of Buffalo, the president of the American Street Railway association, was talking during the convention in Philadelphia about motormen's and conductors' adventures.

"A conductor came to me with a smiling face the other day," he said. He wanted to tell me what had happened on an incoming car.

"It seems that a middle-aged woman and her little son, a lad of six or seven years, got on the car, and as soon as they were seated the woman took a half dollar out of her pocket and handed it to the youngster to pay the fare with.

"The boy held the coin in his small fat hand, and examined it closely and solemnly.

"The conductor appeared for the fares and the youngster gave him the half dollar with owlish solemnity.

"The money was pocketed, and 40 cents in change was put in the small extended hand.

"As soon as he got this change the boy laughed, wriggled in his seat and shouted gleefully:

"'Oh, ma,' he's taken the bad half dollar.'"

FROM TEXAS.

Some Coffee Facts From the Lone Star State.

From a beautiful farm down in Texas, where gushing springs unite to form babbling brooks that wind their sparkling way through flowery meads, comes a note of gratitude for delivery from the coffee habit.

"When my baby boy came to me five years ago I began to drink Postum Food Coffee, having a feeling that it would be better for him and me than the old kind of drug-laden coffee. I was not disappointed in it, for it enabled me, a small, delicate woman, to nurse a bouncing, healthy baby 14 months.

"I have since continued the use of Postum for I have grown fond of it, and have discovered to my joy that it has entirely relieved me of a bilious habit which used to prostrate me two or three times a year, causing much discomfort to my family and suffering to myself.

"My brother-in-law was cured of chronic constipation by leaving off the old kind of coffee and using Postum. He has become even more fond of it than he was of the old coffee.

"In fact the entire family, from the latest arrival (a 2-year-old who always calls for his 'potie' first thing in the morning), up to the head of the house, think there is no drink so good or so wholesome as Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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CHAPTER III.

Love in Danger.

A bright, beautiful morning, with a gentle breeze sweeping down the fragrance of flower and shrub from the mountain slope. Ulin had eaten her breakfast, and, with Albia by her side, sat upon an open window, gazing out upon the park of fountains. As she thus sat, the slave woman Calypso entered the apartment and announced that the robber wished to see the Lady Ulin.

"What robber?" asked the princess.

"The same one that came yesterday."

Ulin did not stop to think whether the visit would be pleasant or otherwise. The man had signified his purpose, and as he was master in the palace, she had no idea of opposing him. Calypso withdrew, and presently afterwards the robber entered. He came in with the same noble step and bearing; the same pleasant, genial face; and with the same look and salute of reverence and respect.

"I trust that the Lady Ulin has passed a quiet night," he said, in deep sincerity.

"I have rested well, sir," she replied.

"Good. I am glad of that. I feared you might have bad dreams."

"Not many, sir."

"Ah—and did you have any such?"

"Not—not many."

"You dreamt that Julian was a demon, eh?"

"No, no, sir—my dreams were not of him."

"I hope, sweet lady, that you dreamed not darkly of me."

"No, sir. It was of—"

The maiden hesitated, and seemed troubled; but her visitor came to her assistance.

"Never mind, lady. I meant not to inquire into the secret twinings of your mind. I only hoped that I had not been unfortunate enough to excite the apprehension of your slumbering fancies."

He smiled as he spoke, at the same time moving a step nearer, and then adding:

"I am glad you have not suffered from our coming; for I have the more courage to ask you if you will see Julian."

"You said you would accompany him, sir."

"Yes."

"Then I may as well see him at one time as another. You may inform him that the lady Ulin rests her safety and honor in his manhood."

"He has been so informed, fair lady."

"Then, let him come."

"Gentle lady, pardon me if I have led you upon a fanciful way of thought. I am Julian. I am he whom men call the Scourge of Damascus. And now I crave your indulgence; but still I shall bow most humbly to your commands. At your word I leave this apartment; yet, I should like to speak a little further. I should like to explain more fully why I am here."

Was Ulin frightened? Not at all. She was startled when she first knew that the man before her was the dreadful Scourge, of whom she had heard so much; but it was an emotion of astonishment. At first she could hardly believe that she had heard the truth.

"You—Julian?" she murmured, gazing into his face.

"Aye, lady." And then he added, with a smile, "I suppose you expected to find me black and ugly, like the foul genii whom Solomon imprisoned in the sea. Am I right?"

"I did not think you were Julian," the maiden said, after some hesitation. As she spoke she seemed to gain new confidence and composure; and presently she added, "I had heard so much of your terrible deeds, that I expected to find a—"

"A monster," suggested Julian, helping her out.

"Not exactly that," returned Ulin, with a smile, "though I am free to confess that I should not have been so much surprised as I have been, if I had seen a worse looking man."

"Thank you," cried the robber laughing. "I shall take that as a compliment, and lay it up among the most precious of my recollections. I understand you; so, upon this point, I need only assure you that I am Julian, and that I must own the somewhat dubious title which has been bestowed upon me. And now, lady, may I sit here for a few moments, and speak with you further?"

The very thing Ulin had been upon the point of suggesting. She did not like to see him standing before her; nor was she anxious that he should leave her. She had a strong curiosity to hear him speak further. There was something in the appearance of the youthful adventurer that deeply interested her. She bade him be seated, and then, without intending to be heard, she murmured:

"So young!"

"Aye, lady," he said, catching the whispered words. "I am young—younger, perhaps, than I look. Only three-and-twenty years have cast their shadows upon me. At that age the youth of the city, just breaking from the bonds of parental restraint, is as a child; but with me it has been different. A parent I never knew. A kind, generous woman, who was my nurse, took the place of a mother during my earliest childhood; and a white-haired old man, who lived apart from the world, gave me my first lessons of life, and led me up till I could protect myself. A father's fostering care I never knew. A mother's love I never realized. The cruel blow which shattered the cup of my joys, killed my poor mother ere my tongue could lisp her name. As I grew to manhood I knew that I was an orphan, and that my misfortune was the work of the King of Damascus. O! how the iron settled into my soul. I had grown strong and resolute, as though heaven would enable me to work retribution upon the tyrant. Do you ask me if I enjoy the life I have led. I answer—I have made enjoyments for myself. I have felt a peculiar satisfaction in knowing that the king feared me. When I have heard my name spoken by the rich and powerful with fear and trembling, I have liked it; and when I have known that Horam dreaded my approach, I have felt that my labors were not without their result. But these have not been my joys. In Damascus the name of Julian is a terror; but there are other places where that name is spoken with love and gratitude. Upon the plains of Abilene, and in the mountain passes of Lebanon, where the busy craftsmen prepare timber for Jerusalem—there Julian is hailed as a friend and benefactor. The grim satisfaction of torturing the cruel King of Damascus is tempered and softened by the calmer atmosphere of these friendly regions."

Why did Ulin sit so still and listen with such rapt attention to the words of the speaker? She bent her head as though soft music were stealing o'er her senses; and she gazed upon the man before her as though a grand, inspiring picture had been unfolded to her vision. His words carried truth in their very sound, and all her sympathies had been aroused. She was a woman whose nature had not been warped by art; and the avenues to her soul were guarded only by the pure instincts of virtue and humanity. Not always the safest guard; but still the happiest when surrounding influences are not evil.

"And now, lady," pursued Julian, "I must tell you why I am here; and in doing this I speak only those words necessary to the truth. On my way from the plains I met a messenger, who informed me that a fair maiden had been shut up in the Palace of the Valley. I could not believe that a beautiful young virgin had willingly given herself to the desires of Horam. I thought she had been shut up thus against her own pleasure. With this belief I resolved to release her. The result you know. I have heard your story from the lips of the black slave who attends upon you, and she informs me that you are affianced to the king by your own consent, and without any desires on your part to the contrary. Is it so?"

"The slave told you truly, sir," replied Ulin, bowing her head, and speaking in a very low tone.

"And you came here to this place of your own free will?"

"Yes, sir. My period of mourning was not passed, and the king brought me hither that I might be more retired."

"And but for the death of your mother you would have been the king's wife ere this?"

Ulin replied in the affirmative; but her voice trembled, and she seemed to shudder at the thought thus presented.

"Lady," said Julian, showing some emotion, which he evidently did not mean to show, "for my seeming wrong I most humbly beg your pardon. I had thought to wrest from the grasp of the king one who was an unwilling captive; but since I find myself mistaken I will do all I can to make amends. A

"And," said the robber, rising to his feet, "it is better that I should leave you at once."

He stopped, and swept his hand across his brow, and when he resumed, his speech was very low, and his voice tremulous:

"This has been a most strange adventure; and as I now look upon it, it seems as though some mischievous sprite had planned it. As I live I thought when I came hither but such as I have told you of. I have met you, lady, and for the first time in my life I have felt my heart drawn warmly towards my native city. Henceforth there will be something in Damascus towards which my thoughts will turn with other sentiments than those of bitterness. Lady Ulin, we may never meet again. In this moment of our strange companionship, may I not take you by the hand?"

She could not have refused had she wished; but that she had no wish so to do was evident from the free and friendly manner in which she arose to meet him. She gave him her hand, and suffered him to raise it to his lips.

"Dear lady, should we never meet again, I trust that you will bear one kindly thought of Julian. If you are forced to think of the wrongs he has done, let a memory of the wrongs he has suffered be some extenuation. Bless you, lady! All good spirits guard and protect you, and peace be thine forevermore! Farewell!"

He turned and was gone. Ulin felt a warm spot upon her hand—a drop of moisture—a tear! She gazed upon it, and knew that it came not from her eye. It fell there with the kiss. A strange tribute from the Scourge of Damascus!

"Albia, I think I shall never see that man again; but I shall remember him with emotions far removed from fear or terror."

"You will remember him as little as possible, my mistress," said the slave girl, taking a seat close by Ulin's side, and resting her hand upon her arm.

"What mean you, Albia? Why should my memory be narrowed or shortened?"

"Because you are to have a husband who will demand your every thought and feeling. Horam is deeply versed in all the secrets of the female heart, and his eyes will not sleep while you have a thought which he does not understand."

"Indeed, Albia," cried the princess, with a look of amazement, "you misunderstand me."

"If such be the case," replied the girl, very quietly, "you will forgive me for what I have said; and of Julian we will think no more."

Ah—was it so? Had Ulin been misunderstood? Had the keen-eyed Albia been mistaken? Would there be no more thought of Julian?

The day passed away, and towards evening Aswad returned from the mountains. He said he had not fled from fear of the robbers; but that, when he saw that defeat was inevitable, he had sought safety from capture so that he might communicate with Damascus. Perhaps he old the truth. At all events, he resumed his command, and once more posted his guards about the valley; and then came to assure the princess that she was safe.

It was in the evening, just as the last gleams of day were fading out, and before the lamps had been lighted—at that season when the thoughts are most apt to wander and strange fancies visit the mind.

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It was not to be that Ulin should spend the alloted time at the Palace of the Valley. The king had heard of the attack of Julian, and he came with a large army to bear the princess away from a place which was no longer safe. He was somewhat surprised when he found that the Scourge of Damascus had been within the palace, and had withdrawn again; and when he had heard the story from Calypso, he ordered one half the palace guadsmen to be executed within the valley.

The maiden had heard from Calypso of the bloody deed which had been done by the king's order, and when she knew that he was coming, she declared her intention of refusing to see him. But Albia persuaded her to a different course.

"As you value your future welfare," plead the bondmaiden, "so must you behave before the king. If you would live in peace, let him have no occasion to mistrust your real feelings. He is coming. Beware!"

The warning was most seasonable; and Ulin, by obeying it so conducted herself that Horam thought she only suffered from the dreadful fright occasioned by the appearance of the terrible Julian. He spoke to her words of cheer and assurance, and announced his purpose of carrying her back to Damascus.

"We will rest tonight, sweet love," he said, "and on the morrow you shall find a safer shelter."

Ulin gazed upon the wrinkled face and upon the quaking limbs, and upon the sparse gray hairs; and she could not repress a shudder. She looked upon the thin, hard hands of the monarch, and they seemed covered with blood. She watched him as he departed with her father; and when he had gone she sank down, and leaned her head upon Albia's bosom.

"O," she murmured, "I fear that I have undertaken more than I can accomplish. I cannot be that man's wife! I never knew him until now. He will kill me!"

"Peace!" whispered the bondmaiden. But she whispered in vain.

(To be Continued.)

ECCENTRIC WILLS.

Benjamin Franklin Left a Small Sum Which Is Now Available.

When Benjamin Franklin died, in 1790, he left a small sum of money, which was not to be used until the twentieth century. His gift is at last available, and the sum now amounts to $375,000, having been invested at compound interest, says the Pittsburg Press. The trustees of the Franklin fund have decided to use the money for the erection of a Franklin institute in Franklin square, Boston. Curious provisions made by will are more common than one would suppose. Within the last few months, there have been several examples of eccentric disposals of property. To one young woman has been left $25,000 by her brother under the express condition that she neither marries nor becomes a nun. If the conditions are not fulfilled, the money is to be distributed among other relatives. To his three daughters an Italian who recently died left $500 a year each if they remained single and $2,500 each a year if they married. A late member of the English parliament left by will to his two daughters $720,000, with the provision that the money is only to be payable if they attain the age of 35 years, without marrying either a citizen of the United States or a Hebrew.

A new claimant for the fortune left by the composer Verdi has appeared. He is a farmer named Verdi living near Athens, Greece. He says that the Verdi family came originally from the east, one branch establishing itself at Athens, and the other going on to Italy, and that he is the closest surviving relative of the deceased composer.

FARM

MISCELLANY

Clean Surroundings for Milk.

We used to have a great deal of trouble with the quality of the butter made at our house, and sometimes the milk itself became sour early, and at other times had a peculiar taste after it had stood for only eight or ten hours. After visiting one of the great dairy schools of the country I became convinced that the trouble with our butter and milk was that things were not clean enough where we kept our milk. I went home and examined the cellar. It was summer and all the old vegetables had been taken out, but decayed leaves and roots were left here and there. I tried hard to find if they were sending off bad flavors and found that I could detect some smell that was not desirable in butter. Moreover I noticed that here and there flies were active and that they visited the milk and cream as well as the decayed and half-dried roots and leaves. I am now sure that the insects help carry the germs of different kinds of things to the milk and complete what the bad air begins.

We had always kept the cellar windows closed in summertime to keep the cellar as cool as possible. We used to think that it was useless to have a cellar and yet let it get up in temperature. But in keeping the windows closed we kept all the bad odors in, to the detriment of the milk and cream—consequently of the butter. I determined to have a cleaning up and I did.

For three days I kept out of the cellar all milk and cream. I had a boy dig out all the remnants of potatoes and other things that had decayed or could decay. I had him even take up some of the boards that were lying on the cellar bottom and holding moisture. The cellar was most thoroughly cleaned from bottom to top. The top was swept carefully but energetically. The windows were opened and the cellar aired. I had the windows hinged so they could be opened with ease, and then had them fixed so they could be left open a little way for ventilation if desired.

Lastly I had the cellar whitewashed, both as to the woodwork and the brick. The bottom is of earth. It should be of cement. But we have not yet got around to putting a cement floor in the cellar. It costs money. The whitewashing helps kill all moulds and then helps us see whether the cellar is getting dirty or not.

When the milk and cream were put back the flies had all been killed off and hanging shelves erected for the milk. After that time we had no trouble with the milk or butter. The windows have been frequently opened in the evening and again shut after they had been opened for an hour or so. We have screens also to keep out the flies. This cleaning up did not cost much money, but it was worth a good deal in the improved quality of the butter made.—James Addison, Bureau Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Saving Seed Corn.

As soon as the corn is fully matured we can start with the gathering of the seed corn. We find the best time to do this is when we husk our corn for the crib. A bushel basket is carried in the rear end of the wagon, and when a good ear is found it is thrown in. To properly select seed corn takes a man of good judgment, as the ears must not only be fully matured and dry, but must also be of the same type as the parent corn. If this last point is not adhered to the best pedigreed seed corn will run out in a very few years. If you have men husking for you let them throw the best ears in the seed box and go over it yourself before admitting it to the seed lot. It is an easy matter in an average year to pick out a lot of well-matured corn for seed, but it pays well to select the ears carefully. Select ears which resemble as much as possible the parent corn, matured fully to the tips, with small cobs and deep, compact kernels. It is not a great task to keep on improving from year to year, as a bushel of corn will cover from six to eight acres of ground. A very good way to store the corn is to leave on the husks, tie them together and hang under the roof. But when a large amount is stored this is impracticable. We have heard of storing in a cellar successfully, but have never tried it. We store ours in the smokehouse, arranging a series of shelves of 1x4s, and putting one row of ears on each shelf. When once perfectly dry, seed corn will stand freezing without injury. Never store seed corn in closed sacks, as it is sure to spoil in a short time.—H. Pfaender, Brown Co., Minn., in Farmers' Review.

Calcium and Magnesium.

Calcium and magnesium are both soil elements which enter into the composition of plants. They are, however, so generally distributed in the soil that they are little considered by the students of plant nutrition. One German expressed a theory that there must be a certain ratio maintained between the calcium and magnesium in the soil or plants would not grow. Some German scientists have recently completed some experiments to determine the truth of this expressed opinion, and it was found that there was no needed relation between the presence of calcium and magnesium. Hence what is known as the "Loew hypothesis" is discredited.

A GIANT LAID LOW.

Crippled and Made Ill by Awful Kidney Disorders.

John Fernsays, fruit raiser, Webster, N. Y., says: "I used to lift railroad ties easily but wrenched my back and began to suffer with backache and kidney trouble. I neglected it until one day a twinge felled me like a log and made me crawl on hands and knees. I was so crippled for a time that I couldn't walk without sticks, had headaches and dizzy spells and the kidney secretions were muddy and full of brick-dust sediment. Doan's Kidney Pills made the pain disappear and corrected the urinary trouble. I have felt better ever since."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Matchmaking In or Out of Season.

"How should we get married if there were no London season?" asked the debutante. "Some of you would get married if you were bricked up in an ogre's castle and had to be rescued," said the American millionaire. "And ten seasons wouldn't marry the rest."

The "Widow's Mite" of Water.

A novel contribution to a harvest festival at St. John's Blackpool was a bottle of water labeled "Thank God for the rain." The vicar said it was sent by a poor woman who could not afford to contribute fruit or vegetables.—London Chronicle.

Starleigh's Support.

"Who is supporting Starleigh this season?"

"His wife."

"His wife! Why, I never knew she was on the stage."

"She isn't; but she takes in washing."—Baltimore American.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Gustavus Duncan, Deadwood, S. D., miner's lamp; Peder Lund, Beyrout, N. D., lifting lever; Robert Menke, Sanborn, N. D., furnace; Charles Swanson, Minneapolis, Minn., axe rack and locker; Helmer Thune, Neby, Minn., nail driving machine; Gordon Willett, Sioux Falls, S. D., bed spring tightener; Edward Wilson, Steele, Mont., brake shoe holder.

No Exaggeration.

"See here!" snapped the landlord, who had responded to the tenant's hurry call for a plumber. "I thought you said the water in your cellar was two feet deep. It's only a few inches."

"Well, that's as deep as my two feet," retorted the tenant, "and that's too much."—Philadelphia Ledger.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

No Strong Ones There.

"Well," said D'Auber, whose masterpiece had been rejected, "I never realized the truth of the old proverb until I saw this exhibit."

"What proverb?" inquired the friend.

"'The weakest must go to the Wall.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Here is Relief for Women.

Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Agreed.

Minister—Well, Pat, Bridget is dead; but after all, she's better off.

Pat (a little deaf)—Eh—eh—what's that, sor—bether off—sure I am thot, thanky.—Houston Post.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

At the Show.

Horse Fancier (with enthusiasm)—Isn't Vandersluke's Lodemia a beauty?

His Fair Daughter—Where? Where? What has she got on? Whose box is she in?—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

The Unexpected.

"Things don't always turn out as we expect."

"That's a fact. I expected that automobile to turn out to the right, and it turned out to the left, and here I am in the hospital."—Houston Post.

FITS [illegible]

Location Still Unknown.

Noah Fentz—I beg pardon, but where have I seen you before?

Adam Sawfox—You have the advantage of me. I don't remember ever having seen you anywhere before.

Begin your work betimes. It's bad to be sowing your seed when you should be [illegible]

NOT A TRACE LEFT.

Rheumatism Thoroughly Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

There is one remedy that will cure rheumatism in any of its forms and so thoroughly eradicate the disease from the system that the cure is permanent. This remedy is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and the proof of the statement is found in the experience of Mr. T. S. Wagar, of No. 72 Academy street, Watertown, N.Y. He says:

"The pain was in my joints and my sufferings for over two years was beyond description. There was an intense pain in my shoulders that prevented me from sleeping and I would get up and walk the floor at night. When I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the improvement was gradual, but by the time I had taken four boxes I was entirely cured and I have not had the slightest touch of rheumatism since that time."

Mr. Wagar's wife is also enthusiastic in her endorsement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says: "I have tried the pills myself for stomach trouble and have experienced great relief from their use. My daughter, Mrs. Atwood, of Gill street, Watertown, has used them for female weakness and was much benefited by them. I regard Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as an extremely valuable family medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of bloodlessness, indigestion, influenza, headaches, backaches, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia, nervousness, spinal weakness, and the special ailments of girls and women whose blood supply becomes weak, scanty or irregular. The genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drugs and cannot injure the most delicate system. At all druggists or from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50.

Shaved.

"Confound it, sir," cried a hysterical summer boarder, addressing the proprietor of the Palace ice cream parlor in Pruntytown; see here, what I have found in my ice cream—it looks like a bunch of whiskers!"

"So it dooz, for a fact; but I don't understand how it can possibly be whiskers," was the reply, "fer we made that 'ere ice cream with shaved ice."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Selfish Men.

He—It seems to me that women demand a great deal in this generation.

She—Well, what of it? We have to have things, and that's the only way most of us can get them.—Detroit Free Press.

Too Much to Expect.

"Poetry," said the editor, "is a drug on the market."

"Oh, indeed!" exclaimed the poet, hopefully. "Am I to infer that you pay drug store prices for it?"—Catholic Standard.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease
A powder. It rests the feet. Cures Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating Feet and Ingrowing Nails. At all Druggists and Shoe stores, 25 cents. Accept no substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

The woman who likes to have a little joke at the expense of some one else finds the most fault when it comes her way.

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DAIRY NOTES

Where Creameries Should Be Built.

The creamery business has been greatly injured in the past by the erection of co-operative creameries in localities unsuited to the support of such institutions. Two things of importance must be considered when such a project is to be entered upon. The first of these is the number of cows within a radius of a few miles of the creamery. The other is the facilities for getting the butter to market. Creameries without number have been established and have proved failures because enough milk could not be obtained to make it possible to manufacture butter at a profit. It is estimated that at least 300 cows must contribute their milk throughout the year if the creamery is to be run at a fair profit. Too often the agents of the creamery building companies have gone into communities and induced the farmers to put up expensive creameries merely that they might make a profit out of the equipments sold and on the building itself. These agents have gone before the farmers with the assurance that, if the creamery were erected, the cows would quickly appear in the community. They have said that under such conditions the farmers could not afford not to keep cows. The farmers have believed them, and have raised three and four thousand dollars among themselves to pay the cost of the creamery plant. The business of such creameries, however, has not grown as the farmers have been led to expect. Starting in with the milk of 100 cows, or thereabouts, the creamery has been run at a loss from the first day it opened its doors. The inevitable result has been that only a low price could be paid for the milk used, and no dividends were declared. This fact in itself has been a discourager for the purchase of new cows. Nothing succeeds like success, and the farmers around such creameries, fearing the ultimate collapse of the enterprise, have declined to make investments on their own account. There could be no surer road to failure than this. Even under the best of conditions the number of milch cows in a community cannot be rapidly increased. More cows mean more milkers, and many of our farmers cannot put on an additional hired man just for the purpose of milking three or four extra cows. It will therefore be seen that the creamery that is established in a community inadequately supplied with cows is almost sure to be a failure. The matter of transportation of products, while of secondary importance, is yet one to be considered. The creamery many miles from the railroad can hardly expect to ship its goods under proper conditions, which include refrigerator service.

Cheap Feeds Not Cheap.

We have frequently called attention to the fact that feeds that are cheap in the markets are not always cheap in reality. The amount of trash that a food contains has a very large bearing on its value. It is impossible to estimate the value of foods by the prices per ton. One of our experiment station directors, in speaking of cottonseed meal, tells of a certain brand that was guaranteed to carry 25 per cent protein, and to sell at $4 less per ton than the regular meals. It was found on investigation to be a mixture of meal and hulls, and actually contained less than two-thirds the amount of protein advertised. This food was really very costly. It will be seen that the value of food in the eastern United States must be judged according to the amount of protein it contains. If one food carries 25 per cent protein and sells at $25 a ton, another carrying two-thirds that amount of protein should sell at not more than $16 per ton. According to the figures reported, this food would sell at about $21 a ton, and the buyers were paying $5 a ton more than it was worth when standard grades were worth $25 a ton. Farmers thus often cheat themselves in trying to get a bargain. In estimating the value of food the first thing is to find out its protein content.—Farmers' Review.

Heat and Typhoid Germs in Milk.

It is an important matter to know the amount of heat that will destroy typhoid germs in milk. According to all investigations these germs perish at a very low temperature. It used to be supposed that 185 degrees Fahrenheit was necessary for the destruction of the typhoid germs. Experiments made at the Madison station showed that 140 degrees of heat would destroy the germs. Now some of the foreign experimenters express the opinion that heat at 60 degrees Centigrade for ten minutes will kill typhoid bacillus. This is equal to 142 degrees Fahrenheit. This result is very close to that obtained at the Wisconsin station.

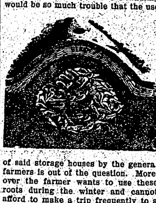
Making Butter or Shipping Milk.

A reader of the Farmers' Review recently found it difficult to haul his milk to the railroad station for shipping to the city, and proceeded to make butter out of the cream. At the end of the month he found that he was making a little more money than he had been making the other way, and was saved the daily trip of two and a half miles to the railroad. This saving in labor more than equalled the labor of making butter and selling it. He expresses the belief that many farmers that are hauling milk to the railroads and shipping it to the city are losing money by so doing.—Farmers' Review.

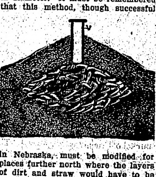
AGRICULTURE

Pits for Storage of Roots.

At this time of the year the farmer is considering how he may best store his roots and tubers for the winter. It is desirable to so store potatoes, beets, turnips, carrots and the like that they will remain in a temperature just above the freezing point. In the cellar it is frequently so warm that the different roots lose much moisture and in some cases begin to grow. A regular cold storage house in which the temperature is kept at about the freezing point is the desirable thing, but to most of our farmers this is an impossibility. Most of our farms are situated at a considerable distance from such houses, and the hauling would be so much trouble that the use of said storage houses by the general farmers is out of the question. Moreover the farmer wants to use these roots during the winter and cannot afford to make a trip frequently to a cold storage house.



The men in charge of the sugar beet factories have found pits to be the most economical method of storing beets. In our first cut is shown the style of pit used in Nebraska. The cut shows the transverse section of a long row of beets stored in a long pit. This section represents, as to the beets, about four feet in width and height. The layer of dirt over them is six inches thick. Above the first layer of beets is a layer of straw, and above that is a layer of two inches of dirt. This last layer is put on only on the approach of cold weather. At V there is a ventilating hole about one foot in diameter. It must be remembered that this method, though successful in Nebraska, must be modified for places further north where the layers of dirt and straw would have to be thicker.



Our second illustration shows the pits used for the storage of sugar beets in Wisconsin. A greater degree of cold and otherwise adverse conditions must be provided against. The beets are placed in a deep and wide furrow, which may be as long as needed. The pile here shown is six feet wide and three feet high. Above the beets are piled eighteen inches of earth. At V is shown a piece of ventilating tile. These tile are placed in the row every six feet. This tile is left open while the beets are sweating, but can be closed after that process is completed.

Temperature of Soils.

One great field of experimentation is as yet almost untouched, and this is the field of soil temperatures. In some of the experiment stations of the world an apparatus is in use for determining soil temperatures and it proves very valuable in giving data from which the experimenters can determine the effect of cold and heat on plant production. Any farmer can make such an apparatus by using a thermometer and attaching to it any instrument that will permit it to be inserted to any desirable depth. The farmer who studies his soil will find it to his advantage to know the different temperatures of the different fields of his farm. He will be surprised to find out how greatly these temperatures vary. The temperature controls to a very great extent the germination of seed in the soil. If the seed is put into a cold soil it will, in many cases, rot before sprouting. This is especially true of the corn seed. Many a farmer has planted valuable seed corn in soil that was yet too cold to allow of germination and has afterwards had to replant the field at great loss to himself.

Generally cold soils are damp soils or wet soils. But this is not always the case, as sometimes the cold soils are simply heavy clay soils. The farmer who has the wet soil is deceived by the drying out of the surface. The water present keeps down the temperature immediately under the surface, and when the seed is put in the result is that it is lost. The matter of soil temperature is one that has, up to this time, been considered generally the work of the scientists; but the time is coming when every progressive farmer will make this study for himself.

In the northern part of Illinois many of the farmers are turning to seedling peaches as being the only kind that will stand the winter conditions.

HE WAS A BOY, ALL RIGHT.

Made a Vast Difference in Him When a Bonfire Was Mentioned.

Hall Caine was praising the American autumn. "I visited in October," he said, "the country house of a New York man. It was in New England, on a mountain side, and the splendid colors of the foliage—the scarlets and golds and innumerable flamelike tints—gave to the still forests an indescribable magnificence.

"And the leaves fell in a rain of color through the transparent air. In the garden, one afternoon, I heard a gardener say to his little son:

"'I wish you would rake up these dead leaves in a pile.'

"'Oh, I don't feel like it,' whined the boy. 'My back's sore and I've got a cramp in my wrist and there's growing pains in my leg.'

"'After you get 'em raked up,' went on the gardener, calmly, 'you can make a nice big bonfire out of them and jump over it.'

"The boy began to jump and leap.

"'Hurrah!' he shouted. 'Where's the rake?'"

Authority for It.

"He's a lazy sort of man to be running for governor. He delivered a speech the other night, and, do you know, instead of memorizing it he simply read it."

"Well?"

"Well, that's positively unheard of."

"Why so? You know the old saying, 'He who runs may read.'"—Philadelphia Press.

School of Society Chatter.

As there are now so few Englishmen who have the gift of talking agreeably in "society," of interesting a table full of guests and of entertaining a room full of people, it has occurred to some well educated, impecunious men, to set up as "professional conversationalists." The fee is a sovereign for an afternoon or evening.—London Graphic.

The Sensation.

Jay Green—I had a ride in my cousin's automobile while I was up t' the city.

Aaron Allred—Ye did? How'd it seem?

Jay Green—Wa'al, it felt a good deal like fallin' into a mighty deep well, only ye dropped straight ahead instead o' down'ards.—Puck.

Have Proved Their Worth.

The campaign undertaken by interested publications to undermine the faith of the people in proprietary medicines has drawn forth the following from a high medical authority: "It must never be forgotten that the interest of the manufacturer is to put out a remedy which is not only meritorious but safe. With a small army of enemies constantly on the alert, ready to seize upon and magnify every unfavorable circumstance, how few are the cases of accident or injury from the use of proprietary medicines! Complaints in regard to the use of such remedies are exceedingly rare and utterly insignificant, in comparison with the amount sold and the millions of people who avail themselves of these remedies."

He Had Tried and Tried.

Kindly Parson—Cheer up, my man—cheer up! If at first you don't succeed try, try again, you know.

Prisoner (savagely)—Well, I guess you don't know what brought me here.

Kindly Parson—No; but the motto applies just the same—try, try again.

Prisoner—Well, that's what I done an' here I be for bigamy.—Judge.

Getting Direct Action.

Beryl (at the phone)—The idea of sending a kiss by telephone! Do you suppose I want to be kissed on my ear?

Jasper (at the other end of the wire)—Well, can't you put the receiver to your lips for a moment? * * * There!—Chicago Tribune.

ITCHING SCALP HUMOR.

Lady Suffered Tortures Until Cured by Cuticura—Scratched Day and Night.

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"Well, Maggie, you have now been married a year. How do you like your husband?"

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FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

Mothers Should Watch the Development of Their Daughters—Interesting Experiences of Misses Borman and Mills.

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MYRTLE MILLS

Every mother possesses information which is of vital interest to her young daughter.

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Hundreds of letters from young girls and from mothers, expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them, have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., at Lynn, Mass.

Miss Mills has written the two following letters to Mrs. Pinkham, which will be read with interest:

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"It is with the feeling of utmost gratitude that I write to you to tell you what your valuable medicine has done for me. When I wrote you in regard to my condition I had consulted several doctors, but they failed to understand my case and I did not receive any benefit from their treatment. I followed your advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now healthy and well, and all the distressing symptoms which I had at that time have disappeared."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.

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Unless the inventors come to woman's rescue, it looks as if, in the near future—for, of course, motor vehicles will become the chief means of locomotion—we shall become a rough-skinned, blear-eyed, lashless, wrinkled and snorting race, since among other things motoring is said to cause people to breathe heavily with their mouths open. What is to save us from the "automobile expression?" There is enough alarming material here to furnish forth quite a goodly silly season correspondence on the "Decline of English beauty."—World.

Bigger Game.

"I hear Miss Footlights has turned down a crown prince."

"Yes, a life insurance magnate proposed just in the nick of time.—Detroit Free Press.

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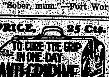
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ST. HILAIRE.

Miss Henrietta Hennemuth of Red Lake Falls visited with Miss Katherine Pirath Monday.

Miss Mary Anderson, who is teaching at Black River visited relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Jens. Nelson, Chas. Fellman and J. J. Soll returned from their hunting trip Monday.

R. J. McKercher, returned from a visit with his parents in Iowa, Thursday.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. E. L. Eichoff next Thursday afternoon.

L. T. Bergh was in from his claim Monday.

Mrs. J. K. Hannay is ill.

John Rolland returned from spending several days on his claim Monday.

Miss Katherine Pirath visited her parents at Red Lake Falls, over Friday night.

Mrs. A. O. Davison, enjoyed a visit from her mother Mrs. Tibbetts of Red Lake Falls last week.

Alton Jackson was able to go out for a while Monday.

Julius Pleth, of Plummer was a business caller here Monday.

Hon. L. C. Simons of Red Lake Falls was a business visitor here last Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilman were very pleasantly surprised last Thursday evening at their home by about sixty of their church members and friends. The gathering was in the nature of a pound donation and the evening was spent in games and lively conversation.

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Will Not Help Your Disease, but Will Weaken Your Nerves.

Folks who think it is better to bear pain than soothe it—are wrong.

Old-fashioned doctors used to say it was better, because they had nothing with which to ease pain but dangerous, heart-paralyzing drugs.

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This will soothe your quivering nerves. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills relieve pain by restoring the natural secretions, in which they differ from opium and similar narcotic drugs, which relieve pain by checking the action of the glands.

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Oliver W. Stewart, who delivered the temperance lecture here Nov. 5 writes that the cash and pledges amounted to $141.35 from St. Hilaire.

Miss Myrtle Sullivan of Grand Forks was in town with her father Pat Sullivan, river foreman for the Grand Forks lumber company Thursday.

The rag ball social and concert given by the band boys at Imperial hall last Wednesday evening was very well attended and the music was well rendered. They cleared about twenty dollars. The boys are fortunate in retaining the services of Prof. Onstad as their leader.

Miss Blanche and Chet. Gebott left Monday evening for a visit at their old home in Michigan Mrs. Gebott went to Crookston returning Tuesday morning.

BADGER.

Miss Alice Quesnell left monday for Crookston where she expects to spend the coming winter.

Alma Quesnell spent a few days of last week L. C. Cadieux's,

The grand ball at the Woodmen hall at Terrebonne last Saturday was taken in by most all of the young folks here they report a good time.

Fedime Gregoire and wife of Gentilly were visitors at Ovila Robillard's Sunday.

A. Laurent and wife spent Sunday with Terrebonne friends.

Alice Quesnelle entertained a few friends Sunday evening.

The Luxenberger brothers had the misfortune of breaking some important piece on their threshing rig last Saturday and were compelled to retire from their duty until repairs were made.

A deal has been completed for the lease of the Coleman house at Thief River Falls by Messrs. W. B. Krouse and Otto Christianson of this city.

The hotel is a new building in the center of the city, on its principle street, is built of concrete blocks, modern in every particular and at present contains twenty rooms but an addition which is being built will give more rooms.

The young men are both well known in this city and are experienced in their line, Mr. Krause being for years a clerk at the Crookston and Mr. Christianson is at present Chef at the Palace and one of the best in his line in the upper country. Mr. Krouse will go up tomorrow to take charge and Mr. Christianson will remain with the Palace until relieved. The boys no doubt will bake a success of it and have the best wishes of their friends.

DOROTHY.

The people of this section are all busy threshing this week there being four machines within a radius of three miles.

Dorothy sent a good delegation to James Sutter's auction last Thursday.

Jacob Boutain is threshing this week, and though the year was poor and he was unable to cut all of his grain he will have several days threshing to do.

It is announced that Mr. Edward O'Neal and Miss Clara Cassavaunt are to be married in the near future. Both are well known parties of this section and their many friends all join in wishing them a long and happy union.

Homer Huot of Red Lake Falls visited his home at Dorothy last Sunday.

Arthur Tebeau who has been sick for the past three weeks is still very low. He is now at the home of his uncle Regis Huot. He expects his folks from Michigan at his bedside in a few days.

Turtle River, Nov. 12—The season for killing deer and moose opened bright and clear Friday morning and found the hunting fields filled with red coated men and longrange rifles The enthusiasm is not pronounced as yet for the reason the weather is not of the sort that brings good sport. There is no snow in the woods and everything is dry and noisy. The same conditions prevailed a year ago and continued wel lto the end of the open season, with the result that few deer were killed.

Many hunters came from long distances and were obliged to return empty-handed. The local sportsmen is not in a hurry to reach the woods; he has everything in readiness for the start, but will wait for the tracking snow that gives zest to the chase. The favorite hunting grounds as in years gone are west and north of the town of Hibbing.

On account of Thanksgiving Day the Northern Pacific will sell tickets to all points on its line in Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota at one and one third fare for the round trip Tickets on sale Nov. 29 and 30 with final return Dec. 4th F. A. Mizen, Agent.

The Northern Pacific announces its annual rates from here to all points in Ontario and Qubec, of $40 round trip. Tickets on sale Dec. 4th. Enquire of F. A. Mizen, Agent.

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Friends of Mrs. Herbert E. Day wife of the prominent attorney of that name, living at 3701 Pleasant Ave., Minneapolis are marveling at the wonderful change in her appearance.

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When Mr. L. T. Cooper the philanthropist recently visited Minneapolis and the whole city was talking about his new medical wonder Mrs. Day heard of the marvelous cures that were being affected with Coopers' New Discovery.

She determined to try it and is now rejoicing at the wonderful benefit she has received. In a recent letter to Mr. Cooper she said: "My old trouble is fast disappearing. After ten years of wakeful nights and poor appetite I appreciate the good refreshing rest that I have enjoyed since I began taking the New Discovery Medicine and to have once more a good appetite with a perfect digestion is indeed a blessing. My general health is much improved."

Cooper's New Discovery cures Stomach trouble, Kidney Trouble, Catarrh, Deafness, Blood diseases and paralysis and sells for one dollar per bottle. Cooper's Quick Relief the assistant remedy costs fifty cents. W. A. Shreiter, Mr. Cooper's Special Agent for Red Lake Falls has the medicines on sale.

The Busy Store . . .

Your Holiday Embroidery and Fancy Work May concern you very much at present. Concerning materials, we have just received a most complete color assort- of the famous CORTICELLI SILKS sold onlyby us, and stamped linens including Coilies Bureau Scarfs Table centers, Lunch Cloths, etc.

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To the Rural School Teachers of Minnesora.

The program for the third annual meeting of the Rural School Section of the M. E. A. is being prepared for you. Are you preparing for the program?

The program consists of three parts. The central thought for the first day is the teacher. Does that mean you?

The central thought for the second day is the school-room. Does that mean your school-room?

The central thought for the third day is the pupil. Does that mean your pupil?

Do you wish to improve your education? If so, hear Prof. Maria L. Sanford of the State University on Self-Education the first day.

Have you love for the beautiful? Do you wish to improve the appearance of your school-room? If so, hear Mr. Haringto Beard's lecture and the discussion of school-room decoration the second day.

Do you wish to be of greater help to your pupils? Do you think that reading and language are two of the most important subjects? If so, hear the discussions of those subjects the third day.

Do you wish suggestions for seat-work? If so, inspect the exhibit of that work especially prepared for you.

Do you wish your pupils to make better preparation for the recitation? Do you wish them to have a broader knowledge of the subjects studied? Do you wish to be better acquainted with the best text book? If so, examine the model reference table.

Do you wish to see a library suitable for first and second grade pupils? If so, see the one we have selected for you.

Do you wish to meet Prof. Sanford and Supt. Olsen, and the most progressive rural-school teachers in the state? If so, spend the social hour with us the first day.

Is your answer "Yes" to these questions? If so, be with us the first, second and third days of the forty-third annual session of the M. E. A.

A reply in person is respectfully requested for Dec. 27, 28 and 29, 1905. If an absence is unavoidable, a written excuse will be accepted if accompanied by a fee of Two Dollars for active membership, or One Dollar for associate membership which will entitle you to a printed copy of the proceedings.

Sincerely yours,
Louise E. Snyder,
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Thanksgiving Excursions.

The Great Northern Railway will sell round trip tickets at the rate of one fare and one-third, on account of Thanksgiving Day, to all points on the system, east of Montana. Tickets will be on sale November 29th and 30th with final return limit December 4th, 1805. Ask your local agent for further information.

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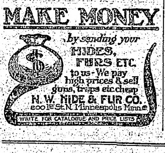

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Rates For Foot Ball Game.

On account of the Foot Ball game between North Dakota Agricultural College and the University of North Dakota on November 18th at Fargo, the Great Northern Railway will make a rate of one and one third fare for the round trip. Date of sale November 17th and for trains arriving in Fargo before noon of the 18th, final return limit November 20th. Ask your local agent for full particulars.

FARM MACHINERY

I have just received a carload of farm machinery and it will be to the interest of every farmer in Red Lake County to see me and see some snaps I have to offer before buying. My goods are all anti-trust. Here are a few of the reliable goods I have for sale:

Robinson Buggies, Disc Harrows, Beggs-Goodson Wagons, The Celebrated Acme Harrow and Pulverizer, Van Brunt Single Disc Drills, Goodhue Wind Mills.

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TEACHERS PROTECTIVE ASS'N

Hold Interesting Meeting at Thief River Falls Nov. 3 and 4

The members of the Teacher's Protective Association held their first meeting this year at Thief River Falls, on Nov. 3 and 4. The meeting was well attended and proved a success although no definite program had been arranged. Miss Helen Dow, teacher of language and Miss Harriet Rumball, teacher of reading, both of the State Normal at Moorhead, were present and much of the success may be attributed to their efforts.

Upon order of Superintendent J. H. Hay, the schools of Thief River Falls were closed and all the city teachers attended. Mr. Hay takes great interest in this work, and much may be expected of him.

The afternoon of Friday was devoted to language under the leadership of Miss Dow, who introduced the subject with a well-chosen discourse, explaining a list of suggestive exercises in preparation of oral and written language work. A copy of this list was given to each teacher. A large number of teachers brought language work prepared by their pupils. These were taken up by Miss Dow and commented on. It is but stating a mere fact to say that great benefit was derived.

Friday evening, at the Evenson hall, a large audience was entertained by Miss Rumball. The following numbers in reading were given: Purple Eyes, The Petison Twins, and Scenes From Othello, presenting four characters. Miss Rumball is a reader of great ability and held the audience from start to finish. Excellent music was furnished by Mrs. Wright, and the Misses Addler, Brady and Remstad.

The forenoon of Saturday was given up to the subject of writing. Subject was introduced by Mr. Hay's and later taken up by the teachers. Later in the forenoon Mr. Hay gave the teachers a fatherly talk on various subjects pertaining to their profession, which was well appreciated by the teachers. It was full of advice and voiced a sentiment felt by teachers but seldom expressed.

The subject of Ventilation was briefly taken up by Supt. McAnulty, illustrating what he had to say with a small sample of a jacket to be used around the stove, and intake and outlet pipes.

Short business session of about 2 hours was held in the afternoon. Business of usual character was transacted. The teachers showed their feeling and sympathy by the following resolutions:

Whereas, The Almighty has seen fit to remove from our midst our esteemed friend and member, Doro Marchand, be it hereby resolved

That, We, the members of the T. P. A., have by her untimely death lost a noble co-worker and faithful member.

That we tender to her bereaved relatives the heartfelt sympathy and condolence of the T. P. A.

And be it further resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in the Red Lake Courier and Red Lake Falls Gazette.

COMMITTEE.

Besides the faculty of Thief River Fall's schools and Supt. H. I. Mc Anulty, the following teachers were present: Annesy Crompe, Eugenia Perrault, Florence Columbus, Emma Lonson, Grace Meeham, Clara Richards, Mary McGinn, Katie McAnulty, Marius Rolland, Carl Schusser, Rose Helm, Lerraine Longtin, W. J. Harlow, Walter Johnson, Annie Fullman, Gusta Satre, Caroline Nettland, Louis Roy, Otto Olson, Anna Conelly, Clara Berg, Theo. Roy, Edith Quist, Clara Cyr, M. Clare Allison. Frank Shanahan and Charles Moller.

The next meeting will be held in Red Lake Falls on the last Friday in January. The committee have a program well under way which will be published in a week or two.

MAY ABOLISH OFFICES

A Possibility That Land Offices Will be Wiped Out.

The semi-official announcement that Secretary Hitchcock will recommend in his annual report the abolition of all positions now held by land office receivers will wipe out four of the best paying federal offices in Minnesota, six in North Dakota and seven in South Dakota.

In Minnesota these offices are at Cass Lake, Crookston, Duluth and St. Cloud. There are 110 land offices in the country and if Secretary Hitchcock's recommendation is adopted by congress it will result in a saving of $250,000 a year. In the present state of government finances, and with congress making every effort to reduce expenses, the suggestion will be received with more faver in that body than it would if there was a good surplus in the treasury. Action by congress also depends upon whether the president adopts the secretary's suggestion and recommends the abolition of those offices in his anual message. If he does not, probably no attention will be paid to it, as congress almost invariably acts in such matters only on suggestions of the President.

A Victory for Wylie.

At the hearing on the injunction proceedings instituted at the instance of the Wylie people to restrain the Great Northern Railway company from tearing up and abonding its rack between Iveo and St. Hilaire, the company brought in an answer denying that it intended to tear up and abandon said line. And as there was nothing to restrain the temporary restraining order was dissolved. The Company was represented by Col. R. A. Wilkinson, and the people of Wylie by asst atty general R. A. Stone and county attorney Germo. This is a clean back down of the Company's attitude as represented before the Railroad and warehouse committee.

ORIENTAL LIMITED A GEM

New Trains of the Great Northern Started Sunday in Trans-Continental Service.

When the Oriental Limited, which is the name for the Great Northern Flyer, pulled out of St. Paul union depot at 10:30 o'clock Sunday for the Pacific coast, the finest train in trans-continental service was started on its first trip for the West. the Great Northern Railway has expended vast sums of money in its passenger department, and by the installation of eight trains, which are necessary to maintain the Oriental Limited service, the company will place at the disposal of the traveling public a service between St. Paul and the coast that cannot be surpassed anywhere in the world.

The first installment of the new equipment was put in service Oct. 2 between St. Paul, and Winnipeg and set a new standard in the Northwest. That such a handsome train should be placed for the accommodation of travelers between Manitoba and Minnesota was regarded as a step of vast importance, and the installation of a semilar service for such a distance as from St. Paul to the Pacific coast is an indication that the West is as worthy of fine equipment as the East. in view of the fact that trade with the Orient is assuming vast proportions and that the Great Northern steamships Minnesota and Dakota ply between Seattle and Japan and China. Oriental Limited is an apt name and significant in meaning.

The Oriental Limited consists of eight cars, all of which are models of their kind. All the valuable features are embodied in the new equipment, but there are several new adjunts which bring the cars to the highest point of excellence. Painted in a dark olive, the train presents an attractive appearance. Above the windows is cathedral glass, which adds considerably to the distinctiveness of the enterior.

One of the distinct features of the equipment of the Oriental Limited will be the new compartment observation cars. These will be the first cars of their kind to be used in regular trans-continental service. When Robert Lebauds, a cousin of the "Emperor of Sabara," traveled on the Great Northern to take the steamship to the Orient recently, he chose one of the new cars to make his journey across the continent. Artestic taste has been exercised in finishing the four staterooms in the car. The rooms are finished in mahogany. coco, vermillion and tonquin, with funishings in olive, rose, green and maroon plush. The card room is finished in English oak, with green leather seat coverings. There is a handsome drawing room finished in mahogany, with golden brown furnishings.

The observation end of the car is in keeping with the splendor of the rest, and has excellent appointments. A new feature of a praiseworthy character is that the door is on one side, allowing room for a large plate window. This arrangement provides an excellent view from the car.

The other cars are commodious and comfortable. A new feature is a sixteen-section sleeping car, costing $18,000. The sleeper is eighty-two and one-half feet long, the same length as the compartment cars. The first-class coaches are eighty-one feet long and fitted up in fine style, and have seating capacity for eighty-four people.

The dining cars have several unique features, porticularly in the lighting arrangements. The lamps are incased in cathedral glass, those above being in square frames and those attached to the sides resemble ancient lanterns. The general effect is artestic and the car is flooded with a soft, mellow light.

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DURUM IS ALL RIGHT

The Macaroni Wheat is Sought by Southern Europe, Prodces Well Here.

"Durum," or macaroni wheat, is getting into the game alright, and farmers who feared it would not sell may rest easy. A good deal has already been sold, and advices from Duluth tell of the sale of another cargo to go to a Mediterrian port. It is figured by a prominent exporter that sales of new crop durum wheat for export to date aggregate six million bushels. As the Northwest is esteemed to have raised about twelve million bushels this season, halt the crop is already disposed of.

The remarkable thing about it is that durum wheat is selling in Europe at practically the same price as No. 1 northern spring wheat shipped from Manitoba, and only a shade higher than No. 2 Kansas wheat. This disposes of the last great argument against the production of durum wheat—the contention that there would be no market for it.

About three years ago says the Minneapolis Journal, the agricultural department began to push the durum wheat proposition in the northwest. The large millers, the leading milling trade journals, and one noted crop expert, fought the proposition. The Journal believed it a good thing, on the proposition that if the wheat would grow in the so-called semi-arid sections, the productivity of the northwest would be increased, the production of new wealth be larger every year and land values would be rendered more staple. The macaroni wheat controversy of two years ago was the feature of the grain trade. Some believed in it, others condemned it. Meanwhile the farmers have taken more to it, although the spread of the acreage has not been so rapid as was predicted by Secretary Wilson and Mr. Carlton of the department of agriculture. For two years prices were so low, relatively, that the larger yields, compared with ordinary spring wheat, did not compensate farmers for the work, but this year durum prices have ranged well up, and with big yields, farmers who put it in last season have made good money. In all probability the acreage next season will be much larger than ever before.

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Miss Olara Rue

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Speaking of goats, could the imported variety be described as a butter in?

Well, if the worst happens the czar can go into vaudeville and get $600 a week.

Some female colleges have adopted the football game, but they don't play in company.

It is said that a prima donna's voice calmed a storm at sea. Probably the storm gave up in despair.

College girls at Cleveland were discovered playing poker. This may have been the class in applied society.

A Chicago professor advises young men to make friends. This is certainly better than to make enemies.

Admiral Train might have avoided all trouble if he had claimed that he mistook that Chinese lady for a deer

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For several reasons the disappearance of Pobiedonostseff's name from the public prints will be a welcome relief.

It is estimated that $20,000,000 is spent annually for silk hosiery by women who fear that they may figure in a wreck.

When "heart words" can be bought for a cent a column, who will be so unfeeling as to refuse to indulge in a few throbs?

There are reports of revolution in Astrakhan, and the curly coats will be high in price this winter, as they are every winter.

At Baltimore a city official protested against having his salary raised. He evidently believes it is worth good money to be advertised.

An Eastern man has had five bullets cut out of him and is still able to take nourishment. If he lives long enough he will be a human sieve.

Sir Thomas Lipton is going after that cup again. He realizes that advertising is a waste of money unless you stick to it persistently.

The comment is made that King Alfonso is taking a long time to pick out a wife, but all married folks will agree that that is the wisest way.

So Lady Hartopp is to marry Earl Cowley, who was the corespondent in her divorce suit. Having had the game, she insists on the candle.

There is really an uncomfortable condition in the relations between Germany and Great Britain. Each nation is trying to govern its tongue.

An "entertaining conversationalist," child, is a person who says a lot of things that agree with what you think, but which you cannot remember.

Sir Henry Irving changed the name to which he was born to one more to his liking, but he would have made any name illustrious.—Boston Transcript.

The wise farmer will cut plenty of cord wood this winter. Then he will have plenty of dry cord wood to sell next winter if there is a coal strike in the spring.

Perhaps the man who declares that most voices sound snappy and disagreeable over the telephone has been asking his acquaintances to make him a small loan of $10.

Since they made Raisuli a provincial governor in Morocco he has been cutting up fatter than ever. Well, that's the way some American governors do when they are legalized.

The president of San Domingo has ordered printed 5,000 copies of Wagner's "Simple Life" for distribution among the people. It may encourage the natives to wear a shirt.

Julian Hawthorne is authority for the statement: "Very little that is really worth remembering is said or thought after midnight." And Mr. Hawthorne is a married man, at that.

Reports from Sofia say that "a lady bandit" is operating in the Caucasus. She is foolish for operating where money is so scarce when she might come over here and have a booth at a charity fair.

A little boy gave as his reason why there are no men angels, "You don't see any of them in pictures wearing pants." That ends the discussion—paint an angel with pants—and be arrested for lunacy.

President Loubet politely went to the bull fight in Madrid, but came away after the first bull had been killed. If it had been a baseball game, now, he would have staid right through till the end of the eleventh inning.

Down in Massachusetts a woman has been taking up a collection among her friends for the purpose of raising money enough to secure a divorce. If the man in the case doesn't feel cheap we may be safe in concluding that the lady deserves freedom.

News of the Week

From the Capital.

Orders have been given the navy department for the return of the battleship Oregon from the Philippines to the United States at an early date.

Minister Rockhill cabled from Pekin that Baron Komura had arrived at that place to take up with the Chinese government the details of the peace treaty relative to Manchuria.

President Roosevelt has reiterated that he was in favor of joint statehood for the territories of Oklahoma and Indian territory. He made this statement to a delegation from the two territories.

Senor Casasus, the new Mexican ambassador, paid his first call upon Secretary Root at the state department to discuss the preliminaries of his formal presentation to President Roosevelt, the date for which has not yet been set.

The report of the board of lady managers of the St. Louis exposition, of which Mrs. Daniel Manning is chairman, has been issued from the government printing office, Mrs. Manning utilizing for the purpose unexpended balances from the money borrowed by the exposition from congress.

Foreign.

The official figures show that 257,710 votes were cast in favor of Prince Carl of Denmark as king of Norway, and 68,852 against him.

A bomb outrage was perpetrated in the Pera quarter of Constantinople. The authorities will not permit particulars to be sent at present.

According to the Paris correspondent of a news agency, Mr. Soueng, the Chinese minister, says the Chinese emperor contemplates a round of visits to European courts in 1906.

It is reported among those who know Sir Thomas Lipton well that he is a benedict, having secretly married a Scotch girl in humble circumstances years before he dreamed of reaching his present condition of prosperity.

"There are two great regrets of my life. One that I have not yet lifted the America's cup and the other that I have not been married, secretly or otherwise," is Sir Thomas Lipton's reply to the statement published in the United States that he years ago was secretly wedded to a Scotch girl.

Crimes and Criminals.

Mrs. Helen Davis, 20 years old and the mother of an infant child, drank a wine glass of carbolic acid at Red Lodge, Mont., and died, despite the efforts of several doctors.

A race war between the pupils of the Palmer school at Springfield, Ill., and the colored pupils of St. Mary's, which bid fair to result fatally, was quelled by the police, and Clarence Cousins, colored, was arrested, having in his possession a loaded revolver.

While engaged in the celebration of mass at St. Rose's Catholic church at Bradenville, Pa., Father Shea, the aged pastor, was attacked by John Ravonski and stabbed in the chest. The heavy vestments, which caused the blade to glance aside, doubtless saved his life.

Six men have been taken into custody by the police at Toledo in connection with the murder of Miss Evan Meyer, who was shot and almost instantly killed by an ambushed assassin while the girl was walking with her lover near the city limits. All of the men arrested were held on the charge of suspicion. A rejected suitor is among those under arrest.

After a chase of two blocks and a prolonged struggle during which he used his fists to such good effect that his victim cried "enough," Rev. Fr. John R. Watson, assistant pastor of St. Matthew's church of St. Louis, captured a man whom he claims robbed the church's poor box of $21. The man arrested gave his name as Castmirelwich and his home as Chicago. He admitted the theft.

A mob of 200 men broke into the jail at Henderson, Tex., and, overpowering the officers, took therefrom John Reece, Robert Askew and one other negro, whom they hanged in the public square. The negroes were arrested with two others a few days ago for the murder of a farmer about ten miles from Henderson. The other two negroes were not molested, members of the mob claiming that they were only accomplices and not principals.

Harry A. Leonard, the young Wall street clerk who stole $359,000 worth of securities from the City National bank of New York recently, was sentenced to thirteen months' imprisonment in Elmira reformatory. He pleaded guilty, and Judge McMahon, in giving sentence, said he believed the boy's story that he took the securities as an object lesson to Wall street of the ease with which such thefts might be made. All the stolen securities were recovered.

Having made his will and provided for the distribution of his art treasures among his friends Gustav Fuchs, a well-known sculptor, committed suicide in New York. Fuchs, who was 69 years old, was formerly a wealthy cigar manufacturer in Chicago and is said to have ruined himself by his devotion to art.

Fred M. Hunter of Chicago, colored, was convicted at Milwaukee of the murder of Paul Langen on Sept. 2, and will be given a life sentence in state's prison. He was charged with shooting Langren, who awoke while the negro was burglarizing his home.

Casualty.

James T. Thonburn, president of the William H. Elliott company of Detroit, accidentally shot and killed his wife at their home on Second avenue.

Fire at Athens, Ga., destroyed a large cotton warehouse belonging to Deadwiler & Co. The loss will aggregate $80,000, covered by insurance.

Josephine Oom was instantly killed and her sister fatally wounded by holdup men a quarter of a mile outside of the city limits of Grand Rapids, Mich.

One hundred and ten summer cottages with their contents were destroyed by fire which swept Acton Park, fourteen miles southeast of Indianapolis. Loss, $50,000.

Harry C. Campion, 65 years old head of the wholesale drug firm of Campion & Co. of Philadelphia, and a member of the Union League club, died as the result of being run over by a trolley car.

A Texas & Pacific passenger train carrying sixteen loads of excursion-carrying sixteen coaches of excursionists was wrecked near Aledo, Tex. The fireman was killed and several passengers were injured.

Stephen Cristinelle, a single man was killed in the Saginaw mine at Norway, Mich. He was loading in a skip two milling machines. A brake in the engine room slipped, letting the skip and man fall 250 feet.

Henry Pippo, a farm hand employed four miles south of Houghton, Mich., went to sleep in a barn while intoxicated and was stepped on by a horse, sustaining a fractured skull and other serious injuries. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where it is not thought he will recover.

Fire at Albany, N. Y., destroyed the stock in one of the temporary stores opened by the John G. Myers company after the collapse of their building last August, when thirteen persons were killed and thirty injured. The Myers people say their loss will probably exceed $250,000. The stock is believed to have been fully insured.

Three children of August Pell, aged two, four and five years, respectively, were burned to death at their parents' home near Metz, Mich. The children were in the barn and it is believed they were playing with matches. The barn and all buildings on the farm except the house were destroyed.

Three deaths were caused at Paterson, N. J., by the falling of a large picture on the wall, which broke a gas pipe ,while the Schroeder family was asleep. Chris Schroeder, his mother and her grandchild, Ira La Forge, were all asphyxiated. Neighbors who entered the house found the fallen picture beneath a gas fixture which had been snapped off short. They arrived in time to save the lives of two small La Forge children.

General.

Frank G. Higgins ,former lieutenant governor of Montana, died at St. Vincent hospital in Portland, Or., of a complication of diseases.

John Biggs, night clerk of a telegraph company's branch at Norfolk, Va., has been dismissed because he refused to accept an unpaid message from President Roosevelt to his wife at Washington.

Harrison Weldy, a young man of Franklin, Mo., died from an abscess in the back of his head, and according to physicians in attendance his heart continued to beat for several hours after he had ceased to live.

The most severe shortage of bituminous coal experienced in Chicago in many years exists at the present time, according to prominent dealers. Inability of the railroads to furnish cars for the transportation of the coal is given as the chief cause of the shortage.

More than 600 miners are idle in the Hocking coal district near Oskaloosa, Iowa, and not a bushel of coal is being mined where the output was nearly 2,000 tons per day. Trouble arose over operators' charges for hauling miners to and from mines over the Iowa Central railway. The miners objected to the charges.

T. Buckeye Taylor, aged 71, a former editor of the Cumberland Evening Times and foreman of the Congressional Globe, and later of the National Republican, Washington, during the days of Lincoln, is dead at Cumberland, Md. He established a paper at Fairfield, Iowa, which was destroyed by a mob when the Civil war broke out.

After having been stood on his head for thirty hours to stimulate heart action, Frank Perry died at Toledo from a large dose of nitrobenzol, taken by mistake for whisky. In their first efforts to assist him, his family discovered that when he was held head down the heart action was strong. So they kept the poisoned man in that position and kept on administering antidotes until he died.

A letter written by Abraham Lincoln in 1841 relating to political affairs in Illinois, one of a number of autographs collected by Mrs. George M. Moulton of Chicago, and sold at auction in New York, brought $100. An autograph poem signed by James Russell Lowell brought $23. A one-page letter signed, but not written, by George Washington, Feb. 20, 1790, sold for $28.

John Dixon, formerly private secretary to Senator William A. Clark of Montana, was found dead in his room at a Kansas City hotel. Dixon had been ill for some time.

STRIKE IS NOT GREAT SUCCESS

LACKS THE SPONTANEITY AND COMBINATION OF THE LAST STRIKE.

COLD SHOULDER IN PROVINCES

WORKMEN NOT INCLINED TO TAKE UP CUDGELS FOR POLAND.

DISORDERS IN THE INTERIOR

DISTRIBUTION OF CROWN LANDS MAY TEND TO PACIFY THE PEASANTS.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 18. — Though the industrial tie-up in St. Petersburg yesterday was even more complete than it was Wednesday, and though no break has been manifested in the ranks of the workmen, and strikes have broken out at Moscow and Reval, the most important feature of yesterday's developments was the failure of the walk-out to spread generally outside the capital. The movement apparently lacks the spontaneity and combination of the last strike which broke out at Moscow, and dispatches received from the industrial centers of Russia up to this hour show little inclination on the part of the workmen to take up cudgels in behalf of Poland.

Big Strike at Moscow.

The factory strike at Moscow, which has assumed considerable proportions, probably 45,000 men being out, has no direct connection with the St. Petersburg walk-out, and dispatches from the old capital say that the railway men received the request of the St. Petersburg strike committee coldly. The whole great network of railroads centering at Moscow, except the St. Petersburg line, is still in operation. At Reval the employes of the railway shops struck but the reason for the strike is not stated.

In St. Petersburg yesterday passed with complete order. Patrols were visible in all the industrial centers and Cossacks were trotting up and down the Nevski Prospect among the swiftly dashing carriages and sleighs, but the workmen, in

Obedience to the Orders

of the strike committee, kept generally indoors and did not attempt demonstrations, so that there was no occasion for interference.

In the outlying sections they went from drug store to drug store, ordering them to close and threatening them with destruction of their stocks if they refused. Other stores were not interfered with.

The action of the strikers with regard to the druggists is in striking contrast with the course pursued in Finland, where, when every other business participated in the general strike, the druggists were directed to remain open in order that the sick might not suffer. The course is condemned by a large part of the population.

At a meeting of the strike committee last night the question of the termination of the strike was not brought up, but the Associated Press noticed an expectation on the part of many of the delegates that the strike would end Saturday night.

Disorders Spreading.

There is a betterment of the agrarian conditions. Dispatches from Kusk, Poltava, Riazan, Samara and other provinces continue to report the spread of disorders, which in Poltava are taking an anti-Jewish turn. However, the imperial manifesto regarding the distribution of the crown domains, which by strenuous work was finished last night, will be issued to-day, and the emperor and Count Witte hope it will tend to pacify the peasants and have an important tactical effect on the coming struggle with the socialists and other anti-government forces in the elections for the douma.

False Czar in the Field.

A false emperor has suddenly made his appearance near Penza, and already his followers number 50,000. This is the startling report received yesterday afternoon in a dispatch from Simbihsk.

It required a year to suppress the famous rebellion led by Pugaticheff, who impersonate the dethroned and murdered Peter III. in the time of Catherine II. That uprising was started in the same region on the banks of the Volga.

$300,000 Fire.

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 18. — The Riverside Bridge works at Martin's Ferry, Ohio, were completely destroyed by fire early this morning. Loss, $300,000; no insurance.

Acquitted of Murder.

Grayling, Mich., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Naomi Aldrich of Frederick, Mich., was yesterday acquitted of the charge of murdering her two young sons for their insurance. The deaths of the children were attributed to poisoning.

Diocese Names Williams.

Detroit, Nov. 18.—Very Rev. Charles D. Williams, dean of Trinity cathedral, Cleveland, was elected bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan on the second ballot of the diocesan convention yesterday afternoon.

GOV. ODELL AND DEPEW TESTIFY

Both Emphatically Deny the Charges Made Against Them by Hyde.

New York, Nov. 18. — Former Gov. Benjamin B. Odell, Jr., and United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew, as witnesses before the Armstrong legislative insurance investigation committee yesterday, denied parts of the testimony of James Hazen Hyde in which their names were used. Mr. Odell, in the course of his testimony, called Mr. Hyde's statements "base calumny," and when he was asked whether he directly or indirectly had made threats to have the charter of the Mercantile Trust company revoked, his face flushed and, striking the arm of the witness chair with his fist, he exclaimed: "There is no truth in that statement, so help me God."

No Political Pressure Used.

Mr. Odell was the first witness of the day. He said no political pressure was brought to bear in the settlement of his suit against the Mercantile Trust company, and that it was settled the same as suits brought by others. He said he had been advised by counsel that his claim was a just one and that any court would have awarded him more than he received in the settlement.

Mr. Odell denied that he ever made a statement to E. H. Harriman or any one else that retaliatory measures would be taken against the Mercantile Trust company. He wrote a letter on behalf of Mr. Hyde's candidacy for the post of ambassador to France. This was at the request of William H. McIntyre, one of the vice presidents of the Equitable Life Assurance society. Mr. Odell said he never solicited political contributions.

Senator Depew Testifies.

Senator Depew was examined with regard to his syndicate participation and his duties as counsel to the Equitable society. Regarding the ambassadorship to Paris, Senator Depew said Mr. Hyde came to him and solicited his influence to secure the appointment. Senator Depew brought the matter to the attention of the president, although he told Mr. Hyde that he was too young, and the president said it was utterly impossible to make such an appointment.

The senator advocated, in the interests of the public, the limiting of risks under insurance policies and favored a public audit of the accounts of companies at stated periods by a chartered accountant. This he thought would obviate many suits that are now frequently brought for an accounting on the part of a policyholder.

Tells of Millions in Loans.

John Gilchrist, in charge of the security department of the Equitable Life Assurance society, told of millions of dollars in loans made at the end of the year in the names of clerks of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. to comply with the law that the surplus should be invested or to keep down the cash balances. No collateral was held by the Equitable on these loans and the check which was given for these loans was deposited in the bank and a certificate of deposit received. The check, however, was never cleared and on the first of the year the check would be taken out and the certificate surrendered. These loans were made at the instance of T. D. Jordan, former controller of the Equitable.

McCurdy's Salary Cut in Half.

At a special meeting of the board of trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance company yesterday, at which the recently appointed investigating committee submitted its report, President McCurdy caused a stir by stating that at his own request his salary had been cut in half, from $150,000 to $75,000 a year. This action was taken at a meeting of the finance committee, and, Mr. McCurdy said, was the first step in reducing the expenses of the company.

Salaries of the other executive officers of the company also have been reduced, the saving amounting in all to between $145,000 and $150,000 per annum.

DEFAULTS ON DAMAGES.

Venezuela President Neglects to Pay Award for Injuries to Frenchmen.

Paris, Nov. 18.—The foreign office is advised that President Castro yesterday refused to pay the second installment of the Plumley arbitration award. The arbitration covered damages sustained by French citizens in Venezuela during revolutionary periods prior to 1903. Judge Frank Plumley of Northfield, Vt., was president of the arbitration commission, which met at Northfield last year. The judgment was in favor of France, which was awarded about $650,000, and President Castro paid the first installment of the award three months ago. The second payment due yesterday, was not paid. Apparently the Venezuelan president's failure to pay the installment was on the ground that diplomatic relations between France and Venezuela are interrupted. The officials here decline to admit that this justified President Castro in not paying the installment. The incident is considered to be a further provocation.

TOO MUCH LETTER WRITING.

Washington, Nov. 18. — President Roosevelt, in his instructions to the commission of which Mr. Keep, assistant secretary of the treasury, is chairman, and which was created by the president to ascertain what changes may be necessary to place the conduct of the executive business of this government on the most economical and effective basis, called attention, among other things, to useless letter writing, urging that it should be eliminated from the government business.

WANTED SUSPECT OUT OF THE WAY

MAN INDICTED IN NEW YORK FOR ILLEGAL VOTING DISAPPEARS.

CASH BAIL PUT UP; HE SKIPS

ATTORNEY GENERAL CALLS IT MOST FLAGRANT DEFIANCE OF LAW.

BIG SENSATION IN COURT

EVERY EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO RUN DOWN MAN WHO WORKED PLOT.

New York, Nov. 18—A sensation was created in Justice Davy's branch of the supreme court yesterday afternoon when John Krup, indicted for illegal voting in the recent municipal election, failed to appear for pleading, and his attorney expressed ignorance as to his whereabouts.

Earlier in the day Krup's release had been secured under increased bail, a $5,000 cash bond being filed.

State's Attorney General Mayer, who was in court, was indignant at the turn of affairs. Last night the attorney general made public this statement:

Defiance of Law.

"Every effort will be made to ascertain who put up the $5,000 bail and who employed counsel to defend Krup. The failure of Krup to appear in court was a flagrant a defiance of law as I have ever heard of. The disappearance of Krup is the best confirmation of the statement made by me in court urging that his bail be increased. I believe there were reasons apart from reasons of his own why Krup did not appear."

Justice Davy declared the $5,000 bail forfeited.

Krup's case was reached at 2 o'clock, but at the request of counsel was postponed for an hour. At 3 o'clock there was still

No Sign of the Defendant.

His lawyers, Abraham Levy and Former Deputy Attorney General C. B. Dillon, said they had left him but a short time before and he had assured them he would be in court.

Attorney General Mayer, moving for a forfeiture of bail, declared he was not surprised at the turn of affairs.

"If this defendant has left town," declared the attorney general, "I know with whom he was last seen and will know how to proceed. I thought somebody must have been greatly interested in Krup to put up $5,000 bail for him just to secure his liberty for a few hours."

Pen for Men "Higher Up."

Harry F. Cochrane and Robert E. Stewart, lawyers having charge of the prosecution of ballot box frauds in Brooklyn, have investigated the Third and Eighth assembly districts and communicated with inspectors alleged to be implicated. It is said these men will have to give evidence which will convict men higher up or go to the pen. The Hearst lawyers are also preparing to secure the indictment of the missing witness against Edward Milan, accused of attempted bribery on election day. It is said they are in Southern cities. They will be indicted and extradited unless they return of their own volition.

FIGHT UPON NEW PRINTER.

Public Printer Stillings Will Meet Opposition From Union Men.

Washington, Nov. 18. — The "open shop" question at the government printing office is again coming forward, in some sort of an effort to make a fight on Charles A. Stillings, the new public printer, who has not yet taken control of the office. It is claimed by some that he is a non-union man and will stand for the open shop policy. The bookbinders' union in the government printing office, which precipitated the open shop question when W. A. Miller of Minnesota was suspended by Public Printer Palmer, has held meeting for the purpose of taking up the cudgels against Stillings and preventing his confirmation.

THREE BUILDINGS BURN.

Bertha, Minn., Fire Brigade Saves the Postoffice.

Bertha, Minn., Nov. 18. — The H. Kallusky building, occupied by Henry F. Piepho as a saloon, the Mansfield residence and a vacant hall were burned yesterday morning. The heroic work of the Bertha volunteer fire company saved the postoffice building. The entire loss is about $10,000; partly covered by insurance. The State bank suffered a slight loss.

Long Range Counterfeiting.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—A dispatch to the Vossische Zeitung from Cologne announces the arrest at Schlebusch, Prussia, of a band of counterfeiters who made a specialty of counterfeiting American paper money.

More Troops to Santiago.

Havana, Nov. 18. — An additional company of troops has been ordered to Santiago owing to the prevalence of minor disorders there and to rumors that more serious trouble is impending.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Mrs. Julia Steensland was adjudged insane at Ada and committed to the Fergus Falls hospital.

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Walter Pierren was bound over for appearance to the next term of the district court at Bemidji on a charge of assault in the second degree on Louis Hagen, Oct. 24.

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The postoffice at Little Sauk was robbed and about $200 taken. There is no clue to the burglars. The safe was opened with a drill and the inner doors pried open.

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Bernard, the 12-year-old son of John Townley of Granite Falls, accidentally shot and killed himself while out hunting. A charge of shot tore a great hole in his side and he died instantly.

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The new orphans' home at Eagle Lake, near Willmar, is now completed and is ready for occupancy. The orphans, numbering twenty-two, were brought from Lamberton during the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. August Westman, pioneer residents of Cannon Falls, celebrated their golden wedding recently. The couple were married at Wireda, Sweden, half a century ago, came to America in 1865 and settled in Goodhue county the same year.

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An east-bound freight train struck and instantly killed Ole Tangwald, a farmer living eight miles northwest of Mora, near the Great Northern depot. The body was ground to pieces. No stop was made by the train crew and the body was left to be discovered by two section men an hour later.

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While sleeping in their father's cabin on his homestead three miles in the woods from Embarras station, on the Duluth & Iron Range road, , two children of John Harju were burned to death. The father was absent in the woods and returned to find the cabin in flames and too late to rescue the little ones.

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The new Cottonwood county court house, costing $100,000, was dedicated recently at Windom, a crowd of 2,500 or more people being present. The Omaha ran a special train from Westbrook, bringing about 250 people from along the Currie line, and hundreds came by train from different parts of the county.

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John Weise, a young farmer of Perham, disappeared two weeks ago after quarreling with his wife and no trace of him has since been found. Some believe he has committed suicide, while others insist that he has been murdered. Relatives dragged a lake near his home in hopes of finding the body, but without success.

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A hunting accident occurred near Pine Island near Red Wing which might have terminated fatally. Frank and Lewie Stiller went into the woods after rabbits and were walking along some three or four rods apart, but hidden from each other by the thick brush. A rabbit jumped up and Frank hastily raised his gun and fired, the full charge taking effect in his brother's arm and side, at a range of about fifteen yards. About half an ounce of shot was extracted.

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A deed transferring a large acreage of timber in Lake county and marking the close of a deal made several months ago has been filed in the office of the register of deeds at Two Harbors. The sale was from E. B. Putnam of St. Paul, W. H. Cook and Harry Turrish of Duluth to Nolan Bros. & Laird, the consideration being $187,870. A cash payment was made of $22,870, and the remainder is to be paid in three yearly instalmets.

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The sale of lands forfeited to the state for non-payment of taxes prior to 1900, and including in the sale the taxes due for subsequent years, was made by the county auditor at Stillwater. The sale of lands delinquent for taxes in the year 1900 and subsequently was heldSaturday. Some property was bought by former owners and some bid in by the state. Speculators invested in some of the lands, especially at St. Paul Park and in the town of Grant.

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Winona men who have fed about 50,000 sheep each winter are finding much difficulty in finding a supply of feeders this winter. Sheep have been purchased in Montana and Wyoming in the past and brought to Winona in the fall, fattened during the winter and sold at a big profit in the spring. This year the majority of Western sheep raisers have decided to do their own feeding through the winter and secure the extra profit in the spring. The result is that the local men see a very poor season ahead of them.

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An important question of law has arisen in the district court at Worthington over the payment of benefits derived by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway for drainage in the establishment of a county ditch. It is claimed that there is no precedent. The railway company appealed from the assessment of $800 by reason of benefits on the ground that it is relieved from all special assessments by paying the 3 per cent gross earnings tax. The question will be submitted on brief and the result will be watched with interest.

Mrs. Michael Mitchell of East St. Cloud was committed to the Fergus Falls asylum.

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The Hastings Commercial club is arranging for a series of dances this winter, the first to be given Thanksgiving eve.

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An extra freight train was wrecked at Wykoff by a broken flange. Seven cars were ditched and several rods of track were torn up.

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James H. Price, who stabbed Edward C. Joyce, a bartender in a saloon at Two Harbors, was sentenced by Judge Ensign to the St. Cloud reformatory. He entered a plea of guilty.

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The residence of J. R. Watkins, one of Winona's wealthiest men, was entered and furs and silverware valued at about $1,000 were stolen. A reward of $400 is offered for the apprehension of the thieves.

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Frank Almeman of Goodhue has sued Kate Bucholz, John Petersdorf, Emil Bucholz and Fred Yerka in the district court for $1,875, charging that they cut down a number of shade trees on his farm.

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William M. Mills, a territorial pioneer and a pioneer of the Minnesota valley and the first white settler to locate and take possession of a claim in Lac qui Parle county, died at his home in his eighty-first year.

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The Milwaukee company has refused to prosecute Fred Taylor, who broke into the Meckling depot recently. The father of the young man has signified a desire to pay all costs. The family resides at Centerville, Iowa.

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The ten-year-old daughter of Frank Hassa, a farmer who lives near Hewitt, met death when her dress caught on fire while she was carrying some live coals to place in a stove. Death was due to the inhalation of smoke, which strangled her.

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The monthly report of the fourth assistant postmaster general shows that 1,294 rural free delivery routes were in operation in Minnesota on Nov .1, with 170 positions for service awaiting action. Routes to the number of 285 were in operation in South Dakota and 146 in North Dakota.

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Mrs. Harriet E. Nelson of Red Wing who sued John A. Davis for $3,000, as damages because he wrote a poem which she charged was meant for her, was awarded a verdict of $1. While the jury did not believe Mrs. Nelson has suffered on account of the verse, it was of the opinion that the man who wrote them should certainly pay the cost of the trial. A stay of proceedings of sixty days was granted. The case may not end there.

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Loggers on the Chippewa reservation are troubled by the scarcity of men. There will be a larger cut there this winter under the provision of the Morris law than ever before, the amount being now estimated by the superintendent of operations for the government at about 715,000,000 feet. This is 55,000,000 more than last year. There are thirty camps near Cass Lake, two on the Pigeon river northeast of Duluth, four on the Fond du Lac reserve near Cloquet, where the timber was all supposed to have been stolen years ago, four on Deer creek near the proposed extension of the Duluth, Virginia & Rainy Lake road, and two on the Bois Fortes near Net lake.

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Gov. Johnson has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation. It follows conventional lines except for its reference to "quickening of the public conscience" making for better government. The text of the proclamation is as follows:

The president of the United States having by proclamation designated Thursday, Nov. 30, 1905, as a national day of thanksgiving,

Now, therefore, pursuane to an established custom, I, John A. Johnson, governor of Minnesota, do request that said day be observed throughout the state as Thanksgiving day.

The past year has been one of great prosperity. The nation is at peace with the world. Throughout the entire country there is an awakening of the people and a quickening of the public conscience which is making for better citizenship and better government. In our own state we have abundant cause for rejoicing and general thanksgiving. Never have our fields and mines been so bountiful in their products, and in all that tends to material wealth our people have been enriched in greater degree than ever before. Labor in all departments of human endeavor has been generously rewarded and its efforts have been crowned with deserved success. For all these bounties I would earnestly recommend that on Thanksgiving day our people abstain from their usual avocations and, meeting in their regular places of worship, join in general thanksgiving to the Divine Author of all our blessings and invoke the continuance of his favor.

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For the second time within a week death has taken a former governor of Minnesota. Horace Austin, governor from 1870 to 1874, jurist, soldier, writer and for thirty years continuously holder of high public offices, died at St. Barnabas hospital, Minneapolis, following a minor surgical operation. He was in his seventy-fourth year.

Anton Kott, a mechanic, was arrested at Sauk Center and sentenced to thirty days in jail for the abuse of his five children. The three youngest children were taken to the orphans' home in Little Falls.

In and About the State

ASK STATE FOR MORE MONEY.

Dairymen Would Have Better Educational Means.

The Minnesota State Butter and Cheesemakers' association held a two-days' session at Mankato last week. The election of officers resulted in James Sorenson of Lyndale being chosen president; George E. Lyndahl of Long Siding, vice president; E. L. Allen of Ashby, secretary, and A. W. Parkin of Stanton, treasurer. The last two were re-elections. President H. J. Credicott of St. Paul declined a renomination, saying that he had held the office for two years and that it should be passed around.

The convention passed resolutions urging the legislature to materially increase the appropriation at the disposal of the state dairy and food department, which is handicapped by lack of funds; asking it to provide for an experimental creamery in connection with the state dairy school, where experiments can be carried on during the entire years, and also asking it to provide for a new building for the dairy school and for salaries for instructors. The resolutions commend Dairy and Food Commissioner E. K. Slater of St. Paul for his aggressive policy for pure food and for the enforcement of law, and pledge the association to stand behind him to aid him in his work.

Another set of resolutions urge the legislature to pass laws prohibiting the using of unfit material, and making the use of the churn and oil tests for cream illegal.

H. P. Olson, Hames Sorenson and H. T. Sondegaard, the latter of Litchfield, were appointed a committee to work with the legislature for a new building for the state dairy school. The present building was pronounced entirely unfit, poorly constructed and fifteen years behind the times. A rising vote of thanks was extended to the dairy and food commissioners. The retiring officers were also honored.

Forestry at Profit.

Prof. S. B. Green and Prof. Cheney of the state agricultural college and Gen. C. C. Andrews, state fire warden, recently made a trip to the state forest reserve in Cass county. There are about 1,000 acres in the reserve, which is located sixteen miles northwest of Brainerd. Gen. Andrews stated that the timber was cut about twenty-five years ago, and that there is considerable reproduction of jack pine. There is a pulp factory and water power at Brainerd which they visited. The mill pays $4 per cord for spruce, of which it uses about thirteen cords a day.

"Assuming that the land is third class, which is about right," sair Gen. Andrews, "the yield in thirty years, according to the Saxony yield tables, would be twenty-three cords per acre, and in forty years the stumpage would be thirty-five cords per acre. At present prices the 1,000 acres would bring in $46,000 in thirty years, or $70,000 in forty years if planted to spruce. This is at the rate of $2 a cord on the stump, which leaves $2 a cord for hauling and cutting. We have now in the nursery 800,000 spruce seedlings a year and a half old, some of them six inches high, which would be enough to plant the entire reserve if we had the money to do it with, but there is none appropriated. The reserve is a half-mile from Gull lake, which empties throught the Gull river into the Crow Wing river."

More Men of Money.

St. Paul has more capitalists than Minneapolis, according to figures given out by the state census bureau. Under this heading St. Paul has 1,225 and Minneapolis 787. In other occupations Minneapolis, with a larger population, is ahead of St. Paul. The census bureau is completing its work with the compilation of figures on occupation.

St. Paul has 33,797 common laborers, exceeding any other class. Clerks and salesmen come next, there being 19,748. Skilled laborers come next with 18,943. Of railway employes there are 2,322; merchants, storekeepers and machine dealers, 3,306; farmers, 498; lumbermen and woodsmen, 292; manufacturers, 359; liquor dealers and bartenders, 869; professional men, 2,143; teachers, 1,117; capitalists and retired, 1,225; unclassified, 2,630.

Minneapolis has 51,012 common laborers. Skilled laborers, of whom there are 30,284, come second, and clerks and salesmen come third, there being 23,987 of this class. Other classes are: Farmers, 653; lumbermen and woodsmen, 462; manufacturers, 709; merchants, storekeepers and machine dealers, 6,126; railway employes, 2,882; liquor dealers and bartenders, 1,059; professional men, 3,707; teachers, 1,920; capitalists and retired, 787; unclassified, 6,123.

Bill for Indian War.

The next congress will be asked to appropriate $8,000 to reimburse the State of Minnesota for sending its national guard to the Indian troubles at Leech Lake in October, 1898, and to Koochiching in July, 1900.

During the troubles at Leech lake the state sent up Batteries A and B of the national guard, and during the Koochiching troubles a company of infantry was sent at the expense of the state. The total expenses amounted to about $8,000 for transportation, subsistence and pay.

STATE'S LANDS BRING $550,000.

State Auditor Reports About 68,000 Acres Sold.

The state auditor and Land Commissioner C. H. Warner held the last of the state land sales at Princeton for this fall. They were well satisfied with the results of the sales. About 68,000 acres of land have been sold during the three weeks, and $550,000 realized for the state.

"For the first two weeks," said the state auditor, "the weather was unfavorable to the success of the sales. It was cold and snowing, which made it inconvenient for purchasers. The weather last week was fine and the sales were good.

"We sold 6,100 acres in Becker county at an average price of over $7; in Wadena we sold 4,800 acres at an average of $8; in Todd 6,600 acres at about $9; In Pine county 2,600, and in Kanabec county 1,700 at about $6, and in Mille Lacs 2,800 acres at an average of more than $7. During the three weeks we sold about 68,000 acres, at an average price not far from $8. This will bring the state about $550,000, of which more than $80,000 had to be paid in cash, which we think very satisfactory indeed.

"The sales were well attended. At Detroit, Wadena and Long Prairie the court rooms, where the sales were held, were not large enough to accommodate the crowds. There were a great many buyers who wanted only forey or eighty acres. There were people from other states at nearly all our sales. They were active bidders, and their presence and bidding had without question an advantageous effect on the prices.

"There were also many from the southern part of the state. One man walked forty miles to attend the sale at Roseau. He bid on eighty acres and got it.

"We noticed great activity in land matters in the northern part of the state. Many tracts are being developed, cleared of timber and brush, and many buildings are being put up. In fact, the northern part of the state is going to show a wonderful advance during the next few years. Cheese factories and dairies are being established. Good roads are being built. Substantial school houses are to be seen everywhere. The villages all have the appearance of thrift and prosperity, which is merely a reflection of the farm communities surrounding them.

"There is a large settlement of Finns in the southeast corner of Becker county and the northern part of Wadena, and many of the Finns came to the sales and bought land. They have developed the land wonderfully in a short time and will do wonders for the country in the next few years. They buy only forty acres at a time. They are hard workers, and soon pay for this, and then buy another forty acres. With their thrift and industry, added to the education our school system offers them, they will do great things. It is doubtful if any class of people could start under as adverse circumstances as they did and improve the country as rapidly."

STATE LOOKS FOR MORE LOANS.

Additions to School Fund More Than Expected.

The state has now paid all the loans it has promised to make to school districts, municipalities, counties and townships. In some of the cases the borrowers do not want the money right away, but the state has the money ready with which to pay them when they want it.

When the state investment board met Oct. 14 it approved loans for $55,000, although at that time there was already several approved loans waiting. This brought the amount of the promised loans up to $205,000 above the amount then available. The investment board approved the loans upon an estimate that there would be about $300,000 turned into the permanent school fund from the sales of land and timber. The actual returns have gone above expectations, and now there is money awaiting the requests for loans.

The 25 per cent which must be paid in cash at the state timber sale brought in enough more to make $174,000 from this source. The state mineral sales brought in about $77,000, the 15 per cent cash payment on the state land sales held during the last three weeks brought in about $80,000. Some collections on former sales also have swelled the fund.

Since the first of this month $106,000 has been paid out on loans approved by the board. This leaves $53,000 more to be paid, and there is money in the fund to pay the loans as soon as the counties or towns send in their bonds. Many of them do not need the money at once, and to save paying interest do not draw the money until they need it. The whole amount paid out since Aug. 1 is $410,000. Since the last meeting of the board applications for $84,000 of loans have come in, but it is probable that there will be money enough to pay them as soon as it is wanted. The unpaid portion of the state land and timber sales held during the last few weeks amounts to nearly $800,000, and there are also considerable amounts unpaid on former sales.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MANGLED UNDER A CAR.

John McNamara Is Killed Almost Instantly.

St. Paul, Nov. 18.—"I must hurry up and get a car," said John McNamara as he left his boarding house at 1921 University avenue at 7 o'clock last evening. A few minutes later his mangled body was taken from under the trucks of an interurban car near the west end of the Minnesota Transfer bridge. He left the house and ran behind a car going west in order to catch the St. Paul car which was approaching. He had evidently miscalculated the distance of the east-bound car, and as the other car passed him he was in front of the St. Paul car. Motorman Pierson had little time to do anything. Before he could reverst the current McNamara was knocked down, dragged under the fender and mangled by the trucks.

UP TO ROOSEVELT.

President May Be Forced to Act in White Earth Sale Controversy.

Duluth, Nov. 18.—It is learned here that the Indians of the White Earth reservation, who has strenuously objected to the sale of their timber at this time, have decided to take the matter into the federal court and seek to have the government enjoined from the formal awarding of the timber sold Wednesday to any of the bidders. A number of chiefs were in session yesterday, and the determination was the outcome of their deliberations. This action would indirectly make President Roosevelt defendant. If the injunction is granted it will be the president's duty to act. Commissioner Hitchcock is let out of the situation gracefully. The president, in the event an injunction is granted, will direct the secretary as to what action he shall take.

TRY TO PROLONG LIFE.

Brother of Col. Henderson Is Using Heroic Measures.

Dubuque, Iowa, Nov. 18.—With his aged brother as a nurse, heroic measures are being taken to prolong the life of ex-Speaker Henderson. A. C. Henderson, who is a trained nurse of long years' experience, is wrapping his brother in scorching blankets in order to draw the blood from the head and produce a better circulation. Ordinary medical treatment has been abandoned, and under the new treatment, which the speaker's brother has often tried before with success, 'no opiates are needed. George Henderson, a brother of the ex-speaker residing at San Diego, Cal., is also reported to be dying, but the news is being kept from the two brothers in Dubuque.

LABORERS ARE SCARCE.

Farmers Offer $30 a Month and Board but Remain Short-Handed.

Pierre, S. D., Nov. 17.—The scarcity of laborers presents a problem which is about as troublesome as any other one in this section at the present time. The railroad company is offering $2 a day for men and is securing them only by bringing them in from different Northwestern cities. Farmers are offering $30 a month and board for men to assist them in threshing and corn gathering and are not securing half they want. A large number of laboring men who are really willing to work can secure paying jobs in this part of the state at any time.

WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN ROAD.

Heart Disease Kills Mother of Minneapolis Woman.

Eau Claire, Wis., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Ole S. Lund of this city was found dead yesterday afternoon near Fosbroke, Dunn county, two miles from Caryville. She was lying in the road. Early in the afternoon she had started from Shaker's farm, where she was visiting, to walk to a neighboring farm. Heart disease was the cause of her death. She leaves a husband and two daughters, one at Stanley and one at Minneapolis.

ROBBERS BLOW SAFE.

Take Money and Diamonds From N. P. Depot at Carrington.

Carrington, N. D., Nov. 18.—Robbers entered the Northern Pacific depot here at an early hour this morning, blew open the safe, completely destroying it and secured about $400 in money and a package containing two diamonds valued at $700. No clue to the robbers can be found.

White Beaver May Recover.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 18.—The family of the famous scout, Col. D. Frank Powell (White Beaver), were notified yesterday from Cody, Wyo., where Powell's death has been expected hourly, that his condition is improving and that his recovery is now expected.

Accidentally Killed.

Muscatine, Iowa, Nov. 18. — May Meuntz, aged eight, was shot accidentally by her older sister. She died later. The older sister did not know the gun was loaded and went to put it on a table. The hammer caught.

Farmer Shoots Himself.

Finky, N. D., Nov. 18. — Frank A. Haymaker committed suicide by shooting himself in the right temple with a 32-caliber revolver. He was despondent. He leaves a widow and a large family.

IN PERIL FROM PRAIRIE FIRE.

South Dakota City Is Fighting Scourge of Flames.

Aberdeen, S. D., Nov. 17.—Aberdeen has been fighting a prairie fire of alarming proportions. For a time, with a high wind raging, it looked as if the North side was in imminent danger. The blaze started Tuesday night at Forbes, N. D., and swept in roaring waves over a tract of land ten miles wide and forty miles long. The towns of Frederick and Westport barely succeeded in deflecting the spread of the flames around those places, and so far no buildings are known to have been burned, but the loss in hay, unthreshed grain and grass will be very heavy.

TO SERVE LIFE TERM.

Bigerstaff Is Convicted of Murder in the Second Degree.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 17.—The jury that was trying Chester Bigerstaff for murder in the first degree has found him guilty of murder in the second degree. The jury went out late yesterday afternoon and reached its verdict in forty minutes. The condemned man appears unmoved by the prospect of spending the balance of his life in the penitentiary, and is evidently glad to escape the noose. Bigerstaff's case was disposed of in quick time. He shot and killed William Kinifeck at Biwabik on Oct. 29, and his case was disposed of yesterday. Bigerstaff is twenty-nine years old.

CONVICTS TIMBER THIEF.

Jury at Fergus Falls Finds Soren Sorenson Guilty.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Nov. 17. — In district court here yesterday the grand jury returned indictments against A. A. Peltier of Parker's Prairie, charging him with forgery, and against Joseph White, John Quinn and Frank Witten, charged with robbing and assaulting Peter Schwann in this city. The United States court spent the day in trying the case against Soren Sorenson, charged with stealing timber, and a verdict of guilty was returned late last night.

FIRE SWEPT IOWA TOWN.

Urbana Is Nearly Wiped Off the Face of the Earth.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Nov. 17.—The little town of Urbana was swept almost out of existence by fire yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in the postoffice building, and that building, together with the Urbana Savings bank building, Lord & Kelly's implement house, two or three other business houses and a number of dwellings were burned. Neighboring fire departments responded to the call and the fire was checked late in the afternoon.

ARE WED IN HURRY.

Clerk Called From Bed at Midnight to Issue License.

Pierre, S. D., Nov. 17. — Clerk of Courts Tarbell was called out of bed at midnight to issue a marriage license for Alfred B. Wilson and Nellie Orr. The couple met yesterday, and attended a play at the opera house in the evening, at which they decided to be married. They engaged a minister and secured a license after the show.

BIG FIRE AT GRANTSBURG.

Business Center Narrowly Escapes Being Wiped Out—Loss, $67,000.

Grantsburg, Wis., Nov. 17.—The destruction of Grantsburg's business center was prevented yesterday by the prompt arrival of fire companies from Rush City and North Branch by special train. As it was, half a block of the business structures was wiped out with a loss of $67,000, six buildings being destroyed.

Mother Contests Son's Will.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Nov. 17.—The will of the late C. J. Hoyt, once a wealthy merchant of this city, will be contested by his mother. She claims in the petition that her son was not competent to make a will; that he was mentally unsound when his last will was executed. By the terms of the will the mother was given $3,000, and the balance went to his wife.

Hunter Loses Eyesight.

Washburn, Wis., Nov. 18. — Amos Twining of Gay's Mills, Wis., while on his way here to go hunting, lost the sight off his gun. While trying to mend it by cutting a nickle in two a piece flew and hit him in the left eye, destroying the sight.

Work Stopped on Building.

Deadwood, S. D., Nov. 17.—An order has come from Washington to stop work on the government building in this city. The building is completed to the bottom of the third story.

Postoffice Robbed.

Fargo, N. D., Nov. 17.—The postoffice at Riga was robbed, and Postmaster Terson notified the United States officials here that all the money he had on hand was taken, as well as the government funds and stamps.

Postoffice Is Robbed.

Shell Lake, Wis., Nov. 17. — The postoffice at Mills, Washburn county, was burglarized last night. The safe was blown open and about $50 in stamps, $2 in silver and two watches were stolen.

CALUMET Baking Powder

The only high grade Baking Powder sold at a moderate price. Complies with the pure food laws of all states.

Trust Baking Powders sell for 45 or 50 cents per pound and may be identified by this exorbitant price. They are a menace to public health, as food prepared from them contains large quantities of Rochelle salts, a dangerous cathartic drug.

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THE Cryisthmian canal commission having decided what kind of a canal to build there remains now the mere relative triviality of building it.

THE Hallock editors are calling each other hard names. This does not benefit Hallock nor either of the participants in the mud-slinging contest.

MORE than ever it is coming to be believed that this is to be "a government for the people and by the people." The bosses are no longer in control.

THE president's message will be out in a few days, and then congress will find out just how far it is expected to go on the railroad and tariff questions.

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JUDGE HENRY R. START of the Vermont supreme bench, died Tuesday of last week. He was a brother of Chief Justice Start of the Minnesota supreme court.

THE Albert Lea Standard asks us to "be cheerful and pay our life insurance premium promptly, for the philanthropic officers may need it to buy Christmas presents."

WILEY TINDOLPH, the Thief River land man, has been appointed a delegate to the national conference on immigration, which meets at New York city December 6, 7 and 8.

AT the same time Governor Folk will admit that even assured reforms sometimes get a setback so that there will be plenty of work left for another generation of daring patriots.

THE retiring viceroy of India who resigned in defense of a principle has set an example which it is not likely that any of our politicians or plutocrats will follow no matter how dearly "they love the Lord."

THE per capita circulation is stated to be $31, and the editor of the Browns Valley Tribune is demanding the payment of a few more subscriptions to bring his pile up to the average.

BOSS PLATT tells us that Boss Odell is a grafter and must therefore be bounced and discredited. The worst thing about Odell in Platt's estimation is probably the fact that he has been found out.

SENATOR DEPEW'S memory on the witness stand is so bad that the New York people would be justified in demanding his resignation because of his failing powers. There are also other good reasons why he should not be United States senator.

PARTYISM is not exactly enshrined supreme as a result of the elections this year, but a wholesome spirit of independence is abroad that should be instructive to parties and teach them to look beyond the possession of names and organizations.

THE Lamberton Star voices the consensus of country press opinion in saying that "many Republicans are mentioned for governor at present, but later on there will be but a few who care to get into the arena against Governor John A. Johnson.

EMPEROR WIEHELM is in favor of total obstinence—by proxy, having ordered his chauffeur to take the pledge.

THE convenience of having an insurance company's president in the senate must now be quite obvious. No one knows how soon it will be handy to have an express company's president and a few railroad presidents there.

NEXT year will be a mighty poor time to argue that a candidate should be elected for no better reason than the fact that he is a Republican or a Democrat. The voters are looking for the best man, and they don't care what party he belongs to, or whether he has a party.

THE Result of the elections in different parts of the United States last week cannot help but be gratifying to the people who are opposed to the corrupt political rings that have for years been in power. It is a warning to Minnesota, says the Thief River News, and the party leaders should take notice.

BRO. LANGUM of the Preston Times takes the Courier to task for intimating that Senator Lord is too honest and independent to suit the senatorial clique, and that for this reason his gubernatorial boom is frowned upon. As Sam is in charge of the aforesaid boom he probably has reasons for believing otherwise.

THE St. Peter Herald observes that the day has passed when voters can be rounded up at the polls and made to cast their ballots blindly for the party nominee. Despite the arguments of the organs the people intend to do their own thinking and are in no haste to play into the hands of the bosses.

ATTORNEY GENERAL YOUNG has ruled that fines collected by the municipal courts for the violation of the state game laws must be paid into the county treasury and not into the city treasury. The matter came up through a conflict between the charter of the city of Mankato, which provides that all fines must be paid into the city treasury.

OLE H. MYREN, four years state senator from this legislative district, died last Friday in California, where he moved a couple of years ago in the hope of regaining his health. Mr. Myren was a comparatively wealthy man, and for many years was one of the prominent men in business and political life in the Red River Valley.

JOE TRIGG of Rockford, Iowa, says: The fact that only 91 out of 900 delegates to the recent Chicago rate convention presented tickets for validation for the home journey would not seem to indicate that the railroad interests of the country were in very great jeopardy, in case this is to be considered a hostile aggregation.

THE American people are slow to wrath but terribly in earnest when they are aroused. This year their rebuke has been administered to graft and machine politics, but it is gathering force against a day of reckoning with the betrayal of their interests through subserviency to corporate rule. Will congress heed the lesson when it deals with rate legislation this winter?

If you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, sour stomach, or any other pain, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets At A. L. Reichert's.

DRAINAGE is not really a political question, it is a business question, observes the Sauk Centre Herald. There are ten million acres of swamp lands in the northern part of the state, which, as they stand today, are not worth a cent to the state or anyone else. By an expenditure of ten millions of dollars they could be made worth seventy-five millions of dollars. The question is not one of politics; it is just a straight matter of arithmetic.

The Proper Salution.

Sauk Center Herald: Congressman McCleary and his friends are for Senator Sommerville for governor, Buchman and his supporters are red-hot for Brower, while Senator Stephens thinks Steenerson is the only man who can win. Why don't these gentlemen get into the field themselves and redem the state?

THERE seems to be an idea abroad that the officials of the Northwestern National insurance company of Minneapolis who were recently indicted are still managing the affairs of that concern. This is not the case, as all of the old officers and directors were forced to resign by Governor Johnson last spring, and an entirely new set of officials have been in charge since then. The company is paying its losses promptly and doing a safe and conservative business.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON and Insurance Commissioner O'Brien have in mind a plan to re-organize the big New York insurance companies along the lines used in the reorganization of the Minneapolis companp, and President Roosevelt has promised his help. There is no question of the solvency of these companies, and all that is necessary is to weed out the graft, exorbitant salaries and dishonest business methods, and get back the illegal payments to campaign committees to the policy-holders. Governor Johnson is not a visionary, and there is ground for hope that he will be successful in getting the companies in the hands of honest and competent officials.

There is no desire to question Congressman Steenerson's sincerity in the cause of tariff reform, but, like too many politicians, he has been a victim of expediency. Instead of leading his peaple—instead of trying to give his people what he knew they ought to have whether they wanted it or not, he has dilly-dallied until the ground-swell of the people's voice has made the demand so plain that the blind can see and the deaf bear. If he has not sinned away his day of grace, his temerity has caused him to relax his efforts at a time when sturdy champions were needed. The lamp still burns, though, and the Ninth district congressman has a chance to redeem himself.

The elections last week had little of partisanship, or rather Democracy and Republicanism in them, but more decency and a square deal for everybody, says the Windom Reporter. Philadelphia gave the citizens movement a big majority and turned down the machines of both parties. The New York machine was pretty well smashed, and all along the line machinery in politics got a staggering blow. Politicians got a "bunch" that next year there will be something doing everywhere among the people and that party lines will be lost sight of. The independent voter is asserting himself and it looks as though nothing could prevent him from running things in the near future for a time at least.

Lamp Still Burns.

Hon. Halvor Steenerson announces his candidacy for re-election to congress on a platform of tariff-revision, reciprocity and railroad rate control. This is a good platform for a representative of the great Ninth district—the agricultural mecca of Minnesota, and we do not think there is a serious question of Halvor's renomination and re-election as the champion of these burning issues.

Now that Halvor has learned the temper and taken the soundings of his constituents he ought not be contented in making campaign promises, but rather attempt to fulfill them by introducing and championing tariff measures that would give substantial relief to his people. The Ninth district wants reciprocity with Canada, the repeal of the lumber tariff, and a reduction of the tariff schedules all the way down the line. In 1902, when first a candidate for congress, Halvor took advanced ground on these issues and pledged support of any tariff law promising a measure of relief. Unfortunately, by the time he was snugly installed in office these pledges if not forgotten were laid on the shelf and left there. The demand for tariff reform, while none the less insistent, was overshadowed temporarily by the hue and cry of the standpatters, and Halvor was not so sure that the time for action had come. Consequently, in 1904 little was heard from Halvor's lips on the subject so dear to his heart two years before.

The Northern Pacific announces its annual rates from here to all points in Ontario and Qubec, of $40 round trip. Tickets on sale Dec. 4th. Enquire of F. A. Mizen, Agent.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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A Sanson Pawned the Guillotine.

The Sansons have a place in French history, not only because they continued so long to hold their odious office, but because two of their number, a father and son, held office during the evil days of the reign of terror, when they were kept so busily engaged with their guillotine. The last of the Sanson dynasty was dismissed from his post in the reign of Louis Philippe, in 1847, under remarkable circumstances. Although he had inherited a comfortable fortune from his father, the executioner of the revolution, he got into pecuniary difficulties and was guilty of pawning his guillotine, surely the most lugubrious pledge ever taken by mortal pawnbroker. An order came from the procurator general for the execution of a criminal, and the necessary apparatus was not forthcoming. The prison authorities had perforce to get it out of pawn, and the execution took place. But the last of the Sansons was informed that his services would no longer be required. What became of him afterward does not appear to be known.

Quite the Contrary.

Tess—I certainly was surprised to hear that Maud was married. Jess—Yes, it was rather unexpected. Tess—Her family's quite incensed, I hear. They say her husband is a man of absolutely no family. Jess—That's all wrong. He was a widower with four children.—Philadelphia Press.

Son Lost Mother.

"Consumption runs in our family, and through it I lost my mother," writes E. B. Reid, of Harmony, Me. "For the past five years, however, on the slightest sign of a Cough or Cold, I have taken Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, which has saved me from serious lung trouble." His mother's death was a sad loss for Hr. Reid, but he learned that lung trouble must not be neglected, and how to cure it. Quickest relief and cure for coughs and colds. Price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed at All Druggists. Trial bottle free.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903); at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905; at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota.

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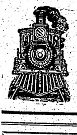

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8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:45 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
9:15 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
10:35 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
11:05 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
11:35 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
12:01 P. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
12:40 P. M.	Middle River	3:21 P. M.
1:05 P. M.	Strathcona	2:57 P. M.
1:35 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

Sleeping car reservations, tickets and information from

J. L. TRACY, Agent,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Today's Local Markets.

Wheat No. 1 Hard	71
" " 1 Northern	70-½
" " 2 "	67
" " 3 "	64
" " 4 "	61
" " Rejected	58
Flax No. 1	85
" No. 2	84
" no grade	78
Barley from	28
Oats	25
Hay	$3.50
Wood, poplar	$3.00 to $3.50
Butter 18c.	Eggs 20c.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

The Courier $1. one year,

County Attorney Germo was at St. Hilaire Monday on legal business.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans,

District Court will be in session again next Monday.

James Sutor of Polk Center was a visitor here Tuesday.

Fred Burgdorf returned from a visit to Crookston Tuesday.

Miss Marie O'Brien came up from Crookston Tuesday.

Judge Tarrant returned Saturday from a business trip to St. Paul.

J. B. Armstrong made a business trip to Grand Forks Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ee. Enright were Sunday visitors at Lockhart, Minn.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson was a professional caller at Crookston Sunday.

Go to Spillane's store for Groceries, Candies, Nuts, Fruitr, Cigars, etc.

The sociable held at Mrs. Schreiter's Tuesday evening for the bene-

Misses Anna and Ida Jackson were St. Hiliare visitors on Friday.

Andrew Ydstie returned Tuesday from a business mission down the line.

The 5c "I Lead" and 10c "B. B" cigars are the best to be had for the money.

Lou Adams arrived Tuesday for a short visit at the Wm. Zaiser home.

Rev. Fr. Ansgar was a passenger Monday bound for Georgetown, Minn.

E. G. Froblic enjoyed a few days visit from a brother of Marshall, Minn.

J. T. Jones of Thief River Falls was an over Sunday visitor at the county seat.

Frank Brouillet and family Sundayed with his brother Ed. Brouillet at Dugdale.

M. O. Sortehahl left Monday for Fosston to be gone a couple of days on business.

John B. Cyr came down from Thief River Falls for a few days visit Monday.

The M. B. A's. gave a dance at their hall after their meeting last Monday evening.

Don't buy your Christmas presents until you have seen the display at the Bazaar.

Mrs. Henry Stuhr of Argyle arrived Saturday for a visit at the Dr. Lemieux home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliot left Saturday for a couple weeks' visit with relatives at Virginia, Minn.

John Loffelmaker of Fairfax, Minn is in the city looking over his splendid Red Lake County farm.

Mr. and Mrs Con. Short of Lillo were business callers at the county seat Wednesday.

W. T. Spillaine is about to remove his stock of merchandise into the building now occupied by Ed. Bray.

The M. W. A. dance at Woodman hall last Friday night was well attended and all present report an enjoyable time.

The Ladie's Aid of the Lutherian church will meet at Mrs. Rue Saturday afternoon Nov. 25th. All are invited.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Inquire at the Big Store.

Mr. James Jackson and sister Ida returned home the latter part of last week from their eight months stay in Arvilla N. D.

P. Martin returned to his home at Crookston Saturday after several days visit with his daughter. Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere.

Mrs. Milton Converse and children returned Monday from a two weeks visit at the I. D. Converse home at Cass Lake.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the Postoffice at Red Lake Falls this week,— Mrs. Fred Solie (2), Charle Carlson, L. W. Davis.

Chas. McKenzie was taken down to Stillwater the latter part of last week to begin the three year's sentence imposed by Judge Watts.

A. L. Reichert, the druggist, will move the latter part of the week into the Blake building directly south of the one he now occupies.

What makes a nicer Christmas present than a picture? Dosn't cost you very much and is surely appreciated. See W. A. Reichel.

A dozen pictures costs but little and makes twelve acceptable presents for Christmas. Give W. A. Reichel your order for a dozen now.

On Thanksgiving day Nov. 30th. The postoffice will be open from 10:30 a. m. until 12 a. m. the mail will be dispatched at the usual time.

fit of St. Mary's church was a grand success financially and socially. Mr Schreiter carried off the head prize K. M. Hanson received the booby prize.

Ladies thick Embroidery fascinat- when able to choose from an artestic line of line of linens and silks excellent assortment—also Corticelli silks etc. Garceau & Zaiser.

The dance given by the football boys at the K. P. hall Saturday evening was not very well ettended although those present report a good time.

Ab. Fletcher. one of our Red Lake Falls boys, is laid up at the Fargo Hospital by an attack of typhoid fever. He is improving at this writing.

Harold Erb came in Monday from the Wm. Erb claim on the reservation. He reports deer quite plentiful but says they are hard to get as there is no snow.

A special session of the county commissioners will be held Eriday next for the consideration of ditch matters and other general county business.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf.

Rev. Conrad Nauman formerly of this city, now stationed at Spokane, Wash., arrived Wednesday for a Thanksgiving visit with his family at the old home.

Sheriff Linnihan and Oliver Belair conducted "Kid" Lemuer to the state penitentiary at Stillwater where he will be taken care of for the ensuing six months.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson, Mrs. E. F. Marshall, Miss Etta Zaiser and Helmuth Zaiser formed a merry theatre party bound for Crookston to attend "The Tenderfoot" Saturday evening.

Thos. Germo went down to Crookston Tuesday evening to appear before Judge Watts in the matter of the injunction proceedings brought against the Great Northern restraining them from discontining the Wylie branch.

A. G. Groshong, accompanied by Roy Blake, went to Crookston Saturday evening. Mr. Groshong has had trouble with his arm for several months and he is at the Crookston hospital undergoing an operation. He is getting along nicely.

The ladies of the Presbyteian church are busy preparing a large number of fancy articles for their Bazaar which will be held during the first part of December, Articles will be for sale in the following booths—Handkerchiefs, Aprons, Dolls, Fancy work Candy.

S. L. Lewis came down town Wednesday morning stepping high and wearing one of those smiles that don't come off and all on account of the arrival of a ten pound boy at his home early in the morning. The mother is well and the boy bids fair to become a permanent boarder at least for the next 21 years.

Mr. O. C. Olson of Bimford N. D., is visiting at the home of his cousin Mrs K. C. Jackson whom he has not seen for 25 years, and on Saturday they took in the sights at St. Hiliare and on Sunday at McIntosh. Mr. Olson is well pleased with Red Lake Falls and may return to go into some business.

Man's Unreasonableness.

is often as great as woman's, But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth. Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties," Guaranteed by all Druggists; 50c.

The merchants of Detroit have discovered that there is too strong a ventilation in their woodpiles Detroit is quite a wood market and the buyers are complaining of short measurement and too much space filled with air. Henceforth they will demand a square deal in the wood business. Cord wood must be full four feet in length, without any crooked sticks piled so as to create a vacuum. An agreement has been entered into between the merchants and the wood sellers whereby the latter must comply with certain requirements if they expect to dispose of their wood in Detroit. Cord wood sawed at both ends must be full four feet long, and that cut at both ends must be four feet from point to kerf.

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Some money maker (for you) thes week—

Sugar 18 lbs for	$1
Macaroni lb	6c
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12½c Tomatoes	10c
15 c Cranberries for	12½c
Cheese	10c

NEW GOODS MONDAY

Fancy Irish Bloakeans	5c
" London Layers	15c
"N. Y. Apples	
Russetts, Greenings etc.	

DRY GOODS DEPT.

Waisting Sale	
12½ Waistings	8c
15 "	10½
60 "	39
50c Golf gloves	25
50, 60, 75 Tom O Shanters	49c

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Thanksgiving Excursions.

The Great Northern Railway will sell round trip tickets at the rate of one fare and one-third, on account of Thanksgiving Day, to all points on the system, east of Montana. Tickets will be on sale November 29th and 30th with final return limit December 4th, 1805. Ask your local agent for further information.

Important Change of Time,

The Great Northern Railway announces that on and after November 19th new passenger service will be inaugurated between Crookston and Greenbush, daily except Sunday, as follows: Leave north bound Red Lake Falls at 10;35 a m leave south bound Red Lake Falls at 5;25 p m.

A Card.

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough and heals the lungs. Prevents pneumonia and will cure incipient consumption. Contains no opiates and is safest for children. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and insist upon having it. Stops the the cough and heals the lungs. Sold at A L. Reicherts.

The Discriminating Traveler

enroute to California, avails himself of the tourist car service via The North-Western Line, which affords economical as well as comfortable accommodations for this finest of vacation trips. These tourist cars leave Minneapolis and St. Paul every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. For California literature and information as to rates, etc., write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A St. Paul, Minn.

Warnings are being sent out to hunters of big game by Samuel Fullerton, of the game and fish commission, cautioning the hunters against killing caribou and elk. The open season for big game does not include caribou, elk or fawns of other species and the penalty for violations of the game law is severe. No one hunter is allowed to kill more than one moose and two deer in one year. The game wardens have been directed to exercise greater vigilance than ever before.

High Wages in America.

A unique testimonial to the high wages paid in this country is the fact that artificial diamonds are all made in Europe as the cost of labor here makes their manufacture practically impossible. Think of it,—diamonds, the most costly luxury known to modern civilization can't be made in America because labor is so well paid. No wonder we all enjoy the good things in life. Hardly a man or woman in Minneapolis who can't afford golden grain beer in his or her home regularly and of all necessary luxuries this is the most desired by those who know good living. It is more than a delicacy for it's the best tonic ever produced. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex. Thompson, Crookston.

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Food made with alum baking powder carries alum to the stomach unchanged. Scientists have positively demonstrated this and that such food is partly indigestible and unhealthful.

A Comparison.

Between the modern overland trip to California and that of fifty years ago, reflects credit upon the great railroad builders. One of the greatest improvements is the establishment of through tourist car service uia the North Western Line, providing the maximum comfort at the minimum expense. These cars leave Minneapolis and St. Paul every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for California. For rates and other information write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidey Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years although I am now 91 years old." Sold at A. L. Reicherts

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Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayolle, Rector.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen. V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F.S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160. meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre. C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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"Is ut dangerous she is?"

"No, she's too weak t' be dangerous anny more."

A Mistake.

Fair Visitor—Here, my poor man, are some roses for you. What can I do to make you comfortable?

Prisoner—Guess you're making a mistake, lady.

Fair Visitor—Mistake—how?

Prisoner—I'm only here for porch climbin'. Yer'll find the guy that killed his wife in th' nex' cell.

The Meanest Man.

A well-to-do Chicago real estate owner came into a hardware store in that city and asked the proprietor for a pound of nails. The small package was made up and the price, a nickel, handed to the merchant, when the customer asked if the purchase could be sent to his house, which was in a distant part of the city. The merchant assented, and calling a boy, handed him the parcel with a dime and said: "Here, Johnny, take this parcel out to Mr. Blank's house." "What!" said the customer, "are you going to give the boy a dime to take the parcel out?" "Why, certainly," said the merchant; "I wouldn't think of asking him to go so far for nothing." "Well," said the meanest man in Chicago, "If you would just as soon give me my nickel I will take it out myself and you'll save five cents."

PASSING OF PORRIDGE

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"Last Monday I ate 4 teaspoonfuls of Grape-Nuts and cream for breakfast, nothing else can set to work and got my morning's work done by 9 o'clock, and felt less tired, much stronger, than if I had made my breakfast on meat, potatoes, etc., as I used to. I wouldn't be without Grope-Nuts in the house for any money." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

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CHAPTER IV.

The Israelite.

When the king left his affianced bride he was sorely perplexed; and the longer he reflected upon what had transpired, the deeper grew his rage and chagrin. He walked alone in the garden until the sun had set, and then he went in and called for his minister to attend him.

"Aboul Cassem, what think you of this outrage which the Scourge of Damascus has now committed?"

"I think it is high-handed and startling," replied the minister.

"Has your daughter explained more to you than I have yet heard?"

"She has told me all she knows, sire. The robber came, according to his own account, for the purpose of wresting her from the King of Damascus; but she refused to go with him; and so urgent was she in her protestations, that Julian finally went away and left her. I think, however, that his retreat was hastened by the fear that your majesty might be upon him with a dangerous force."

"I have no doubt that such is the case, Aboul. But the end of this is not yet. This daring demon has run at large long enough. He has already stricken fearful blows upon our commerce, and now he takes a new course of attack upon our defenceless daughters. It has come to be so that a caravan is not safe to start from Damascus; nor are our merchants safe in returning from other lands. It must not be so. By the heavens above me, it shall not be so! I must find some way for this man's capture. I have sent out my armies against him, and he has either avoided them, or met and overcome them. Life of my soul just think of it. He met a thousand of my armed men, and swept them back over the plains of Abilene as though they had been so many women. What shall I do, Aboul?"

"There is but one way, sire, that I can conceive of. It seems to be useless to send out force against him; for he is a quick-witted rascal; and, if he cannot successfully cope with them, he can keep out of their way. He has spies throughout the whole land."

"Aye—I know he has!" cried the king, with a fresh burst of rage. "He has friends among those who live very near to our capital. I wish I could get hold of them."

"Get hold of the chieftain first."

"Ah—but how?"

"It must be done by strategem, sire. If you cannot find some one man who is able to entrap the Scourge, I see not how you are ever to overcome him. A single man with wit, will and endurance may accomplish much. A little mouse, working in secret, may uproot a great tree.'

"By my life, Aboul, you have spoken the truth. The work must be done secretly. Have I such a man about me?"

"How is it with Judah, the Israelite?" suggested the minister.

The king started and clapped his hands together when he heard the name.

"By the shades of Tartarus, good Aboul, you have hit the very man. Judah is with us now. I left him in the hall as I came in from the garden. I will send for him."

A slave, who stood just without the door, was sent after the man who had been spoken of, and ere long he made his appearance before his royal master. He was a middle-aged man, with black hair and keen black eyes; with features sharp in outline, and moulded into a cast of peculiar cunning; and with body and limbs light and muscular. He was below the ordinary size of man; and what he may have lacked in physical strength was more than made up by the quickness and precision of movement. He had been a dweller in Damascus since childhood, his mother having come from Judea, in poverty and disgrace, and given him away to an officer of the king's household.

"Judah," spoke the monarch, "I want you to engage in a dangerous enterprise; but, if you are successful, the honor will be greater than the danger. Are you willing to try it?"

"Anything, sire, that can yield me honor and emolument," replied the Israelite, with a low bow. "Give me the freedom of a citizen, and gird the sword of a lieutenant about my loins, and I will undertake anything. I would not even hesitate to go out against the Scourge of Damascus."

"Ha! It is the very thing, Judah. It is this accursed robber chieftain that I wish to secure. If you will slay him, and bring me his head, I will make you a free citizen of Damascus; and if you will bring him to me alive, and deliver him into my hands, I will not only bestow the citizenship upon you, and gird the sword of a lieutenant about your loins, but I will give you a house and a wife."

The black eyes of the Israelite snapped and sparkled like polished gems of jet. He strode across the room, and then walked slowly back.

"Sire," he finally said, "give me until tomorrow morning to think of this. In twelve hours from this you shall have my answer. If I embark upon this enterprise, I must have some hope for success. I will converse with those of the slaves who have seen the robber and his men, and their observations may help me."

"But, Judah, you are not to breathe a word of this. My slaves must not mistrust your object."

"I underseand you, sire; and I will be guarded. Shall it be as I have said?"

"Yes, only bear in mind that the thing must be accomplished if accomplishment is possible."

"I understand you, sire; and be assured that my wits shall be stretched to their utmost."

"Aboul Cassem," said the king, after Judah had gone, "what do you think?"

"I think the fellow will study up some grand plot between now and morning. At all events, sire, I do not believe you can find a better man for your purpose."

At an early hour the king retired, and all night long his sleep was troubled with very unpleasant dreams. He dreamed two or three times that the Scourge of Damascus had robbed him of his beautiful bride, and once he dreamed that his throne had passed from him. In the morning he was more anxious for the apprehension of the robber than before, and impatiently did he await the coming of the Israelite.

At the appointed hour Judah made his appearance and announced that he would undertake the task of delivering up the terrible Scourge.

"If I succeed," he said, "you will hear from me as soon as success crowns my efforts. If I fail, you will perhaps never hear from me again."

"And when will you set forth?" asked the king, almost beside himself with hopeful anticipation.

"At once, sire. This very day, if I can get ready."

"Do you want help?"

"I would select two of your most trusty guards."

"Take as many as you want."

"Two will be enough, sire."

"Will you take them from those who have been on duty here?"

"No, sire. That would not be safe. The robbers might recognize them. I will have two who came with us from Damascus yesterday."

"As you will, Judah. Select the men you want, and they shall accompany you."

The Israelite promised that he would have all his arrangements made before the king was ready to depart, and with this assurance he went away.

By the middle of the forenoon the king was ready to set forth on his return to Damascus. Ulin and Albia were placed within a comfortable box upon the back of a stout camel, and around them were posted a hundred armed men. The remainder of the retinue was arranged under the direction of Aboul Cassem, the king's prime minister, and only the order was needed to set the whole in motion. At this point the king withdrew to the palace, where he found Judah ready to set forth on his dangerous mission, and with him were two guards, Osmir and Selim, two resolute, intelligent fellows, who seemed to love the excitement of the work upon which they were about to enter. The king was pleased with the choice Judah had made.

"I might not have hit upon them," he said; "but I know they will serve you. And now, what more can I do?"

"Nothing," replied Judah. "I have all that I can use, and am ready for the work. If I succeed, you will hear from me in good time; and if you never hear from me, you may at least be assured that I failed from no lack of will to serve you."

With a few words of encouragement the king left his servant to pursue his own course, and proceeded to join his army, which was soon in motion; and before the close of another day he arrived at Damascus, where Ulin was once more suffered to find shelter beneath the roof of her father. Touching her marriage, it was understood that the ceremony should be performed as soon as the period of mourning had passed, which would be in two weeks; and until then she was to remain in close retirement. Horam asked that she might not be suffered to go out, for he feared to have her see too much of the outer world before he had secured her hand.

We must now return to the Palace of the Valley, where we left those who were to go in search of the robber chieftain. As soon as the king had gone, Judah repeated the instructions he had already given to the guards. They were not to accompany him; but they were to come after him, in a manner agreed upon, and were to conduct themselves towards him in all respects as though they had never before seen him.

Towards the latter part of the afternoon Judah stripped himself bare to the skin, and caused one of the men to beat him with a leathern thong until long livid ridges were raised upon his shoulders and back. After this he resumed his clothing, and as soon as the shades of evening began to fall, he mounted a fleet horse, and rode away to the northward towards the plains of Abilene. He knew that Julian had taken that course, and he hoped to overtake him before many hours. Until midnight he sped on quite rapidly; but after that he moved more cautiously, peering and listening, upon the right hand and upon the left, as he advanced. So he rode until day had dawned, without seeing or hearing anything worthy of note. But he was coming upon something very soon. Just as the sky began to glow with the rich, red glare of the rising sun, he came to a point where a narrow pass between two steep hills opened into a pleasant vale, and just here his horse was stopped by a stout man who advanced, spear in hand, from some trees by the wayside.

"Hold!" said the sentinel. "Who are you?"

"A wayfarer, as you may see," replied Judah.

"Whither are you traveling?"

"To the north."

"Or what are you in pursuit?"

"Just at this present moment I am in most urgent pursuit of something to eat."

"Have you money in your purse?"

"Enough for present use."

"Are you afraid of losing it?"

"How?"

"By robbers."

"Bless you, no. I am rather anxious to see some of these robbers."

"You may see them sooner than you would like."

"That cannot be, sir; for I would like to see them at once."

"Ah—what would you with them?"

"Never mind. If I am so fortunate as to find them, they shall know."

"Perhaps I can find them for you."

"I believe you can; and, my good sir, if you will conduct me into the presence of Julian, I shall thank you."

"Upon my life, you give me credit for wonderful power."

"I give you the credit of belonging to Julian's band; and as I am very anxious to see him, I ask you once more, to lead me to him."

The man hesitated a moment, and finally said, with a smile breaking over his sunburnt features:

"You are free-spoken, and seem to be honest; and I think I will lead you to the man you seek. But my bold friend, you have need of some fair purpose."

"Lead me to Julian; and I will be answerable for the rest."

"Very well; you shall not ask again. Dismount, and follow me."

(To be continued.)

TOO MUCH FAULTY ENGLISH.

People Have Grown Careless in Their Rhetoric—Familiar Errors.

The books of rhetoric used to tell us that the great qualities of style were perspicuity, energy and elegance, or clearness, force and grace; and that as a means toward these and for other reasons it was important to be concise to avoid needless words, writes Frederick M. Bird in the Literary Era. Whether they no longer teach thus, or their pupils disregard their instructions, you can scarcely read a page or a column anywhere without meeting words that add nothing to others with which they are immediately connected. Thus: Thought to himself. How else should he think? If he thought aloud you would have to say so. Either he "said to himself"—which is another way of putting it—or he simply "thought." Nodded his head. If he had nodded his legs or his elbows the case would be more notable. He might properly "shake his head," for he could shake other things; but in the present state of language one can nod no other part of himself or of creation than his head. Together with. If John went to town with his wife they went together; if they went together he was necessarily with her. Month of May, summer season, etc. Everybody knows that May is a month and summer a season. Rose up. If people were in the habit of rising down, or if it were possible to do so this would not be tautological. It will not do to say that these specimens abound in the best writers and are therefore justifiable. They are not the best writers when they write in this way, through pure carelessness, for they know better. Homer sometimes nods, but his nodding did not produce the "Iliad." We want to follow the best writers in their excellencies not in their errors.

Women Physicians in Russia.

Russia has long prided herself on having the first women physicians. The Chautauquan refers to the career of Nadezhda Susloff, one of the earliest and best women doctors, as particularly interesting. Born a serf, and freed, with her parents at the emancipation in 1861, she and her brothers and sisters received the best possible education at home and abroad, for her parents were both extremely intelligent and her father acquired wealth after gaining his freedom. Everywhere in Russia and in the continental schools Nadezhda was brilliantly successful. For thirty years there has been no manner of doubt as to the sympathy of the public and of the medical world with the idea of thorough medical instruction for women. Men started the movement. In 1870 one professor and two other men undertook to establish courses for instructing women. In ten years there were 959 women students the majority coming from the "privileged classes"—that is to say, not peasants. The majority were members of the Russian church, but there were several Jewesses, Roman Catholics and Lutherans. In 1877 twenty-four students were sent to the seat of war, during the Russo-Turkish campaign, and did so well that they received imperial permission to call themselves after due examination, "women physicians," and to wear a badge."

A Chicago photographer has invented and patented an automatic "nickel in the slot" photographing machine, which will make a complete picture in 20 seconds. The machine is called the "photographist," and is said to be as simple as it is remarkable.

FLED BEFORE WOMAN'S PISTOL

How Mrs. Reader Put Stop to Impudence of Peruvian.

In her story of "Ella Rawls Reader, Financier," contributed in Everybody's, Juliet Wilbor Tompkins tells the following incident of a struggle of Mrs. Reader's in Peru:

"After eight months of useless struggle she went to out Callao, which is about half an hour by rail from Lima, with her Peruvian lawyer, Scotch interpreter, and American engineer, and forced the manager to open the warehouses and let her make an inspection of the machinery. The manager had met her with his lawyers, and the hour for argument before she gained her point had been something of a strain. During the whole process a Peruvian on the Haggin side had been standing close to Mrs. Reader, his little, narrowed eyes staring with that deliberate insolence only Latins can accomplish. The company went out into the wareroom where the machinery lay and the difficult business of a hurried inspection went forward, but still the bullying stare never ceased. After about two hours of it, the fine edge of that hidden temper of her suddenly sprang up. She whirled on him with a blaze of words that needed no interpreter, and all at once his stare was being returned by a fierce little pistol held in a strong white hand and quite ready for business.

"The gentleman of Peru neither apologized nor retracted; he incontinently fled. And he was not the only one. Like shadows the men flitted out of the dusky warehouse, leaving the dangerous woman a clear field. When she looked about there was no one in sight but two Irish porters, and in their eyes were sympathetic twinkles, meeting which, Mrs. Reader could only sink down helpless with laughter and put up her pistol."

The Dentist and the Alligator.

Roy Farrell Greene, the president of the American Society of Curio Collectors, told at a dinner of dentists an appropriate story.

"A dentist," he said, "was once traveling in the East, and in the Ganges his boat overturned and he was obliged to strike out for the shore.

"As the dentist swam sturdily through the muddy water an enormous alligator suddenly rose up before him. The alligator opened its enormous jaws, and the next instant would have been the dentist's last, only—just in time—the man happened to notice the great reptile's sharp, white teeth, and an idea struck him.

"He drew a probe from his pocket, and, pressing it into the alligator's gums, he said:

"'Does this hurt you?'

"The alligator screamed with pain and the dentist, amid its great agony, made good his escape."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Too Late to Sort Cats.

Jim Crocker lived in an old tumble-down house in a little town in Massachusetts. The cellar windows being broken out, an opportunity was afford to stray cats to run in and out, and sometimes there would be quite a congregation.

We lost our pet cat one evening, and thinking she might have joined the happy throng, we sent our man over to ask "Uncle Jim" if he would take a look and see if she was among the number. He was generally pretty good-natured, but this time he was out of sorts, for he said:

"Your cat may be there, or she may not be, but I ain't a-going to light up no lamp and go down in that cellar this time of night sorting out cats for nobody, so there."

To Point a Moral.

Almost everything he had
That should make a person glad
Just to be alive; good friends,
Health, position, all that lends
Happiness to most of us—
I should have been happy thus!
Life he loved for its own sake.
And he hoped to live to make
Others see his point of view,
And be optimistic, too.
Then one day, a little worry,
Caused his mind a minute's flurry;
He dismissed it—it returned
Every hour. And then he learned
That it would not down unsolved.
As his daily task revolved
This small problem interfered,
With his work, and it appeared
Each day larger than before.
So it grew and more and more,
Colored all his speech and thought;
Other ideas shrunk to naught.
Day and night this worry fed
On his soul, unquieted,
Till its everlasting pain
Broke his heart and wrecked his brain.

When he killed himself, at last,
All who knew him were aghast
Save the one who'd caused his worry,
(And forgot it in a hurry;)
That one said: "Did you know, my dear,
I always did think he was—queer!"
—Cleveland Leader.

His Father Was Athlete.

Dr. Dudley of Abington, Mass., tells this story of his man David and his housekeeper, who had great confidence in all that David said and did: One day David was in the barn, doing something which caused a visitor to say: "You're quite an athlete, aren't you?"

"Well, yes," replied David; whereupon the housekeeper, who stood near, said: "Why, I thought you told me you was Scotch."

"Well," said David, "my mother was Scotch, but my father was athlete."

A Wooden Wedding.

Several friends called on a New York clergyman one evening and were kept waiting for him for some time.

"I'm sorry to have kept you waiting," the minister remarked as he entered his library, "but I have just had to perform a wooden wedding in the church."

"What!" said one of his visitors. "I never heard of such a thing. What kind of a ceremony was it?"

"Oh," answered the clergyman, with a twinkle in his eye, "it was the marriage of a couple of Poles."

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Too Businesslike.

"I really believe in being businesslike," said Jack Rattleby to Tom Easy at the club. "Now, I have an engagement with a young lady this evening to take her to the theater. At 11, when we return to the house, I shall propose to her. At 11:20 I am going to meet half a dozen fellows up here at the club who will congratulate me. At 12 I shall go to bed and dream of her. At 9 in the morning I shall meet her father going down to town and ask his blessing. At 10 I shall go and see her mother and tell her all about it. At 11 I shall be at the jeweler's, selecting the engagement ring. So you see how systematic I am."

"Well, I should say you were," rejoined Tom Easy, bewildered by the string he had just listened to. "I wish you luck, old man. Good-bye."

The next day Tom Easy met Jack walking slowly along and stopped him.

"Well, old chap, did you manage to keep all those appointments and engagements you were telling me about?"

"No," replied Rattleby, sadly. "I kept the 11 o'clock one. The others were not necessary."

Convincing Evidence.

Winthrop, Cal., Nov. 20th (Special)—A plain and straightforward story is always the most convincing. And that is what has impressed us most in reading the testimonials in regard to Dodd's Kidney Pills. The experience told by Davis Lewis of this place bears the ring and stamp of truth upon it. He says:—

"I was troubled for six months with dull, heavy pains in the small of my back, sometimes it passed into my stomach, at other times up between my shoulders. When it was in my stomach I was doubled up, and hardly knew what to do for the pain. I was advised to take all kinds of remedies, and did so, but without getting any relief. Then some one told me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I got a box and began taking them. The first few doses gave me relief, by the time I had finished them all the pain was gone and I have been well ever since."

High Airs.

Miss Romanz—You don't appear to care much for music. Don't you even like the popular airs?"

Miss Hunter—No. The only popular air with me is the millionaire.

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Parliamentary Mud Flinging.

The Australian labor members are distinguishing themselves as parliamentary phrasemakers. Mr. Prendergast, the member for North Melbourne and the leader of the Labor party in the parliament of Victoria, has characterized a colleague, who interjected a remark while he was speaking, as an "alcoholized epileptic freak," which is a distinct contribution to the literature of legislative scurrility. After some demur, he withdrew and apologized.—Pall Mal lGazette.

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A Section Missing.

A colored undertaker was requested to embalm the body of a colored man. The wife of the deceased asked what the cost would be. He named his usual charge, to which she quickly replied: "I think that's too much." "But it is the regular fee," protested the undertaker. "That may be," assented the widow, "but this ain't a regular corpse. My husband had a wooden leg."

Advertising Rates.

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DISTRESS AFTER MEALS

Sure Sign That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Are Needed to Tone Up the Digestive Organs.

Loss of appetite, distress after eating, shortness of breath, a feeling of utter weakness—these are symptoms that are familiar to most sufferers from stomach trouble. Too often the ordinary doctor's treatment serves but to weaken the diseased organs.

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Mrs. L.O. Law, of No. 324 North street Horton, Kansas, says: "In 1897, while we were living on a farm in this neighborhood, I became generally debilitated as the result of overwork. I had serious indigestion, lost my appetite, suffered from a sense of suffocation and from obstruction of the circulation, so that artificial means had to be used to restore it. After suffering for months without finding any relief, I tried a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills of which I had read in a newspaper. The first few boxes made me lots better, and after using the third box I felt entirely well.

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LIVE STOCK

The Law of Compensation in Stock Breeding.

What is known as the law of compensation has been long discussed in its relation to human life. It applies equally well, however, to animal life. This law is described as being that tendency of all things to equalize themselves. This is expressed in the idea that there can be no gain without loss, and no loss without gain; that what we call improvement is merely a change of the balance of the qualities of an animal. We cannot gain any good thing without sacrificing some good thing; we cannot produce a beef animal whose muscles will be tender and full of juice without producing an animal that will lack in hardiness, lack in the power of caring for himself in the fields, and largely lack the power to resist disease. What we call improvement is changing an animal so that he will be more useful to man and not changing him so that he will be more useful to himself. Judged from the standpoint of the animal, the well-developed beef steer is inferior to his ancestors. He cannot walk so rapidly, and could not get so much food from a scant pasture as could the undeveloped steer. If attacked by the wolves, he could not run fast enough to escape them. He could jump neither a ditch nor a fence. If brought to bay, his horns would not compare as defensive weapons to the long horns of the steer that existed fifty years ago. We see, therefore, that the term "improvement" is relative. It relates only to the animal viewed from the standpoint of man. Also, what would be improvement in the eyes of one man in one country would be decline in quality in another country. Thus the Eskimo wants a reindeer that, first, is a good traveler, and, second, is a good milk producer. The reindeer cannot be developed along the line of the Durham steer without destroying his usefulness, viewed from the standpoint of the Eskimo. We find the same law running through all animal life. The Merino sheep was developed for wool and became practically useless for mutton. When the demand came for mutton the old Merino type had to be abandoned. The wrinkled hide of the Merino was an improvement in the eye of the wool-grower, but from the viewpoint of the mutton producer the sheep had so far departed from a useful type that the breeder either abandoned it altogether or sought to improve it by breeding out the wrinkles.—Theodore Wilbergon, Cedar Co., Mo.

Varying Prices.

One of the greatest obstacles to the successful production of stock is the eternal variability of the prices of things connected with stock raising. The prices of cattle and all other classes of live stock vary from day to day. The prices of feeds also vary. Moreover the prices of all human foods that enter into competition with meats vary. If the farmer could have fixed prices for all things the business of stock raising could be reduced to an almost exact science. This has been the dream of the men that have successively tried to form great farm organizations for the control of all farm products. The farmer must, however, continue to raise stock under conditions that make success a matter of skill and great intelligence.

The Fall Calf.

The beef calf that is born in the fall must be kept growing. This will require more care on the part of the farmer than it would require if the calf were born in the spring and had the use of the luxuriant pastures of early summer. The fall calf must be kept warm as well as be well-fed. As soon as the milk of the dam begins to be insufficient other milk should be given, preferably fresh separator skimmilk. Clover hay should be fed at an early age and some corn given daily as soon as the calf will eat it, especially if the owner is able to give other food rich in protein. Calves digest corn better than mature cattle.

Mixed Grasses for Pasture.

I am certain that by the use of mixed grasses in the pastures we can double the yield of our pastures in a few years. I had a pasture that was filled with the wild grasses that have been growing on this continent for ages. I decided to plow around the stumps and put in mixed grasses, and did so. I put in a few acres at a time. In some places the sod was so thin that all I had to do was to run over it with the harrow and sow the seed. The result has been most gratifying. The mixed grasses make a thicker sod than any one single grass will and thus stands the trampling of cattle and other farm stock better. Also the grasses mature at different times and thus when one kind is in decadence some other kind is approaching maturity. The thickness of the grass protects the roots and keeps the ground from drying out. I find that I can pasture a large number of farm animals on a pasture of this kind and not have the sod get thin. The animals do better and require less extra feeding. My red clover, however, only remained in the pasture for three years, and after that time gradually disappeared. I am told by others that have had red clover in the mixture that this is the result. For all of that I would advise to sow red clover in the mixture.—Adolphus Perry, Blackhawk county, Iowa, in Farmers' Review.

AGRICULTURE

The Study of Soils.

There is no study that will prove more profitable to the farmer than the study of soils. Everywhere agriculturists are coming to realize the importance of this study and are giving to it the attention that it deserves. In nearly every state in the Union the state government has taken up the matter as has also the National Government. When the soil survey work of the United States Goverment was begun on its present large scale there were many who believed that this expenditure of money was in part unnecessary. They could not see how the mere knowing about the soils should improve its condition. They could not see why drawing maps of states and representing thereon the various kinds of soils could prove of any financial value to the agriculturists of such states. It was only after a year's work and after the soil survey of some states had been partly completed that the real results began to be seen. The first states in which the work has been partly completed is Illinois. Investigations of the different soil surveys has brought to light the condition of the soils in whole counties, and has shown what is needed in these soils to make them valuable. This could not be foreseen by the critics of the soil surveys.

The knowing of the condition of the soils has resulted in the finding out of a way to greatly increase their value. The soil survey in Illinois has demonstrated the fact that there are millions of acres of land only partly productive because of the large amount of acid in the soil. Having learned this fact it was an easy matter for the scientists to find a remedy. They know that it merely requires an application of lime to make these soils double in value. The increased value of Illinois soils alone, due to this discovery, and the application of a remedy, will be greater than the entire expense of all soil surveys and soil studies in the United States.

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Film Moisture.

Film moisture is the moisture in the soil that just surrounds each particle of sand or soil with a thin coat of water. The film around one particle touches the films of adjacent particles. The attraction of the particle draws the film tight around it and each new particle above that one does the same. When a film of water touches a soil particle above it that dry particle draws the water with great force to cover itself. The film of water is drawn from the soil particle below, but in turn pulls up the next particle film below it, or, rather, the soil particle does that by its attraction. So the water films work up toward the surface of the ground. We call that capillary attraction. When the films covering the particles reach the surface of the soil they become exposed to the air and the moisture on the top of the film is evaporated or turned into gas. The films below push up to supply the need caused by the vacancy in a part of the water film collection. When these films are disturbed by the cultivator the upward movement of the film moisture is stopped till the soil particles have settled back in place and new films have worked around the soil particles once more brought into touch with the film water below. This is why we cultivate ground to prevent the loss of soil water.

Sulphuric Acid and Plants.

Some recent experiments in Europe have opened up an entirely new field in relation to the effect of sulphuric acid on the soil. It has been almost universally conceded and believed that sulphuric acid in the soil reduces many of the soil elements to compounds that could not be used by the plants. The recent experiments referred to consisted in the application of sulphuric acid in the form of sodium sulphate, and plants were treated with varying quantities of these ingredients. The experiment was carried on for two years, during which time the sulphuric acid actually increased the yield of the plants, according to the belief of the experimenters. One of the great arguments against acidulated fertilizers is that after a few years this sulphuric acid affects the soil very disadvantageously. If it can be shown that sulphuric acid is of value to the soil it will entirely change the opinion of agriculturists on the matter of the use of the acidulated fertilizers.—James Titcomb.

Forests on Cheap Lands.

In many countries of Europe, even in England, the cheap lands are being planted in forests. By actual experience, however, the Forest Planting Commission has learned that it pays better to plant these forests where there is a deep subsoil rather than where the soil is shallow. In the case of the shallow soil, more profit can be made out of the land by using it for grazing purposes than by using it for forest plantations. The deeper soil gives a larger feeding area for the roots and makes possible a larger annual growth of trees. One English writer who has just been awarded a medal for a paper on this subject says that these locations are generally to be found on elevations a thousand feet or more above the sea. If the wood is to be used for timber or firewood the plantations should be within 10 or 20 miles of a good market.

Irving's Absent-mindedness.

Like many other men of genius, Sir Henry Irving had sudden periods of absent-mindedness, which means, says Mr. Marshall P. Wilder, the popular American entertainer and lecturer, in his book, "The Sunny Side of the Street," that his mind is for the time being not only not absent, but, on the contrary, is entirely present, and working at the rate of an hour a minute.

One day while we were driving together he turned to me and said:

"Marshall, I have a story you can add to your repertoire—a very quaint one."

Then he went into deep thought, and we had gone fully a block before he spoke again. Then he said:

"And you know—"

Then we went another block, then farther; but suddenly he asked:

"Now wasn't that droll?"

"It certainly was,' 'continues Mr. Wilder, no matter what it was. But Sir Henry Still owes me the story, for he had told it only to himself.

Hock Declined.

President Eliot of Harvard when a young man ordered a bottle of hock in a Boston restaurant, saying as he did so: "Here, waiter, bring me a bottle of hock—hic, haec, hoc!" The waiter, who had been to college, smiled, but never stirred. "What are you standing there for?" exclaimed the professor; "didn't I order some hock?" "Yes, sir," said the waiter, "you ordered it, but you afterward declined it."

In His Place.

"How is it that you are always in debt? You should be ashamed of yourself."

"Come, now, don't be too hard on a fellow. You would perhaps be in debt too, if you were in my place."

"What place?"

"Able to get credit."

Some people will swipe anything they can lay their hands on, and yet they won't take a joke.

He Canceled the Date.

The famous orator starts for his home, revolving in his mind the groundwork of the oration he is to prepare. The title shall be "The Land of the Free," and his talk shall be one in which special stress is laid upon the great blessing of liberty, which one and all enjoy. As he hastens down the street he is stopped by a policeman, who makes him go back and pick up a crumpled envelope he has thrown upon the sidewalk; farther along another policeman orders him to move on, when he is merely standing in front of a show window trying to decide upon a white vest; near his home he is ordered to go around the block by a third policeman who is guarding the fire lines—a barn in an alley is burning; at his gate he is met by the tax assessor, and when he enters the houses he is given a notice from the health department to cease throwing rubbish in the alley.

Instead of writing his address he writes a letter canceling the engagement.—Cleveland Leader.

Hardships of Farming.

Little Dick has been thinking for some time that he would like to be a farmer when he grows up. The other evening he toddled to his father's side on the veranda and asked:

"What do I have to do in the evening when I bes a farmer?"

"Why," said his father, "you have to sit on the porch of your farmhouse, like this, with your feet up on the rail."

Dick watched his father put his feet up and tried to do the same with his very short and fat little legs. The rail was so high that he had to sit nearly on the back of his head in order to get his feet up, and before many moments he slipped down and landed on the veranda floor with a bump.

He got up and rubbed himself. Then he said:

"Maybe I don't want to be a farmer after all. I might change my mind and be something else."

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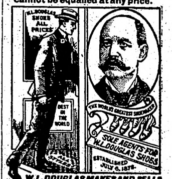
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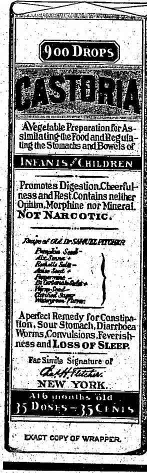

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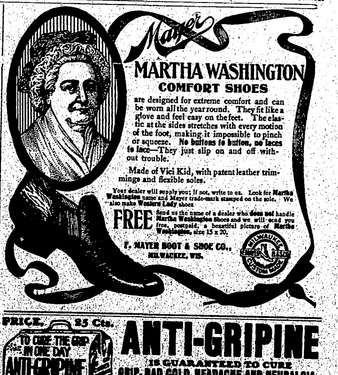

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DOROTHY.

Last Monday occured the marriage of Miss Eva Cassavaunt and Edward O'Neil. The wedding was celebrated at the home of the young couple among a host of friends.

Arthur Tebeau, a young man of twenty three here on a visit from Michigan, is very sick at the home of his uncle Regis Huot. His end is hourly expected. And all that mortals can do to make that peaceful is being done.

Rev. Father Pillion of Gently was called to the bed side of Arthur Tebeau last Friday to administer the last sacrements of the church.

There is still over a weeks threshing left in this locality and the farmers are wishing the fine weather will keep on.

In some unaccountable way a door in one of the grain bens of the Dorothy elevator came open last Sunday night ond Monday morning about six hundred bushels of wheat had ran out into the sand pit.

The Dorothy school was this week furnished with the necessary apparatus as provided by the state law to become a semi-graded school and get state aid.

Found a good pair of buckskin mits at the elevator in charge of James Hance. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

BROOKS.

A. and Oscar Morin and Frank St. Marain drove to Red Lake Falls to visit friends and relatives.

H. L. Premo came back from St. Paul Monday morning having been down with two car loads of cattle.

Rock Fortier is back from Red Lake Falls. Mr. Fortier was one of the grand jurors.

R. Poirer, Walter Quesnell and Zatique Bray drove to Red Lake Falls Friday to attend the M. W. A. dance and report having a good time.

F. Kennedy and Geo. Blasdell left Thursday for St. Paul with 2 car loads of cattle and a large consignment of turkeys.

Wm Findiesen was here Saturday on business.

Joe Helm jr was here Friday collecting.

Joe Fortier was a business caller Saturday.

R. Porier agent of the H. C. Selden Lumber Co. drove to Red Lake Falls Saturday.

On account of Thanksgiving Day the Northern Pacific will sell tickets to all points on its line in Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota at one and one third fare for the round trip Tickets on sale Nov. 29 and 30 with final return Dec. 4th F. A. Mizen, Agent.

ST. HILAIRE.

Miss Mabel Hannay, Alice Hall, Katie Patterson, Mrs Jens Nelson and Mrs O. F. Post went to Crookston Saturday evening to attend "Tenderfoot.

Mrs. W. A. Arthur will entertain the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church Thursday Nov. 23. All are invited.

Mrs. J. K. Hannay, who has been ill the past two weeks is improving although she is unable yet to be up.

There will be an auction and social for the benefit of the Swedish Luthern church at the home of Anton Peterson in Wyandotte. Saturday evening Nov. 25. to which every one is invited.

Henry Enderle, of Plummer spent Sunday in town.

Miss Selina Hoff visited friends at Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

The ladies of the Norwegian Synod church made $41 at their "lutefisk" supper last Thursday evening. This proves that the reputation of the ladies as cooks is well established.

The passenger train changed time Monday. It arrives from Crookston about 11 o'clock a. m. and from Thief River Falls about 4.55 p. m.

The Farmers institute will be held in the village hall in St. Hilaire at 10 a. m. next Friday Nov. 24th. There will be no charges and every farmer in this vicinity is invited to be present.

Hon. L. C. Simons was up from Red Lake Falls last Wednesday to attend the annual meeting of the Merchants State Bank. All the old directors were re-elected for the ensuing year.

The saw mill is still running and from all appearances will break all records for late running. Last year it closed Nov. 21th the latest in the mill's history and this year will do still better.

The farmers have started hauling stone and sand for the foundation of the new ice house and extention of the creamery.

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Rural School Libraries.

J. W. Olson State Superintendent of schools, in reply to a letter received from Supt. H. T. McAnulty, has the following to say.

In answer to your favor. I beg to advise that rural schools need to invest only $5. per annum for library books. That is, the district must purchase $10. worth of library books, but $5. of this expense will be met by the state library aid, if the orders are sent in on time, so to meet the library requirement the district will have to spend only $5. a year.

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DISTRICT COURT GRIND

Convened Monday for the Adjourned Session of October Term.

Judge Watts convened court last Monday. There seemed to be a conspiracy to keep the genial Judge from transacting any business the first day, at least nothing came to trial.

On Tuesday one of the Daoust cases was taken up and disposed of Casper Weiner, indicted on the charge of violation of the game laws, was discharged from custody and the case dismissed against him Tuesday evening, account of the fact of the absence of the complaining witness. Tuesday evening was spent in picking the jury in the case of State of Minn. vs, Frank Cernousek. The defendant is charged with manslaughter in the shooting of a man named Danielson while resisting arrest, at Thief River Falls some months ago. Wednesday was taken up in the examination of witnesses and it is not likely the witnesses will all be examined before Thursday noon, when the case will go to the jury.

The Cernousek case will be followed by the case of State of Minn., vs Wm. Farley, charged with indecent assault. This in town will be followed by the case of Louis Seiff vs, Felix Fouonet, et, al which has been tried once before this term but the jury failed to agree. Court will probably adjourn Saturday.

A Winter Vacation

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WILL NOT LOSE LAND

Settlers to Be Allowed to Make Deferred Payments.

Quite a furore was created the past summer when homesterders who had bid in farms at the sale of Red Lake reservation homesteads at Thief River Falls a year ago last June neglected to pay the second installments within the time prescribed by law and their proffered payments a day or two after the time limit had expired were rejected by the officials of the Crookston land office. Under the law the lands were forfeited when the payments were delinquent, ann would have to be re-offered at public sale. The law, however also provided in addition to the forfeiture clause that the secretary of the interior has power to regulate the sale and everything pertaining thereto.

The proffered installments were refused because they were offered too late and the money was returned to the homesteaders under the forfeiture clause. At this turn of affairs Congressman Steenerson took the matter up with the department at Washington and succeeded in convincing the powers that be that the secretary did have the right to grant relief to the delinquent settlers and allow them to make their payments, though the time as provided by law had expired.

As a result of this decision, instructions were received at the Crookston land office last week authorizing them to receive the deferred payments, and delinquents will therefore be allowed to make their payments, receive their receipts and retain their land as though no delinquency had occured.

Congressman Steenerson admitted that under a strict construction of the act opening the land to secure relief for the delinquent settlers it would be necessary to pass an amendment to the act at the coming session of congress. However his efforts to secure relief from the department have proven successful and no amendment will now be necessary.

TO NOTARIES PUBLIC

New Law Regarding Notaries Effective Jan. 1, 1906.

Following is a copy of the law regarding notaries public passed at the last session of of the legislature which goes into effect Jan. 1. 1906:

Every notary public, taking an acknowledgement of an instrument, taking a deposition, administering an oath, or making a notarial protest, shall immediately following his signature to the jurat or certificate of acknowledgment; indorse the date of his commission, such indorsement may be legibly written, stamped or printed on the instrument, but must be disconnected from the seal, and shall be substantially in the following form:

My commission expires———.

Bazaar and New England Supper at Presbyterian Church Next Week.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will held a Bazaar and serve a New England supper at the church parlors next Thursday evening Dec, 7th. There will also be a fine display of useful and fancy articles on sale at nominal prices, sale to begin at 6:30, Supper will be served from six o'clock throughout the evening for 25c.

The menu is as follows:

Baked Beans. Brown Bread.
Roast Pork. White Bread.
Roast Veal. Mashed Potatoes.
Apple Sauce. Cranberry Sauce.
Cold Slaw. Pickles. Jelly.
Doughnuts. Pumpkin.
Coffee.

Thanksgiving Excursions.

The Great Northern Railway will sell round trip tickets at the rate of one fare and one-third, on account of Thanksgiving Day, to all points on the system, east of Montana. Tickets will be on sale November 29th and 30th with final return limit December 4th, 1805. Ask your local agent for further information.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY DADS

Regular Meeting Held at the City Hall, November 23rd.

Meeting called to order by Fred Borchers President. Roll called: Alderman all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge,	street work,	$19.80
Julius Keuhl,	do	16.95
Wilfred Bisson,	do	16.20
R. L. Falls Electric Light Co., Street Lights for Oct. 1905,		111.16
Joseph Lambert,	drayage	2.50
Tom Lambert,	labor	1.25
A. P. Toupin,	express	.60

The ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, the right to lay down, construct, maintain and operate a pipe line on 1st street in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, passed its third reading and was declared adopted.

On motion duly carried the council proceeded to canvass the returns of the city election held November 7th, 1905.

For Mayor.

J. A. Duffy received 186 votes and was declared elected.

For Alderman at Large.

Henry Hennemuth rec'd 158 votes.
Wm. P. O'Brien received 169 votes.
Henry Hennemuth and Wm. P. O'Brien were each declared elected.

For Alderman of 1st ward.

James Brady received 39 votes and was declared elected.

For Alderman of 2nd ward.

Fred Borchers received 35 votes and was declared elected.

For Alderman of 3rd ward.

Simon Paul received 59 votes.
Joseph Belair " 56 votes.
Simon Paul was declared elected.

For Treasurer.

O. Emard received 168 votes and was declared elected.

For Justices of the Peace.

S. A. Swanson received 138 votes.
S. L. Lewis received 88 votes.
Adam Zeh received 143 votes.
S. A. Swanson and Adam Zeh were each declared elected.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers President.

Approved this 29th day of November, A. D. 1905.

Attest: J. A. Duffy
A. P. Toupin, Clerk. Mayor.

HOMESTEADER SUICIDE'S

Peter Martinison Discouraged and Disheartensd Shoots Himself,

On Friday p. m. about 3 o'clock Ole Halmen living in Clover Leaf Twp. about ten miles east of Thief River Falls observed a woman wandering around on the prairie near his home. He went over that way and found her to be his neighbor's wife, Mrs. Peter Martinson. She was laboring under great excitement and tried to tell Mr. Holmen there was something wrong at the house. He went over to the house and found Martinson dead. He returned home, drove to Thief River Falls and notified the authorities. County Attorney Germo and Corner Joseph Belair together with Dr. Geo. Tupper drove to the scene of the tragedy on Saturday morning. A coroner's jury was empaneled and an inquest held with the following verdict,—"That said Peter Martinson came to his death by reason of a gunshot wound, which gunshot wound, he the said Peter Martinson inflicted upon himself at his home in said Clover Leaf Twp., Red Lake County, Minn., on the 24th of Nov. 1905, by means of a weapon commonly known as a double barreled shot gun."

About a year ago Mrs. Martinson had applied for a divorce on the ground of cruel and unhuman treatment. A reconciliation was effected, the papers withdrawn and the case dropped. This together with the fact that he was disheartened over the outlook probably led to the tragedy. Mrs. Martinson when called as a witness before the coroner's jury appeared bewildered and could give no clear account of the tragedy.

From all the circumstances it would appear that deceased had tried to kill his wife and a neice six years of age before killing himself. Deceased was sober, industrous and a hard worker but continuious brooding over the lonely life they were living and the discouraging season just passed undoubtedly led to the tragedy. Money and other valuables were found on his person and there was nothing to indicate foul play. Deceased was about 30 years of age. They leave no children.

Splendid Advice.

As winter approaches we always fine a number of farmers disposing of their property and leaving Minnesota for some land of "sunshine and flowers." There many of them find that the sunshine and flowers but poorly compensate them for the sacrifice they have made. The agricultural conditions are altogether different, their crops are scanty because they do not understand the soil—they are not "to the manor born." Climate influences impair their health and their neighbors prove vastly different to the good sympathetic souls they were wont to asociate with at the old home. They soon become surfeited with the sunshine—they long for a snowstorm now and then. They tire of flowers and sigh for the cabbage and the potato plant. They finally become disgusted, and sell out for a pittance, return to Minnesota and rent a farm or work for some one else. If you have a farm in Minnesota hold on to it—don't dispose of it to purchase "climate" in a country you know nothing about. Princeton Union.

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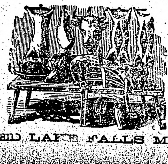

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It is strange that eight scientific electors among the Hall of Fame people should refuse to vote for a woman. It must be narrowness indeed that will deny a woman the just honors of a fame she has justly earned.

The Brown's Valley Tribune makes this observation: "Call a politician popular and he will agree with you, but tell the truth of him and he will get hopping mad. This is probably why some politicians have no regard for the truth.

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Congress is going to be again asked to print the long report of the lady managers of the Chicago world's fair. Some awful squabbles that these managers got into, and which got into print at the time, had better be kept out of print.

It seems to be settled that Congressman McCleary will not get the appropriations chairmanship, but that the coveted place will go to McCleary's arch enemy, Congressman Tawney. But as long as Mac has the open sesome to the pursestrings of the protetive tariff league he ought to be satisfied.

Try an "I Lead" cigar, only 5c, guaranteed to give satisfaction; if you want something better smoke a "B. B."

The peculiar request of Mr. Thomas Catt, the New York millionaire who gave his body to science, has already borne fruit by proving that a person can live for many months without a pancreas to do the digesting. Imitators of Mr. Catt are needed.

DOESN'T HELP THE FARMER.

The tariff on hides would be a very good thing for the farmer, if the farmer sold the hides as well as raising the cattle that wear them and carry them to market, says the Duluth News-Tribune. In theory this particular tariff is a source of revenue to the cattle raisers and a great help to the cattle trade, but in practice the chief benefit from it is derived by the beef trust.

As the beef trust does not lose anything but the squeal in slaughtering a hog certainly it would not waste the hide or give it back to the farmer, in slaughtering a steer.

But if the farmer could make independent sale of the hides of his cattle he would be confronted by the leather trust and the men who control the beef trust boss the leather trust, so there you are.

If the beef and leather business were not so closely "trusted," the case would be more tolerable.—The present hide duty act was passed ostensibly to help the downtrodden farmer, but it was enacted at the instance of the liberal and phi'anthropic packers and the farmer gets no benefit, neither does the manufacturer. The manufacturer pays more for his leather and the farmer pays more for his shoes, but the packers get all the benefit.

STATEMENT
OF THE CONDITION OF
THE FIRST STATE BANK
OF RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA,

Statement of the condition of First State Bank, at Red Lake Falls' Minn., at close of business on Nov. 9th, 1905. Date of call of Supt. Nov. 9, 1905. Date of report by bank Nov. 9, 1905.

Resources

Loans and Discounts			$ 130,357.16
Overdrafts			$ 1,737.42
Other Bonds, Stocks and Securities			$ 6,824.61
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			$ 6,000.00
Due from Banks		$ 59,897.06	
Checks and Cash Items		$ 2,949.02	
Cash on Hand, Items below		$ 8,055.60	
Currency	$ 2,989.00		
Gold	$ 3,865.00		
Silver	$ 1,135.30		
Other	$ 66.30		
Total Cash Assets		$ 70,901.68	$ 70,901.68
Drafts in Transit			$ 4,262.27
Total			$ 220,083.14

Liabilities

Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		772.77
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 53,349.16	
Demand Certificates	2,126.86	
Cashier's Checks	1,864.32	
Due to Banks	4,739.36	
Total Immediate Liabilities	62,079.70	
Time Certificatee	127,230.67	
Total Deposits	189,310.37	$ 189,310.37
Total		$ 220,083.14

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }

I, Theo. Garceau, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above Statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Theo. Garceau, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November, 1905.

(*Seal*)
G. F. Hennings,
Notary Public.
Red Lake Co. Minn.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
Frank E. Hunt.
(Two) Directors.

Give Thanks.

Thursday, the 30th inst., is the day especially set apart by executive proclamation for public thanksgiving. And surely there is much to be thankful for. The prosperity which blesses our county, state and nation is alone well worthy of celebrating by a great, national feast day. Besides this we can all find many reasons for personal thanksgiving if we will but look for them. The day is not meant for an annual settlement of accounts. It is rather in the nature of an overflow meeting. We should daily give thanks to God for the blessings He has bestowed and on next Thursday gather at the feast with our hearts full of joy and summarize and review the good gifts which have been ours during the past year. The Courier hopes that on Thursday every reader will be full of turkey and overflowing with thanks.

LIMITS CHILD LABOR

The state labor commission has been working hard for some time to secure the rigid enforcement of the child labor law throughout the state and its efforts have met with some success. The county school superintendents have been interested in the matter and have greatly aided the commission in looking up children who were not attending school but were working.

"Through the efforts of the county school superintendents," said Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams yesterday, "more children have been restored to our schools than would have been possible in any other way. We have been working hard to secure the enforcement of this law and have been very successful because we have the hearty sympathy of the people of Minnesota. In every case, with the exception of one, where we have prosecuted parties employing children under the age prescribed by law and without the consent of the school board, we have secured a conviction. This one case was in St. Paul."

The success of the labor commission along this line is shown by the number of children who have returned to school since the commission has taken up the matter in earnest. Manufactures and business men refuse to employ a child under sixteen years of age unless he has a certificate from the school board permitting him to leave school, as a heavy fine is attached to such cases. Deputies of the labor commission visit places of employment throughout the state frequently and all cases of employment of child labor are sure to be detected.

JUDGE QUINN DUCKED.

Surprising Answer Given by One who Sought Naturalization.

Judge Quinn, who has been holding court the past two weeks, bears a reputation of being the most austere and dignified judge upon the bench in the state of Minnesota, but a little incident that happened in this court Wednesday of last week was for a moment sufficient to penetrate his judicial armor to the extent that he actually broke into a jolly laugh in open court at a very solem and impressive moment in the judicial proceedings.

A foreigner had made application for his second naturalization papers and the Judge was examining him as to his qualifications, the candidate being a man who had reached the age of forty-five or fifty before coming to this country. He was a native Hollander and his knowledge of the English language was decidedly limited. The candidate acquitted himself in proper manner before the Judge's searching inquiries until the last question was reached, which the Judge pronounced to him in a slow and deliberate manner, "Have you ever affiliated with any organization entering or teaching a disbelief in, or opposition to organized governments?

"Yes," was the instantaneous reply of the candidate. The Judge repeated the question and the candidate gave the same answer. The Judge was in doubt and expressed his surprise at this answer by saying to the candidate, "What-what do you mean?"

The candidate replied with all earnestness and solemnity. "I belong to the Republican party."

It is enough to say that the Judge immediately granted him citizenship for he realizes that a man who is good enough to belong to the Republican party is truly qualified to be a good citizen of this country.—Worthington Advance.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1901; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905, at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota.
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Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Red Lake }
IN PROBATE COURT
Special Term, November 27, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ernest J. Akerlund, administrator of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition, heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 27th day of November, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
N-30-D-14

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF } ss
TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY }

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886, A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal.) Notary Public.

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On account of Thanksgiving Day the Northern Pacific will sell tickets to all points on its line in Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota at one and one third fare for the round trip Tickets on sale Nov. 29 and 30 with final return Dec. 4th F. A. Mizen, Agent.

The Northern Pacific announces its annual rates from here to all points in Ontario and Qubec, of $40 round trip. Tickets on sale Dec. 4th. Enquire of F. A. Mizen, Agent.

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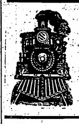

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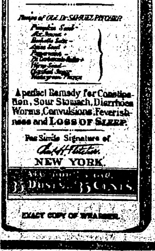
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8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
9:15 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
10:35 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
11:05 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
11:35 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
12:01 P. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
12:40 P. M.	Middle River	3:21 P. M.
1:05 P. M.	Strathcona	2:57 P. M.
1:35 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

Sleeping car reservations, tickets and information from

J. L. TRACY, Agent,

Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Today's Local Markets.

Wheat No. 1 Hard	72½
" " 1 Northern	71½
" " 2 "	68½
" " 3 "	65½
" " 4 "	61½
" " Rejected	56½
Flax No. 1	86
" No. 2	82
" no grade	76
Barley from	22-31
Oats	25
Hay	$4.50
Wood, poplar	$3.00 to $3.50
Butter 18c.	Eggs 20c.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Don't fail to take in the Band Concert next Wednesday evening.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Ralph Healy is laid up this week with an attack of tonsilitis.

Go to Spillane's store for Groceries, Candies, Nuts, Fruitr, Cigars, etc.

J. T. Patterson of St. Hilaire was a business caller at the county seat Friday.

Ch. Christensen of Plummer was a business caller at the county seat on Monday.

The 5c "I Lead" and 10c "B. B" cigars are the best to be had for the money.

Telesphore Robillard spent Friday evening at Crookston the guest of friends.

Don't buy your Christmas presents until you have seen the display at the Bazaar.

The Great Northern passenger from the south Wednesdry was four hours late.

Unclaimed letters this week at the postoffice as follows; Andrew Leroux and Guy Erickson.

James Sutor was a passenger on Wednesday's belated train bound for Crookston.

Jim and Paul's, Ad. on the first page is a serious talk on clothing to business men.

Architect Strassburger of Crookston was a caller in this city the early part of the week.

Fortier's Removal Sale Ad on the first page is no humbug. They mean what they say.

The First State Bank is anxious to serve you, attention is called to their Ad. on the first page.

City Attorney L. E. Gassman of Crookston was in the city the early part of the week on legal business.

The Catholic Order of Forresters will have election of officers at their next regular meeting Dec. 8th. 1905.

The "Big Store's" Ad. on the local page contains a list of bargains that should open your purse strings.

Mr. Chapman and F. J. Parker both of Marshall, Minn., arrived Tuesday morning on a land seeking tour.

Rev. Aastad of Thief River Falls held services in the Norwegian Lutheran church in this city last Sunday.

Perl W. Mabey of Theif River Falls was here Monday evening, appearing as counsel for defendant, Casper Weiner.

The "Busy Store" wishes you all a Merry Thanksgiving feast and you will also find a few money savers on their Ad. on the last page.

What makes a nicer Christmas present than a picture? Dosn't cost you very much and is surely appreciated. See W. A. Reichel.

The concert to be given by the band boys next Wednesday bids fair to be a hummer. GET THE HABIT of attending the concerts.

A dozen pictures costs but little and makes twelve acceptable presents for Christmas. Give W. A. Reichel your order for a dozen now.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract. Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

Ole Simonson left Monday evening for points in and about Marshall, Minn. to be absent about ten days on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Henry Gerlach from northwest of town was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday. Hereafter he gets his mail here instead of at Wylie.

Just wait a moment,— Examine the $220,000.00 statement of the First State Bank. You will find it on the page just across from the local page.

J. E. Savard has a long term boarder in the person of a son who arrived Tuesday morning. Regulation weight and mother and child doing well.

Atty. E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls came down Monday to attend court. Mr. Stanton is counsel for Frank Cernousek indicted for manslaughter.

James Sutor shipped a car of his household goods to some point in Washington this week. He expects to leave for the west about the 20th of next month.

There will be a dance given in honor of the Football Boys at K. P. hall on Friday evening of this week. *Tickets to dance and supper $1.00.* Dancing will commence promptly at *8:30.*

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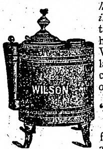

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Mr. and Mrs. Gib. Gross from east of town weree out bound passengers Monday evening for an extended visit with friends near Argyle in Marshall Co.

Mrs. Wm. Knight and one of the twins Sundayed at the home of Dan Linnihan. Evidently Will cannot spare but one of the little ones even for so short a time.

Simon Sutter, one of our up-to-date farmers just north of town left Monday for Greenbush, Warroad and International Falls on a sightseeing trip to be gone a few weeks.

This part of the country is in the grasp of a genuine Iowa blizzard. For the first storm of the season, the one that called on us Monday afternoon certainly was full grown.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what names the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. At A. L. Reichert s.

W. T. Spillane is getting nicely located in his own building, next to Sauer's Market and assures you a continuance of the same courteous treatment whenever you need anything in his line.

There was a large and enthusiastic crowd of progressive farmers and business men in attendance at the Farmers Institute last Thursday. Those present say meeting was satisfactory in every way.

Geo. Orr, one of the foremost farmers of Gervais Twp. left Monday evening for a ten days visit with his daughters, Mrs. Barney, Miss Addie Orr and his brother Sumner Orr, at Marshall, Minn.

E. E. and F. F. Fletcher one day last week killed a nice big deer near the Geo. Orr farm in Gervais Twp only a few miles east of town. If there are any deer in the country they can find them.

John Drier spent a day a few miles east of town very profilably the early part of the week as he was fortunate enough to shoot two deer which certainly ought to afford excitement enough for one day.

Wm. Krueger and S. A. Swanson left on a hunting trip the latter part of last week but failed to bring any venison home with them. Bill says he opened up a fusilade on one deer but could not scare it te death.

P. B. Gaass and J. L. Wilkinson left Monday for Greenbush from which point they will head east and endeavor to bring home at least two moose and a few deer. Here's hoping they will not be disapointed.

E. G. Buse, A. L. Reichert and Harry Healy returned Tuesday evening from their deer guest. The boys say the weather conspired to rob them of a possible chance to score, at any rate they failed to bring any deer back with them.

As announced last week, A. L. Reichert, the druggist, has moved from the old stand and will be pleased to have you call on him whenever you are in need of anything in the *line of drugs, stationery, cigars,* etc, at the new stand in the Blake *building directly across from the* Grand View Hotel.

Ned Taylor, now employed, as a brakesman in the St. Paul yards for the Northern Pacific, arrived yesterday for a few days visit. Ned used to be chief pill-maker and dope mixer at Reichert's pharmacy and has hosts of friends who are always *glad to see him.* He says he is here strictly on business.

Elmer E. Sugden, who was Courier *foreman during the early part of the* month, and left to help out the job offices in the cities at a large weekly salary, is now working again in of the newspapers in the southern part of the state. Evidently all is not gold that glitters and the bottom must have fallen out of the flattering offer made to him.

The 40 hours Adoration will be held at St. Mary's Church Dec. 10 11 & 12. Several visiting priests will be present to add to the solemnity of the celebration. Two sermons will be delivered daily on subjects of vital interest to every one. The 40 hours Adoration is one of the most cherished devotions in the Catholic church, because in it we give public expression of our faith in the Real Presence of Jesus Christ in the most holy sacrament of the altar. Besides this devotion has been enriched by many blessings and Indulgencies, A more detailed announcement will follow next week.

Fr. Ansgar.

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Prices that will untie your purse. Hundreds have taken advantage of our low prices last week—were you one of them? If not, you are passing up opportunities to save money. We mention below a few only, of our money savers.

DRY GOODS DEPT.

12½c—15c waistings	8c
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Silk remnants for fancy work ½ price.

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all wool—full shape—all colors.

Henty's famous books for boys—free with boys suits.

New line of sofa pillows, see the finest ever shown in the city.

FANCY DISHES.

Just opened a fine line of Japanese hand painted China 25c to 50c all bargains.

GROCERY DEPT.

After Dinner Mints	10c, 25c
Fancy Almonds	20c
2lb can White House Coffee	69c
Flaked rice	15c
Ginger snaps, some broken	5c
Cronarty Bloaters, each	5c

IT ALWAYS PAYS TO TRADE AT

.THE BIG STORE.

THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Prop.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Inquire at the Big Store.

The Band Concert which was to have been given Tuesday evening was postponed on account of the bad weather. It will be given some evening in the near future of which notice will be given later. Everyone should attend this concert, as it will be fully up to the standard and you should be there just to show Prof. Miller how much interest you take in our band boys.

Messrs. Smedsang, Hanson, Prior, Eckstein and Bergen of Wylie, represented Wylie at the hearing of the injunction suit against the Great Northern at Crookston last week. They expected to have to fight the matter through the courts and were agreeably surprised as well as satisfied with the arrangement made with the company to continue the present railway service at Wylie.

There will be services at the Presbyterian church Sunday at the *usual hour. The morning's subject* is "Rest under burden," and the evening's subjuct is "The world attidude to the gospel."
Rev. Knox will leave Monday for two weeks evangelistic work at Rollis. Rev. Laury will occupy the pulpit here during Rev. Knox's absence.

$40 FOR THE ROUND TRIP.

To Eastern Canada and Return.

A rate of $40.00 for the round trip has been made by the Great Northern Railway to Montreal and points west thereof in Ontario. These tickets will be on sale from December 4th to 31st inclusive and will be good for three months. Liberal stopover privileges will be allowed going and returning, giving you an opportunity of visiting many points enroute, making your holiday outing a pleasurable one. See your local agent for full information.

Volcano Discovered.

A volcano throwing off molten lava has been discovered in Nevada by McClure, Wheeler and Somers, cattlemen at Lovelock. The volcano is in Rye Patch, Humbolt county. Although that section has been traversed for years, the crater has just been found. The men were in search of cattle when they came on the stream of lava, and, tracing it to its source, found the volcano. When tired, a glass of golden grain belt beer will be found very refreshing and nourishing. To serve it regularly with meals means health and strength. Get a case. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. Sabbath school a 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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CORRESPONDENCE

ST. HILAIRE.

Miss Bertha Just, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. J. E. Beebe for several months left for her home at Mankato Friday evening.

Misses Eva and Nora Johnson were visitors to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mr. Albert Tellman, and Miss Valborg Peterson, were married Thursday November 23rd at the home of the groom's father J. P. Tellman. The young couple were attended by Charles Carlson and Edward Thompson, Miss Annie Tellman and Asta Peterson. Both have hosts of friends here who extend congratulations and best wishes. They will make their future home in St. Hilaire where the groom is in business.

Miss Grace Higgins, of Thief River Falls visited Miss Mabel Aimer over Sunday.

Miss Etta Zaiser came up Friday to meet her music pupils.

Mrs. Oliver Larson Who has been visitiug Mrs. Daniel Patterson and other old time friends returned to her home at Green Lake, Minn the last of the week.

Lewis Adams has taken charge of the Barbor shop and has moved his family from Grand Forks. Mrs. A. C. Adams of Bellingham. Wash, accompanied him and will remain here some time.

Robt Gebott was called to his old home in Indiana, Monday by the serious illness of his brother.

A. O. Davison and family will go to Red Lake Falls Wednesday evening to spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Tibbetts, Mrs. Davison's mother.

Miss Katherine Pirath visited her parents at Red Lake Falls over Friday night.

The farmer's institute which was held in the village hall, Friday Nov. 24 was a decided success. In spite of bad weather and rough roads the hall was crowed an the farmers recieved much useful information.

The saw mill closed down Friday afternoon, Nov. 24. after a very successful season.

Misses Mitilda and Clara Lund were Thief River Falls visitors Wedneseay.

Daniel Patterson attended a meeting of the county commissioners at Red Lake Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson visited relatives at Grand Forks from Thursday until Monday.

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But when you spend your money at home you

1. Deal with people you know.
2. Get goods delivered free.
3. Return goods if not satisfied.
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5. Buy with the goods before you.
6. Don't pay until you get the goods.
7. Are given credit when necessary.
8. Often get special bargains.
9. Enchance your own property.

The Wadena Tribune publishes the above which was clipped from a circular issued by a local firm in Wisconsin. Many other just as good reasons could be given for giving your home dealer your patronage.

Man's Unreasonableness.

is often as great as woman's, But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth. Ind., was not unreasonable when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble, "Instead," he says, "we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties," Guaranteed by all Druggists; 50c.

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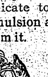

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LESSONS IN FARMING

The Agriculturial Department of the University Have Arranged for an Eight Week's Course.

Investigations and experiments by scientific men are uniting to produce great changes in the practice of agriculture, and the management of live stock. In order to keep up with the times the farmer must bring himself into close relations with recent investigations, discoveries and methods relating to his business.

To meet the needs of men of mature years who are busy on the farm the greater portion of the year, the Department of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota has established what is known as the "Short Course for Farmers," which has been in operation for five years. For the coming year some important changes are to be made in this course which will, it is hoped, make it still more useful and popular. This course will open Jan. 9th. During the first six weeks a course of lectures on subjects of vital interest to Minnesota farmers will be given.

Following the lecture course, two weeks will be devoted to judging grains, dairy stock and live stock, including horses, cattle, sheep and swine.

For the entire course of 8 weeks a registration fee of $10 will be charged. For those who take only two weeks of judging or any part thereof the registration fee will be $3.00.

Farmers wishing to register for this course or desiring further information should write to Jas. M. Drew, St. Anthony Park, Minn.

Firemen Meet.

At the regular monthly meeting of of the fire company held Saturday evening Mr. Geo. Hennings was appointed treasurer of the Firemen's Relief Ass'n., vice Ralph Wyer, resigned. Mr. Wyer is now a resident of Toronto, Canada. Mr. Harry Healy was also appointed trustee in place of Sam Allard.

BORGEN LEAVES BRANDON.

Editor Carl Borgan has resigned as postmaster at Brandon, and there is a lively contest on to fill his shoes. The contestants are Dr. Meckstroth, Wigo Werner and Thorston Hanson; all good fellows, with ability to look after Uncle Sam's postoffice matters in their town. We understand, Mr. Borgan has also disposed of his newspaper, the Brandon Echo, and it is now under the management of Mr. Carl Wold, one of the wide awake merchants of Brandon. Mr. Borgan will go to Red Lake Falls, to take charge of State Librarian King's paper. Carl is a good fellow, and we wish him the best of luck in his new location.—Alexandria Citizen.

A Pleasant Function.

Messrs. and Mesdames S. M. Sivertson, Germo and Mrs. E. F. Marshall attended the dedicatory ceremonies of the new Masonic temple at Thief River Falls Monday evening last.

Those attending from here report it one of the most enjoyable and notably social functions they have attended for a long time and the hospitality of the Thief River Falls people simply superb.

Thos. Dagle Found Dead

Thos. Dagle of Emardville Twp was found dead in the snow drift a week ago Wednesday, about fifteen rods from his home. He rode nearly home from Plummer with a neighbor and started to walk the balance of the way. Heart disease was undoubtedly the cause of his death. Deceased was 66 years, of age and leaves eight children, three of whom were living with and dependent upon him, Funeral services were held Tuesday.

A Fearful Fate

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at all druggists.

SPLENDID BAND CONCERT

Second Indoor Concert of the Season of '05—'06 was Well Attended and Fully up to the Standard.

The Red Lake Falls Concert Band under the direction of Prof. Frank E. Miller gave their second indoor concert to a fairly large audience at the Metropolitan Opera House last evening.

Each selection was well rendered and was enthusiastically applauded. The band boys responded to the continued applause after the second selection by rendering a new march, just received, in splendid style and just as though they had played it for years. The selection rendered by Messrs Miller, Berthon, Tracy and Healy won merited and long continued applause.

The two recitations given by Miss Carrie Altstadt and Miss Clara Rue were well rendered and were applauded to the echo.

Just before the last selection Prof. Chamberlain in a few well chosen words thanked the audience on behalf of the band for their support and attendance. Hereafter the concerts will commence promptly at 8:30. GET THE HABIT of attending and be sure and be in your seat before 8:30.

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Four visiting priests will enhance the solemnity of the 40 hours adoration at St. Mary's Church Dec. 10-11-12. Fr. Isidore of St. Johns University, Fr. Charles of Moorhead, Fr. Adolph of Thief River Falls and Fr. Edward of West Union. Hours of service at 10 every morning high mass and sermon and at 7:30 every evening sermon and benediction with the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed at 8 a. m.

Next Sunday after high mass the Blessed Sacrament will be carried in procession through the church. Tuesday morning at 10 a solemn high mass with deacon and subdeacon will be celebrated and on Tuesday evening at 7:30 will occur the solemn closing of the celebration.

A plenary indulgence can be gained by every one receiving the Sacraments during these days and a partial indulgence of seven years and seven quarantines as often as the church is visited and prayers are offered for the welfare of Gods church. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

—Fr. Ansgar.

HE IS FOUND NOT GUILTY

Frank Cernousek is Acquitted of Charge of Murder by Jury.

The trial at Red Lake Falls of Frank Cernousek, charged with having willfully taken the life of John Danielson, as resulted in a verdict of not guilty Thursday afternoon. No damaging evidence was produced by the state, a mere statement of the killing of Danielson, which has appeared in the local paper several times, being about all the state had to work on.

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Notice to Stockholders

To the stockholders of the Poplar River Cheese Factory Association:

You are hereby notified that a meeting of the stockholders of the above named association will be held at Brooks, Minn., Tuesday, Dec. 12th., at 1 p. m.

The following specific business will be brought before this meeting and you are urgently requested to be present.

Proposed amendments to provide as follows, to-wit:

A change in the name of the association.

An increase in the amount of capital stock.

An increase in the amount of indebtedness that may be contracted by the association.

The adoption of such resolutions or resolution making provisions for a loan to meet the present indebtedness of the association.

Adoption of by-laws.

Election of officers for the ensuing year.

By order,
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Sir Knights Elect.

The Knights of Pythias at their meeting last Monday evening elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: J. B. Armstrong, C. C., F. F. Fletcher, V. C., H. W. Anderson, Prelate., J. E. Argne M. W., Thos. Germo, M. E., E. G. Buse, M. A., P. Gaass, K. R. & S., & M. F., Arthur Zaiser I. G., S. E. Hunt, O. G. Trustees: S. E. Hunt, E. G. Buse and S. M. Sivertson.

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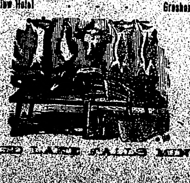

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The roller-skating fad is coming in again. Will it also bring back the bustle?

Japan is enjoying the fact that "peace hath her victories" much more than Russia is.

Up to date, the Audubon society hasn't taken any steps for the protection of the turkey.

King Edward's birthday cake, with the sixty-four blazing candles on it, must have been a sight.

Automobile riding, according to the doctors, is good for digestion. When taken, to be well shaken?

Chicago is said to contain 18,000 deserted wives. Somebody will have to start another cooking-school.

Norway may recall that the first king to reign over the children of Israel also was chosen by the people.

With call money at 20 on the New York stock exchange, dear old Uncle Russell Sage must be doing tolerably well.

Even though Henry Labouchere approves the corset, no one will accuse him of wearing one. He is anything but staid.

China is talking of having a constitution. It must have concluded that the ways of the foreign devils are not so bad, after all.

Pobiedonostseff is done for in Russia. He goes down with the bureaucrats. The newspaper compositors will be glad he is gone.

That Minnesota boy who has had 4,000 bits of rock taken out of his body must have had as much fun as if he had played football.

The British Medical Journal says men's necks are longer than they used to be. Before the introduction of the peek-a-boo shirtwaist?

It is to be hoped that the New York society ladies took their fancywork along when they were invited out to meet Prince Henry of Battenberg.

New York's new national theater, directed by Herr Conried, will be a great institution. Perhaps some time some other dreams also may come true.

The Pawtucket girl who twisted her neck out of joint in a nightmare probably dreamed that she was examining the latest fashions during a street promenade.

The latest "holy war" is about to be waged on Armenian Christians by Turks and Tartars. The Moslem means to get even for the crusades, if it takes all summer.

Lieut. Burbank, who has been trying to graft a scandal on the army, should not be confounded with the California wizard of the same name who does commendable kinds of grafting.

It is asserted, on the other hand, that big hats for women are not going out of fashion. The report that they were, doubtless, was started by some designing masculine person.

Port Arthur fell, and England should not be too cock-sure about the Rock of Gibraltar. Nothing in this world is invulnerable. Last week a Missouri mule was blown up by dynamite.

Reports from Santa Domingo say another revolution is brewing there. This is the first we have heard from Santo Domingo for several months. Somebody must have administered an anesthetic.

Our friends the Koreans will now please prepare to remove their tall hats. There will be a Jap of one kind or another passing along the picturesque highways almost every minute of the day.

Navy officers in Washington uphold the custom of permitting midshipmen in the Naval Academy to settle disputes with fist fights. They evidently believe that a fighter gets practice every time he fights.

Admiral Nebogatoff has returned to Russia and explains that he surrendered to the Japs in order to keep his sailors from getting hurt. It would be no more than right for the sailors to adopt a vote of thanks.

The story that the statue of William Penn on top of Philadelphia city hall's tall tower was seen doing a song-and-dance act after the football game, in which Pennsylvania defeated Harvard, is undoubtedly a pure invention.

The New York bank clerk who forged a check and got $359,000 on it "just for a joke" has been sentenced to the Elmira reformatory. He is probably beginning by this time to have a faint suspicion that the joke was on him.

A man who leads germans has been elected mayor of Providence, R. I., a professional violinist has succeeded himself as mayor of San Francisco, and a novelist was chosen mayor of Toledo. Art and politics may yet go hand in hand.

RESUME OF THE NEWS

Fresh——Reliable——Brief

Washington.

There will be no flowers in either house on the opening day of congress. A standing resolution of the senate was adopted at the last session of congress barring flowers from the senate chamber.

When the famous battleship Oregon, now on the way to American waters from the Asiatic station, reaches the United States she will be put out of commission and given a thorough overhauling.

Edwin V. Morgan, just relieved from his post as American minister at Seoul, Korea, by reason of the establishment of a Japanese protectorate there, has been appointed American minister to Havana, to succeed Herbert G. Squires, whose cabled resignation has been received and accepted.

It has unofficially leaked out that at a recent cabinet meeting Ethan Allen Hitchcock, secretary of the interior, expressed a desire to retire at the end of the present fiscal year. The cabinetmakers are already busy and have almost agreed upon the selection of Vespacian Warner, now commissioner of pensions, to succeed Mr. Hitchcock.

Without formality the final chapter in the bloody war between Russia and Japan was enacted in the diplomatic room of the state department Saturday afternoon, when at five minutes past 4 o'clock Baron Rosen, Russian ambassador, and Mr. Takahira, Japanese minister, on behalf of their respective sovereigns, exchanged ratifications of the treaty of Portsmouth, which was signed Sept. 5 last.

Foreign.

King Haakon, before the Norwegian parliament, took the oath to support the constitution.

The Canadian Northern has completed a line down into Edmonton, thus becoming a competitor of the Canadian Pacific to points west from Winnipeg to Edmonton.

War Minister Weyler has left Madrid for Barcelona to investigate and repress the Catalonian disorders. These have assumed serious proportions between the military and separatist elements.

The Sultan, through Tewfik Pasha, the foreign minister, has announced to Baron von Calice, the ambassador of Austro-Hungary, that Turkey accedes to the demands of the powers regarding the financial control of Macedonia.

The steamer Ikuta, bound for the Liaotung peninsula, collided with the steamer Fukura, near Mutsure, not far from Shimonoseki. The Ikuta, which was struck amidships, sank immediately. Most of those on board were saved. Eleven are missing.

Among several names mentioned for the resident generalship at Seoul is that of Premier Katsura. Should he be appointed, the premiership would then go either to Marquis Ito, now president of the privy council, or to the Marquis Saionji, the president of the constitutional party.

A slight shock of earthquake was recorded in all the observatories of Italy last week. It was felt especially throughout the eastern, central and southern parts of the country, but caused little damage except to the cathedral of Ariano in Apulia, in the extreme southeastern section, which suffered considerably. No lives were lost.

Criminal.

Edmund J. Bailey, a miner, who shot and killed Jay Lauder, secretary of the Lawder-Peterson Coal company, was hurriedly taken from the county jail at Mexico, Mo., to avoid a mob which was organizing down town.

Senator Burton of Kansas, who was convicted last week of accepting a bribe to appear before the postoffice department for the Rialto Security and Trust company, was sentenced to six months in the county jail and to pay a fine of $2,500. His motion for a new trial was overruled.

The American Exchange bank at Brown's, near Mount Carmel, Ill., was robbed. The burglars secured about $1,000, but overlooked $2,500 which was concealed under the carpet of the floor of the safe. A part of the safe was blown through the building and across the street. The building was badly wrecked.

At the coroner's inquest at Louisville, called to inquire into the death of Preston Shelby, who was shot and killed Nov. 3, it developed that William McGee asked Shelby for a cent which he claimed was due him, and that Shelby denied the obligation. McGee shot him. The jury returned a verdict fixing the responsibility on McGee, who is in jail.

Gov. Cummins granted a pardon to Amos Seymour, who was under life sentence in the Anamosa (Iowa) penitentiary for the murder of his father-in-law, and who has been confined in the upper Iowa prison for fourteen years.

John H. Kopf, one of the commissioners of Cook county, Ill., was stabbed during a political quarrel and sustained injuries which probably will cause his death. During a ward club meeting Kopf became involved in a dispute with George Roberts, and Roberts plunged a knife into Kopf's abdomen.

Casualty.

Three business blocks at Renwick, Iowa, were destroyed by fire. The loss will probably amount to $15,000.

One man was burned to death and six persons were injured in a fire that destroyed the interior of the South End hotel at East St. Louis.

Nearly a score of persons were slightly injured when a crowded passenger train on the Long Island railroad crashed into a section of a freight train.

Two unknown men who were stealing a ride on top of a passenger coach were knocked off at the Carr street bridge at Cincinnati and instantly killed.

A north-bound freight train was wrecked at Swango Hill, Ill. An unknown man was instantly killed, two seriously injured, and ten cars demolished.

John V. Everhart and Fred Baskerville were killed by an interurban car at Canton, Ohio. When the two men tried to cross the car tracks they were run down.

Alexander Mercy, 45, and Charles Tooler, Jr., 21, miners at Standard Mine No. 2, at Saginaw, Mich., were killed by being buried beneath a mass of falling slate.

Robert Brown, aged 16, injured in a football game at Sedalia, Mo., between local elevens, died. Brown was paralyzed from the neck down and rendered unconscious.

In a fire at the dining camp of the Kabeka Falls Power company at Fort William, Man., Horace Burrance, a cook, was burned to death. Many other men in the camp had narrow escapes.

In a collision between a freight and passenger train near Wayland, Mass., a child was killed, the passenger engineer received injuries from which he died, and several persons were seriously hurt.

A dispatch from Newfoundland states that the schooner Columbine, bound from Charlottetown for Newfoundland ports, foundered with four hands in Fortune bay during the recent gale.

The steamer Aorangi, from Australia, brought news of the drowning of the grandson of the marquis of Ailsa and two seamen of the bark Jordan Hill of Sydney. They deserted the bark in a raft.

Fire at Decatur, Ill., destroyed the wheat and corn plants of the Decatur Milling company, including the elevator. The Decatur Chair company was also damaged by the flames. Total loss, $65,000.

Fire in the Grand opera house at New York destroyed the scenery and costumes used in the presentation of "The Prodigal Son." The house was flooded with water, but was saved from fire damage. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Fire at San Francisco destroyed Ellis & Gauladine's cigar box manufacturing establishment, the Union Iron works, Reliance Engine company and the Jardine Machine works. Heavy loss was also sustained by the V. Kingmell brass foundry and the Betts Spring company. The losses amount to $100,000.

Fire at Marshalltown, Iowa, destroyed the residence of B. A. Church and Dr. C. C. Cottle, one of the finest in the city. Defective wiring is supposed to have started the fire. The families were asleep and one child had a narrow escape, its bed being on fire when the room was reached. The loss is about $12,000, partly insured.

General.

At a meeting of the Columbia university committee on students' organizations it was decided to abolish football as one of the recognized sports of the university's students.

A statement out of court by which Thomas W. Lawson and the firm of Lawson, Weidenfeld & Co. turned over $350,000 to Receiver George Wharton Pepper of the Bay State Gas company of Delaware has been confirmed by Judge Lowell of the United States circuit court at Boston.

Vice President Fairbanks has indicated to Representative Hinshaw of Nebraska that probably he would accept an invitation extended to him by E. Benjamin Andrews, chancellor of the University of Nebraska, to participate in the commencement exercises of the university next June.

T. E. Jefferson, a wealthy Chicagoan, who, with his wife, is occupying a cottage at Pasadena, Cal., must pay $7,500 to the widow of Christian Shearer, who was run down and killed by Jefferson's automobile a year ago. At the time of the accident Mrs. Jefferson was driving the machine, it is said at a high rate of speed.

The board of directors of the Mutual Life Insurance company has accepted the resignation of Richard A. McCurdy as president of the company. He will be temporarily succeeded by Frederick Cromwell, treasurer of the company.

The steamship Dakota arrived recently at Seattle from Japan and China, making a better run to this port than her sister ship, the Minnesota. This was the Dakota's initial voyage. The Great Northern Steamship company has announced a new second-class round trip rate of $250 to Hongkong.

GRAND DUKE IS IN CONSPIRACY

ARRESTED SOLDIERS SEEN DAILY ESCORTED BY COMRADES WITH DRAWN SWORDS.

SWARMING WITH COSSACKS

ARE ONLY TROOPS AGAINST WHOM THERE IS NO SUSPICION.

250 GUARDS WERE ARRESTED

REPORT THAT EMPEROR IS LOSING CONFIDENCE IN PREMIER.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 3.—All kinds of rumors are current, including the assertion that one of the grand dukes is involved in a conspiracy against the emperor, but none of them can be verified. It only seems certain that no confidence can be placed even on the guard regiments. Arrested soldiers are seen every day escorted by their comrades with drawn swords.

St. Petersburg is swarming with Cossacks, the only troops against whom there is no suspicion of disaffection. It is understood that the whole Cossack forces of the empire, some 450,000, will be mobilized.

The guards arrested at Tsarskoe Selo Thursday night and Friday morning, numbered 250, including 30 officers.

Late yesterday afternoon the outlook for a temporary improvement in the situation which would give the government an opportunity to catch its breath was brighter. The danger of an immediate general strike was considered to be practically averted as the result of three-cornered negotiations between Premier Witte, the employers and the workmen, by which it was decided that both the government and private establishments which are now closed shall be reopened.

Emperor Presides.

The emperor presided yesterday at a meeting of the council of ministers. Much comment has been caused by the emperor's summons to Count Pahlen, a member of the council of the empire and one of the oldest and most trusted servants of the house of Romanoff, who participated in the session, presumably to voice his majesty's views. Though the step undoubtedly was taken with the full approval of Count Witte, it gave rise to a report that the emperor was losing confidence in the premier, which was eagerly spread by the latter's enemies in the court party.

After the close of the session of the council of ministers on official communication was issued explaining that martial law in Poland having produced the desired effect on the extremists, it had been revoked at the request of Gen. Skallon, governor general of Poland, who was now holding out the hope that the Poles would participate in the elections for the douma.

START RATE WAR.

The Milwaukee Puts in Effect a Tariff Which May Cause Trouble.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—The Record-Herald says:

What promises to develop into one of the greatest grain rate wars in years, was begun to-day when the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad put into effect a through tariff on corn between the Missouri river and Liverpool of 28 1-2 cents from Kansas City and 30 cents from Omaha. As nearly as can be ascertained this action was atken because of the discovery that the grain men who ship via the gulf, were engaged in a campaign to corral an enormous movement of grain through the gulf ports at less than agreed rates. It is now the intention of the St. Paul road to do the same thing by way of the Atlantic ports. The Eastern roads have agreed to accept their usual divisions on the St. Paul's rate and the 3,000,000 bushels of corn which the road has secured will move through Baltimore.

STRIKE IN OIL FIELDS.

Three Hundred and Fifty Men Refuse to Accept Reduction.

Houston, Tex., Dec. 3.—The strike of oil field workmen against a reduction in wages of 50 cents a day went into effect yesterday at Humboldt, Batson, Saratoga, Sour Lake and Spindle Top, the Guffey and Sun companies and Pass and Eastham being affected. About 350 men are out. Drillers were not out, but went out on the score that they needed experienced help.

John Mitchell Ill.

Spring Valley, Ill., Dec. 2.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, arrived here yesterday, suffering from nervous prostration. No serious results are apprehended.

Japan to Get $25,000,000.

Tokio, Dec. 3.—The balance in favor of Japan for prisoners' expenses is estimated at $25,000,000. It is believed that this sum will be devoted to the development of the interest of Manchuria.

BOARD QUITS IN DISGUST.

Board of Health Resented Charges by the Governor.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 3.—The Louisiana state board of health, Dr. Edmund Souchon, president, resigned in a body last night, and the resignations of the entire body were forwarded to Baton Rouge. This action was precipitated by a persistent intimation of Gov. Blanchard that he wanted an investigation as to how yellow fever got into Louisiana, and who was responsible, and by his last action of calling upon the grand jury of Orleans parish to investigate. Although the resignation of certain members of the board has been rumored, it is said that the grand jury is what incensed the members.

HUNTING FOR NEGRO.

Mississippi Citizens Searching for Slayer of Planter.

Kosciusko, Miss., Dec. 3.—Posses of armed citizens are searching the woods in this vicinity in an effort to capture Rufus Ousley, a negro, who shot and killed Lucius Love, a prominent planter of Sprocks, this county, yesterday, while the latter and several others were endeavoring to place him under arrest. Ousley was charged with having written an insulting letter to a white woman. Bob Kennedy, colored, was found dead four miles from the scenes of the killing yesterday. Negroes living in the house with Kennedy say he was killed by a crowd who came to search the building. Kennedy was running away from the house when shot.

COURT-MARTIAL COMPLETED.

Verdict Will Be Announced Later From Washington.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 3.—The court-martial in the case of Midshipman Miner Meriwether, Jr., who was tried on the charge of manslaughter for causing the death of Midshipman James R. Branch, Jr., in a fist fight, completed its work late yesterday afternoon and adjourned. No information was given out as to the findings of the court. The proceedings and record in the case will be forwarded to the navy department for review and the verdict will be announced from there.

HIGH PRICE FOR SILVER.

Bullion Selling at Highest Figure Since 1896.

San Francisco, Dec. 3.—Silver is jumping up in price. It is now 65¾ cents per ounce. This is the highest price since 1896. Two months ago the market quotation was 50 cents. Demand is greater than supply, say brokers, in accounting for the higher price. But they also say that, in addition to a legitimate business demand, there is also a speculative demand which must be taken into consideration.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Dec. 3. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 82 1-4@83c; No. 2 Northern, 79 7-8@80 1-2c; No. 3, 76@79c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 47 1-2@48c. Oats—No. 3 white, 28 1-4@28 3-4c.

Duluth, Dec. 2. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 82 7-8c; No. 2 Northern, 80 3-8c; flax, 98c; rye, 62c.

Minneapolis, Dec. 2. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 80 3-8c; No. 1 Northern, 83 5-8c; No. 2 Northern, 81 5-8c; durum, 70@71 1-2c. Oats—No. 2 white, 28 3-8c.

Milwaukee, Dec. 2. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 86@87c; No. 2 Northern, 83@86c. Rye—No. 1, 69@69 1-2c. Barley—No. 2 54 1-2@55c. Oats—Standard, 31c.

Chicago, Dec. 2. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 87@88 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 84@86c; No. 1 Northern, 87@90c; No. 2 Northern, 85@88c. Corn—No. 3, 43c. Oats—No. 2, 30 1-2c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 2.—Cattle — Beeves, $4.10@5.60; cows, bulls and mixed, $2@3.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.60; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.40. Hogs—Bulk, $4.85.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Beeves, $3.50@$6.75; stockers and feeders, $2.30@4.15; cows and heifers, $1.25 @ 4.75. Hogs — Mixed and butchers, $4.75@$5.05; bulk, $4.80@4.95. Sheep, $4@5.65; lambs, $4.75@7.50.

South St. Paul, Dec. 2. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.25 @ 4.25; good to choice milch cows, $30@40. Hogs — Range price, $4.55 @4.65; bulk, $4.55@4.60. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, $6.25 @ 6.75; fair to good, $4.50@6.25; yearling wethers, $5@5.50; good to choice ewes, $4.50@4.75.

Make Good Money.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The monthly coinage statement issued by the director of the mint shows that the total coinage executed at the mints of the United States during November, 1905, was $3,447,210, as follows: Gold, $3,447,210, as follows: Gold, $2,348,300; silver, $826,000; minor coins, $272,910. There were also executed 700,000 pieces for Costa Rica and 24,000 peso pieces for the Philippine islands.

Fatal Fall From House.

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 3.—Edward Murray, a house mover, fell twenty feet from the top of a house. He died an hour later. Three other persons fell, but escaped injury. The accident was caused by the breaking of a guy rope.

Razing Frontier Forts.

Fredrikshald, Norway, Dec. 2.—The demolition of the frontier fortifications in accordance with the treaty recently signed between Sweden and Norway is actively proceeding.

THE UMBRIA HAS CLOSE CALL

THIRTY-SIX HOURS OF ENDURANCE THAT DEFIED DESPAIR.

STRIPPED OF HER PILOT HOUSE

COOLNESS SUBLIME IN THE FACE OF DEATH SAVED THE SHIP.

THOUGHT THE OWEN HAS SUNK

ALCONA, REPORTED LOST, HAS FINALLY ARRIVED AT GREEN BAY.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 3.—Heriosm worthy of America's greatest sailors, daring that mocked at wind and wave, coolness sublime in the face of death and endurance that beggars conception, alone saved the steamer Umbria and her gallant crew from destruction in the storm which sent so many noble vessels to the bottom.

Stripped of her pilot house by a billow that smashed her wheel and carried away the compasses while her men were struggling blinded in the seas, the Umbria, which was headed direct into the teeth of the gale, rolled for a moment helpless in the trough of the sea.

In six minutes, which seemed like hours to the helpless crew below, the couplings were made and the wheelmen sprang to their posts on the after deck, exposed to the full fury of the elements and by desperate labor and consummate skill brought the trembling and battered leviathan from the trough of the sea and once more turned her nose to the gale.

Thirty-six hours of endurance that defied despair in the face of momentary death tells the tale of the struggle with the waves which brought the boat safe to harbor, battered and broken, her officers and crew cruelly bruised and cut by flying missiles, but triumphant over death in a thousand forms and proud in the joy of having saved the noble steamer from a place among the wrecks of Lake Superior.

All Probably Lost.

The steamer Ira H. Owen has unquestionably gone to the bottom according to the best advices received here to-night and her crew in all probability is lost.

The steamer William Siemens this evening reported picking up wreckage, including life preservers of the Owen, twelve miles east of Michigan island. Capt. Kellar of the steamer Nye, which reached Two Harbors yesterday, reports having seen a boat in distress in that vicinity flying signals of distress and to the best of his belief it was the Owen.

Like Huge Iceberg.

The steamer Jesse Spalding, 856 tons, in command of Capt. Joseph Travis, has reached Ashland, after battling with the heavy gale which swept over Lake Superior from start to finish. The boat was loaded with coal for Ashland and when it arrived it looked like a huge iceberg ploughing through the waters of the bay. The ice was all the way from a foot to four feet thick on the boat, and the only way the occupants of the pilot house could get in and out was through a small window in the rear, the doors and front windows being completely frozen over with a heavy coat of ice.

Alcona Arrives at Green Bay.

Green Bay, Dec. 3.—After being reported lost and later in distress, the steamer Alcona and barges Commodore and Samuel J. Tilden arrived here yesterday, having had an exceedingly rough trip of sixteen days from Erie, nine days of which were spent on Green bay. Near Mackinaw City the Alcona had four holes stove in her bow by ice and at one time had sixteen inches of water in the hold. The Tilden sprung a leak and it was necessary to keep the pumps manned for nearly twenty-four hours to keep it from sinking. The boats sought shelter several times on the trip from Erie, but each time they were driven out by adverse winds.

Seventeen Men Rescued.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 3.—The steamer Harlem of the Western Transit line arrived here yesterday with seventeen men of the crew of the steamer Charles Parnell, which was burned opposite Squaw island, Lake Michigan, Thanksgiving day. The men suffered frightfully from the cold during the hours they spent in small boats waiting for a rescuing vessel to sight them.

Debt is Reduced.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business Nov. 30, 1905, the debt less cash in the treasury amounted to $999,752,831, which is a decrease as compared with last month of $12,893,394.

Grahame Begins Work.

San Juan, Dec. 3.—Lawrence H. Grahame of New York, who on Nov. 3 was appointed commissioner of the interior for Porto Rico, assumed office yesterday.

VAST UNUSED EMPIRE OPEN TO STATE

Secretary H. G. Hays Tells What the Drainage League Aims to Do--Work Now in Progress.

Minnesota is one of the richest states in the Union in the way of opportunities for development according to H. G. Hays of Bemidji, secretary of the State Drainage league. Mr. Hays says millions of acres in the northern portion of the state can be reclaimed for practical use in agricultural work by the expenditure of a comparatively small sum, and he outlines to some extent the work of the drainage league in its efforts to secure the advantages of this land for the people of Minnesota. Mr. Hays said:

"While Minnesota has no arid lands needing irrigation, this state has rendered substantial aid to the men who have brought irrigation to the public attention, and has contributed hundreds of thousands of dollars in the past few years to the irrigation propaganda. The business men of Minnesota are deeply interested in any movement tending to improve conditions, hence the reclamation of several million acres of desert lands in the West and South was read to mean an increase of territory tributary which would become ours for trade and commerce.

"New territory means greater chances for legitimate business of all kinds, more wealth-creating power, demand for more manufactured articles, more railway earnings. This being true, Minnesota should now turn her attention to Minnesota and take up the home situation.

"This state embraces practically 85,000,000 acres of land and has a population of 1,900,000. Development south of the center line of the state has progressed more rapidly than north of that line, for we find four-fifths of the population in the south half of the state and only one-fifth in the north half. In the north half of the commonwealth, an area larger than the State of Ohio, we find a population of 300,000, and an assessable valuation equal to one-third of the entire state. We also find in Northern Minnesota rich deposits of iro nore and great forests of valuable timber. The iron and steel factories, the lumbermen and loggers, the ore and lumber carrying railways are reaping rich harvests in the north, and have for years past won from mine and forest the millions that have enriched themselves and the state's treasury.

"Great as the possibilities were and are in ore and lumber, recent years have demonstrated that there yet remains in the north a still greater resource, a resource that has never failed to be productive, a resource upon which are dependent all other industries—agriculture.

"Northern Minnesota lands have been demonstrated to be as fertile, as productive, as

Profitable to Cultivate

as the land of any other section, and for the last year or two farmers have been pouring into that section, following the trail of the lumber cruiser and the prospector, establishing homes on the sites of deserted camps. The north has given her wealth of pine and ore to enrich the few—the north retains her fertile soil to enrich the many, and to provide homes for the man with the plow and enduring prosperity for the cities and villages which his labor makes possible. The lumberman and the miner are being succeeded by the farmer and homebuilder, and development in the north is attracting the attention of thousands.

"The subject of drainage is a new one to the great mass of people of Minnesota, although it has been before them in various ways for a number of years. There are a number of laws on the statute books, yet none of them has been entirely satisfactory, and it remained for A. L. Cole of Walker to frame a bill which passed the last session of the legislature and comes nearer to fitting the needs of the state than anything yet attempted. An organization was decided upon, and at Bemidji on June 10 last, following the first drainage convention ever held in the North, the Minnesota Drainage league was organized, with A. G. Bernard of Cass Lake president, and myself secretary. Steps were taken to perfect this organization, and at Crookston, on Aug. 1, was held the first annual meeting of the league.

"The former officers were re-elected, and since that convention these officers have labored hard to get the subject of drainage to the attention of the state. We have enlisted the press in behalf of the movement and have succeeded in making drainage one of the most important topics of the day, and have raised for solution a problem the solving of which

Means Millions of Money,

the happiness of hundreds of thousands of people and the prosperity of an empire.

"In Northern Minnesota there are approximately 11,000,000 acres of swamp lands which, if drained, would make the very best farming land, as the soil is of the rismest kind. These lands would afford homes of 160 acres each to nearly 700,000 settlers. A topographical survey is now being made of these swamp lands. The state's engineers, John Abercrombie and George A. Ralph, are now in the field with corps of surveyors, and say that practically all of this submerged land may be reclaimed, and that the cost of draining will be from 75 cents to $1.25 per acre.

"Nearly 5,000,000 acres of these lands belong to the state, and one of the objects of the league is to educate the people of Minnesota to the benefits to be derived from drainage so that the next legislature will make an appropriation large enough for the drainage of these lands. The state could not make a better investment, nor one that would be more profitable to the people.

"Years ago J. J. Hill realized the importance of drainage and gave $25,000 toward draining some of the northwestern counties, which have since then invariably produced the best crops.

"Besides the state swamp lands, the government, as trustee of the Indians, holds nearly 2,000,000 acres of lands in the Red Lake and other reservations, subject to homestead entry, and 4,000,000 acres of land outside reservations, not yet on the market. On account of their swampy condition these lands are not taken. It is the intention of the congressional delegation to Washington to endeavor to obtain a reimbursable appropriation for the purpose of draining these reservations and other government lands, thus making them fit for agricultural settlement. The cost of this drainage to be plus $1.25 per acre the homesteader has to pay for these lands. As there is a large sum of money to the credit of the Chippewa Indians which they cannot have for fifty years, it is a good business proposition to use a part of this fund, thus enabling them to get $1.25 per acre promised them under treaty stipulations.

"At a meeting of the executive committee of the State Drainage league and the congressional delegatio nheld in St. Paul Oct. 13, the delegation asked that a committee be sent to Washington to assist in obtaining this appropriation, as well as to furnish data and statistics showing that the land would be fit for agricultural purposes after being drained. It is just as legal to

Appropriate Federal Funds

for the purpose of drainage as it is for irrigation. During the past few years, by dint of lobbying, the Western states have succeeded in obtaining from the general government $34,000,000. For this vast sum less than 2,000,000 acres of land have been irrigated.

"It is the intention of the State Drainage league to have a bureau at Washington during the coming session of congress to watch the interests of Minnesota and to assist the congressional delegation in obtaining the necessary appropriation for draining the Indian reservations. These reservations, owing to their location, are the keystone of the situation, as they must be drained in order to make the drainage of the rest of the north possible. When they are reclaimed it will be possible to drain the state's swamp lands.

"It has been a difficult matter to continue the work of education on account of lack of funds. So far all the expenses connected with it are being met by the officers of the league. In view of the importance of this drainage movement to the wholesale, jobbing, manufacturing, railroad and other interests of the state, the league officers consider it no more than proper and right to ask those interests to assist in promoting the movement and in sustaining the educational campaign which will result in a benefit to all.

"The reclamation of 11,000,000 acres of land, every acre of which is within 300 miles of the Twin Cities, means a new empire for the manufacturers, jobbers and transportation companies of St. Paul and Minneapolis. The development of the north means millions of assessable property added to the tax lists and more millions added to the rolls means a lower tax rate.

"At first glance the project coming from the north might be supposed to be a selfish one, but investigation of the subject will place the work on a higher plane. The state's lands, when sold, if sold at the average price received for lands sold this month by the state auditor,

Will Add $77,000,000

to the school and university funds. The disbursement of this fund, being on the basis of school population, would give Southern Minnesota $10 and Northern Minnesota $2, as there are five times as many pupils of school age in the south as in the north.

"The officers of the league are: A. G. Bernard, Cass Lake, president; H. G. Hays, Bemidji, secretary; H. V. Eva, Duluth, treasurer. The executive committee is: J. A. McGonnicle, vice president of the Duluth, Misabe & Northern railway; A. C. Johnson of St. Peter, Frank Haskell of St. Paul, J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis, Ezra Gates of Garden City, R. J. Wells of Breckenridge, Thomas Olson of Willmar, W. A. Nolan of Austin and Asher Murray.

"The league's membership is rapidly increasing, and before the next annual meeting, which is to be held at Wadena on the first Tuesday in June, 1906, it is expected the rolls will contain the names of several thousand of Minnesota's most progressive citizens and business men."

LESSONS FOR REAL FARMERS.

Short Course at Farm School Opens January 9.

The short course for farmers at the Minnesota school of agriculture at St. Anthony Park will be held this season from Jan. 9 to March 2. New features have been added to make it thoroughly up to date and thoroughly practical.

Men of mature years who are too busy on the farm the greater part of the year find in it an opportunity to keep up with the times, to bring themselves in close touch with recent discoveries and new methods relative to their business. "How to farm scientifically" is the most important question which the course will try to answer. How to make the most out of Minnesota land.

From Jan. 9 to Feb. 17, 1906, is devoted to the general lecture course on agriculture and kindred subjects. The latter part of the period, from Feb. 19 to March 3, is occupied by the judging course.

The selection of farms, planning of farms, the development of fields and their drainage, the construction and maintenance of roads and the building of fences are among the subjects treated in the agriculture lectures.

Much attention is given to the general management of the farm, and to the growing, cultivating, harvesting and preserving of forage and grain crops. Instruction is given in the rotation of grain cultivated and grass crops, and in the use of live stock in farm management. The making and use of barn manures, also the use of green manures and of the summer fallow are given attention.

The selction, care, use and repair of farm machinery will be taught. By the use of stereopticon views samples of soils, seeds, crops and weeds and specimens of machinery, the matters under discussion, will be thoroughly elucidated.

Lectures are given on the chemistry of soils and foods. The conservation of the fertility of the soil, the part which humus takes in soil farming are topics which are taken under agricultural chemistry.

Animal husbandry offers a fine opportunity for interesting work. The laws of breeding and the feeding and management of horses, beef cattle, sheep and swine are reviewed.

Farm botany, farm horticulture, poultry raising, farm machanics and handling grains and machinery all receive attention in lecture courses. Something about veterinary science is taught. A novelty and relaxation will be found in the weekly meetings of a parliamentary drill debating club.

The last two weeks are devoted exclusively to the judging course. Horse judging, sheep judging, swine judging and cattle judging will each be taken up for separate consideration. A carcass demonstration on Saturday, March 3, will be one of the features of this work.

Feb. 22 and 23 will be devoted especially to the study of the dairy industry, with particular reference to the needs of Minnesota farmers. Corn and grain judging will occupy three days, Feb. 19, 20 and 21. Feb. 4 to March 3 will be the period spent in animal husbandry.

A New Doctor.

Dr. Lubig had passed on, and many of his patients were employing Dr. Pond. A little girl who had a good many brothers and sisters proudly announced to a neighbor: "We have a new bayy at our house." "A new baby!" said the neighbor. "Where did you get it?" "Well, we used to take from Dr. Lubig; now we take from Dr. Pond."

Self-Denial.

Father—Why don't you work, my son? If you only knew how much happiness work gives you would begin at once.

Son—Father, I'm striving to lead a life of self-denial, in which happiness plays no part. Do not tempt me.

It Meant Ruin.

A certain close-fisted old gentleman pulled up his horse and trap at the door of a shop the other day, and beckoned to a seedy looking individual who was singing in the gutter.

"Hold my horse a minute, will you?" he remarked.

The singer stopped in the middle of a verse and took up a position at the horse's head.

When the old gentleman came out of the shop he hurriedly handed over the magnificent sum of one cent, and lost no time in scrambling into the trap. The recipient gazed at the coin for a moment, then jumped on the step.

"Take it back, sir!" he remarked, tragically. "It means ruin to you."

"What do you mean, sir?" thundered the old gentleman.

"Ah," was the solemn reply. "Once I was just like you. I had heaps of money an' threw it about like water; an' look at me now! Ain't it a subjeck lesson? Keep your wealth; I scorns to rob yer!"

Density.

Governess (looking over geography paper)—What's this? "The people of Lancashire are very stupid!" Where in the world did you get that idea from?

Pupil—Out of the book. It says that Lancashire is remarkable for its dense population.

"The paper tells of a town where a child is born every five minutes." "They ought to give him a rest and give him a chance to grow up."

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

The receipts of the Hastings postoffice for the fiscal year show $8,748, an increase of $1,404 over the preceding year.

Ake Anderson, a farmer, committed suicide by hanging himself in a barn near Litchfield. A daughter found his body suspended from a beam.

O. P. Miller, for four years postmaster and one year village recorder of Welcome, leaves in a few days to accept a responsible position at Eagle Lake.

Frank Jackson, thirty-five years old, was instantly killed while driving from Red Wing to his home. The wagon struck a stone, throwing Jackson out.

James Humphrey, a stranger in Redwood Falls, who pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny on a presentment filed by the county attorney, was sentenced to three years and six months in Stillwater.

Leon J. Rafidal, charged with manslaughter in the first degree, as a result of the coroner's finding in the T. D. Merrill inquest at Brainerd, waived examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury in December.

Joseph Kersonitch, timber foreman at the Adams mine, at Two Harbors, was killed through falling a distance of 110 feet into a shaft. He was returning to the surface in company with other workmen, when he lost his balance and fell.

Robert Brown, a fireman in the employ of the Omaha railway, was instantly killed in the company's yards, in St. Paul. His neck was broken and his right arm severed. He was riding on the platform of a switch engine and fell off in front.

Notice has been given that United States Indian Agent Simon Michelet will resume the reallotment of land to such of the White Earth Indians who are entitled to and who have not yet received land under the Steenerson reallotment measure, Monday, Dec. 18.

The Barnett & Record Co. of Minneapolis is the successful bidder for the construction of the new No. 4 ore dock for the Duluth, Missabe & Northern at Duluth. The dock and approaches will cost about $1,000,000, and will be one of the largest in the world.

In the United States court at Fergus Falls, Maria Boutin secured a verdict for $5,000 damages against the Crookston Lumber company on account of the death of her husband, Frank Boutin, who was cut in two by a saw in the company's mill. The case occupied four days.

"Not guilty" was the verdict returned by the jury at St. Paul in the case of Harry Laramie and Dick Taylor, indicted as James R. Egan, charged with the murder of Special Officer Peter Raverty in the office of the W. W. Johnson Lumber company at about 3 o'clock on the morning of May 3 last.

State Treasurer Block, who has been out with a hunting party in Itasca county since the opening of the season, has sent in a fine black bear, killed by himself up in the big woods about fifty miles north of here. He also has a monster male moose hung up in the woods that will be brought in later.

H. J. Ward, colored, who pleaded guilty to theft at the John D. Rutherford farm residence, near Stillwater, was committed to the state prison for four years and eleven months. Fred Golnyer, the Fort Snelling deserter, who pleaded guilty of stealing from the Wilson house, was taken to the St. Cloud reformatory.

August J. Timmerack, a farmer of Kent, Wilkin county, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the federal court in Fergus Falls, placing his assets at $428, of which $214 is exempt, and his liabilities at $5,371. Lyle R. Brownell, an engineer of Moorhead, also filed, placing his assets at $150, all exempt, and his liabilities at $873.87.

At a hearing before Judge Watts at Crookston, at which the Great Northern was ordered to appear and show cause why the line from St. Hilaire to Wylie, over which there has been some controversy, should not be maintained and the present service continued, Col. Wilkinson for the road agreed to continue the present service from St. Hilaire to Dorothy via Wylie, and the case was dismissed.

Sudden death was the fate of Pedro Pigniatellai because he failed to notice that the cage at No. 3 shaft at Eveleth was not at his level as he pushed a car of iron ore to the opening. He was tramming on the first level while the cage was at the bottom. The sudden lurch of the heavy car as it went over the precipice drew the man with it, and he stuck the bottom of the mine 200 feet below and was instantly killed.

The Freeborn County Poultry association is arranging for a big show to be held at Albert Lea Jan. 19-23. Among the prizes for special exhibits will be two incubators, a silver cup, subscriptions to poultry journals, etc. Charles McClave, the poultry fancier of New London, Ohio, will be the judge.

The fair given by the members of St. Henry's parish for the benefit of the new $40,000 Catholic church at Perham was the most successful in the history of the parish. The net cash receipts amounted to $2,300.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MUST MOVE VILLAGE.

Sparta, Minn., Probably Will Be Shifted to Make Room for Mine Shafts.

Two Harbors, Minn., Dec. 2.—What is strongly indicated by the character of the work now being done at a mine which lies under the present site of the village of Sparta, on the Mesaba range, it now is practically certain a large body of ore is there and that the business part of the town at least will have to be moved before many months. The new three-compartment incline shaft is down about thirty feet, and is progressing rapidly. A new engine house with cement floor and solid brick walls is to be erected and a timber shaft sunk. It is said that the cost of these improvements will reach fully $100,000. It is highly probable that Sparta will have to move out of the way as soon as winter is over.

BLEW OFF SHELL OF SAFE.

Unsuccessful Attempt at Robbery at Hartford, S. D.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 2.—The United States authorities in this city were yesterday advised of a desperate attempt which was made early in the morning to rob the postoffice safe at Hartford, situated a short distance west of Sioux Falls. The robbers gained access to the building and succeeded in blowing the outside shell of the safe off, but before they could prepare another quantity of explosive and get into the safe they must have been frightened, as they abandoned further efforts and fled. Two men are supposed to have been implicated.

CHICAGO DEFEATS MICHIGAN.

Earns Undisputed Honor of Western Football Championship.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—Chicago, 2; Michigan, 0. The undisputed honor of the Western football championship was earned by Chicago yesterday by the close score of two points earned on a safety touch-down in the second half by splendid work of Capt. Catlin of Chicago, but also by the poor judgment of Clark of Michigan in trying to run back a punt of Eckersall's which barely reached the Michigan goal line. He was thrown across the line by Catlin after he had thrown off two Chicago tacklers, and two points were recorded for Chicago, the only scoring done in the game.

DAKOTA MAKES RECORD RUN.

Great Northern Company Starts Special Rate to Hongkong.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 2.—The steamship Dakota arrived from Japan and China, making a better run to this port than her sister ship, the Minnesota. This was the Dakota's initial voyage. The Great Northern Steamship company, operating the two steamships, announces a new second-class round-trip rate of $250 to Hongkong. Heretofore the only round-trip rates have been first-class, the Hongkong rate being $337.50.

PROBABLY 400 DEER KILLED.

Season in Hills Has Been Unusually Good for Hunting.

Deadwood, S. D., Dec. 2.—The hunting season in the state is about to close. Over 400 permits have been granted for hunters here in the Hills for the hunting of deer. It is estimated that the number of deer killed this year will average one to each hunter. Many nimrods have succeeded in killing the limit of two for each man. This season has been unusually fine for hunting of this kind, owing to the light fall of snow.

Militia Company Organized.

Worthington, Minn., Dec. 2.—Fifty-six young men were mustered into the service of the state militia Wednesday evening at Masonic hall. Col. Van Duzee and his aide from St. Paul looked after the recruits. A. Schaffer of Rushmore was elected captain; S. S. Smith of Worthington, first lieutenant; C. B. Ward, Worthington, second lieutenant.

Farmer Killed.

Cokato, Minn., Dec. 2.—Charles Rosen, a farmer living a few miles north of this place, met with a fatal accident. While hauling a load near his home the horses became frightened and he fell under the wagon, which passed over him. He was dragged against a tree and badly injured, and died in a few hours.

Farm Property Burned.

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 2.—The granary of James Julson, a prominent farmer living seven miles south of Groton, was destroyed by an incendiary fire believed to have been started by a discharged farm hand. Loss, $3,000.

Fever Cleaned Out.

Panama, Dec. 2.—The sanitary department has extended its work to Chepo, forty miles away, where recently a few cases of fever occurred among the foreigners employed in building the government road. The town has been thoroughly fumigated.

Store Burns at Mora.

Mora, Minn., Dec. 2.—The furniture store and stock of Israel Anderson of this city was burned shortly after midnight. Nothing was saved. Loss, $1,000; insurance, $1,100.

LOSES TEAM; NEARLY DIES.

Sleepy Man Meets Misfortune When He Trusts Horses to Keep Road.

Yankton, S. D., Dec. 3.—A man named Olson, who conducts a livery stable at Volin, started home from this city at night, and as his team knew the road well, he settled down for a nap, letting the horses find their way without guidance. Near Mission Hill he awoke with a start to find both animals had gone through a Milwaukee trestle bridge and were hopelessly fast. Olson got out one horse, but the other he could not liberate, so he started off to get help. In the meantime a fast freight came along and tossed the imprisoned animal to its death. The troubles of Olson were not over, however, as he was found next morning by a farmer almost frozen to death and it is feared his legs will have to be amputated. After some search the second horse was found drowned in a slough it had attempted to cross.

GAVE WRONG AGES.

Eloping Couple From Wisconsin Are Married at Sioux Falls.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Dec. 3.—The granting of a marriage license by the clerk of courts in this city, and a marriage ceremony performed by County Judge Bailey, form an interesting chapter in an elopement which for nearly a week has caused excitement in a Wisconsin town, and which may result in serious trouble. The principals in the elopement and marriage are George Barton, son of a prominent business man of Portage, Wis., and Miss Gertie Corning, whose parents live at Lewiston, Wis. A recent dispatch from Portage, Wis., stated that the authorities of that place were making every effort to find the elopers, whose ages are given as sixteen years. In applying for the marriage license in this city Barton gave his age as twenty-one and the girl's age as eighteen.

FAMILIES TO COLONIZE.

Hundred Illinois People to Settle Near Miller, S. D.

Miller, S. D., Dec. 3.—While the bulk of the land sales here during the last season have been to non-resident speculators, and to ranchmen who bought adjoining quarters to enlarge their farms, one land man states that about fifteen families from Illinois, aggregating 100 people, have arranged to come in the spring to settle on land some miles northeast of this town. An equal number from Nebraska will settle twenty miles north of here.

STATE WEIGHMASTER DROWNS.

J. E. Johnson Reported to Have Lost His Life.

Madelia, Minn., Dec. 3.—J. E. Johnson, state weighmaster for elevators, is reported drowned. His home is in Duluth. His mother wired his brother this afternoon to come at once, as he was drowned during the storm there of last Tuesday evening. His brother lives in Madelia.

FREIGHT COLLISION.

Trains Wrecked at Solon and Passenger Dashes Into Wreckage.

Iowa City, Iowa, Dec. 1.—Two freight trains collided near Solon, Johnson county, yesterday. A fireman was slightly injured. No others were hurt. A passenger train later dashed into the wreckage, but nobody was hurt.

Daniel W. McLaughlin Dies.

Anoka, Minn., Dec. 3.—Daniel W. McLaughlin dropped dead at his home yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. He was apparently in good health and had been about the city during the day. Mr. McLaughlin was seventy-four years old, and is survived by his widow and one son, who lives at Fernwood, La. The deceased had lived in Anoka since 1855, and was engaged in the lumber business.

Girl Lost in Blizzard.

New Richmond, Wis., Dec. 3.—Miss Delia Barrett of St. Paul and Mrs. John Padden of Erin Prairie had a terrifying experience a few miles east of this city. During a furious snowstorm they lost their way and spent the night under the protection of a strawstack in an open field, to which their horses had led the way.

Bank and Postal Announcements.

Washington, Dec. 3.—The Coal and Iron National bank of New York has been approved as a reserve agent for the National Bank of Commerce, in Minneapolis. Olaf E. Howy was appointed postmaster at Downer, Clay county, Minn., vice John O. Selm, resigned.

Will Be Colder.

St. Paul, Dec. 3.—Weather Observer F. T. Williams is authority for the statement that the sudden rise in temperature will be followed by a drop, and that the mercury will probably drop to 10 degrees above zero to-day.

Iowa Pioneer Dies.

Iowa Falls, Iowa, Dec. 2.—John A. Martin, a pioneer of Iowa Falls and a resident of the county for the last forty years, died at his home in this city after a brief illness. Mr. Martin was in his eighty-ninth year and was born in Bradford, N. H.

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An Announcement.

It was not without some doubt and fear the writer assumed charge of the COURIER but the glad hand which has been extended us since our arrival has settled that and a more hospitable and congenial, wide-awake and energetic class of citizens it has seldom been our pleasure to meet. Red Lake Falls is a city of vast possibilities and it is and can be made better by a determined and a united shoulder pushing at the wheel. Under the new management the policies and politics of the paper of the past will be adhered to believing them to be right and equitable. We realize fully, with such pace-makers as Bros. Hazlett of the Gazette, Ives, of St. Hilaire, Sam Clark and John Eastman, of Thief River Falls, and Charlie Latta, of the Plummer Pioneer, that there will be no use of a slow trot in the newspaper field, but with perseverance we hope the COURIER will not be outclassed and outdistanced. A good newspaper for a good city is an essential institution, and we hose to make the COURIER a necessity.

The COURIER is splendidly equipp-with presses and printing material and any class of work will receive prompt attention.

The latch string of this office is always hanging on the outside and it would afford us no greater pleasure than to have our friends and customers call and get acquainted—if not we'll call on you.

Carl M. Borgen.

CZAR NICHOLAS ought to be willing to join the "peace at any price" party without a second invitation.

IT worries us policyholders as to who is getting that fat president's salary in the Mutual during the interim.

The Thief River Press frantically exclaims "We Want Water." Bless you Sam, when you get it will it be put to proper use?

The Big Forks Compass describes an atheist as one who thinks a three-cent pamphlet is a better authority than a twenty-volume dictionary.

A STRANGER in Chicago had his pocket picked while at prayer in church. In Chicago, evidently, it is necessary to watch as well as pray.

REED SMOOT'S chances to remain in congress are better. At least his right to a seat cannot consistently be challenged by Congressman Buckman of Minnesota.

WHILE the bride rode in a tourist sleeper, the bridegroom was found all doubled up inside a trunk in the baggage car, the dispatches last week told. Perhaps she was merely breaking him in.

BEFORE the spasm of civic virtue subsides the people should be reminded that it is just as essential to elect honest legislators as it is to choose an honest governor. And if [illegible] policy is pursued there will be [illegible]y changes in the per[illegible] houses.

IF, as a St. Paul judge declares, the horse thief bounty is a relic of pioneer days and ought to be dispensed with, the Browns Valley Tribune suggests that we ought to put the bounty on timber thieves.

HERE'S a good suggestion from the Duluth News-Tribune: "All of those who still cling to the resolutions made the first of the year will please stand and be counted before it is time to draft next year's pledges."

SPEAKER CANNON has decreed that the floral offerings that cover the desks of members at the opening session will not be permitted in the future. The speaker might go one better and throw out the lobbyists.

THE people of northern Minnesota do not seem to be satisfied with J. F. Jacobsen's drainage record, and many leading Republicans are asserting that he would not receive much consideration either at the convention or at the polls.

THE Preston Times should be ad vised that even so good a Republican as C. C. Eastman of the Wadena Pioneer-Journal has the temerity to criticize Ray Jones. And Bro. Eastman seems to have no fear of being charged with lese majeste.

IT is hard to suppress a smile while Odell tells us that Platt is a political corruptionist. It is another case of pot and kettle. However no confidence is violated in saying that both Mr. Platt's and Mr. Odell's opinions of each other are quite generally concurred in by the general public.

THE president has congress "on his hands" again, and for the next six months we shall hope to learn a great deal about rate legislation, tariff reform and Panama canal. The best that can be hoped for is a railroad rate bill that goes about half as far as the people demand, and no tariff legislation at all.

ITASCA county is expected to send a really clean and able man to the legislature next winter in the person of A. M. Greeley, poet laureate of the great north woods. He would be a distinct credit to his district and to the state at large. When the people get in the habit of selecting their best men for legislative jobs there will be less complaint of poor laws and jobbery.

IF railroad rate regulation is defeated by congress at the present session the burden of the blame cannot be charged to the Democrats. At the Democratic caucus Saturday it was agreed that the president's railroad program would be supported by the united minority. In fact the opposition to the president on all questions comes more largely from Republican than Democratic sources.

A CLEAN CAMPAIGN.

The Candidate Would Indulge in No Mud-slinging.

"Gentlemen," said the political candidate, "I am not goin' to run any man down behind his back. I ain't got anything to say against the gentleman that's runnin against me on the other ticket. He may be a good man. You know appearaeces are often deceivin, and it might be that if you elected him you wouldn't have any cause to be sorry. People, I am sorry to say, are often willin to turn public business over to fools and rascals that they wouldn't trust with their private business for a minute. As I said before, I ain't goin' to try to get myself elected by tellin' you what a bad man the other is. That ain't my style of dealin' with my fellow-citizens. If I can't have your your suffrages on account of my own merits, I ain't goin' to try to get them by standin' here and tellin' you about my opponent's grandfather once bein' almost arrested for stealin' a horse. But I would consider that I had been remiss in my duties as a citizen if I failed to call your attention to the unsavory record of this man, although far be it from me to engage in mud-slingin. If I cannot win on my own merits, I do not wish to be elected simply because my opponent is notoriously unworthy of your confidence and unfitted by nature to perform the duties of the office to which I am as sure that I will be elected as I am that the sun will rise above this beautiful and progressive city on the morrow.

"My fellow-citizens, I am through and I thank you for your patience. I will say no more concerning my opponent's unfitness morally and otherwise for the office to which I feel that I am at this moment as good as elected. I realize that it's nothing to may credit how bad his record my be and therefore I do not propose to dwell on that subject. It is a matter for him to explain—not me—if he can. I make no charges and I ask no quarter from any man, but it would be a blow to the fair fame of our community if such a man was by any accident or carelessness on the part of the voters to slip into office and stand before the world as an example of the kind of people that you, my friends, are not only willing to trust with public affairs, but thrust high honor onto. There is plenty of other things I could say about this man if I was so disposed, but with malice toward none and charity for all I draw the veil of oblivion across the dark story of his past. I will not say that the man is entirely devoid of good traits. Give the devil his due has always been my motto. He has never been convicted of felony—that I know of—but who can tell what he might of done if it had not been for fear of the majesty of the law? Ther are other things which I might say, but will not, as I have an abiding faith in the good sense of the American people. Gentlemen, I thank you."

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Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In Probate Court, Special Term, December 7th, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Desire Grenier Deceased;

On Receiving and Filing The petition of Mary Grenier of the County of Red Lake representing, among other things, that Desire Grenier late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of October A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to her Mary Grenier granted;

It is Ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered Further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
(seal.) N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.

Order to Examine Accounts.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake. }

In Probate Court, Regular term December 4th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson, Deceased.

On Reading and Filing the Petition of S. J. Swanson, Administrator of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 4th day of December A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is Hereby Given, That on the fourth day of January, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minn., I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 24 of Red Lake Co. established by the board of Co. Comrs of Red Lake Co. State of Minnesota by their order bearing date November 24, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source; also two branches of said ditch numbered 1 and 2 respectively, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order; and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the auditor of said County, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fullfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order and estimates and profile are on file, and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 47,620 cubic yards of earth, the same to be deposited along the sides of the main ditch and branches either in spoil banks or so as to form a grade suitable for public traffic as prescribed by the Engineer in charge.

The estimated total cost of the work is $4,762.00.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the auditor of said county, for not less than ten per cent. of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated December 6, 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County.
((Auditor's Seal) State of Minnesota.

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is hereby given, that on the fourth day of January, 1906, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 23 of Red Lake county, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, by their order bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order: and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the Auditor of said county, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accure by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order estimates and profile are on file and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 36,713 cubic yards of earth, the same to be deposited along the banks of the ditch in such manner as is prescribed by the engineer in charge.

The estimated total cost of the work is $3671.30.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County, for not less than ten per cent. of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated December 6, 1905.

JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County,
(Auditor's Seal.) State of Minnesota.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by S. A. Swanson and Ida Swanson, his wife, mortgagors, to Joseph Glatzel, mortgagee, which mortgage was dated on the second (2d) day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Three (1903), and recorded in Record Book Twenty-one (21) of Mortgage Records, on page One Hundred Forty-eight (148), in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake County, Minnesota, on the Eighteenth (18th) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Three (1903), at half past nine o'clock a. m., and said Joseph Glatzel is now the owner and holder of said mortgage. That default has been made in the payment of Eighty-two and 50-100ths Dollars ($82.50) interest due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage on the second (2d) day of April, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Five (1905), and a further default has been made in the payment of the taxes duly levied and assessed upon said mortgaged premises for the years 1903 and 1904; and that by reason of said defaults, said mortgagee has elected and hereby elects and declares the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable; and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and is due the sum of Sixteen Hundred Thirty-one Dollars and Nine Cents ($1631.09) at the date of this notice, and no action at law or equity has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said property is situated in Red Lake County, Minnesota, and is described as follows, to-wit:

The North-West Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44), containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres of land, more or less, according to the government survey thereof.

Which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the Ninth (9th) day of December, A. D. 1905; at two (2) o'clock p. m., at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount then due on said mortgage and the costs of sale, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure.

Dated this 23d day of October, 1905.

JOSEPH GLATZEL,
Said Mortgagee.

THOS. F. CRAVEN,
Attorney for said Mortgagee,
Chaska, Minnesota. 026d7

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Red Lake }

IN PROBATE COURT

Special Term, November 27, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ernest J. Akerlund, administrator of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 27th day of November, A. D. 1905.

By the Court.
(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
N-30-D-14 Judge of Probate.

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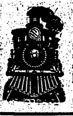

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GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY TIME TABLE

THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:45 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
9:15 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
10:35 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
11:05 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
11:35 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
12:01 P. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
12:40 P. M.	Middle River	3:21 P. M.
1:05 P. M.	Strathcona	2:57 P. M.
1:35 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:25 P. M.

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Wheat No. 1 Hard	74¼
" " 1 Northern	74
" " 2 "	71½
" " 3 "	68½
" " 4 "	65½
" " Rejected	62½
Flax No. 1	89
" No. 2	87
" no grade	81
Barley from	22-31
Oats	25
Hay	$4.50
Bran	$15.00
Shorts	$16.00
Mascot Flour	$2.55
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NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Ed. Bray was a Crookston visitor Monday.

M. A. Converse was a business at St. Hilaire on Monday.

Rev. Fr. Ansgar was at Thief River Falls Monday.

Go to Spillane's store for Groceries, Candies, Nuts, Fruitr, Cigars, etc.

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Don't buy your Christmas presents until you have seen the display at the Bazaar.

Ed. Bray was a passenger Thursday morning for Thief River Falls on a business mission.

Mr. Bert Bioius, representing the New York Life was in the city Wednesday.

Money saver—65c soft and 10-4 gray blankets, this week 55c.

Garceau & Zaiser.

Miss Etta Zaiser went to St. Hilaire Thursday to be gone a couple of days.

Christ Mathson of Rocksbury Twp was an over Sunday visitor at the county seat.

J. E. Buuskirk of Plummer was here for an over Sunday visit with his family.

Ole Teigen of Crookston was a business visitor here the first part of the week.

John Frieland of Emardville Twp was a business caller at the county seat Wednesday.

One week more—25c Red Bird Peaches at 18c a can.

Garceau & Zaiser.

Mrs. Adams, mother of Louis Adams, returned to St. Hilaire Thursday. She was accompanied by her grandson.

For Rent—Office rooms recently occupied by Atty. McIntyre in the LaBissoniere block. Inquire at the Big Store.

Ladies wishing small empty card board boxes free for sending holiday preseuts, will please call at Garceau & Zaiser.

Miss Ina Linnihan will entertain for the benifit of St. Marys' church on Thursday p. m. Dec. 14th. All are cordially invited.

County Surveyor Wood of Thief River Falls was here the greater part of last week on business connected with the new ditches.

Unclaimed letters at the postoffice for the week ending Dec. 2nd, 1905 as follows, Mrs. Josephine Patnode Elsewood Lee P. James and Wm. Bellanger.

James Shields of Thief River Falls charged with larceny in the second degree plead guilty and Sheriff Linninan escorted him to Stillwater the latter part of last week to begin his sentence.

S. J. Swanson, formerly of Wylie, now of Warren, Minn., was here Monday on probate business before Judge Tarrant. S. J. has many friends here and he can always rest assured of a cordial welcome.

The editor is greatly indebted to Mr. S. L. Lewis for valuable assistance rendered in getting out this week's COURIER and without whose help the task would have been an extremely difficult one.

A host of friends of Bro. Hazlett, of the Gazette, will be pleased to learn that his young daughter, who has been critically ill with typhoid fever, has passed the crisis and the indications are favorable for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. H. Elliot returned Wednesday from their two weeks visit at Virginia, Minn. Their many friends will be sorry to learn that they expect to leave here the early part of next week. Mr. Elliot having resigned his position as deputy game warden for this district.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. H. Lemieux of Little Falls spent Thanksgiving at the home of Dr. L. Lemieux. Joe is one of the home boys and his many friends will be pleased to know that he has an excellent position with one of the leading stores at Little Falls, having charge of one of the departments.

When you have coal put in your cellar insists upon the men wetting the coal down with water and you will have no trouble with the clouds of black, penetrating dust that would otherwise arise and settle not only on everything in your cellar but in the rooms above. A newly furnished house in this city was about ruined recently through the neglect of this precaution and the carlessness of the workmen in leaving the door to the cellar open.

Cloakings and Sacque cloth, value 18c and 25c, this week 15c.

Garceau & Zaiser.

Louis Adams came down Monday evening for an overnight visit at the Wm Zaiser home on his way to Grand Forks.

J. L. Wilkinson and P. B. Gaass were euccessful in their guest for deer last week bringing home two fine specimens.

M. O. Sortedahl left Monday evening for points in Otter Tail county on business connected with the Red Lake Falls Bank.

Mrs. John McIntyre returned to her home at Fargo, after an extended visit at the home of her sister. Mrs. A. L. Reichert.

What makes a nicer Christmas present than a picture? Dosn't cost you very much and is surely appreciated. See W. A. Reichel.

Ned Taylor returned to his duties at St. Paul Monday after a few days pleasant visit with friends. Ned says it seems rather like old times to again be with us.

The dance at K. P. hall last Friday evening in honor of our football boys was well attended, about 30 couple being present. They all report a good time.

Mrs. E. E. Fletcher returned from Fargo Monday. She reports Abner as getting along nicely from his attack of typhoid fever which is cheering news to his many friends. He will be home in a week or ten days time.

Mr. Olof Tande, one of the substantial and progressive farmers of Garnes, and who for years has been clerk of his township, was in the city the first of the week. The Courier acknowledges a pleasant call from Mr. Tande.

Mr. Alvin Berg, traveling anditor for the Thief River Falls Lumber Co., was in the city Saturday, looking after the affairs of the corporation. He found Mr. Doran's affairs in the best shape and the manner in which it is conducted highly complimentory to him.

Beautifying methods that injure the skin and health are dangerous. Be beautiful without discomfort by taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Sunshiny faces follow its use. 35 cents

—A. L. Reichert.

A. G. Groshong returned from Crookston the latter part of last week much improved by his ten days stay at the hospital at that place. His many friends hope that his recovery is permanent and that his right arm will continue to cut meat for at least two score years more.

Jimmie Crapps, a notorious character at Thief River Falls, who was sojourning at Sheriff Linnihan's boareing house under a charge of stealing a pocket book containing over $20 left his bed and board very suddenly Sunday night without asking "by your leave" and took a tie pass to his old haunts at the Upper Falls. The authorities there nabbed him and Deputy Jack Keivel brought him down Monday. He will very likely do considerable time at Stillwater as he will now be indicted under two charges. At the time of the jail delivery the sheriff was taka prisoner to Stillwater.

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Rev. H. W. Knox left Monday for Rollis at which place he will hold revival services for the next two weeks.

C. F. Witte of Waseca arrived Thursday for a few days stay. Mr. Witte has quite extensive land holdings in this county.

Ye editor missed his grip at Thief River Falls last Monday but thanks to County Atty. Germo the grip reached us Wednesday morning.

A dozen pictures costs but little and makes twelve acceptable presents for Christmas. Give W. A. Reichel your order for a dozen now.

Mr. D. K. Laurie the Sabbath School Missionary, will preach at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning and evening, Dec. 9th in the absence of the pastor.

Co. Attorney Germo was called to Thief River Falls Wednesday on criminal business. The party charged with stealing a load of grain was bound over to the Grand Jury.

Dolphus Beausoliel set a fire too close to his barn the other day and it set him back $5.00 and costs. Others will do well to remember that we have an ordinance against setting fires too close to buildings.

A big, bouncing baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sally on Monday. Both mother and son are doing splendidly. Joe's friends have hopes of his recovery when his chest expansion is somewhat reduced.

John L. Watson of Melford, Sask., dropped in on us Tuesday. John was in the land business here two years ago with Ed. L. Healy. He is engaged in the same business at Melford, had cause to run down as far as Crookston and could'nt resist taking a run up to visit old friends.

Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayolle, Rector.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ansgar, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies.

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—F. A. Mizen, N. G. William Schwalen, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S., James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—W. A. McIntyre, C. C.; S. L. Lewis, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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CHAPTER IV.—(Continued.)

Judah got down from the back of his horse, and having thrown the rein over the branch of a tree, he started after the volunteer guide. Half a mile distant, at the edge of a thick piece of wood, the Israelite was informed that he must submit to be hoodwinked. He made no objections, and the robber proceeded to bind a sash over his eyes, after which he was led some distance further, by a winding, tortuous way; and when the bandage was removed, he found himself in a low vale, beneath a roof of thick foliage, and in the presence of a hundred armed men. One man—a handsome, noble-looking youth—arose and approached him, to whom his guide reported what had transpired.

"Do you seek Julian?" asked the stately youth, looking upon the Israelite with a searching glance.

"Yes, sir," replied Judah, as frankly and calmly as though he had been answering one of his own brethren.

"I am Julian," said the chieftain, quietly.

"Then, sir," returned the newcomer, with a low bow, "to you I present my petition."

"First,—who are you?"

"My name is Judah, and I have been a servant in the train of the king of Damascus."

"Ah,—is it so?" The chieftain may have looked a little more sharply into the man's face, but he betrayed no surprise. "You spoke of a petition. What is it?"

Judah removed his mantle, and then stripped off his tunic, thus baring his back to the gaze of those who stood around.

"Do you see that back?" he cried, quivering, and grinding his teeth. "Do you see where the cruel lash has eaten into my flesh? Horam, king of Damascus, put that stain upon me. Do you wish me to say more?"

"I think you would be revenged upon the king?" said Julian.

"I would be placed in the very front of that force which is to strike at Horam, or at anything belonging to him. I am not of Damascus born, and my love is not there. I would join my fortunes with those of Julian."

After a very short conference with some of his companions, the chieftain informed Judah that he might remain where he was; and that, if he proved himself worthy, he would be received into full fellowship.

The Israelite expressed himself as thankful for the favor thus conferred and was soon allowed to mingle with the members of the band. For two days he ate with them, and joined them in their sports; and during that time he knew that watchful eyes were upon him. But he was equal to the task, and on the third day he was counted as one of them.

On the fourth day one of the sentinels brought a black man into the camp, who gave his name as Osmer, and who said that he had escaped from a tyrannical master in Aleppo. And he furthermore said that he had a companion who was hiding somewhere in the forest. Before noon said companion made his appearance, announcing his name as Selim; and when the two had been questioned, their stories were so harmonious, and so frank, that they were suffered to remain; and finally they were allowed to perform the duties of body-servant to the chieftain.

Judah could have asked for nothing better thus far; and he was resolved that his further plans should be carefully and surely laid.

Ah! Julian little dreamed of the danger that was creeping upon him!

CHAPTER V.

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The circumstances which might have led another to hasten his operations, led the Israelite to greater care and reflection. He had not supposed that Julian would take the two black men to service so near his own person, and when he found that such arrangement had been made, his first inclination was to hesitate least a suspicion of the slaves' honesty had led the chieftain to place them thus near him. However, after the lapse of a few days, Judah was satisfied that no suspicion was entertained against himself or his companions, and he began to turn his attention to the work he had in hand.

On the morning of the fourth day Julian announced his intention of moving, and gave orders that his men should be in readiness. A spy had arrived during the night with intelligence that a large caravan was on its way from Tyre to Damascus, and the chieftain had determined to intercept it. Some wealthy merchants from Rome were in the approaching train, and it was probable that they bore wealth for Horam.

Just as the sun was rising, while Judah was in the wood after his horse, he was accosted by Osmir, who had been out on an errand for the chieftain.

"Ah, my master," said the black, gazing carefully around to see that he was not observed; "I am glad that I have met you. I have been wondering whether you meant to carry out the plan which brought us here."

"Why have you wondered at such a thing?" asked Judah.

"Because," replied Osmir, "I have made up my mind that if the choice of masters were left to me I should choose to serve Julian rather than the king of Damascus. I like him much the best. He is not such a terrible man as he has been represented. He is a kind, generous man, and I blame him not for his hatred of Horam."

"Well, sir," said the Israelite, speaking quickly and sternly, "do you think of turning your face from the work we have to do?"

"No, no, my master. I am not so determined. I shall follow you. Your commands must be my law. If you say proceed I am with you."

"And how is it with Selim?"

"You have nothing to fear, my master, from him. The two men whom you selected to accompany you will not betray you. Selim thinks of this robber chieftain as I do; but he is bound to his duty, and will perform it."

Judah knew the characters and dispositions of the two and he felt no uneasiness.

"My good Osmir," he said, with a smile, "concerning this Scourge of Damascus I feel much as you feel. I have long known that he was a noble, true-hearted man. But he is an enemy of our king, and we have promised to capture him. Just think, for a moment, what must be the result if we take him, and convey him in safety to Damascus. Think what people will say of Osmir and Selim. Now the merchants of Damascus are in fear and trembling on account of this terrible Scourge, and the king sits uneasily upon his throne; but if we arrest the dreaded chieftain, and deliver him up, the merchants will rejoice, and the king will be grateful. And upon whom shall their thanks and their honors fall?"

This speech pleased Osmir, and fired him up to new zeal in the work he had undertaken. Judah moved out from the cover to observe if any one was approaching, and when he was satisfied that he was still safe, he returned and gave Osmir such instructions as he deemed necessary. He was careful that all should be understood, and that each projected movement should be so arranged that there could be no possible clashing. He knew the wit and temper of his associates, and he had no fear that they would disappoint him by any blunder or mistake.

"And now," said the Israelite, after his directions had been given, "if we are at all favored by fortune we shall most surely succeed. Thus far fortune has been upon our side. Your position near the person of Julian is most favorable. Impart our arrangements carefully to Selim, and await my further signal."

Osmir promised obedience, and the two men separated, Judah going in search of his horse, while Osmir proceeded directly to the camp, where, having delivered a message to the chieftain, he sought Selim, and in a little while the two were in secret consultation.

Toward the middle of the forenoon the robber train was in motion, and when it came night they camped in an open wood, between two hills, near to the road which led from Caesarea Philippi to Damascus; and here they were to remain until the expected caravan made its appearance.

Sometimes Julian took his tent with him when leading his band upon long expeditions, but on the present occasion he had left it behind, choosing that the place of his encampment should be as little noticeable as possible. After he had seen his sentinels all posted, and given such directions as he thought necessary, he sought a place of rest beneath a large tree, where he soon sank into a dreamy slumber. It must have been near midnight when he was aroused by some one moving near him, and on starting up he was addressed by Osmir:

"My master, I have a strange message for you."

The chieftain arose to a sitting posture.

"Is this Osmir?"

"Yes."

"From whom bring you a message?"

"From one, my master, whom I had little expected to see here. As I walked forth a short time since, a sentinel informed me that some one outside of the camp wished to speak with me. I went to the spot designated, and there found a young bond-maiden of Damascus. Her name was Albia."

"Albia!" cried Julian, starting to his feet. "Why, such was the name of the maiden who attended upon the princess Ulin."

"Aye, my lord, she is the same."

"What? Do you mean that the bond-maiden of Ulin is at our camp?"

"She is."

"What is her business?"

"She wishes to speak with Julian."

"But her business—of what does she wish to speak?"

"She did not tell me, my lord. She would only say that she was the bond-maiden of Ulin, and she desired to see you. I knew her not; but she seemed so gentle, and so timid, and used your name so eloquently, that I could not doubt her. I think her story is true. I think she is what she represents herself to be."

"Did she not tell you from whom she came?"

"No, unless her announcement that she was the bondmaiden of the princess Ulin may be taken in answer to the query."

"By the lyre of Apollo, she must have come from her mistress," exclaimed the chieftain, warmly. "The princess may be in trouble. She may need stout arms to help her. Lead me to this bondmaiden at once."

"She begged, my lord, that she might not be exposed."

"Lead on. I will see her."

The great road wound around the foot of the hill, and ere long the guard had reached a point so utterly shut off from the camp that his loudest cry could not have been heard by the robber sentinels.

"Is the girl here?" asked Julian, as his sable guide stopped and turned.

"She must be very near here, my lord. I left her upon this very spot."

The chieftain heard a slight rustling behind him; but, not being startled into quick action, before he could turn he received a blow upon the side of the head that felled him to the earth. He was for the moment stunned, and before his reason was clear enough to direct his movements, he was set upon by three stout men, who bound his arms and legs so quickly that his power of resistance was gone before he fairly knew what opposed him.

"Sir Robber," spoke the Israelite bending over the prostrate chieftain, "you are my prisoner, and henceforth you are in my keeping until I deliver you up to my master. You cannot escape me, so do not trouble yourself with the attempt."

"You are Judah," said the chieftain.

"I am."

"And these others are professed to be of Aleppo?"

"Yes."

"And you three serve the king of Damascus?"

"You have guessed the truth."

"By the gods," muttered Julian, as though communing with himself, "I should have guessed this before. I have been blind. I have acted like a child. But I am not yet quite lost. I am still within the—'

The Israelite had been watching him narrowly, and when he saw that the chieftain had a disposition to call for help, he sprang upon him and stopped his mouth.

"Do not blame yourself, Sir Robber. Judah of Damascus has done more difficult work than this; and you may take to yourself the assurance that when he set out upon his mission the deed was sure of its accomplishment. Ah, here comes Selim with the horses. You shall have an easy ride and a quick one; and when you are in the presence of the king you can plead your case as eloquently as you please. I have not time to listen; nor have I the power to judge."

The Scourge of Damascus, in the full vigor of robust manhood, and possessed of a strength and daring beyond any of his stalwart followers, was a prisoner in the hands of three slaves—a prisoner within sound of his own camp—and so surely a prisoner that he had no way of escape. His steel-wrought muscles were powerless beneath the cruel bonds, and his mouth was stopped from the utterance of alarm. He was lifted from the ground and placed upon the back of a powerful horse, and in a few moments more he was being borne swiftly away from his friends and companions—away towards the city where dwelt his deadliest enemies.

(To be continued.)

WHITE GIRL AS INDIAN.

She Has Had a Strange Life Among the Blackfeet.

The curious story of a white girl's life among the Blackfeet Indians for 16 years just come out through a suit brought by Alice Burke against Thomas Husson, a cattle rancher of Eastern Oregon to recover a ranch which once belonged to her father, and is now valued at 22,000 dollars, says the "Chicago Herald." Burke and old Husson started to cross the plains from Kansas to Oregon. Burke was detained and sent his girl, then two years old, with Mrs. Husson. Husson sold the child to a Blackfoot Indian Chief for 12 ponies, and when Burke arrived in Oregon told him that Alice had died. Six years ago Burke died, and the Hussons have been in possession of his ranch. Alice meanwhile grew up among the tribe, and when white people noticed her fine hair, the Indians said she was a half-breed whose parents were dead. She gained the love of the son of a chief named Fleetwing, who was sent to Carlisle. When he was there Alice took lessons of the Indian agent's wife and kept pace with him in his studies. When the agent was removed she went with him to Boise City, but his wife died, and she had to take a place as a servant, and was a kitchen drudge for many months. Then Fleetwing sent her money, and she returned to the reservation. The revelation of her white blood came when she was an applicant for a place in a big tribal ceremony. Then young Husson appeared and told her the story, but offered her only $100 for her father's property. She refused and investigated, and is now suing for the recovery of the land. When she gets it she is to marry John Fleetwing.

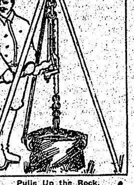
Topophone Prevents Collisions.

An instrument named the "topophone," has just been invented for the prevention of collisions at sea. The topophone registers even slight sounds far outside the range of the human ear, and by enabling foghorns to be heard at immense distances, will greatly minimize existing risks in thick weather.

SHOWING THE WORLD'S PROGRESS

Stump or Rock Extractor.

Stumps and rocks very often prove nasty and troublesome obstacles in the path of improvements, and much time and labor are generally expended before they are finally removed. It is not always desirable to resort to blasting, with its subsequent dangers, and an apparatus like the one shown here would in nine cases out of ten be sufficient for the purpose. The inventor, a New Hampshire man, claims that it is capable of exerting a maximum lifting power at a minimum expenditure of labor. In this apparatus a supporting frame is employed, triangular in shape, to the apex of which is suspended the lifting mechanism. This consists of a supporting bar, one end of which is provided with an opening for the reception of a link, which is attached to the top of the frame, the opposite end being recessed and having a vertical slot in which is mounted a rackbar. The rackbar is adjusted to raise or lower the load by means of a lever. At the inner end of the lever is a terminal pin which engages with the teeth on the rackbar. As a means for locking the rackbar preparatory to taking a new grip, a latch is provided. Secured to the lower end of the bar is a ring or link, to which is fastened in any manner one end of a chain or rope for attachment to the stump, rock or other article to be extracted. After the chain has been attached to the stump the lever is operated, which forces the rackbar up a notch, after which a fresh hold is secured and the operation repeated. By making the frame strong and the lever long an immense amount of power can be concentrated; in fact, plenty to extract ordinary stumps or rocks.



Pulls Up the Rock.

Artificial Pumice Stone.

While emery is used for polishing tools, polishing sand for stones and glass, ferric oxide for fine glassware, and lime and felt for metals, pumice stone is more frequently employed for polishing softer objects. Natural pumice stone presents but little firmness, and the search has therefore been made to replace the natural product with an artificial one. A German firm has produced an artificial stone by means of sandstone and clay, designed to be used for a variety of purposes. No. 1, hard or soft, with coarse grain, is designed for leather and waterproof garments, and for the industries of felt and wool; No. 2, hard and soft, of average grain, is designed for work in stucco and sculptors' use, and for rubbing down wood before painting; No. 3, soft, with fine grain, is used for polishing wood and tin articles; No. 4, of average hardness, with fine grain, is used for giving to wood a surface previous to polishing with oil; No. 5, hard, with fine grain, is employed for metal work and stones, especially lithographic stones. These artificial products are utilized in the same manner as the volcanic products. For giving a smooth surface to wood, the operation is dry, but for finishing the product is diluted with oil.—Montreal Herald.

Soo Fleet Impressive Spectacle.

"The most impressive commercial panorama that the earth can show" is the ore laden fleet of steamers that passes through the great Saulte Ste. Marie canal, fifty millions of tons of iron passing in review, 30,000,000 being iron ore to be worked up by countless hands to do service to mankind. One of these great steamers has loaded 10,245 gross tons of iron ore at Allouez bay in eighty-nine minutes. Nine thousand tons of this load were put on in thirty-four minutes, while the steamer was at dock only 180 minutes, including shifting. The Lake Superior country has been termed the world's richest mineral territory. As said the Hon. Peter White, whose history runs parallel with America's iron age, "the iron trade of the United States is a mighty solemn fact."

Investigate Deep Wells That Blow.

Blowing wells, otherwise known as breathing wells, are being investigated by the United States geological survey. They have already examined many wells that emit currents of air, with more or less force, sometimes accompanied by a whistling sound audible for a long distance. The best known example of this type of well are found throughout Nebraska. The force of the air current in one of the Louisiana wells is sufficient to keep a man's hat suspended above it. The cause of such phenomena is mainly due to changes in atmospheric pressure or to changes in temperature.

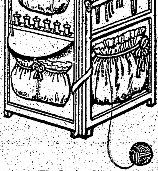
The author's wife may trust him though he is "such a story-teller."

SEWING SCREEN AN ORNAMENT.

Pretty and Useful Article That Is Easy to Make.

A pretty and very useful article is the sewing screen. This may range in height from three to four feet, and in width from two to two and a half feet. The screen consists of two upright pieces of narrow wood connected by three short pieces of the same width —one at the top, one at the bottom, and one in the middle of each panel. Over the back of each panel is stretched a plain piece of denim or a flowered piece of cretonne. Suppose the screen to be painted white and the back pieces blue in color. Get cretonne flowered in blue poppies, or some such dainty design, and make a large pocket for the top and bottom of one side of the screen by cutting a strip a foot or more longer than the width of the screen and gathering it to a tape an inch below the top. Gather the bottom edge and sew it to the foundation of the screen, tacking the sides to the wood with little brass tacks. Long, almost headless, brass nails are driven in a row into the wooden bar across one panel of the screen, and a few small hooks are screwed into the top of the opposite side. Spools of various sizes are slid over the nails, and the hooks are used to hang up emeries, scissors and little things of that sort during the process of sewing. Smaller bags attached to the screen are for buttons, tapes and the host of small things one requires while sewing, while a small pin cushion hangs on a hook at the top of one corner and a needlebook is conveniently attached to the other. The big pocket on the screen is for the work itself and patterns.

If a carpenter makes the screen it might be curved at the top, and the little shelf attached to one side might also be curved. This little shelf is covered with plain blue, having the edges of the cloth tacked down with little brass tacks. Two little hinges fasten it to the wooden cross bar, and a strap on one side, with a loop at the end, is hung upon a hook to support it when the shelf is in use. Such a screen may have bows of ribbon on the pockets and be made as lovely as it is useful. Its two sides are fastened with hinges, and fold up when not in use; while, if hinges are not accessible, straps of cretonne are tacked at the top and bottom of the woodwork, in contrary directions on the outer and inner side, and serve the purposes of hinges admirably.—New York Journal.



The Sewing Screen.

A Bottomless Pit.

A bottomless pit has been found in the mountains of Hualilai, back of Kailua, Honolulu. It is about four feet in diameter. The pit is peculiar from the fact that it sucks in the air with remarkable force. Pieces of paper placed over the mouth do not float gently down, but are suddenly drawn in and disappear with startling rapidity. The air rushing into the pit can be distinctly felt by people standing on the edge. There has been no attempt made thus far to reach the bottom of the pit or to determine its character. Strange sounds are heard in Honaunau. Every night the inhabitants of that section distinctly hear a note similar to the blowing of a deep steamship whistle. Nobody has been able to discover any cause for it, and considerable anxiety is felt by the superstitious. The noise is heard for about five seconds, and then subsides for a space of about ten minutes and then resumes for another five seconds.—Montreal Herald.

Where the Lady Was Going.

An official of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn railroad tells the following:

"The ticket agents in the Boston office of our railroad are greatly troubled by patrons who, when wishing to purchase tickets, lay down a coin and neither tell where they are going nor how many tickets they want. This necessitates one or more questions on the part of the patient agent.

"One day a little elderly lady approached the window of the office, placed a large family umbrella on the slab, and, after fumbling nervously in her pocketbook, pulled out a quarter and laid it down, without a word to the ticket seller.

"'Where are you going, madam?' asked the ticket agent.

"'Oh, I'm going to the doctor's,' was the tremulous reply."

Chance for Inventors.

Nature knows how to economize. Inventors still have room for increasing the economy of lighting. Sir James Dewar lately pointed out that of the energy of the candle, oil and coal gas only 2 per cent. is transformed into light, of the incandescent lamp 3 per cent., arc lamp, 10 per cent., and magnesium lamp, 15 per cent. But 99 per cent. of the energy of the Cuban firefly appears as light, only 1 per cent. being wasted.

IN CONSTANT AGONY.

A West Virginian's Awful Distress Through Kidney Troubles.

W. L. Jackson, merchant, of Parkersburg, W. Va., says: "Driving about in bad weather brought kidney troubles on me, and I suffered 20 years with sharp, cramping pains in the back and urinary disorders. I often had to get up a dozen times at night to urinate. Retention set in, and I was obliged to use the catheter. I took to my bed, and the doctors failing to help, began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The urine soon came freely again, and the pain gradually disappeared. I have been cured eight years, and though over 70, am as active as a boy."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Noah—Some of these fellows refuse to come into the ark.

Mrs. Noah—What's their objection?

Noah—They are afraid it's a scheme to get them out of the way until after election.—New York Press.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Medieval Politics.

Finley Acker, one of the leaders of reform in Philadelphia, said the other day:

"From time immemorial there has been room for reformation in town councils. From time immemorial the city fathers of every country have been, more or less justly, attacked.

"In a medieval German tale it says that the parish council of a small village met one evening to discuss certain improvements in the water supply.

"During this debate the town's one watchman entered the room quietly, placed in a corner his lantern and spear, and sat down to listen to the argument.

"Suddenly a councilman turned on him fiercely.

"'Fritz,' he cried, 'what are you doing here? Who is to watch that nothing is stolen in the village?'

"Fritz, with an easy smile, answered:

"'Who is there to steal? We are all here?'"

They Do, Too.

"Jacob Riis, the sociologist," said a lawyer of New York, "has a soft heart. Everything interests him. His sympathy flows out in every direction. The poor have in him indeed a true friend.

"Mr. Riis sat in my anteroom one morning, waiting to consult me. Near him a young girl clicked busily on a typewriter. She was pretty and neat, with clear eyes and soft hair, but perhaps she was a little pale.

"As Mr. Riis regarded her, so young and fresh, working hard in a stuffy office while her more fortunate sisters were riding or motoring in the park, he felt sorry for her, and he said gently:

"'Do you never get tired, you young stenographers, of eternally pounding away on those keys?'

"'Ah, yes, we do, indeed,' said the young girl.

"'Then what do you do?' Mr. Riis asked.

"'Then, as a rule,' she answered, smiling, 'we marry our employers.'"

THE "COFFEE HEART."

It Is as Dangerous as the Tobacco or Whisky Heart.

"Coffee heart" is common to many coffee users and is liable to send the owner to his or her long home if the drug is persisted in. You can run 30 or 40 yards and find out if your heart is troubled. A lady who was once a victim of the "coffee heart" writes from Oregon:

"I have been a habitual user of coffee all my life and have suffered very much in recent years from ailments which I became satisfied were directly due to the poison in the beverage, such as torpid liver and indigestion, which in turn made my complexion blotchy and muddy.

"Then my heart became affected. It would beat most rapidly just after I drank my coffee, and go below normal as the coffee effect wore off. Sometimes my pulse would go as high as 137 beats to the minute. My family were greatly alarmed at my condition and at last mother persuaded me to begin the use of Postum Food Coffee.

"I gave up the old coffee entirely and absolutely, and made Postum my sole table beverage. This was six months ago, and all my ills, the indigestion, inactive liver, and rickety heart action, have passed away, and my complexion has become clear and natural. The improvement set in very soon after I made the change, just as soon as the coffee poison had time to work out of my system.

"My husband has also been greatly benefited by the use of Postum, and we find that a simple breakfast with Postum is as satisfying and more strengthening than the old heavier meal we used to have with the other kind of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville,"

JOYS OF MATERNITY

A WOMAN'S BEST HOPES REALIZED

Mrs. Potts Tells How Women Should Prepare for Motherhood

The darkest days of husband and wife are when they come to look forward to childless and lonely old age.

Many a wife has found herself incapable of motherhood owing to a displacement of the womb or lack of strength in the generative organs.

Mrs. Anna Potts

Frequent backache and distressing pains, accompanied by offensive discharges and generally by irregular and scanty menstruation indicate a displacement or nerve degeneration of the womb and surrounding organs.

The question that troubles women is how can a woman who has some female trouble bear healthy children?

Mrs. Anna Potts, of 510 Park Avenue, Hot Springs, Ark., writes:

My Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"During the early part of my married life I was delicate in health; both my husband and I were very anxious for a child to bless our home, but I had two miscarriages, and could not carry a child to maturity. A neighbor, who had been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advised me to try it. I did so and soon felt that I was growing stronger, my headaches and backaches left me, I had no more bearing-down pains, and felt like a new woman. Within a year I became the mother of a strong, healthy child, the joy of our home. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is certainly a splendid remedy, and I wish every woman who wants to become a mother would try it."

Actual sterility in woman is very rare. If any woman thinks she is sterile, let her try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free to expectant or would-be mothers.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I am very much afraid that your interest in sports is having a very demoralizing influence on your grammar."

He looked at her apprehensively.

"When the home team won the game you said that they fielded well."

"Did I?"

"Yes. And, of course, what you meant, Charley, dear, was that they felt well, wasn't it?"

He looked about in utter helplessness and murmured:

"Of course."

MILK CRUST ON BABY.

Lost All His Hair—Scratched Till Blood Ran — Grateful Mother Tells of His Cure by Cuticura for 75c.

"When our baby boy was three months old he had the milk crust very badly on his head, so that all the hair came out, and it itched so bad he would scratch until the blood ran. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I applied the Cuticura and put a thin cap on his head, and before I had used half of the box it was entirely cured. His hair commenced to grow out nicely again, and he has had no return of the trouble. (Signed) Mrs. H. P. Holmes, Ashland, Or."

Beneath His Notice.

"No," said Pompus, "I shall not notice his comment at all."

"But," protested his friend, "he called you a 'blithering idiot.'"

"Exactly, and there's no such word as 'blithering' in the English language."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

She—So you really imagine that smoking benefits you?

He—I know it does. My mother-in-law leaves the room the minute I light my pipe.

Prosperity has ruined many a man, but if a fellow is going to be ruined at all that is the pleasantest way.

MIXED FARMING

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

WHEAT RAISING RANCHING

three great pursuits have again shown wonderful results on the

FREE HOMESTEAD LANDS OF WESTERN CANADA.

Magnificent climate—farmers plowing in their shirt sleeves in the middle of November.

"All are bound to be more than pleased with the final results of the past season's harvest."—Extract.

Coal, wood, water, hay in abundance—schools, churches, markets convenient.

This is the era of $1.00 wheat.

Apply for information to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to authorized Canadian Government Agent—Charles Pilling, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

(Mention this paper.)

LIVE STOCK

Success in Stock Breeding.

A young farmer who has fallen heir to a handsome sum of money asks us to advise him whether it would be profitable for him to engage in the breeding of pedigreed cattle and wants to know how certain men have achieved such eminent success in the business while others have failed. These are serious considerations and are well worthy of thought and study before embarking in the stock breeding business as a life's work. The men who have made a marked success of the business would doubtless have done equally well in almost any other mercantile branch. Those who have failed would probably have failed as speedily and as badly in most other vocations. It is not so much the business as the man that decides success or failure. Before entering into the business of breeding cattle or any other kind of farm stock the man should know that he loves animals, is content and satisfied to live upon a farm and possessed of an intimate knowledge of animals and farming.

Like every other business that of stock raising requires study and some natural bent or adaptability. Most of the requisite knowledge as to breeding, feeding and management can be acquired from study at an agricultural college, from attendance at fairs and from reading of books as well as observation of the book of nature, but when all of these requisite things have been acquired there still remains a something that cannot be bought, borrowed, stolen or learned. We refer to hard-headed business sense and acumen, which some men inherit and others do not possess. To the degree to which this faculty is present in a man depends the degree of success he will attain in business, other requisites being present. Lack of any one requisite, and especially honesty or integrity, will of course offset business acumen, but possession of honesty and integrity with all of the other requisites will not make up for the lack of business ability such as we have mentioned.

Nevertheless there is a better chance of making a fair amount of money and a fairly good success in the business of stock breeding than in almost any other line of work that has to be done in the city instead of upon the farm. The average breeder who sticks to the business through fair days and foul generally wins out fairly well and at least makes a comfortable living, for his farm insures that, with energy and perseverance devoted to the work. Speculation in stock breeding as in other lines of business is risky, and to this cause we may most often attribute disaster in both city and farm business. Speculation however usually is back of success in the accumulation of large fortunes, and this is partially true of fortunes made in live stock. To speculate is required the particular and peculiar business acumen referred to, and lacking it comes failure. Without it the stock breeder or business man may be able to make a comfortable living, but the other fellow will make the big hits and the large fortune.

Given a fair degree of business ability, the necessary capital, proper training and a suitable farm and love for the work our young friend will however be perfectly safe in embarking in the stock breeding business, and, if he sticks to it and is fortunate in procuring efficient help, we see no reason why he should not be able to make it pay a safe and legitimate interest upon the amount of capital invested. To succeed it will be necessary to build up a reputation for good animals and business integrity. To obtain a reputation it will be necessary to exhibit stock at the county and state fairs and also to advertise in the best agricultural and live stock papers. Success at the fairs brings notoriety and such success wisely advertised brings trade which lasts and augments if handled honestly and promptly. We would advise our correspondent to engage in the business of pedigreed cattle breeding if he is strongly inclined that way for love of the business rather than mere speculation. We would advise him to keep out of it if he has no special liking for animals and country life, or if he merely thinks of engaging in it as a speculation.—A. S. Alexander in Farmers' Review.

Fattening Texas Steers.

As showing what may be done in the stall feeding Texas and their close congenesis, Cherokee cattle, from Indian Territory south, the following will be interesting. In 1868-1869 the writer of this fed 450 head in central Illinois in stables specially prepared therefor, having water conducted in pipes to them, with tramways for carrying grain and hay. They were dragged into the stables with lariats tied to stanchions, and remained there until fat, at the end of five months. The stables were kept partially darkened, no strangers were allowed admittance, and every means used to ensure their quiet. They came out ripe, and sold in New York at the very highest price of prime beef; out of the 450 put in, only about thirty classed lower than fat. The experiment, however, was not repeated, since the larger price required to be paid for good grade Shorthorns yielded a better profit for the feed consumed. The typical Texan and Mexican steer is being less and less met with every year, and now the acclimatization of pure bred bulls in Texas is being more and more shown in the improved form and fattening qualities of the semi-wild Texan stock. The most improved plan of acclimating bulls taken from the North and West is to select healthy calves in the autumn after all danger of Texas fever is past. Ship them to the point where they are to be kept. Arrived at their destination they may be fed meal, bran, and crushed oats, with plenty of corn leaves or good hay, and with access to pure running water to drink. If possible a run should be allowed on a field of green barley or oats sown for the purpose. They must also be kept in dry lots and carefully housed from northers and other storms.

Prompt attention must be paid to any symptoms of fever. If this is shown, charcoal and ginger may be administered in the proportion of a tablespoon of charcoal and a teaspoonful of ginger. If they are gotten safely along through January they will generally be safe until the spring rains. During this time and until July they must not be exposed to the storms or sun and must be carefully watched for ticks and other vermin. These must be immediately destroyed by an application of crude petroleum and lard in the proportion of one part of the former to two parts of the latter. Thus if they are carried safely until two years old with proper care they may thereafter be kept for breeding purposes.

Jonathan Periam.

Insalivation.

While the food is being ground, it is modified by the saliva poured upon it from glands situated about the mouth cavity. By means of ingenious experiments, Colin determined the amount of saliva secreted by the horse, and found that when feeding on hay there was poured out from eleven to thirteen pounds of saliva per hour. Oats require a little more than their own weight, green fodder half, and dry fodder four times its weight of saliva during mastication. If the food of the horse for one day amounts to eleven pounds of hay and eleven pounds of other dry fodder, this will require four times its weight of saliva, or 88 pounds, to which must be added 4.4 pounds secreted during rest, making 92.4 pounds in all. Smith states that the ox secretes 112 pounds of saliva daily. In the horse the parotid glands, located at the base of the upper jaw and emptying near the second molar teeth, yield seven-tenths of all the saliva secreted.

Animals chew their food on one side of the mouth only at a time. It has been found that the parotid gland of the horse yields saliva only on the side where the food is being masticated, the other gland resting until grinding starts upon its side.

Saliva contains ptylin, a soluble ferment which converts the starch of the food into sugar. It acts only upon the starchy matters of the food and not upon the cellulose or other constituents. Since the food remains in the mouth a comparatively short time, but little starch can be changed to sugar before the mass is swallowed. The action of the saliva on starch continues in the stomach.—Prof. W. A. Henry in "Feeds and Feeding."

The Age of the Profitable Feeding Steer.

It requires about one-half as much grain to produce a hundred pounds of gain on calves as on two-year-olds. The work of the Missouri Agricultural College has definitely demonstrated that the most profitable age to fatten cattle is while they are still young. The older the animal the more food is required to produce a given gain. Other stations have also investigated this question and have arrived at the same result. The Central Experiment Station Farm at Ottawa, Canada, found by comparing one thousand pounds live weight in the case of calves, yearlings, two and three-year-olds, that the profit for each one thousand pounds was: Calves, $31.00; yearlings, $37.00; two-year-olds, $19.10; three-year-olds, $12.80. When all of the cattle of all ages were purchased at 4c a pound and sold fat at 5c a pound, the profit on $1,000 invested in feeding cattle was: Calves, $557.50; yearlings, $284.00; two-year-olds, $198.75; three-year-olds, $177.50. Nine-tenths of all the cattle fed in the Middle West are two-year-olds at the beginning of the feeding period. When these cattle are in thin condition at the beginning of the experiment they are often fed with profit; but starting with calves in the same condition it is unquestionably true that the calves return more profit for each thousand dollars invested than the older cattle.—F. B. Mumford.

Range Cattle Improving in Quality.

During the last twenty years there has been a remarkable change in the quality of cattle on the western ranges. There was a time when a range steer meant a scrub steer, as he had no breeding. He was from the great herd of nondescripts that covered the country from the Canadian line to Mexico. The movement to improve gained headway but slowly but it grew in force as it advanced. The rangers purchased bulls of pure breeds and turned them into their range herds. The bulls of the nondescript type were "steered" and sent to market. The result was what the most prescient cattlemen knew it would be. The quality of range beef improved so that it sells well in competition with beef produced on the farms where the animals are kept under the best possible conditions.

The standard breeds are still the most popular with the farmer.

Mother's Cooking.

Jawback—My mother's cooking—

Mrs. Jawback—Well, she deserves it. But I didn't think you'd acknowledge it so shortly after her death.

Best He Could Afford.

"Aren't you ashamed to go around begging with a breath like that?"

"It's the best I can afford. Beggars can't use champagne for a breath perfume.—Judge.

Dry and Wet Dangers.

"There's just two things that break up most happy homes," observed the Pohick philosopher.

"What's them?" inquired the Squedunk ignoramus.

"Woman's love for dry goods an' man's love for wet goods, b'gosh!"—Belair (Md.) Times.

Flipperty-Flap.

At the end of one of the meetings of the international sanitary congress in Washington, a young layman asked Surgeon General Wyman a question about the construction of the throat.

"If the throat were constructed like that," said Gen. Wyman, smiling, "there would be more truth in the flipperty-flap story than there really is."

"The flipperty-flap story?" said the young man, dazed.

"Yes. Did you never hear it? Listen, then:

"A quack medicine vendor stood in a carriage selling a cough cure. To explain the construction of the throat he said:

"'Ladies and gents, in your throat is two little flags, one closing when swallowing food and opening to receive drink, and the other closing when swallowing liquids and opening to receive food only. Now, if—'

'But here a humorous old farmer interrupted, blurting out:

"'Gosh, mister, what a flipperty-flapperty there must be when yer eatin' bread and milk.'"

Facts and Proof.

Hulett, Wyo., Dec. 4th (Special)—An ounce of fact is worth a ton of theory and it is evidence founded on facts that backs up every box of Dodd's Kidney Pills. The evidence of people who know what they do. Mrs May Taber, highly esteemed resident of Hulett, says:

"I know Dodd's Kidney Pills are a valuable medicine because I have used them. I took seven boxes and they cured me of a severe attack of Kidney Trouble. They relieved me from the first dose, and when I had finished the last box I had no pain and my Kidneys are now acting properly."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are now recognized all over the world as the greatest Kidney Remedy science has ever produced. They cure Rheumatism, Dropsy, Gout, Lumbago, Diabetes, Urinary and Bladder Troubles, Bright's Disease, and all disorders arising from any form of Kidney Disease.

The Way It Grows Out West.

One of our readers whose veracity is above question tells the following: The terrible news comes from the western part of the Cherokee nation that a boy climbed a cornstalk to see how the corn was getting along, and now the corn is growing up faster than the boy can climb down. The boy is clear out of sight. Three men have undertaken to cut to tsalk down with axes, but it grows so fast that they can't hack twice in the same place. The boy is living on nothing but raw corn, and already has thrown down four bushels of cobs.

GOOD BLOOD FOR BAD

Rheumatism and Other Blood Diseases are Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"In the lead mines I was at work on my knees with my elbows pressed against rock walls, in dampness and extremes of cold," said Mr. J. G. Menkel, of 2975 Jackson avenue, Dubuque, Iowa, in describing his experience to a reporter, "and it is not surprising that I contracted rheumatism. For three years I had attacks affecting the joints of my ankles, knees and elbows. My ankles and knees became so swollen I could scarcely walk on uneven ground and a little pressure from a stone under my feet would cause me so much pain that I would nearly sink down. I was often obliged to lie in bed for several days at a time. My friends who were similarly troubled were getting no relief from doctors and I did not feel encouraged to throw money away for nothing. By chance I read the story of Robert Yates, of the Klauer Manufacturing Co., of Dubuque, who had a very bad case of rheumatism. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the remedy he had used. In three or four weeks after beginning to use the pills, I was much better and in three months I was well. The swelling of the joints and the tenderness disappeared, I could work steadily and for eight years I have had no return of the trouble. My whole family believe in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Both my sons use them. We consider them a household remedy that we are sure about."

What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for Mr. Menkel they are doing for hundreds of others. Every dose sends galloping through the veins, pure, strong, rich, red blood that strikes straight at the cause of all ill health. The new blood restores regularity, and braces all the organs for their special tasks. Get the genuine Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at your druggists' or direct from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y.

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PROCEEDINGS

of

County Commissioners of

Red Lake County.

Red Lake Falls, Minn,
Nov. 24, 1905.

Pursuant to the call of the County Auditor, dated October 28, 1905, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met at the the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in special session at nine o'clock a. m., for a hearing on the petition of Aug. Konikson and others for a County Drainage Ditch, numbered by the County Auditor as County Ditch No. 23.

Present, Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

Commissioner Falardeau absent.

James K. Wood, engineet, and Daniel Patterson and G. K. Haavi, two of the Viewers on Ditch No. 23 were present.

The petition of Aug. Konikson and others for said County Ditch No. 23, was placed before the Board and arguments of all persons interested for or against the construction of the same were heard by the Board. After hearing all arguments on motion made by Commissioner Shaw and carried by unanimous vote, the reports of the Engineer and Viewers in said matter were approved and the following order establishing County Ditch No. 23 was made:

ORDER ESTABLISHING DITCH

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

In the matter of the Petition of Aug. Konikson and others, for a Public Ditch in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The above entitled matter came on duly to be heard by and before the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at a Special Meeting of said Board duly called for the purpose of hearing and considering the petition for said ditch in the above entitled matter, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D., 1905, at nine o'clock, a. m. of said day; and it appearing by proper evidence that due notice had been given of the pendency of said petition and of said time of hearing thereon and that James K. Wood, the Civil Engineer appointed by this Board to survy the route of said ditch, has completed his work and duly filed his report thereon in the office of the County Auditor of said County, and that the Viewers appointed by said Board to view and report upon said work have duly completed their labors and made and filed their report in due form of law in the office of said County Auditor, the said Board of County Commissioners did, at the time above specified; proceed to hear said petition and said Viewers' report thereon; and said Board having duly considered said petition and heard all the parties interested for or against the construction of said ditch and all other matters pertaining thereto, find as follows, to-wit:

FIRST: That the said Civil Engineer has completed his work and made and filed his report thereon in all respects according to law.

SECOND: That the said Viewers appointed herein have duly completed their labors and have made and filed their report thereon according to law.

THIRD: That the estimated benefits to be derived from the construction of said work are greater than its total cost, including damages awarded.

FOURTH: That the damages and benefits arising from the construction of said ditch have been duly awarded and assessed, and that said reports of said Engineer and said Viewers are complete and correct.

FIFTH: That notice of this hearing of said petition and of said Viewers' report and said Engineer's report has been duly given, published and posted and mailed as by law required; and that proofs of said service of said notice have been duly made and filed in the office of the County Auditor of said County.

NOW, THEREFORE, as conclusions from the foregoing findings, we, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at said Special Session of said Board held at the time above specified, being satisfied that the proposed ditch will be of public utility and conducive to public health and public benefit and convenience, and that the same is necessary for the reasons stated in the petition therefor, do hereby locate and establish the said ditch according to the report and the specifications of said Civil Engineer made and filed herein; and do hereby establish and confirm the report of the Viewers made and filed herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the damages awarded to the persons and corporations named in the Viewers' report herein, in excess of benefits, be paid out of the County Treasury of said County on warrants to be drawn and attested by the Auditor of said County and signed by the Chairman of this Board of County Commissioners; and that said warrant be issued at the expiration of the time for appeal from this order in favor of such persons and corporations as shall not then have appealed, and shall be dated and become due and payable immediately after the letting of the contracts for the construction of the ditch herein referred to; and that in case of appeal from this order, or in case of any postponement or delay in determining the amount of damages due to any persons or corporations, the warrant in favor of such persons or corporations shall not be issued until the final determination thereof.

Given under our hands, this twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1905.

By the Board
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Board of Co. Com'rs., Red Lake Co., Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

Pursuant to the call of the County Auditor, Oct. 28 1905, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minn., on Nov. 24, 1905 at two o'clock, p. m., for a hearing on the petition of A. T. Gorden and others for a County Drainage Ditch, designated as County Ditch No. 24.

Present Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

Commissioner Falardeau, absent.

James K. Wood, the Civil Engineer and Daniel Patterson and G. K. Haavi, two of the Viewers appointed on Ditch No. 24 were present.

The petition of A. T. Gorden and others for County Ditch No. 24 was placed before the Board and the arguments of all persons interested in the matter were heard.

After hearing all arguments for and against granting the prayer of the petitioneers, on motion made by Commissioner Shaw and carried unanimously, the reports of the Engineer and Viewers in said matter were approved, and the following order establishing County Ditch No 24 was made:

ORDER ESTABLISHING DITCH

State of Minnesota }
County of Red Lake. } ss

In the matter of the Petition of A. T. Gorden and Others, for a Public Ditch in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

The above entitled matter came on duly to be heard by and before the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at a special Meeting of said Board duly called for the purpose of hearing and considering the petition for said ditch in the above entitled matter, on the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D., 1905, at two o'clock, p. m., of said day; and it appearing by proper evidence that due notice had been given of the pendency of said petition and of said time of hearing thereon and that James K. Wood, the Civil Engineer appointed by this Board to survey the route of said ditch, has completed his work and duly filed his report thereon in the office of the County Auditor of said County, and that the Viewers appointed by said Board to view and report upon said work have duly completed their labors and made and filed their report in due form of law in the office of said County Auditor, the said Board of County Commissioners did, at the time above specified; proceed to hear said petition and said Viewers' report thereon; and said Board having duly considered said petition and heard all the parties interested for or against the construction of said ditch and all other matters pertaining thereto, find as follows, to-wit:

FIRST: That the said Civil Engineer has completed his work and made and filed his report thereon in all respects according to law.

SECOND: That the said Viewers appointed herein have duly completed their labors and have made and filed their report thereon according to law.

THIRD: That the estimated benefits to be derived from the construction of said work are greater than its total cost, including damages awarded.

FOURTH: That the damages and benefits arising from the construction of said ditch have been duly awarded and assessed, and that said reports of said Engineer and said Viewers are complete and correct.

FIFTH: That notice of this hearing of said petition and of said Viewers' report and said Engineer's report has been duly given, published and posted and mailed as by law required, and that proofs of said service of said notice have been duly made and filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county.

NOW, THEREFORE, as conclusions from the foregoing findings we, the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, at said Special Session of said Board held at the time above specified, being satisfied that the proposed ditch will be of public utility and conducive to public health and public benefit and convenience, and that the same is necessary for the reasons stated in the petition therefore, do hereby locate and establish the said ditch according to the report and the specifications of said Civil Engineer made and filed herein, and do hereby establish and confirm the report of the Viewers made and filed herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the damages awarded to the persons and corporations named in the Viewers' report herein, in excess of benefits, be paid out of the County Treasury of said County on warrants to be drawn and attested by the Auditor of said County and signed by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners; and that said warrants be issued at the expiration of the time for appeal from this order in favor of such persons and corporations as shall not then have appealed, and shall be dated and become due and payable immediately after the letting of the contracts for the construction of the ditch herein referred to; and that in case of appeal from this orcer, or in case of any postponement or delay in determing the amount of damages due to any persons or corporations, the warrant in favor of such persons or corporations shall not be issued until the final determination thereof.

Give under our hands, this twenty-fourth day of November, A. D., 1905.

By the Board.
Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chm. Board Co. Com'rs. of Red Lake Co., Minn.
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned to Nov. 25, 1905.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman, Board of County Commissioners
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.
Nov. 25, 1905.

The Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota, met in special session at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, at nine o'clock a. m.

Present, Commissioners Sutor, Demann, Johnson and Shaw.

Commissioner Falardeau absent.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Shaw was adopted by unanimous vote:

Be it resolved that the following described lands, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest and lots 4, 5 and 9 of Section 10 and and the northwest quarter of section 15 in township 153 north of range 42 west, in Red Lake county, Minnesota, the same not being within the limits of any organized school district, be and are hereby attached to common school district No. 31 in said County.

A hearing was granted on the petition of A. M. Edstrom and others for a new school district and the same was set for January 4, 1906, at two o'clock P. M.

A hearing on the petition of G. C. Gulrud and others for a new school district and the date for such hearing was set for January 3, 1906 at two o'clock P. M.

A hearing was granted on the petition of P. O. Sorlum and others for a new school district and the date of same fixed for January 3, 1906, at three o'clock P. M.

The application from the village of St. Hilaire for an appropriation from the county road and bridge fund, was on motion laid over till the next meeting.

On motion duly carried, auctioneer's licenses were granted to Thomas Moreau and Harold M. Hicks.

On motion duly carried the application of the Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls for correction of assessment for the year 1905, was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

On motion carried unanimously, the application of August Sandberg for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes for the year 1904 on the N½ of NW¼ and a strip 10x40 rods of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of Section 33 in Twp 154, Range 44, was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

The application of August Sandberg for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes for the year 1904 on the S 1-2 of the SW¼ of Section 28 in Twp. 154, Range 44, was on motion rejected.

The following resolution offered by Commissioner Shaw was unanimously adopted:

State of Minnesota. }
County of Red Lake. } ss

Whereas, it appears from a report from the State Auditor to the Auditor of said County, that at the time of the organization of the Township of Park in said County, at the July 1905 meeting of this Board, there was in this State another Township of that name.

Therefore, Be it Resolved, that we, the Board of County Commissioners of said county hereby proceed to change and alter the name of said township of Park in said county. (the same being Township 154, north or range 40 West.) to the name of Goodridge and that the said township is hereby designated and named Goodridge.

On motion carried unanimously, the county auditor was instructed to advertise for bids for printing and publishing the commissioner's proceedings, delinquent tax list and all legal notices to be published by the county during the year 1906.

On motion duly carried the county auditor was instructed to advertise for bids for the delivery of 50 cords of green poplar wood at the court house in Red Lake Falls.

A petition signed by John Frolland and others for an appropriation from the county road and bridge fund to build a bridge across the Clearwater river in the town of Emardville, was laid over on account of lack of funds.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Frank Jeffers, recording town treas bond	$ 85
L. C. Simons, 1. vault door	62 00
Thief River Falls Lbr Co, lumber for repairs on court house and lath for stakes on county ditches	2 15
The Robertson Lbr Co, plank for sidewalk	25
H. T. McAnulty, traveling expenses for Co Supt of schools	30 00
James Brady, building vault in Co Auditor's office and repairing chimneys and roof of court house and furnishing all material for same	488 00
A. L. Roy, hauling 6 loads wood to county Jail	2 50
Theodore Halvorson, Balance due on contract for construction of county ditch No 21	540 47
Otto Zaiser, viewer on county ditch No 23 2 days and expenses	8 00
Otto Zaiser, viewer on county ditch No 24 3 days and expenses	12 00
D. Patterson, viewer on county ditch No 23 3 days and expenses	12 00
D. Patterson, viewer on county ditch No 24 3 days and expenses	12 00
Gilbert Haavi, viewer on county ditch No 23 4½ days and expenses	18 05
Gilbert Haavi, viewer on county ditch No 24 4½ days and expenses	17 05
J. K. Wood, engineer and expenses, county ditch No 23	68 00
J. K. Wood, engineer and expenses, county ditch No 24	89 55
J. K. Wood, engineer and expenses, county ditches No 23 and 24	8 50
J. K. Wood, engineer and cross sectioning county ditch no 22	5 00
Andrew Ydstie, board of engineer and assistants, surveying county ditch No 23	19 00
C. C. Bergan, board of engineer, surveying county ditch No 24	9 00
Frank Satterberg, board of engineer and assistants, surveying county ditch No 24	5 60
W. H. Krueger, board of viewer and engineer on county ditches No 23 and 24	2 75
Emil Just, board and team hire for surveyor and assistants on county ditch No 24	2 50
Leo Morin, chairman on county ditch No 23	9 75
W. E. Wood, rodman " " " 23	17 00
E. Scheldrup, axman on " " " 22	1 50
W. E. Wood, rodman on " " " 24	19 00
L. J. Wood, axman on " " " 24	14 50
Daniel Patterson, team hire for viewers on county ditch No 24, 1 day	3 50
Zaiser Bros., team hire for viewers on county ditch No 23, 1 day	4 00
Zaiser Bros., team hire for viewers on county ditch No 24 2, days	8 00
Zaiser Bros., livery for engineer on county ditch No 23	6 00
Zaiser Bros., livery for engineer on county ditch No 22	7 00
Adam Zeh, services as clerk of the board of viewers on county ditches No 23 and 24	6 00
D. Linnihan, posting notices of hearing on county ditch No 23	4 50
D. Linnihan, posting notices of hearing on county ditch No 24	12 00
D. Linnihan, serving notices on viewers on county ditch No 23	9 40
D. Linnihan, serving notices on viewers on county ditch No 24	9 40
James E. Ford, county auditor's fees on county ditch No 23	26 76
James E. Ford, county auditor's fees on county ditch No 24	38 60
D. Linnihan, sheriff, boarding prisoners, Sept. and Oct., 1905	45 03
D. Linnihan, sheriff, drawing grand jury	3 20
D. Linnihan, sheriff's fees, State of Minn., vs Samuel J. Johnson	30 16
D. Linnihan, sheriff fees State of Minn., vs Samuel J. Johnson	30 10
D. Linnihan, sheriff, summoning grand and petit Jurors	118 85
D. Linnihan, sheriff's fees Oct. 1905, term dist. court	34 00
D. Linnihan, sheriff's fees, serving personal property tax citations	30 60
Geo. Jarman, deputy sheriff's fees, State vs A. Beausoleil	16 60
Geo. Jarman, deputy sheriff's fees, State vs Ed. DeGrass, Ed. Gordon and Casper Weiner	38 63
Geo. Jarman, deputy sheriff's fees, State vs Wm. Beck and C. A. McKenzie	40 93
Geo. Jarman, deputy sheriff's fees, State vs Louis [illegible] and Geo. Hoover	21 85
James Brady, making repairs on Court house	4 00
John Rison, deputy sheriff's fees summoning witnesses to appear before grand jury	8 40
M. E. Phillips serving citation state vs Marguerite Ward	2 35
J. A. Donahue, sereing citation, State vs A. G. Bjorneby	1 20
Free Press Ptg Co, treas tax receipts and balance on probate order book	70 08
Northwestern School Supply Co, 2 reams examination paper	4 30
McGill-Warner Co, 4 copies 1905 session laws	5 00
Miller-Davis Ptg Co blanks for county offices	15 13
Pioneer Press Co, blanks, blank books and supplies	39 65
Geo. D. Barnard & Co, steel filing case, blanks and supplies	93 75
John E. King, stationery and office supplies	48 95
Red Lake Courier, 500 envelopes	2 25
Red Lake Courier, publishing notices of hearing on county ditches No 23 and 24	8 50
John E. King, publishing notice of sale of ditching jobs	1 75
John E. King, publishing commissioner's proceedings	11 24
John E. King, publishing notice of sale absolute property	2 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, publishidg summer school notice	6 50
Polk County, Minn., expenses incurred in the matter of the insanity of Paul Skomedal, a resident of Red Lake County	50 05
Joseph Perrault, clerk of court, drawing grand jury	3 00
Joseph Perrault, clerk of court, miscellanous court fees	68 85
W. A. Riechel, photographs of prisoner in county jail	3 00
James E. Ford, services on county board of audit	24 00
Joseph Perrault, services on county board of audit	21 00
Frank Schirrich, services as fire warden Town of Polk Centre, 1904	2 00
Samuel Sabourin, services as fire warden Town of Terrebonne, 1904	4 75
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., lighting court house and jail and lamps furnished	25 25
S. L. Lewis, justice fees, state vs John Doe and Richard Roe	5 40
S. L. Lewis, services drawing grand jurors	3 20
Frank Jeffers, postage and express in office of register of deeds	9 28
H. T. McAnulty, postage in office of supt. of schools	4 48
James E. Ford, postage and express in office of county auditor	4 79
K. M. Hansen, postage in county treasurer's office	25 63
Frank Jeffers, gov't envelopes and postage stamps for reg. deeds	12 90
James Sutor, services on committee on repairs of court house and jail	16 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, services on committee on repairs of court house	23 90
James Sutor, attendeng commissioner's meetings and inspecting county ditches	28 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, attending commissioner's meeting and inspecting county ditches	7 40
O. J. Johnson, attending commissioner's meeting and inspecting county ditches	10 00
Daniel Shaw, attending commissioner's meeting and inspecting county ditches	25 00
James Sutor, attending special meeting of county board	3 00
Wm. C. L. Demann, attending special meeting of county board	3 00
O. J. Johnson, attending special meeting of county board	3 00
Daniel Shaw, attending special meeting of county poard	3 00
O. J. Johnson, services on county board of auditors, 8 days	24 00

The following bills were on motion laid over:

Red Lake Falls Elec. Light Co., lighting court house and jail and lamps furnished for same	$15 40
Alex. Johnston, services as ass't. engineer inspecting county ditch No. 21	[illegible]
W. A. Schreiter, 4 yds profile paper	1 25

On motion duly carried the following bills were rejected:

McGill-Warner Co., balance due on Commissioner's records	6 00
Miller-Davis Printing Co., balance due on blanks for Co. auditor	4 85

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die.
(Seal) O. J. JOHNSON,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners
Attest: JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and ex-officio clerk of the board.

CORRESPONDENCE

ST. HILAIRE.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. O. F. Post, Thursday Dec. 7th. All are invited.

Hans Anderson has purchased the barber outfit of the late James McAndress, and has LeRoy West of McIntosh running it. Mr. West is an experienced barber and will undoubtedly make a success of his new venture.

County Supt McAnulty was in town Tuesday.

Misses Emma Hoff, Edith Dahl and Lydia Anderson, arrived home from Moorhead Normal Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving at their homes in this village.

Miss Dolly Pettengill and Miss Otilla Westlund spent Thanksgiving at Plummer the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Juluis Pleth.

Miss Etta Zaiser will give a musicale at Imperial Hall on Friday evening Dec. 15th Miss Zaiser has a fine class in music and the public will be delighted to hear the progress they are mading.

Fred Case, the night engideer at the mill the past season, left Tues-evening for his claim in Western Canada Mrs. Case has been there for several months past.

Mrs. J. K. Hannay is able to be out again after several weeks confinement to her home on account of sickness.

MARRIED: On Thursday Nov. 30. Martin E. Hoff and Miss Clara Lund were quietly married at the home of Rev. I. T. Aastad at Thief River Falls. The parsonage was decorated with roses and carnation, and the young couple were attended by Miss Selina Hoff, sister of the groom and Leo. Achenbach. A wedding supper was served at the home of the groom. The young couple have both grown up in St. Hilaire and their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life together. They will reside on North Broadway.

Mrs. N. A. Nelson left Wednesday evening for Duluth and Wisconsin to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Evans entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Murch of Bemidji Thanksgiving.

Geo. L. Austin expects to read a paper at the Red River Valley Dairymens' convention, at Crookston next Friday.

The young folks enjoyed a merry sleigh ride Monday evening, taking advantage of the fine sleighing and lovely moonlight.

The Ladies of the M. E. church will serve an oyster supper at the Markham hotel, Saturday evening Dec. 9. to which all are most cordially invited.

BROOKS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pennington are the proud parents of a brand new baby girl, born Saturday mother and baby doing fine.

David Hicox arrived from North Dakota, having finished his contract with the Soo Line mr. Hicox was hauling bridge material.

Halyor Wettleson and wife drove in from Garnes Saturday. Mr. Wettleson hurt his hand in a threshing machine Dr. Carman dressed the wound with success.

Walt. Quesnell, Miss Celia Champagne and Miss Flordia Tougas attended church at Lambert Sunday.

Louis Champagne drove to Red Lake Falls Saturday on business.

A. Morin F. St. Martin and M. Girard drove to Red Lake Falls Sunday.

Wm. Pallard who has been visiting at Wm. Vague left for his home Friday at Roosevelt Minn.

Mr. Z. Bray has now a piano in his saloon which makes it the most popular place in town.

Nels Peterson, of Mentor, and Louis Iverson, of Erskine, have just finished plastering the school house.

Joseph Marsonette and son passed through here Friday from Red Lake Falls on their way home to Lambert.

Val Detling came up on the stage Saturday on his way to Bemidji.

TO LATE FOR LAST WEEK.

Miss Leontine Beaudris drove to Terrebonne Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

Sam Boucher drove to Terrebonne Sunday. There is something that attracts Sam's attention in Terrebonne.

The dance at Martineau's place was well attended by the young people of Brooks.

The raffle at Eugune Davis was well attended. Walter Quesnell held the Lucky number 22

Joe Girard attended Mass at Terrebonne Sunday.

Frank Kupping and Joe Desotell were here on Russiness Saturday.

C. D. Hall and H. Crompton of Espetvet boarded the flyer to Plummer to attend the M. W. A. meeting at that place.

Eugene Gaudette of Red Lake Falls was here Wednesday visiting friends and relatives.

Ramal Parras was here Thursday visiting friends and relatives.

Ed. Trombly of Red Lake Falls was here on business Friday and Saturday.

Banker Hansen of Red Lake Falls visited W. B. Cheshire and W. S. Pennington Sunday.

Theo. Zaiser was a business caller here Saturday returning home Sunday.

Christmas Holiday Excursion Rates via the Nickel Plate Road between Chicago and Buffalo. Dates of sale December 23, 24, 25, 30, and 31, 1905, and January 1, 1905, at a fare and a third for the round-trip, with return limit of January 3, 1906. Through train service to New York City, Boston and other Eastern points. No excess fare. Individual Club Meals served in Nickel Plate dining cars. Three through trains daily from La Salle and Van Buren St. Station, the only depot in Chicago on the Elevated Loop.

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REFUNDED OVERCHARGE.

An amicable settlement has been reached between the present board of county commissioners of Polk county and the printers who for seven years prior to 1902, published the proceedings of the county commissioners in brevier instead of nonpareil and charged for their work accordingly. According to the terms of the settlement C. T. Lanman, editor of the McIntosh Times, refunded to Polk county $310, W. E. McKenzie, of the Crookston Times, $300, and Editor George, of the Fertile Journal, $125.

The 2nd Annual Exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultry Ass'n is to be held in the Commercial Hotel Annex at Crookston, Dec. 7-8-9, 1905. This office is in receipt of the Premium List and entry blanks and anyone interested can have the opportunity of examining same at the office upon request.

A HOTEL ON WHEELS.

New Dining Cars of the Great Northern Railway a Feature of the "Oriental Limited."

It is, perhaps, best to say that in every respect—china, cuisine and attendants, the dining car service of the "Oriental Limited" is in keeping with the luxuriousness of the remainer of this regal train, and has won, as the dining car service has always helped to win the title, "The Comfortable Way," for the Great Northern Railway. The new dining car service of the "Oriental Limited" equals in beauty design and interior furnishings anything which is operated on any transcontinental line. Every luxury which a first-class hotel or club affords in the way of service is really on the dining car of the "Oriental Limited." The new dining cars were built with a special purpose in view of affording the most comfortable surroundings, as well as giving the traveler a unique and luxurious place in which to enjoy his meals. A gentleman who recently made the journey to the Coast from St. Paul on the "Oriental Limited," in speaking of the dining car service, said:

"I have traveled on almost every important railroad in the United States, but I have yet to find one which surpasses the "Oriental Limited" in the comfort and convenience afforded the traveler. Your dining car service is excellent, the equal of any in the country, and the superior of many. I was particularly struck with the beauty of the interior furnishings of these dining cars, they are really a novelty of car architecture."

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WHOLE FAMILY DEAD.

One of the Most Horrible Catastrophies Recorded in Northwest Minnesota Happened in this City Early Saturday Morning

FATHER, MOTHER AND THREE CHILDREN PERISH IN FLAMES

Peter Martell, a Blacksmith, His Wife, and Three Children, Eddie, Aged 13 Annie, Aged 11 and Dan, Aged 9 are the Victims

The Victims

Peter Martell, father
Jane Martell, mother
Eddie Martell, son
Annie Martell, daughter
Dan Martell, son

A calamity. the worst in the history of the Northwest, occurred in this city shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday morning. A whole community stands dumbfounded and can hardly realize and believe that such a catastrophe can be a reality.

As body after body was brought from the smouldering ruins, charred, disemboweled remains of human beings, the sight was two much for many and with groans of anguish they turned away from the awful scene.

Tenderly lying the remain s on the ground as each body was discovered and brought forth from the ruins they were wrapped in blankets and from the scene of disaster were brought to the Woodmen's hall—the remains of a happy family—with not one left to utter a word as to the cause or origin of the tragedy. . The only one of the family, the father, who could have saved his own life, his lips sealed forever, laid there a mute testimony of manhood—a hero in the eyes of all—sacrificing his own life like a man in the hopes of saving the lives of those he loved and cherished. Of such material was Peter Martell built. Honor be to his memory.

It was shortly after 3 o'clock Saturday morning when the fire alarm was sounded by the night police and within a few minutes people were streaming to the scene of the fire which was visible from nearly all parts of the city. The fire department was promptly on the grounds but before a stream could be played on the building flames were bursting out of every window, and part of the building, a small story and a half structure, was beginning to fall in.

When people began to arrive upon the scene it was supposed Mr. Martell and his family were out and had taken refuge with neighbors and a bucket brigade was formed to save the adjoining residence of Mrs. Mikkelson which stood only a few feet away and which caught fire several times from the terrific heat.

Inquiries were made for Martell and no one seeing him about the fire the possibility of some one being within the building began to dawn upon those present and with each passing minute the suspense increased and the terrible suspicion that the family was entrapped in fiery furnace gained ground. Mrs. Mikkelson, the neighbor then stated that she was awakened by a noise resembling the cracking of glass and looking out saw her neighbor's house afire and at the same time saw someone running through the yard towards the barn and instantly returning with a ladder which he mounted and began breaking the rear window and frantically calling for "Jane." That was the last seen of Martell.

The origin of the fire will always remain a mystery, but it is surmised it was caused by an overheated or exploding stove, there being an air tight and cook stove down stairs and none upstairs. Martell, as was sometime his custom, slept downstairs, which consists of two rooms, the air tight standing near the stairway, and the family sleeping in the upper story. Whatever the origin of the fire, he was awakened and presumably finding the stairway blocked by fire rushed out of the rear door to get a ladder to arouse the sleeping family, and from the position of the bodies it is evident he got his wife and two sons to near the window and when going after the girl the floor collapsed precipitating all to the floor below and from which escape was an utter impossibility. The fact that three bodies were found near the wall of the rear end lends confirmation to the theory that the family was suffocated before the collapse of the upper floor, the stairway being a natural outlet for the smoke with the fire starting downstairs.

The funeral took place from St. Joseph's church Monday forenoon, the neighbors of the local Woodman camp acting as pallbearers from their hall to the church. Father Fayolle conducted the beautiful and solemn rites over the dead and many were the silent tears that were shed as the eye beheld the row of five caskets--mute reminders that we know not when our Maker shall call us to His bosom.

From the church to a large improvised sleigh the five caskets were borne, the remains of the father and mother by neighbors of the Woodman camp and of the children by their schoolmates.

The interment took place at Gentilly where his folks reside and the whole family was buried in one common grave. Members of the lodge here accompanied the remains out and were met on the way by members of the Crookston and Gentilly lodges.

MARCUS JOHNSON IN TOWN

The Hon. Marcus Johnson, of St. Paul, president of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co., is in the city this week looking over his large interests here and also to contest the granting of a temporary injunction asked for by the city restraining the Milling company from tearing down the old saw mill. Thief River Press.

NABBED ANOTHER OF BOX CAR LOOTERS

Clever Work Done by Deputy Sheriff Jarman Lands Another Candidate for Stillwater.

Deputy Sheriff Jarman, of Thief River Falls, brought to this city Saturday evening. James Ward one of the gang of organized box car looters who have been raiding Soo cars of the Upper Falls for some time past and which are finally being ferreted out one by one. Ward is No. 2 of the gang who are now guests of Sheriff Linnihan's hostelry here and other guests are expected to arrive shortly.

Ward was located at Winnipeg and arrested there last week. He was formerly employed as a hack driver at Thief River.

The sheriff and his deputies are now looking for Eck Hathaway, who conducted a pop factory at Thief River and who is supposed to be implicated and who left the town between two days after the exposures came, but it will only be a question of a short time before he will be located. The balance of the gang are under surveilance and can be laid hands on when wanted.

HEARING TO BE HELD DEC. 26th

City Attorney Boughton was at Crookston last week and secured a temporary injunction from Judge Watts restraining Marcus Johnson from tearing down the saw mill building. The hearing will be held before the judge on Dec. 26 when the city will request that the injunction be continued until the case can be tried in the district court which convenes here in March and at which time the title of ownership will be determined. Attorney Grady has been retained by the defense while the city's interests will be looked after by Mr. Boughton.

MINNESOTA SWAMP LANDS AT STAKE

Much Depends on Attorney General Young's Presentation of Case in Washington

Washington, Dec. 18.—Attorney General Young of Minnesota worked all of yesterday and late into the night, and is busy again today, preparing a brief in the case to be presented tomorrow to Secretaries Hitchcock and Wilson and Attorney General Moody, defending the validity and regularity of the Minnesota swamp land grant. The action of Secretary Wilson in attacking the validity of this grant, after forty years of uninterrupted operations under it, is sensational, and should his contentions be supported, the state will suffer very greatly.

It is up to Attorney General Young to present the state's case in a way that will attract attention, and in the work he is now doing he is having the help of Senator Clapp, who put in a good many hours with him yesterday in the latter's committe room at the capitol, going over musty law books Clapp's help at this time is important and of great value, for he became familiar with the swamp-land question while attorney general years ago, and is able to cut a good many corners and find the shortest paths in the preparation of the brief.

TO THE PUBLIC.

For the support that the people of Red Lake Falls have given us during the past season, to Sam Hunt for the efficient management of our team, and to the young ladies for the banquet they gave us, we wish to extend our thanks and appreciation.

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Fur Collars

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Umbrellas
Underwear
Gloves and Mittens
Shoes

Spitz-Schoenberg Correct Clothes

RED LAKE FALLS JIM AND PAUL MINNESOTA

THE COURIER

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There are enough shadows in the world without wearing one on your face.

Of course everybody knows why King Peter of Servia has reason to be thankful.

Chance rules all things. If the eagle were an edible fowl it would not be the national bird.

Funny, isn't it, how often a Wall street lamb has to be sheared before it can be called a sheep.

A man of the name of Adam has been elected mayor of Buffalo. Let him beware of plum trees.

Goeste Tamm is the new minister of agriculture in Sweden, and the whole Tamm family is rejoicing.

There's nothing half so swift in life as the awakening from Love's young dream.—New Orleans Picayune.

Among the first to find out that the price of silver had risen were the enterprising gentlemen who sell silverware.

Doesn't it give you a new idea of the size of London to know that the London postoffice has about 29,000 employes?

And now all through the winter the man with the big game bug may light his pipe and lie upon or about his bearskin rug.

Andrew Carnegie is credited with having given away $130,000,000, and there is no mortgage as yet on the castle of Skibo.

Mme. Bernhardt says she never heard of Clyde Fitch. Clyde would like to know if the lady ever heard of Shakespeare.

That Pennsylvania judge who wouldn't have a woman thief's stocking searched evidently was not posted on fashions in purses.

In accounting for the wave of prosperity do not overlook the great work of the American hen with her annual output of 20,000,000,000 eggs.

The Atchison Globe says a woman can avoid wrinkles by having supreme faith in her husband. It retards the coming of hubby's wrinkles, also.

Once more old John L. arises to state that he will never take another drink. John knows that a man is never defeated until he surrenders.

Every time Prince Louis thinks of that New York dentist who charged him $1,000 for filling four of his teeth he must feel inclined to grit them.

King George of Greece, it is said, buys his wife a new frock every day. Every husband would be willing to do that, if the nation would agree to pay for it.

Persons wishing to be born with silver spoons in their mouths had better hurry up. Owing to the rise in silver, spoons are going to be more expensive.

The Russo-Japanese war is reported to have damaged China to the extent of $20,000,000, and poor old China isn't to have any share of the gate receipts either.

Sometimes one is almost tempted to wonder whether the world is really getting better or whether he is merely with the passage of years, getting accustomed to it.—Puck.

About 240,000,000 pairs of shoes are made annually in this country, and even that number is less than is needed to accomplish the amount of kicking that has to be done.

The sultan's harem costs him $15,000,000 a year, and it is understood that his wives' dressmakers' bills are not very large, either. The ladies must spend most of it on Turkish rugs.

Samuel Smith, M. P., has startled England by pronouncing the doom of the decollete gown. But others have railed against the decrees of fashion without realizing dividends on their rails.

If a church is "shy" on girls, it may be justified in giving female parts to chorus boys; but if there are any pretty girls in the congregation, they ought to "get busy" when they are thus ignored.

Somebody wants to know how the custom of raising the hat to the ladies originated. Glad to oblige. The ladies invented it, so they would have less trouble getting a strangle hold on their husband's hair.

A Denver bride packed her husband in her trunk when she started on her honeymoon. Many wives will envy her. When a woman goes traveling she wants her husband occasionally, but he is better out of the way, most of the time.

A farm "for the unemployed" is to be maintained in New Jersey by a church. Alas, we fear that Frayed Freddie and Sleepy Snigsbee will require a force of constables to get them there, and get any work out of them after they arrive.

The News of the Week

From the Capital.

Charman Overstreet has made it clear to the house comittee on postoffices, in an address, that he recognized 1-cent postage as a probability of the near future.

Midshihpman Miner Meriwether, Jr., who was tried by court-martial for causing the death of Midshipman Branch, has been sentenced to confinement to the limits of the naval academy for one year, and to be publicly reprimanded by the secretary of the navy.

Senator Nelson has reintroduced his bills which came over from the last congress providing for a grant from the government to Minnesota of a tract of eighty acres to be incorporated in the Itasca Park. Also his bill providing lights on the navigable waters of the Warroad.

The new battleship Louisiana was sent over the measured course near Owl's Head and easily exceeded the government requirments of 18 knots an hour. The maximum speed developed was 18.924 knots, and her builders express confidence that the ship can attain a speed of 19 knots.

Crimes.

Elsie Parker, a colored woman 24 years old, was stabbed to death in the corridor of the West side police court in New York. William Williams, aged 19, was arrested, charged with the murder.

The theft of a $25,000 painting by Greco, entitled "Christ at the Cross," from an art gallery in Madrid, became known in New York last week. Customs inspectors have been requested to watch for it.

E. I. Mendenhall, a real estate dealer, was found dead in his office at Mount Vernon, Ohio. Usually he carried large sums of money, and the fact that his pocketbook cannot be found causes suspicion of foul play.

Pickpockets stole $6,000 worth of diamonds from Mrs. William H. Crane of Staten Island. The stones were set in six rings which she was carrying in a small handbag during a trip to Manhattan. Mrs. Crane is the wife of a contractor.

Vernon Briscoe, 25 years old, was arrested in Chicago by postoffice inspectors on a charge of having forged postal money orders. Briscoe was formerly employed at a substation in Philadelphia, but has been living in Chicago for a month.

Matthew Daldes, convicted of beating his wife to death, was sentenced to prison for life at Orange City, Iowa. Baldes' crime was committed on Oct. 15 on his farm near Hawarden, Iowa. Sentence was pronounced by Judge Hutchinson.

There has been a series of robberies of business houses at Gladstone, Mich., recently. The safe of the Rosenblum department store was blown open and about $100 in change stolen. The safe of P. C. Lindglad was broken open some three weeks ago, evidently by the same persons. There is no clue.

Antoinnette Tolla, the Italian woman who shot the man who tried to win her from her husband last March, was sentenced to be hanged on Jan. 12 next. Mrs. Tolla, who has two children, was at her home at Kingsland, N. J., when Joseph Sonta came there, making love to her, and she shot him five times with a revolver.

Three packages containing jewelry, watch cases and works to the value of $2,500 disappeared from an express wagon at Houston, Tex. The packages were left under the seat while the driver stepped across the street. When he returned they were gone. They were consigned to a jewelry house in Houston and were about to be delivered.

Mrs. Morris Naftal, 77 years of age and the wife of a wealthy resident of Asbury Park, N. J., was attacked by burglars while alone in her apartments. Diamond earrings were torn from her ears, rings taken from her fingers, and finally she was left bound and gagged. She died from suffocation before her plight was discovered.

P. S. Norben was arrested at a Fort Dodge (Iowa) hotel by Chief Tullar on the suspicion that he had been connected with a series of burglaries which recently have occurred in that city. A grip conttining more than fifty different varieties of burglar tools was found in his room at the hotel. Norben dressed in the height of fashion and posed as a man of social distinction.

From Other Shores.

The sultan has yielded. He has accepted the scheme for the financial control of Macedonia, as embodied in the last collective note of the powers.

The Shanghai correspondent of the London Morning Post asserts that the Japanese will evacuate the Liaotung peninsula on the same date that Russia would have had to evacuate it.

Chancellor von Buelow, approving the fresh naval proposal and in the reichstag has quoted President Roosevelt at length on the guarantee of peace afforded by a strong navy. Chancellor von Buelow, discussing the question of Morrocco, said that he took full responsibility for Emperor William's visit to that country.

It is expected that toward the end of the month King Alfonso will go to the Riveria, where he will meet Princess Ena of Battenberg. The betrothal of the king and the princess, although not officially announced, is considered assured.

The British colonial office has received a cablegram stating that Prince Arthur of Connaught, who is in Japan, will visit Canada on his return trip to England.

At a meeting of the Canadian cabinet an order in council was passed allowing the law to take its course in the case of Joseph Bennett, an Indian convicted of murder. Bennett will be executed at Brantford on Dec. 15.

It is reported that Senor Juan B. Guana, president of Paraguay, has been deposed by congress, and that the minister to the United States has been appointed. Telegraphic communication with Ascension is interrupted, but quiet is said to prevail there.

Capt. Wright, local manager of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company, and the American minister, Mr. Russell, had a conference at Caracas with President Castro on the subject of the asphalt company's claims. Both sides are willing to reach an amicable settlement, and there is a strong probability that this will be the result of the conference.

Casualty List.

In a wreck on the Southern Railway near Curls, Ala., three persons were seriously injured, four slightly hurt and several others bruised.

T. Grover Mason, 18 years old, who was injured about the head during a football game three weeks ago, is dead at his home at Russiaville, Ind. His injuries at the time of the accident were thought to be trivial.

Miss Cora Weinland was fatally and Mrs. Thomas Wallace and infant daughter were seriously burned at Bluffton, Ind., by the explosion of a pan of crude oil which set fire to and almost destroyed the house.

A six-story factory building in New York and the stocks of several firms in the building were damaged by fire to the extent of $190,000. In the building when the fire started were more than 250 persons, all of whom escaped without injury.

Herbert Shannon of Merwin, Mo., and John Turner of Chanute, oil drillers, were blown to pieces by the explosion of a boiler on the Burkhart lease, seven miles east of Chanute. The bodies of the two men were literally strewn over the ground.

John Larson, a tailor of Marshalltown, Iowa, was found dead on the Northwestern tracks a mile and a half east of town. It is supposed he was struck by a train some time during the night, although it is not known what he was doing where the accident occurred. He leaves a wife and child.

Ninety thousand dollars in gold belonging to a shipper whose name the railway and express companies will not disclose, was in one of the cars of the overland limited which was wrecked and burned last week at Ah Say, and it cannot be found. Three hundred sacks of Australian mail were also destroyed.

A local freight train collided with cut-off freight cars between Batesville, Ind., and Morris. Brakeman Charles Bevans was instantly killed; Conductor James King was so badly injured that he died within half an hour after being taken from the wreckage. Engineer Fred S. Keen was seriously injured, but it is believed that he will recover.

Crimes.

Joseph W. Fairbanks, one of the founders of the Republican party, died at Farmington, Me., aged 84 years.

Young Erne of Philadelphia was awarded the decision over Charley Neary in an eight-round bout before the Milwaukee Boxing club.

A cablegram received at Harvard college observatory from Prof. Kreutz of Kiel observatory states that a bright comet was discovered by Prof. Giacobini at Nice.

The Democrats were victorious in Boston, electing former Congressman John F. Fitzgerald mayor over three other candidates. Fitzgerald's plurality was 8,380.

Edward Atkinson, the well-known social and political economist of Boston, died suddenly, after an attack of acute indigestion, affecting the heart. He was 78 years of age.

Capt. Carter B. Harrison, brother of the late President Benjamin Harrison, died at his home near Murfreesboro, Tenn., aged 65 years. He leaves a widow, one daughter and one son.

Mme. Nordica, the prima donna, has just bought a country place near Baldwin, L. I. Mme. Nordica bought the live stock on the place, the owner having among other things some chickens.

The G. F. Sanborn Land company of Ashland, Wis., has disposed of 25,000 acres of its hardwood lands in Gogebic county. The Goodyear Lumber company was the purchaser. Consideration, $300,000.

Ore shipments from the St. Paul dock at Escanaba, Mich., have been suspended for the season. The total amount of ore forwarded by that company this season was 1,250,000 tons, an increase of 450,000 tons over 1904. The Northwestern docks will continue in operation for a week or ten days.

George Becher, a young Bavarian living on a farm south of Hammond, Ind., has been notified by the American consul at Munich that he is one of four heirs to an estate in Bavaria said to amount to $14,000,000. The estate was left by the brother of his grandmother.

ABANDONED TO REBEL BANDS

COUNTRY DISTRICTS OF RUSSIA AT MERCY OF LAWLESS ELEMENT.

BLOOD FLOWS IN CAUCASUS

TARTARS AND ARMENIANS MURDERING EACH OTHER AS OF YORE.

St. Petersburg, via Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 17.—It seems to be beyond question that bloody collisions have occurred between troops and the united peasantry and workmen in the streets of Riga, during which machine guns were used. The situation is most serious in the country, which is practically abandoned to the revolutionary bands owing to the concentration of the troops of the cities and towns. Against some of the estates where the landlords, aided by a few faithful adherents, are attempting to protect their property, the revolutionists are conducting regular

Military Operations.

They reduced the garrison of the estate of Baron von Loewis to submission after a majority of the defendants had been killed, and plundered and burned the buildings and carried off the baron. The survivors were made prisoners.

Foreign Minister Lamsdorf, at the first interview which he had with the American ambassador, Mr. Meyer, since the latter's return to St. Petersburg, while not optimistic, expressed the opinion that the political situation and outlook had considerably improved.

The law and order elements are now the principal hope of averting the cataclysm which the revolutionary parties are organizing.

Mutiny in Manchuria.

The outbreak of the mutinous spirit in the Manchurian army is partly attributable to the failure to pay and properly feed the troops. The latter problem is especially difficult owing to the impossibility of forwarding adequate provisions from Russia on account of the practical paralysis of the railroad to Siberia, compelling the purchase of supplies from the Chinese for which adequate funds are not available. The authorities have now hurriedly forwarded $12,000,000 to the army in Manchuria.

The reports from the provinces indicate that the country generally remains close to the boiling point. The Tartars and Armenians are

Murdering Each Other

as of yore. At Elizabethpol especially there has been a savage exhibition of race hatred. From Kharkoff, an agent of the New York Life Insurance company who fled, brings the story of the establishment of a republic there. He says the military forces have gone over to the revolutionists and that the latter have full possession of the city.

The Associated Press has received a private and reliable report from Moscow saying that the authorities there are extremely nervous as the city is denuded of troops, the soldiers having been sent to the neighboring provinces, especially southeast. Less than 10,000 troops remain in Moscow, and this force is considered to be utterly inadequate should a crisis occur.

Election Law for Russia.

The emperor's name-day, Dec. 19, will be signalized by an important peasant manifesto and the publication of the election law.

Under the leadership of the law and order party an attempt is making to organize a counter peasants' party in opposition to the Moscow peasants' congress.

Czar Sticks to Promises.

London, Dec. 17. — The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says:

The emperor yesterday received a deputation representing numerous leagues of a patriotic complexion, including Prince Scherbatoff and other noblemen, all of whom are notoriously desirous for a return to the ancient autocratic regime, and are dissatisfied with the cabinet of Count Witte. Though they made no secret of their aspirations the emperor did not give them the slightest hope that there would be any deviation from the promises made in the manifesto of Oct. 30.

440 Officers Dismissed.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times reports that 440 officers have been dismissed by the general staff as untrustworthy.

Tunnel Caves on a Train.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 17.—It is reported that tunnel No. 27 on the Queen & Crescent railroad caved in on a passenger train last night. Thus far no details are obtainable.

Man Dies in Michigan Fire.

Calumet, Mich., Dec. 17.—The offices and buildings at the stamp mill of the Champion Copper company at Freda were burned early yesterday morning. Clerk Nelson, who was sleeping in the building, perished in the flames.

$15,000 in Jewels Stolen.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 17.—Diamonds and other jewels valued at $15,000 were stolen from the rooms of Mrs. James Morgan, a wealthy widow, at a hotel here last evening. There is no clue.

BLUEBEARD LOSES APPEAL

THE SUPREME COURT DECIDES AGAINST HOCH, THE MULTI-MURDERER.

Chicago, Dec. 17. — The supreme court of the state yesterday affirmed the verdict of the lower court which condemned Johann Hoch to death for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Marie Welcker-Hoch, and the date of his execution has been set for Feb. 23.

A messenger was sent to Hoch with the news, and found him in the visitors' cage, talking with the last of his many wives, Mrs. Fischer-Hoch, the sister of the woman for whose murder he was sentenced to death.

When he received the news Hoch became greatly excited, and pressing his face against the wire netting he shouted:

"You are a liar, a liar. It is not true. I do not believe it!"

He quickly became more composed and asked for a verification of the report.

When the messenger came back a second time Hoch took it very quietly. He did not betray the slightest emotion, and said in his ordinary tone:

"I have nothing to say; nothing at all. If it must come, then it must. I have nothing more to say."

CONGRESS WILL ACT.

Hazing and Fighting at Annapolis to Be Investigated.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Hazing, fighting and other brutalities practiced at the Annapolis academy will immediately become the subject of a congressional investigation. It is said that the inquiry will be careful and thorough. A resolution offered by Mr. Carmack was yesterday afternoon adopted by the senate instructing the naval affairs committee, of which Senator Hale is chairman, to investigate "brutalities" at Annapolis. When presenting the resolution Mr. Carmack was asked by Mr. Hale if the investigation was to be conducted by the committee on naval affairs, to which Mr. Carmack replied in the affirmative. Mr. Hale said: "That is proper." There was no discussion on the resolution.

CARDINAL FOR AMERICA.

Significant Utterance of Pope on Recent Consistory at Vatican.

New York, Dec. 17. — A cable dispatch from London says: "A dispatch from Rome to the Standard says that, after the ceremony at the recent public consistory, the pope, turning to Dr. Henry Joseph Richter, bishop of Grand Rapids, Mich., said; 'America will have her turn.'"

HARPER LOSING STRENGTH.

President of Chicago University Has Not Left Bed for Two Days.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—The condition of President Harper of Chicago university was said by his physicians yesterday to be unchanged. He has not left his bed for two days, but he rested comfortably during the night. It is said that he is gradually growing weaker.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Dec. 18. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-2@85 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 81@83c; No. 3, 79 1-2@81c. Corn —No. 3 yellow, 44 1-2@45c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 1-4@30 3-4c.

Duluth, Dec. 18. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 82 3-4c; flax, $1.04 7-8; rye, 62c.

Minneapolis, Dec. 18. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 85 3-8c; No. 1 Northern, 84 7-8c; No. 2 Northern, 82 7-8c; durum, 71@74c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 1-2c.

Milwaukee, Dec. 18. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 88@89c; No. 2 Northern, 85@85 1-2c. Rye—No. 1, 70c. Barley —No. 2, 53 1-2@54c. Oats—Standard, 39c.

Chicago, Dec. 18. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 89@91c; No. 2 hard, 86@87 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 88@90c; No. 2 Northern, 86@89c. Corn—No. 2, 46c. Oats —No. 2, 31 1-4c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Beeves, $3.40@5.00; cows, bulls and mixed, $2@3.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.60; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.40. Hogs—Bulk, $4.70@4.75.

Chicago, Dec. 18. — Beeves, $3.60 @ 6.80; stockers and feeders, $2.30 @ 4.15; cows and heifers, $3.25 @ 4.75. Hogs — Mixed and butchers, $4.75@ 5; bulk, $4.85 @ 4.85. Sheep, $4 @ 5.65; lambs, $4.75@7.85.

South St. Paul, Dec. 18. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.25 @ 4.25; good to choice milch cows, $30@40. Hogs — Range price, $4.55 @ 4.75; bulk, $4.65. Sheep — Good to choice lambs, $6.25 @ 6.75; fair to good, $4.50@6.25; yearling wethers, $5@5.50; good to choice ewes, $4.50@ 4.75.

Kittson Land Is Ready.

Washington, Dec. 17.—On the recommendation of Representative Steenerson orders will soon be issued opening to settlement the township in the northwest corner of Kittson county, Minn., abutting on the Canadian line.

Roy Pleads Guilty.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Dec. 17.—Roy Hill, indicted for the murder of Daniel Leary of Tama a few weeks ago, yesterday pleaded guilty when arraigned in district court.

FIGHT WIND AND WAVE FOR HOURS

STEAMER GOES ASHORE AFTER DESPERATE BATTLE WITH ELEMENTS.

MANY VESSELS IN DISTRESS

WORST STORM OF THE YEAR RAGES ALONG THE VIRGINIA COAST.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 17. — After a struggle of forty-eight hours with winds and waves during which the crew had no time for eating or sleeping, the Belgian steamer Antigoon, Capt. Calimetta, went ashore at Little Island, about twelve miles south of this place, early yesterday. No lives were lost, but this is due solely to the efforts on the part of the crews of the life saving stations at Little Island and False Cape. The Antigoon is now hard aground about 200 yards off the shore, and in the life saving station at Little Island nineteen members of her crew were cared for yesterday. It is probable the vessel will be a total loss.

Signals of Distress.

The Antigoon was first sighted off Virginia Beach Thursday when she was being slowly driven south by the storm. She appeared to be holding her own until about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, when she sent up signals of histress. The beach patrol answered and the crew from Little Island and False Cape life saving stations went to the scene. Lines were shot to the ship and at 10 o'clock yesterday morning the first man was sent ashore in the breeches buoy. By 1 o'clock, when the velocity of the wind had increased to forty-two miles, only three men had come ashore. From then on, however, the men were taken off more rapidly, nineteen trips being made before every one was saved. The increasing gale makes the chances of saving the steamer slight.

Worst Storm of the Year.

The worst storm of the year rages here. Streets in the lower part of the city are flooded and the harbor is crowded with weather-bound vessels. Reports from Cape Henry over the government coast wire, say that an unknown sailing ship or bark is dangerously near the cape, anchored, but rolling heavily in a fifty-mile gale.

From the south a steamer of the Norfolk & Southern railway, engaged in carrying passengers and freight from Elizabeth City, N. J., to Pamlico sound points, is reported ashore on Roanoke island. The government tug Morawek, with supplies for the dry dock Dewey, was unable to proceed to Solomon's island in Chesapeake bay last night and the gunboat Hornet was forced to abandon her search for a capsized schooner near Hatteras.

LAWSON PUZZLES THE STREET.

Financier Says His Entire Fortune Is Behind Bear Campaign.

Boston, Dec. 17.—State street yesterday confessed its amazement at a public announcement of Thomas W. Lawson that every dollar of his private fortune is behind the bear campaign against Amalgamated. The total amount of his own and his friends' money involved being $15,000,000. One-third of this vast sum Lawson put into the pool within the last few days, and he admitted losses up to Thursday night of $3,400,000. What the street cannot understand is why Lawson should advertise his impending bankruptcy if there is any danger of his financial collapse, and those who think they know his methods are extremely skeptical. Careful reading of Mr. Lawson's announcement regarding his Amalgamated pool shows some important things. A rise of about 20 points has cost the pool $3,400,000, according to Lawson. He says he still has $11,000,000 left. It will require a rise of nearly 70 points to wipe out this sum. When Amalgamated sells at 170 State street and Lawson's close friends will believe he is broke, and not much before that time.

33 DAYS FOR ROCKEFELLER.

One John D. Goes to Jail as a Drunk for Lack of $15.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—"John D. Rockefeller," sixty-five years old, was fined $15 in Justice Mayer's court yesterday. He was unable to pay and will serve thirty-three days in the Bridewell. Rockefeller was arrested Wednesday afternoon. He then informed the police of his identity, but every one seemed indifferent. In court Rockefeller said he had fainted while at work and was given stimulants which made him intoxicated.

To Lay Off Over Holiday.

Washington, Dec. 17. — Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee yesterday presented to the house a joint resolution providing for the holiday recess. It proposes adjournment of both houses from Dec. 21 to Jan. 4.

Death in His Wealth.

Louisiana, Mo., Dec. 17.—Clay Neville, a farmer living seven miles from Curryville, committed suicide yesterday from worry over having more money than he could invest.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Daniel Lyons, a farmer living near Walcott, was killed by a Rock Island freight train.

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The Sherburne county commission have allowed Sheriff Ward $500 for hanging C. D. Crawford.

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The home of William Roseleck, a farmer living west of Plainview, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $3,000, partly covered by insurance.

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The December term of the district court for Freeborn county opened at Albert Lea. There are 106 civil, besides several criminal cases to be heard.

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Work on St. Henry's new Catholic church at Perham has been suspended on account of the weather. The roof is completed and the building will be finished in the spring.

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Postal receipts at St. Paul in November aggregated $67,742, as compared with $58,272 in the corresponding month of 1904. This is an increase of $9,469, or 16.25 per cent.

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Gus Lindgreen, formerly register of deeds of Nobles county, but of late years cashier of the Adrian State bank, was buried at Adrian. He was an old settler and popular.

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Martin Lofgren, a section laborer, was instantly killed in the Great Northern yards at Evansville. He was walking on the track and was run down by an extra freight.

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Edward Townsend was brought to Fergus Falls from Star Lake to answer to the charge of shooting partridges out of season. He gave bonds in the sum of $100 and the case was continued.

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Dog poisoners have been busy at Renville, and as a result several valuable dogs are dead, while others have been sick but recovered. Suspicion rests on two persons, and the dog owners intend to prosecute.

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George Qualley, a farmer living two miles north of Hills, was caught on the crossing near his home by the northbound Great Northern passenger. The buggy was smashed and the occupant had both legs cut off below the knee, besides internal injuries.

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The business men of Staples have organized a commercial club, which will look after the business interests and endeavor to have manufacturers of different lines come here. A large membership is assured and a starch factory is already promised for the spring.

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J. M. Peterson, an old resident of St. Peter narrowly escaped instant death in a dynamite explosion. Unaware that it contained a quantity of the explosive, he heated a length of pipe at his forge and the resulting explosion shattered his right hand, cut him about the head and probably destroyed his eyesight. The concussion was so great that it nearly wrecked the building.

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Lars Flatness, who made such a complete and mysterious disappearance from Albert Lea last summer, has returned to his former home at Northwood, Iowa, and report says that he is in his usual health. At the time of his disappearance he was in the employ of the Albert Lea Mercantile company, and as he left no indication of his intended departure it was supposed he had been foully dealt with or had committed suicide, and yet no trace of him was ever found.

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C. C. Robertson, en route from British Columbia to visit a sick sister at Detroit, Mich., displayed symptoms of insanity upon his arrival on passenger train No. 56 at Hastings. He broke the windows of the sleeping car, jumped through one of them and ran like a wild deer up Second street for nearly half a mile before being overhauled by Policemen W. E. Temple and J. E. Kenney. He was uninjured, and had in his possession a ticket to Chicago and $82 in money.

Daniel Lyons, a farmer living near Walcott, was killed by a Rock Island freight train. He had been in town all the evening and started to walk home. It is thought he must have been walking near the track and that the freight train, which goes through here at 12:10, caught him. He was evidently dragged about a quarter of a mile to a point where the body was found by the crew of a passenger train which went over that line. The body was fearfully mangled, barely enough being left to admit of identification. It is thought the crew of the freight train did not see him or know of the accident.

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At a meeting of the ministers of Winona it was unanimously resolved that in view of the fact that many persons have recently come to the city, soliciting money for various causes, sometimes claiming indorsement to which they are not entitled, notice be given that unless such claim of indorsement be in writing, no notice will be taken of such appeals. This action was taken because it is believed fraudulent appeals have been made. The ministers feel themselves hampered in the work regularly indorsed by the churches and the city generally.

MINNESOTA HAS ACRES OF PEAT

BUT ITS FUEL QUALITIES HAVE NOT YET BEEN TESTED.

Minnesota has millions of tons of peat, but it is unexplored, difficult to mine, and it is uncertain whether all of it will make good fuel. That is the summary of a report which Prof. C. W. Hall of the state university has made to the governor. Last spring a number of queries regarding peat in the state were received by the governor from prospective investors and others. Gov. Johnson referred the queries to Prof. Hall for information. Prof. Hall went into an extensive investigation by means of questions to the county surveyors and reports of geologists, and recently sent to the governor a detailed report of his findings. In his summary Prof. Hall says:

"While the amount of peat in the state amounts to many million tons, the scattered condition of the deposits makes the difficulty of mining considerably greater than in localities where thick beds and large swamps or beds occur.

"Minnesota is peat young. Owing to the lateness of the glacial epoch in retreating from the state, the accumulations of peat began only a few years ago. The shortness of the growing season in this latitude also makes a slowness of peat formation.

"All the peat lies in bogs in shallow lake areas where the obliteration of the lake is proceeding or has been accomplished in recent years.

"There has been very little experimentation to show the fuel value of the peat. Some shows too large a percentage of ash, but this may not be the case in all portions.

"The growing interest in the peat supply of the state suggests the importance of further exploratioon to determine the quality and quantity of peat in the state."

Prof. Hall divides the state into five sections, the northwestern, northeastern, central, southeastern and southwestern. In the northwestern, especially in the Red river valley, conditions were never favorable for the formation of peat. The glacial lake Agassiz was drained only 5,000 years ago, which is too short a time for the formation of peat. Some deposits are found two or three feet thick, but are not old enough to make the best fuel. The deposits are usually covered with several feet of soil.

In the northeastern portion deposits are found a foot or less below the surface, and areas are found from two to four feet thick. In the central district peat is found in Anoka, Hennepin and Ramsey counties. Nicollet county, which is within the great bend of the Minnesota river, has many sloughs with decaying vegetable matter, and the surveyor reports that it burns freely and with great heat.

In the southeastern section, Dakota and Faribault, Freeborn, Goodhue and Mower counties report that they burned peat before the railroads came. Faribault county has 1,200 acres tthree feet thick. Le Sueur reports deposits in every township two to seven feet thick, with an aggregate of 3,000 acres. In the southwestern section much of the peat tested is found to contain 25 to 48 per cent of ash, which is too high for good results. Cottonwood county reports deposits several feet thick and near the surface, and Jackson county reports veins of lignite coal one to three feet thick.

STUDENTS OF BOTH SEXES.

Policy of Albert Lea College Still a Matter of Speculation.

With the securing of the funds necessary to pay the debts of Albert Lea college there is speculation as to what policy shall be pursued when the endowment proposed is secured and the institution is again opened for the reception of students. There is a strong demand that the college, when next it is opened, be to students of both sexes, as that seems the popular plan for education at this time.

It will be remembered that the Presbyterian church of the state established Albert Lea college for the education of girls, and Macalester, St. Paul, for boys, but the latter long ago was made co-ed and there seems no reason why the institution here should not enter the field as a competitor and would be but the natural result of the action of the managers of Macalester.

The date of the reopening of the college has not been determined, but arrangements are progressing with that end in view.

STATE FAIR'S FINANCES.

Secretary Reports Receipts of $192,894.79, and Cash Balance of $75,277.65.

Secretary E. W. Randall of the state agricultural society has made his annual report to Gov. Johnson. It shows the receipts of the 1905 fair to have been $192,894.79, in addition to a balance of $48,680.10 carried over from the previous year. The disbursements were $166,297.24, and the balance on hand is $75,277.65.

The ticket receipts from the late fair were $134,923, privileges netted $22,612.21 and races $16,326.30.

The largest item of disbursements was $33,779.45. Premiums were paid amounting to $24,077.17, attractions cost $21,117.74, advertising, printing, stationery and billposting came to $13,466.22, officers' salaries $7,300, labor and material $6,667.86, and races and suspensions $16,615.31.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST

MIDDY HAZED AT ANNAPOLIS

LEFT UNCONSCIOUS BY TORMENTORS—DISMISSAL FOR GUILTY ONES.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 15.—Notwithstanding the testimony of witnesses before the Meriwether court-martial to the effect that hazing is no longer practiced at the naval academy, a case occurred there Tuesday night.

The victim was Midshipman Jerdon Pettus Kimbrough of Germantown, Tenn. Last week he was called before a board of officers now in session at the academy inquiring into hazing, fighting and similar practices, and compelled to answer certain questions. It is said that he had also told some relatives that he had been hazed, and that the relatives laid the matter before the authorities.

It is said the hazing was on account of these two things. Midshipman Kimbrough was compelled to stand on his head, then on his feet, and then on his head again, repeating this process for ten minutes continuously. At the end of that time he fainted and was left in that condition by the hazers. Later he was found by his roommate, still unconscious. Yesterday morning he was carried to the hospital, but is now doing well.

Admiral James H. Sands, superintendent of the naval academy, had the matter investigated by a board of officers yesterday morning. Their report showed that Midshipman Trenmor Coffin, Jr., of Carson City, Nev., a member of the third class, took part in the hazing, and that Midshipman Warren A. Van der Ver of Mount Holly, N. J., of the second class, was on duty and did not report the occurrence.

Admiral Sands immediately suspended the midshipmen and forwarded his recommendation in the matter to the secretary of the navy. He would not state what this recommendation was in advance of its receipt by Secretary Bonaparte, but it is understood to be for the dismissal of the midshipmen implicated.

WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

Senate Turns Down Proposition to Investigate Corporations.

Madison, Wis., Dec. 14.—The senate refused to concur in the La Follette joint resolution passed by the assembly to institute an investigation of life insurance and railroad corporations, political committees and organizations.

The assembly defeated the two ballot reform bills that developed from the recommendations of the governor that the straight ticket circle on the ballot should be abolished. The Warner bill, a measure much like the Massachusetts law, was killed by a vote of 3 8to 35.

The Roycroft bill, much like the Minnesota law, was killed, 27 to 58.

The eight hour amendment to the capitol building bill requiring that the building contract shall contain an eight-hour clause was adopted.

STEALS GOVERNOR'S SHOES.

Some Ambitious Traveler Disappears With Gov. Johnson's Footgear.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 15—The shoes of Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota were stolen some time during Tuesday night from under his berth on a sleeping car as his train was approaching this city. The mercury in the thermometer was hovering near the zero mark when the governor sat up in the morning, but he was forced to remain in his stocking feet for several hours before the porter had an opportunity to purchase substitute footwear.

AUG. 13 IS G. A. R. DATE.

Time for Encampment at Minneapolis Is Fixed.

Minneapolis, Dec. 15.—The week of Aug. 13 has been officially named as the time for the next annual convention of the Grand Army of the Republic, which is to be held in Minneapolis. This action was taken yesterday by the national council of administration of the G. A. R. at the close of a long conference with the Minneapolis local committee and the passenger officials of the different railroad companies.

ARTIST MADE ODD ERROR.

Paints Ox Team and Driver With Positions Reversed.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 15. — Art critics here have discovered a queer error in a $10,000 view in the Iowa capitol building painted by Artist Blasfield of New York. It is a mural scene containing oxen, the driver of which is on the wrong side. The oxen look natural enough, but theartist has evidently never seen an ox team in action.

SEEKS LAND FOR THE STATE.

Senator Nelson's Bill Relating to the Itasca Park Is Up Again.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Nelson has reintroduced his bills which came over from the last congress providing for a grant from the government to Minnesota of a tract of eighty acres to be incorporated in the Itasca Park. Also his bill providing lights on the navigable waters of the Warroad.

Guilty of Murder.

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 15.—The Barker jury was out four hours and returned a verdict of guilty in the first degree for murder and fixed the penalty to life imprisonment. The defense filed a motion for a new trial.

DEATH CURES DRINK HABIT

"IT'S BETTER THAN BOOZE," SAYS SUICIDE OF DRAUGHT OF ACID.

Superior, Wis., Dec. 16. — William O'Laughlin, thirty-eight years old and of good family connections, committed suicide in a local lodging house by drinking carbolic acid. O'Laughlin said yesterday morning to his landlady that he was going to find something that would make him stop drinking. About 10 o'clock when the woman entered the guests' room she found him standing beside the bed with a small bottle in his hand. "I drank it all, and it's better than booze for me," said O'Laughlin. Then he fell back on the bed, dying.

BIG MINING DEAL.

U. S. Steel Corporation Buys Half-Interest in Hill's Ore Lands.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 16.—One of the biggest mining deals in the history of the Mesaba range was consummated yesterday when the transfer of a half-interest in what are known as the J. J. Hill unleased ore lands on the Western Mesaba range was formally made to the United States Steel Corporation, the papers being filed at Grand Rapids, Minn., the county seat of Itasca county, yesterday. The principal part of the unleased iron ore lands on this range comprises a vast acreage on the west end of the Mesaba in towns 56-23, 56-24 and 55-25, known as the Walker lands. These lands have been variously estimated to contain from 100,000,000 to 300,000,000 tons of ore, running about one-half Bessemer.

TRIED FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

Jack Purcell Charged With Killing a Man by Throwing Cuspidore.

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 16.—Jack Purcell is being tried here for manslaughter. He is accused of having killed W. D. Marvin in a saloon row on the 22d of last June. Purcell, it is alleged, threw a cuspidore at Edward Block, the bartender in the saloon, but it struck Marvin. Marvin was put to bed but got up shortly afterward, and it was not supposed that he was seriously hurt. He was found dead the next morning.

SICK WOMAN KILLS SELF.

Sends Husband From Room, and When Alone Takes Acid.

Yankton, S. D., Dec. 16.—Mrs. R. R. Stewart of Gayville, who took carbolic acid Monday night, is dead. Her body will be shipped to Harris, Iowa, for interment. Mrs. Stewart, who had been ill for some time, in a fit of despondency secured a bottle of carbolic acid which was in the house, secreted it in her bed, and sending her husband out of the room to get ready for supper, she drank the poison before he returned. She fought against antidotes and soon passed beyond medical aid.

ST. PAUL HONORS HILL.

Citizens Tender Banquit to Railroad Magnate.

St. Paul, Dec. 16.—J. J. Hill was the guest last night at a complimentary banquet tendered by the citizens of St. Paul in appreciation of his great work for St. Paul and the Northwest. More than 300 sat down to the banquet tables, which were decorated to resemble railroad tracks. The general decorations of the banquet hall were the most elaborate ever seen in the city. J. G. Pyle, J. J. McKibbin and Pierce Butler were the speakers.

FIRST TRIP ACROSS RIVER.

New Railroad Bridge at Pierre Is Put Into Service.

Pierre, S. D., Dec. 16. — The first train other than those in the construction work was taken across the Missouri river here yesterday, when officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road took about thirty invited guests across in a passenger coach. The party consisted of representatives of the city papers, city officials, and leading business men of Pierre.

Dies From Injuries.

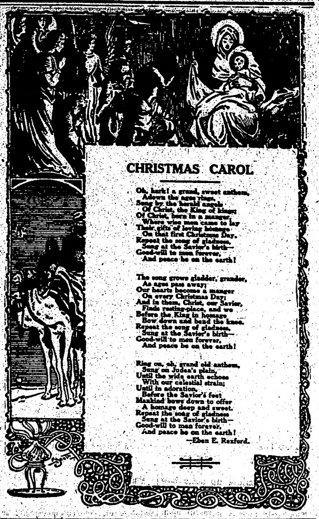
Grand Forks, N. D., Dec. 16. — Asa Wright, the young man who was terribly injured in the St. Anthony & Dakota elevator at Petersburg two weeks ago by being caught in the belt operating the machinery, and who had his right leg amputated above the knee the day following the accident, died yesterday.

Family of Suicides.

Gayville, S. D., Dec. 16.—Mrs. R. R. Stuart, wife of the leading lumber dealer of this place is dead from poison, self-administered. The act is attributed to illness. Mrs. Stuart's mother and brother took their own lives.

Injured by Cave-In.

Medora, N. D., Dec 16.—Daniel Connell, formerly of Detroit, Minn., was severely injured by a cave-in while mining at the Denniston ranch. One leg was broken twice and he received internal injuries.



CHRISTMAS CAROL

Oh, hark! a grand, sweet anthem,
  Adown the ages rings,
Sung by the herald angels
  Of Christ, the King of kings;
Of Christ, born in a manger,
  Where wise men came to lay
Their gifts of loving homage
  On that first Christmas Day.
Repeat the song of gladness,
  Sung at the Savior's birth—
Good-will to men forever,
  And peace be on the earth!

The song grows gladder, grander,
  As ages pass away;
Our hearts become a manger
  On every Christmas Day;
And in them, Christ, our Savior,
  Finds resting-place, and we
Before the King in homage
  Bow down and bend the knee.
Repeat the song of gladness,
  Sung at the Savior's birth—
Good-will to men forever,
  And peace be on the earth!

Ring on, oh, grand old anthem,
  Sung on Judea's plain,
Until the wide earth echoes
  With our celestial strain;
Until in adoration,
  Before the Savior's feet
Mankind bows down to offer
  A homage deep and sweet.
Repeat the song of gladness
  Sung at the Savior's birth—
Good-will to men forever,
  And peace be on the earth!

—Eben E. Rexford.

Suggested by the Season

Of all beautiful legends, of all beautiful verse, of all stories told in all the life of the whole world, there is no tale so wondrously beautiful as the story of the Christ-child. Every man and every women must recall those long-ago, faraway days when first the story was told to them, the story of the little babe in the manger, of the star of Bethlehem, with its rain of fire, the shepherds, the wise men and the doings of the angels. And with this memory come back other memories, mental visions of those whom we loved and who have passed away; of all the sweet joys of childhood, when the world was a playground instead of a workshop; of fond dreams and childish disappointments. Christmas day is a time when we must pause on the journey and rest by the wayside, sparing the golden hours for reverie and tasting the sweets of generosity and tender charity.

By all manner of judgment and beliefs we must concede that, so far as doing good is concerned, all days should be Christmas. To bestow neckties on Dec. 25, and cross words all the other 364 days of the year is to be like the common sinner who cheats his neighbor during the week and prays most energetically on the Sabbath.

Let us not confine our gifts to material things, but open up our hearts and give freely of their great stores. There's many a woman who, receiving a costly gift from husband or father, would only too gladly exchange it for some sweet expression of his fondness and affection. Many a mother from whom her children have grown away would prefer a caress, one endearing word, a kiss of love, to all the trinkets and baubles and gifts in the shops.

It isn't the gift, it's the love and thoughtfulness that prompt it. The woman who gives because she feels it a duty is practicing deceit, and belittling herself. If one wishes not to bestow a holiday remembrance let one at least have the courage of one's feelings and sentiments and be true and honest about it. No human soul wants a present that is given grudgingly.

According to our way of thinking it is a beautiful thing that once a year, one may have the privilege of doing something nice for those to whom one is devoted.

The pleasure is so great that, on Dec. 26 one should decide to put a little of the Christmas spirit into daily existence.

Perhaps you don't know it, but it is true nevertheless that the more you give the more you will have. There is certainly some great, wonderful power that takes away from those who are grasping and selfish, and who helps along all those whose hearts swing true.

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Let me tell you something. It is in her heart that you will find genuine contentment. No matter what horrible anxieties she has suffered, what dreadful troubles she has dragged wearily through, what pain and cares have been hers, she is the one who knows the calm, sweet comfort that comes when she looks out into a gray sky and realizes that she has done good to some one, that she has brought a smile to quivering lips, a light to discouraged eyes, life to a heart without hope.

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There is a woman I know, and she had nothing at all—father, mother, brother or sister or even a home. But she had something else that lots of people have not, and that is courage—and she was only a little slip of a girl, too. But she worked very hard for quite a number of long years, and now she has many things which she has always wanted—little luxuries that every woman loves—pretty things in her home and pretty things to wear.

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"Aren't you proud of yourself for having accomplished something? I am."

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Notice for Bids on County Printing

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the board of Co. Comrs. of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the office of the county auditor in Red Lake Falls, Minn., until six o'clock p. m., on January 2, 1906, for printing and publishing the proceedings of the board of county commissioners, the list of real estate taxes delinquent for the year 1904 and such notices as are required by law to be printed and published in a legal newspaper in said county of Red Lake.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract and to give a bond in such sum and with such sureties as may be determined by the board.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.

By order of the board of county commissioners.

By JAMES E. FORD,

(Seal) County Auditor.

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In Probate Court, Special Term, December 7th, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Desire Grenier Deceased:

On Receiving and Filing The petition of Mary Grenier of the County of Red Lake representing, among other things, that Desire Grenier late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of October A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is the widow of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to her Mary Grenier granted;

It is Ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1905 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered Further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,

(seal.) N. W. Tarrant,

Judge of Probate.

Order to Examine Accounts.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake. }

In Probate Court, Regular term December 4th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson, Deceased.

On Reading and Filing the Petition of S. J. Swanson, Administrator of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 4th day of December A. D. 1905.

By the Court,

N. W. TARRANT,

[seal] Judge of Probate.

Order to Examine Accounts.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss
County of Red Lake }

IN PROBATE COURT

Special Term, November 27, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ernest J. Akerlund, administrator of the estate of John C. Malmquist, deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is ordered that said account be examined, and petition, heard by this Court, on Saturday, the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 27th day of November, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,

(Seal) N. W. TARRANT,

N-30-D-14 Judge of Probate.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is simply liquid electricity. It goes to every part of your body, bringing new blood, strength and new vigor. It makes you well and keeps you well. 35 cents. —A. L. Reichert.

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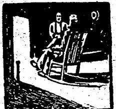

I'm waiting fer th' holidays: somehow it seems ter me
They's lots more joy in Christmas now 'an what they used ter be:
Th' sunshine seems lots brighter, th' skies a deeper blue
Than any o' th' Christmuses 'at us old fellers knew
When we wuz harum scarum kids, an' laid awake all night,
An' went tiptoein' down th' hall afore it skerce was light,
An' ketched poor dad a-ramblin' round an' lookin' almost froze,
A-paddlin' bar-foot across the floor an' wigglin' of his toes.

Now standin' stork-like with one foot raised off th' cold, cold floor,
An' lookin' fer the whiskers 'at he wore th' year before,
So's he could play at Santa Claus an' fool us fellers. My!
How us kids sneaked back a-sniggerin' till we was like ter die!
An' crawled back inter bed ag'in, a-waitin' fer th' yells,
The "Whoa! now! you ol' reindeers!" an' janglin' o' the' bells
'At told us all was ready: an' nuts, an' cake an' things
Riz up afore our vision, till we went down stairs on wings!

An' dad, he looked so happy, an' mother smilin' so—
My! but they was a happy pair! Them days we didn't know
What Christmas day could mean ter them, but now I guess we do,
Since we've got youngsters o' our own, ol' feller, me an' you:
An' so th' world's lots brighter now; they's somethin' in th' shine
O' eyes a-lookin' in your face, an' eyes 'at look in mine,
An' in our hearts th' kind o' love 'at makes a feller glad!
Till we're as happy now, I guess, as mother was, an' dad.

Houston Post.

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of California will improve your health, build up your system and benefit your mental and physical condition generally. The North-Western Line will sell you through tickets at very low rates. Comfortable tourist cars leave the Twin Cities each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. For information as to rates, train service, etc, write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A. St. Paul, Minn.

Tragedy in Indiana.

Fort Wayne, Ind., March 11.—Joseph Jobst, 44 years old, a driver of a brewery wagon, shot his wife Friday and then committed suicide. The woman will live. She had applied for a divorce from Jobst.

Editor Munn Dies.

New York, March 13.—Henry Newcomb Munn, editor of the Scientific American, is dead at his home in this city. He was a member of the firm which publishes that paper.

A Record Price.

New York, March 13.—A seat on the New York stock exchange has been sold for $82,500. This is the high record price. The name of the purchaser is not disclosed.

Robbers Secure $2,700.

Renfrow, Okla., March 13.—Robbers blew open the safe of the Renfrow bank and escaped with $2,700 in cash. An armed posse is in pursuit.

Three Are Killed.

Eveleth, Minn, April 25.—In a handcar accident Sunday night on the Duluth, Missabe & Northern between Zim and Norway Ridge three men were killed and one injured.

Two of the dead are Gus Tieman, a section foreman at Norway Ridge, and Charles Erickson, whose dead body was brought here from Virginia last night.

The four were coming from Zim when they were struck by No. 12. Erickson and an unknown man who is now in the hospital here, were taken off the pilot of the engine. The bodies of the other two were not found until morning. Both of them were in the ditch.

MINERS MEET DEATH.

Twelve Killed by Explosion Near Dubois, Pa.—Ten Dashed to Pieces at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Dubois, Pa., April 29.—An explosion, the exact nature of which is as yet unexplained, occurred in the Eleanora shaft near this city, Thursday night. Twelve were killed and one had both legs and both arms broken. He will probably die. An examination of the bodies as they were laid on the floor of the little building near the shaft indicated that death had come instantly. Those that had the black dust washed from their bodies showed evidences of having been burned, scarlet spots showing all over their bodies. Their clothing tears as though it were made of paper.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 27.—Ten miners were instantly crushed to death Wednesday at the Conyngham mine of the Delaware & Hudson company, located in the northern part of this city. The men were being lowered into the mine, and when 350 feet from the surface the rope broke and the cage fell to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 400 feet.

A rescuing party was at once organized, and they found the bodies of the men in the sump at the bottom of the shaft beneath a mass of debris. They were terribly mangled. Most of the victims lived in the vicinity of the mine, and when the rescuers brought the crushed forms to the surface a large crowd was in waiting. The grief of the relatives of the dead was heart-rending.

Wilburton, Okla., May 1.—Thirteen miners were entombed and probably killed by an explosion at 1:20 Sunday morning in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Coal company's mine No. 19, four miles west of here. There is little prospect of their bodies being recovered for several days. It is the universal opinion of experienced miners that all the men are dead. Foreman Steiner was killed at the bottom of the shaft. He had returned to the surface a few minutes before the explosion to look after Bud Cole, a negro belonging to the preceding shift, whose leg had been cut off by a trip. He had, according to the engineer, barely reached the bottom of the shaft when the explosion occurred. The heels of his shoes were torn off and thrown to the top of the shaft.

CORRESPONDENCE

ST. HILAIRE.

George Anderson, of Bemidji, was in town visiting E. R. Evans Monday.

G. B. Grace, book keeper for the Crookston Lumber Company here, left for a week's visit with his parents at Davenport, Iowa, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Austin were Thief River Falls visitors last Thursday.

M. J. Court, the creamery package man, was in town Wednesday.

A. R. Jones returned from North Dakota last Tuesday to spend the holidays with his family.

Miss Clara Hoff was at Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

The schools will close Friday for a two week's vacation.

Joel G. Winkjer was in town Monday and on account of an attack of illness was unable to attend the band concert.

Bruce Harris and Oscar Miller, of Bemidji, are taking the annual inventory of the lumber yards here.

The planer shut down Saturday until the first of the year. A new boiler is being put in and general repairing done.

Miss Celia Lalonde, of Crookston, is visiting Mrs. O. F. Post this week.

Mrs. H. C. Adams, Lewis Adams and son left on Tuesday for their new home at Bellingham, Washington.

A. F. Lang has returned from North Dakota, to spend the holidays with his family here.

The band boys gave one of their delightful concerts Monday evening and it was enjoyed by all present. The people of St. Hilaire show lack of appreciation of a good thing when they fail to give the boys their heartiest support.

Miss Josephine Gigstad is visiting her sister Mrs. A. M. Edstrom at Hazel this week.

A Fearful Fate

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for blind, bleeding itching and protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made. Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c. at all druggists.

BROOKS.

Joe La Chance left for Red Lake Falls Saturday having completed his work here with A. Morin.

R. Poirer made a flying trip to Plummer to meet H. C. Selden president of the H. C. Selden Lumber Co.

Con Short passed through here on his way home to Lillo Monday.

Walt Quesnell, Sam Boucher, Peter Boucher and Louis Champagne drove to Terrebonne Sunday.

O. C. Moore and wife left Saturday for Minneapolis to visit friends and relatives.

Subscribe for the Red Lake Courier and get the Brooks locals.

Morice Dargon of Wylie passed through here on his way to McIntosh Wednesday.

Fred Zaiser drove up from the Falls with a bunch of traveling men.

Joe Morisette was in from Plummer with a couple of traveling men.

Ed Hebert and Paul Laroue drove down to the county seat on business.

Aug. Morin has just received the bill for school dist 126 which he donated. The bill weighs 450 pounds and is a nice gift which the citizens of Brooks appreciate very much with thanks.

Why You Should go to California

It is not an expensive trip, taking into consideration the benefit to your health which cannot be estimated in dollars. Comfortable tourist cars leave Minneapolis and St. Paul every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday via the North-Western Line. For information as to rates, train services, etc. write to T. W. Teasdale, G. P. A., St. Paul, Minn.

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Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold at W. A. Schreiter.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, December 7th, 1905.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called: Aldermen all present except Brady.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Schmitz, street work	$ 7 50
Julius Keibl, do	11 25
Adelor Bisson, do	10 50
John Deforge, do	19 80
John Grady, Clerk of election 3rd ward	2 60
A. L. Reichert, Judge of election 3rd ward	6 60
V. M. Higinbotham, Clerk of election 3rd ward	2 60
V. H. Detling, Clerk of election 1st ward	2 60
John Drier, labor	23 00
Zaiser Bros., livery	3 25
Fred Borchers, Secy. Services by fire department	69 00
Thief River Falls Lumber Co., Lumber, etc	14 61
Robertson Lumber Company, Lumber, etc	68 71

The following bills were laid on the table:

J. C. Wilkinson, services in quarantine cases	77 50
O'Brien Bros., hardware acct	41 16
F. E. Hunt, do	62 41

Aldermen Borchers and Hennemuth were appointed a committee to examine the records and vouchers of the city officers and report at the next regular meeting.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 18th day of December, A. D. 1905. J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin, City Clerk.

Furious Fighting

"For seven years," writes Geo. W. Hoffman of Harper, Wash., "I had a bitter battle, with chronic stomach and liver trouble, but at last I won, and cured my diseases, by the use of Electric Bitters. I unhesitatingly recommend them to all, and don't intend in the future to be without them in the house. They are certainly a wonderful medicine, to have cured such a bad case as mine." Sold under guarantee to do the same for you, by all druggists, at 50c a bottle. Try them today.

New Burglar Trap.

A Paris burglar was caught in the act of leaving a house with his spoil owing to a musical album, which formed part of the stolen goods, starting to play the "Marseillaise" and thus rousing the inmates.

A River of Wine.

Casks holding 500,000 pints of wine exploded in a wine vault at [illegible], Switzerland, the wine flowing in torrents down the street.

Scotch and Irish.

As illustrating a difference in characteristics it is officially noted that twice as many people in Scotland as in Ireland choose to go to prison for minor offenses rather than pay a fine. In Ireland they pay the fine.

The Creamery For Ice Cream.

The creamery industry in Maryland is in some respects quite different from that found in the west, inasmuch as most of those in this state do not confine themselves to the making of butter, but make butter only as a means of utilizing surplus and sell most of their products as cream or ice cream. The selling of the products of creameries for cream and ice cream rather than the making of it into butter has enabled the farmer to realize better prices than would be obtained otherwise. Some creameries of the state that have made all of their products into butter have been run quite successfully, while many have been a disappointment to the farmers and could not hold their patronage because of the low prices paid for milk.—[illegible]

Feeding [illegible]

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Doctors Could Not Help Her

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured, I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." It makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. Unless they do this, good health is impossible. Sold at W. A. Schreiter.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY
TIME TABLE
THE COMFORTABLE WAY.

Going West		Going East
8:15 P. M. Lv.	St. Paul	Ar. 7:45 A. M.
8:50 P. M. Lv.	Minneapolis	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
8:15 P. M. Lv.	Duluth	Ar. 7:10 A. M.
9:15 A. M.	Crookston	6:45 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	Dugdale	6:00 P. M.
10:35 A. M.	Red Lake Falls	5:25 P. M.
11:05 A. M.	St. Hilaire	4:55 P. M.
11:35 A. M.	Thief River	4:30 P. M.
12:01 P. M.	Steiner	4:05 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Sandridge	3:52 P. M.
12:40 P. M.	Middle River	3:21 P. M.
1:05 P. M.	Strathcona	2:57 P. M.
1:35 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv. 2:26 P. M.

Sleeping car reservations, tickets and information from
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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Notice for Bids for Wood

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the board of Co. Comsrs. of Red Lake Co. Minn, at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn., for furnishing to Red Lake county and delivering at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, fifty cords of green body Poplar wood, the same to be delivered not later than April 1.

The successful bidder will be required to enter into a contract and to give a bond to the county in such sum as may be determined by the board of county commissioners.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved by the board.

By order of the board of county commissioners.
By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor.
(Seal)

Notice for Bids

Sealed bids will be received for the construction of a steel bridge over the Red Lake River near Huot postoffice and also for the constructing of a combination iron and frame bridge, using the old material of a bridge now at Crookston, which will be delivered at the site of the bridge to be built.

Bids will be received up until Saturday, Dec. 30th., 1905. Five per cent of the cost of the bridge must be deposited by certified check to be retained by the committee on the acceptance of a bid for the construction of said bridge until a bond is furnished for the completion of said bridge. Certified checks of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned. Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., Dec. 8th, 1905.
Committee—N. M. WATSON
—J. A. DUFFY
—FRANCIS GRENIER

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Formation of New District

Whereas, A petition has been filed with the board of county commissioners of the county of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: Lots 3 and 4, the south half of the northwest quarter and the south-east quarter of section 3, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the south half of the northeast quarter, the northwest quarter, the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of section 4, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the south half of the northeast quarter, the northwest quarter, the southeast quarter and the southwest quarter of section 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 and the south half of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section 6; lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the east half of the northwest quarter, the southwest quarter, the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section 7; all of sections 8 and 9, the west half of section 10, the west half of section 15, all of sections 16 and 17 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and the east half of the northwest quarter, the southwest quarter, the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section 18 in township 152 north, of range 42 west, and the said board of county commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore,

NOTICE

Is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be had at a meeting of the said board, commencing upon the third day of January, A. D. 1906, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said board of county commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this twenty-fifth day of November, A. D., 1905.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minn.
By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Formation of New District

Whereas, A petition has been filed with the board of county commissioners of the county of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described, to-wit: The south half of section 31 in township 153 north, of range 43 west; the north half, the southwest quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter of section 1; the north half, the north half of the south-east quarter and the south-north half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 12; all of section 11, all of section 2 and the northeast quarter of section 3 in township 152 north, of range 43 west; all of section 36, the south half of section 35 and the east half of the south-east quarter 34 in township 153 north, of range 43 west, and the said board of county commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore,

NOTICE

Is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be had at a meeting of the said board, commencing on the fourth day of January, A. D. 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said board of county commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this twenty-fifth day of November, A. D., 1905.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minn.
By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

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Whereas, A petition has been filed with the board of county commissioners of the county of Red Lake, signed and acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who reside in the proposed new district herein described, and who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, and duly verified by the affidavit of one of the residents of said proposed new district, praying for the organization of a new school district out of the territory hereinafter described to-wit: The west half of section 3, all of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, the west half of section 10 and all of sections 16, 17 and 18 in township [illegible] north, of range 40 west; and the said board of county commissioners have appointed a time and place for a hearing upon said petition as by law required;

Now therefore,

NOTICE

Is hereby given, that a hearing upon said petition will be had at a meeting of the said board, commencing upon the third day of January, A. D. 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, at which time and place the said board of county commissioners will hear arguments of all persons interested, for or against the proposed organization of said new school district.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this twenty-fifth day of November, A. D., 1905.

By order of the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minn.
By JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is Hereby Given, That on the fourth day of January, 1906, at two o'clock p. m., at the office of the county auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minn., I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 24 of Red Lake Co. established by the board of Co. Comrs of Red Lake Co. State of Minnesota by their order bearing date November 24, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source; also two branches of said ditch numbered 1 and 2 respectively, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order; and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the auditor of said County, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order and estimates and profile are on file, and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 47,680 cubic yards of earth, the same to be deposited along the sides of the main ditch and branches either in spoil banks or so as to form a grade suitable for public traffic as prescribed by the Engineer in charge.

The estimated total cost of the work is $4,762.00.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the auditor of said county, for not less than ten per cent. of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated December 6, 1905.
JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.
(Auditor's Seal)

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is hereby given, that on the fourth day of January, 1906, at one o'clock p. m., at the office of the County Auditor in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of digging and constructing the Ditch No. 23 of Red Lake county, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, by their order bearing date the 24th day of November, 1905, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required, and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent. over and above the estimate cost of the construction, in any case, as stated in the said order: and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond, to be approved by the Auditor of said county, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job within the time required in the contract. The said order estimates and profile are on file and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of such ditch is as follows:

The excavation and removal of 36,718 cubic yards of earth, the same to be deposited along the banks of the ditch in such manner as is prescribed by the engineer in charge.

The estimated total cost of the work is $3671.50.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County, for not less than ten per cent. of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated December 6, 1905.
JAMES E. FORD,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, State of Minnesota.
(Auditor's Seal.)

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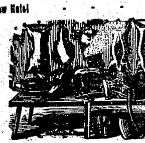

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" " 1 Northern	71
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Flax No. 1	92
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" no grade	84
Barley from	22-31
Oats	25
Hay	$4.50
Bran	$15.00
Shorts	$16.00
Mascot Flour	[illegible].55
Wood, poplar	$3.00 to $3.50
Butter 20c.	Eggs 25c.

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Banker Duffy spent Sunday at Plummer.

Mr. J. W. Lynch and son Dan were in from Garness Monday.

Go to Spillane's for your Christmas candies. A select line is carried.

Mr. R. Fortier came in from Gentilly Tuesday and spent the day with his son, J. R.

Mrs. M. Labage and daughter, of Fargo, were guests of Sister Baptist of the parochial school this week.

Mr. Julius Pleth, the energetic and hustling Plummer real estate man was in the city on business Tuesday.

Fay Walker, of North Dakota and Peter, of Marshall. are here on a visit with their brothers and families over Christmas.

Road Master Regan and wife were at Crookston last week to see Mr. Regans nephew Dan who is very low with typhoid fever.

What makes a nicer Christmas present than a picture? Dosn't cost you very much and is surely appreciated. See W. A. Reichel.

Assistant Station Agent Hall, of the G. N., returned Saturday from Noyes, where he has been as relief agent the past month. It is needless to add Agent Tracy is pleased to have his assistant with him once more as the work keeps one man wondering where the end is.

The Big Store is paying 25c per dozen for eggs.

Father Ansgaar was a visitor at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ralph Green and Thos. Vietch, of Garness, were city visitors here yesterday.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy was summoned to her home at Lake City last week by the serious illness of her mother.

Try an "I Lead" cigar, only 5c, guaranteed to give satisfaction; if you want something better smoke a "B. B."

The remarkable mild winter weather of the past week has been duly appreciated by the fellow who buys the wood.

We are in receipt of a very choice line of fresh cookies. They are the best on the market.

—J, R. & R. Fortier.

Mr. Frank Brouillet, LaBissoniere's right hand man in the grocery department has been absent from the store this week owing to sickness.

Mr. Michael Kees, treasurer of school district No. 167 and one of the progressive men of his community made the COURIER a pleasant call on Friday last.

Mein Herr Otto Claas with the Falls Meat Market has been compelled to take a lay-off for a time owing to ill health and will spend some time with his brother-in-law at Plummer.

The foreman of the Crookston Lumber Co's, camp at Shotley, John Thomson, died at a Bemidji hospital last week. Mr. Thomson was well known to many Northern Minnesota lumbermen.

Mr. Abner Fletcher who is in the train service at Larimore, N. D., arrived in the city this week for a visit with his brother, Dentist Fletcher. Mr. Fletcher was recently discharged from a Fargo hospital where he was suffering with typhoid fever.

Attorney Boughton was at Crookston, Monday getting the final judgment in the case of Halvor Johnson vs. Gunhild Johnson for possession and title of a farm near St. Hilaire. The valuation of the farm is about $4,000 and the case was tried during the October 1904 term of court.

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Wm. Stone, of Crookston, transacted business here Monday.

County Attorney Germo is in the cities this week on legal business.

Mr. E. L. Healy was in St. Paul this week attending to business matters.

Red Lake Fall's only "Jim" Armstrong (the name is a misnomer) was in Crookston Friday.

Mr. G. Miller of Hamilton, N. D., was the guest of Dr. Argue last week leaving for his home Saturday.

Deputy Game Warden Jones, of Thief River, was in this city and neighborhood Wednesday looking the field over.

Spillane has an elegant selection of pipes which would make fine gifts for Christmas. Also a variety of brands in tobaccos and cigars.

A dozen pictures costs but little and makes twelve acceptable presents for Christmas. Give W. A. Reichel your order for a dozen now.

The interior of Auditor Ford's office presents a neater appearance since the kalsomining of the vault and painting of the large work desk.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. tf

Postoffice Inspector Frye was in the city a few days this week. Mr. Frye is interested in the milling company and his visit here was connected with that institution.

The end-of-the-year work in the county auditor's office has been so heavy that Auditor Ford has found it necessary to secure additional help and Adam Zeh is occupying a desk and assisting in clearing up the work.

Sheriff Linnihan this week took Ward, one of the Thief River box car robbers, to Crookston, the county jail now being filled to overflow. From Crookston the sheriff went to Cass Lake and Black Duck looking after the interests of an estate of which he is administrator.

Mr. Martin Tew, was a passenger on Saturday's north bound train and met his old classmate, County Attorney Germo. Mr. Tew was an officer in the 13th Minnesota and served in the Philipines. He is a platform orator of note and it is probable he will deliver a lecture in this city in the near future.

Rev. Knox returned last Saturday from Rollis where he has been holding a series of meetings for the two weeks previously. The reverend gentleman was more than pleased with the meetings and the genuine christian spirit shown and says a large number of communicants were added to the church.

The Minnesota Educational Association's forty-third annual convention will be held at St. Paul on December 27 to 29th inclusive Superintendent McAnulty of this county has been assigned a subject "The School a Mutual Ground." The association's meeting promises to be very fruitful in results and the state at large is always the gainer by these yearly conventions.

The business men of St. Hilaire and farmers adjoining met in that village Saturday for the purpose of organizing and building a co-operative flour mill and elevator. Much interest was manifested and the probabilities are that before the snow flies next year the project will be a reality. It is proposed to erect a 75 barrel mill and an elevator adequate to handle all grain for its use. Canvassers from 12 towns of the central part of the county were appointed to solicit subscriptions and a ways and means committee was also appointed which will meet at St. Hilaire on Feb. 6th when something tangible will be brought to a head.

School closes Friday for the usual two week's holidays vacation.

Attorney Bougton was at St. Hilaire on business matters Wednesday.

C. F. Greenwood, who represents a general office supply house was here Monday.

Wm. Erb who has a homestead on the reservation, is spending a few days visiting old friends.

When you want a smoke call for a La Columbia. It has the quality and satisfies. Sold by dealers.

A son born to Mr. and Mrs. John Kehoe, of Middle River, died shortly after its birth in this city Wednesday.

"Samuel Smiles," that's the cigar that makes you smile. Call for it, your dealear keeps it, and you are sure of a good smoke.

At Fortier's store you will find the very best selection of canned goods for your Christmas dinner as well as for everyday use. Everything fresh.

The town of Terrebonne voted by a substantial majority on Tuesday to float a refunding bond of $1700. The bonds were negotiated through the Merchants' State Bank.

Mr. R. D. Converse, of Cass Lake visited his brother in the city this week. Mr Converse formerly followed the profession of the art preservators of art but is now writing hooks and crooks.

At the regular meeting of the M. B. A. lodge on Monday the members decided to give a basket social and a dance at their hall on Monday evening, January 15th. This function will be one of the best of the new year and the members will be glad to welcome all.

Several of our local followers and admirers of the manly art sat up last night and followed the trend of the Fitzimmons and O'Brien fight as it was ticked over the wires by rounds. Fitz threw up the sponge at the conclusion of the 13th round, having received a vicious punch in the stomach. The old gladiator is down and out and avers this is his last scrap.

Attorney Richardson, and also postmaster of Thief River Falls, was in the city on legal business Friday. His office was recently moved into new quarters and entire new fixtures installed. There are few offices in cities the size of Thief River in this state that can "hold a candle light to it."

The business men of Plummer have come to the assistance of the creamery at that place. Certain much needed improvements should have been made but owing to the financial condition of the creamery association it was decided by that body to defer them until later—hence the assistance from the business men. It will prove a good investment.

MRS. FRED SCHMIDT DEAD.

Mrs. Fred Schmidt living near the city limits, and a well known and respected lady died at her home Saturday evening at 9:45 o'clock after a lingering illness of several months' duration. She recently returned from St. Vincent's hospital at Crookston where she underwent treatment for three months, but medical aid and nursing proved of no avail.

She was a loving wife, a devoted mother and a kind and considerate neighbor and friend which makes her death keenly felt by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, whose heartfelt sympathy goes out to the bereaved family in this, their hour of sorrow.

She leaves, besides her husband, five children, a sister, Mrs. Adam Schmitz, and a brother, Mr. M. Kees, to mourn her loss.

A WICKED CITY.

It has become a debatable question with Thief River people if it it is not advisable and a necessity to "stake" their buildings down to prevent them from being carted away. Some time during Sunday night, in the full glare of electric lights a party of daring fellows, drove up to the rear of Swenson's general store in that city and loaded a sleigh with goods and complacently drove away. Their selection of goods was very choice and sufficient to stock up an ordinary country store.

HOLIDAY RATES

The Great Northern Ry. announces holiday rates to all points east of Montana. For particulars call on agent, or phone 32.

You Must Hurry

if you wish to get some of the goods from our holiday stock. The best things are being picked every day. We will put aside anything you will select and hold it until you call for it or deliver it to your order. This week we have received

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in Doilies, Handkerchiefs, Center pieces, Turn over Collars, etc. See the most beautiful line of goods ever exhibited in the city.

Why not give your husband or son a

SUIT OR OVERCOAT

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You can pick something nobby out of our line and save enough to buy many other things. TRY US.

Our 5-10-15 and 25c Counters

still have lots of good things to sell. This makes buying easy for you. Every article a money saver.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas

Yours to please

The Big Store

Theo. LaBissoneire, Prop.

COMMISSIONER SUTOR RESIGNS

County Commissioner Sutor of the first district filed his resignation with Auditor Ford on Friday last and the election of his successor will be made by the chairmen of the board of supervisors of his district which comprises the towns of Numedal, Bray, Polk Centre, Louisville and Black River. Auditor Ford has suggested the date of meeting for the 28th inst., to elect his successor. There are naturally several candidates in the field among the prominent ones so far mentioned being Ed. Enright, of Black River, C. P. Swanson, of Bray, and Chas. Lindquist, of Polk Centre. Unquestionably other aspirants will spring up and there may be quite a fight on for Sutor's shoes.

TILL DEATH DOETH THEM PART

Judge of Probate Tarrant joined in the holy bonds of wedlock Oscar Anderson and Christine Olson, of Garness at his office in the court house on Tuesday. The young couple has the Courier's heartiest congratulations and wish them unbounded happiness and prosperity.

The Courier $1. one year.

ACCUSED OF GRAIN STEALING

Benson Terreau and his son, Frank, were arrested at their farm in Gentilly the first of the week by Deputy Sheriff Zeh upon a warrant charging them with stealing 75 bushels of grain from the John La Crosse farm on the night of Dec. 13 last. They were brought before Justice Lewis on Tuesday but were released on bonds until Friday when the trial will be held.

MARRIED 1,000 COUPLES.

Rev. Wm. R. Wiggington, of Limeus, Mo., is said to have married over 1,000 couples in his time. The most interesting feature of this remarkable career is that he has often married three generations of the same family. Today he is as strong and well as most men of half his age, but then most all of us could be the same by using golden grain belt beer regularly at home. It's the quiet, healthful life with good food and such a tonic as golden grain belt beer that keeps men strong and hearty. No home is complete without it. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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Assisted by the High School Chorus

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE

December 29, 1905

PROGRAMME

PART I

1. March - - - - "DIXIELAND"
Haines
2. Overture - - - "AMERICAN TRIUMPH"
Miller
3. Baritone Solo - "[illegible]BUCKLENIAN POLKA"
Hartman
Mr. J. Armststrong
4. Grand Fantasie - - - "MARITANA"
Wallace
5. Violin Solo Czardas - - "BRAHAM"
F. E. Miller

PART II

6. Quartette for Strings "FELICE"
Langey
Messrs. Miller, Tracy, Berthon and L. Healy
7. Duet for two cornets - "KINDRED SOULS"
Eilenberg
Messrs. Brunelle and Healy
8. Song of the Vikings - E. FANNING
High School Chorus,
Mr. Henry Tonning, Director
9. Spanish Serenade - - "LA PALOMA"
Yradier
10. March "CHICAGO TRIBUNE"
Chambers
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The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

By SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

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CHAPTER IX—(Continued).

"I remember," pursued Ulin. "It all comes to me now. I bathed his bruised head, and bound up his wounds, while you brought the cordial which my mother provided."

"So it was, my lady. I have seen the slave since—have seen him several times—he has brought messages to your father—and I know that his gratitude is strong. If Osmir has any power to open the prison door, and I can find him, there may be some hope."

"But can you find him?" asked the princess. She spoke eagerly, and no longer sought to conceal the real cause of her anxiety.

"I can try," returned the attendant; "and even here we have a fortunate help. Shubal, who has been so long your servant, is a near friend to Osmir. I will take Shubal with me, and we may find the man we seek. Shall I not leave at once?"

"Yes, Albia. Go at once. Be careful, for all may depend on the secrecy of your movements. I have entered upon this matter, and I will now give all my energies to its consummation. Go—and bring me answer as quickly as you can."

The bondmaiden left the apartment, and when Ulin was once more alone, she started to her feet, and moved to the window. The flush was back upon her cheek, and the sparkle was in her eye. Her pure blood was circulating with new power, as, for the time, she forgot the king in the memory of the youthful chieftain.

In less than an hour Albia returned, and the beam upon her face told very plainly that she had not been entirely disappointed.

"My good mistress," she said, "Shubal has served us well. I found him without difficulty, and he at once went alone in search of Osmir. He found him at the royal palace, and has brought him hither."

"Brought Osmir?"

"Yes."

"And what does he say?"

"I have not spoken to him of Julian. I thought you had better do that. You may have more influence."

"Very well—bring him up at once. I will shrink from nothing now."

In a little while the tall, dark form glided within the chamber of the princess. He bowed low as he entered, and when he saw the lady Ulin, he sank down upon his knee.

"Noble lady," he said, "Albia informed me that I can be of service to you. Once you served me, and my life has been yours ever since. Command me."

At first Ulin had been startled by the appearance of the powerful black within her chamber; but when she remembered the service she had done him, and when she saw how gently the beams of gratitude fell upon her from his brown eyes, she regained her confidence.

"I will not command you, Osmir; I can only ask you to assist me. You may be able to serve me, and you may not be able. But I will not detain you with useless words. You do not yet know what I seek?"

"I do not, lady."

"You helped to bring the robber chieftain to Damascus."

"Ha—who told you that?" He was not startled with fear; but he rather seemed to wonder how the princess had gained the information.

"Do you know a man named Hobaddan?"

"Yes, lady. He is second in command of the robber band."

"He has been here, Osmir, and he has induced me to use my influence towards gaining freedom for his chieftain. I may not explain to you, but nevertheless I am willing to confess that I do much desire to free this Julian from the power of the king. Can you help me?"

He bowed his head, and pretty soon arose to his feet.

"Lady," he said, "I did help in the capture of the young chieftain; but when I came to know him I would rather have served him had it been in my power. I found him a generous, honorable man and I learned to love him; but I was bound by an oath to the will of Judah, and I could not disobey. I wish I could save him now."

"Can you do it, Osmir? I do not wish that the king should kill him. We thought you might have access to his dungeon—that you might, at some time, be set to guard him."

"So it is, lady; but I am not to be on the guard again until daylight."

"And to-morrow may be the last!" uttered the princess, painfully. "If you cannot help us our hope has an end."

Osmir moved back and leaned against the wall, with his head upon his hand.

"Lady," he said, after much thought, "I have one source of hope. My companion, Selim—he who was with me in the work of capture—stands watch over the chieftain's dungeon at midnight. Selim may help me. If he will, Julian may be saved. I will hasten away at once, and exert this only influence I possess."

"And when can I know the result?" asked Ulin.

"Within two hours past midnight," said Osmir. "That is," he added, "if I have any result to bring. If I do not succeed, I may not return at all."

"At two hours past midnight," pursued Ulin, "Hobaddan is to be in my garden. You can meet him there."

"Yes," returned the guard, after a moment's reflection, "if I succeed, I shall not fear to meet the lieutenant. If I am not in the garden at the time appointed, or very near that time, you may know that I have done all that lay in my power. Have you more to say?"

"No, good Osmir. Go to the work, and do the best you can."

He spoke a simple word of promise, and then turned from the apartment, Albia conducting him down, and guiding him out by a small door in the garden wall.

"Albia," he said, as he stood beneath the low arch—and his tone showed that he did not speak lightly—"your mistress does not dream of the danger I must undergo in this work; but I will be true to my promise, I will do all I can. If Selim will not join me, there is the end; but if he falls in with me, then we both put our lives at stake, and the prize may be won. I hope we shall succeed."

The bondmaiden watched the retreating form until it was lost in the darkness, and then she closed the gate, and turned her steps back towards the house.

CHAPTER X.

In the Dungeon.

The robber chieftain had been placed in one of the most gloomy dungeons beneath the royal palace, his legs and arms loaded with chains, and his feet shackled to a bolt in the floor. How long he had been there he could not tell. Night and day were the same in the living tomb. Food and drink had been brought to him thrice, and a masked mute had been in to remove the tray. He had but one hope of escape, and even that was so feeble that it would not bear the entertainment. He thought if his followers should discover where he was, they might possibly dare to attempt his release; but when he came to weigh all the circumstances, he dared not think they would do it. In short, Julian had made up his mind that death was very near to him.

And what had he to live for? What, but revenge upon the King of Damasmus? He had no parents—no relatives—nothing on earth of his own blood which he could claim. There might be living in the city some human being of his kin; but he did not know of such. He loved his brave fellows; but they could do without him. They were bold, stout men, and could look for themselves. What else was there? There were some poor families in the mountains—some friends upon the plain—and a few dependent ones near the river; but Hobaddan would care for them. What else was there?

The youthful chieftain bowed his head, and pressed his heavily laden hands upon his heart. There was one more—one whom he had hoped to see again in the coming time—one who had left an impression in his soul which had warmed and quickened his whole being. But why think of her? What could the beautiful daughter of Aboul Cassem be to him? In a few short days she would be the wife of his bitterest enemy.

Thus mused the prisoner, standing erect, with his manacled hands folded upon his bosom, when he was aroused from his reflections by the sound of creaking bolts, and in a few moments more the door of his dungeon was opened, and the rays of a lamp penetrated the place. Two men entered, closing the door after them; but the eyes of the chieftain were not yet used enough to the light to distinguish either their forms or features. Presently, however, as they addressed each other, he recognized the two blacks who had so fatally deceived him, and his first impulse was to raise his heavy chains and smite them down; but they were not near enough to be thus reached.

"Osmir—Selim," he said, "are you here?"

"Yes, my master," replied Osmir.

"Have you come to kill me?"

"No."

"To bear me to the king?"

"What, then? You have the watch over me?"

"Yes."

"And the king fears not to trust you?"

"You see he does trust us."

"Aye—as I trusted you. O, you are two ungrateful villains. When you came to me in the forest, I believed your tale of woe, and took pity upon you; and I meant to be kind to you, and make your lot a pleasant one. I looked into your faces, and I thought you were honest. I did not trust you from your speech, but from your honest looks. However, it is past. And now what seek ye?"

"Good master," said Osmir, speaking earnestly, "before I tell you why we are now here, let me say to you that we are not without hearts, and that we have some store of honesty. When we went to your camp, we went in the service of another master, whom we were bound to serve. We had sworn that we would capture you if we could. But, sir, after we had seen you, and known you, we would have recanted had the thing been possible. We asked Judah to free us from the task, but he refused."

"Why do you tell me this story now?"

"That you may know the reason of our action."

"You action speaks for itself. Look at these chains, and mark the fate to which I am doomed."

"I meant not the action of the past, good master; I alluded to action that was to come."

"Action to come?"

"Yes. Selim and I are here to speak of your release from this dungeon. Hold—let our words be few, for the time is short. We have promised that we would lead you forth from Horam's power if the thing were possible."

"Promised whom?" asked Julian.

The black hesitated. He knew not that he should use the name of the princess, so he finally answered:

"Hobaddan is in the city, and our promise has been sent to him. But—there is something more. If we lead you from this place, we do so in the face of great danger. We have planned for that, and have freely staked our lives in the work. But, if we succeed, and you are free, we can never more return to Damascus. If we go with you from this dungeon, we must go with you from the city, and remain with you."

Julian believed that the black was speaking truly and honestly.

"Certainly," he said, "if you lead me in safety from the bonds that now encompass me, I will give you such return as you may desire. You may remain with me, if you like, or I will give you safe conduct into the land of the Syrians."

"Your word is enough, my master, and henceforth Selim and I are your servants. We change our allegiance, and the proof of our fidelity shall be manifest in this first act of our service. We have dangers to meet, sir."

"Talk not of dangers," cried the chieftain. "Throw off these chains; give me a sword; and lead me to the upper world; and I ask no more. Once again I trust you, and if you prove true, my gratitude shall be your while I live?"

Without further words Osmir proceeded to the work he had come to perform. Selim held the lantern, while he loosed the irons from Julian's limbs; and very soon the chieftain stepped forth with his limbs free.

"There is no time to waste," said Osmir, as he cast the chains upon the floor. "We have good swords at hand, and for the rest we must trust to our wit and strength. There is danger enough between this dungeon and the open air; but I am ready to meet it."

"By the gods," cried Julian, as he grasped the sword which Osmir had placed in his hand. "I can laugh at danger now. Lead on, and let this present hour be the last of Horam's power!"

(To be continued.)

HARPOONING BLUE WHALES.

The Harpoon Gun is a Cruel Instrument of Destruction.

To pursue the blue whale successfully is, according to an interesting article in Pearson's Magazine, a complicated undertaking. For instance, one of the requirements is a boat that can steam twelve knots an hour, and which is furnished with a formidable weapon known as the harpoon-gun. The harpoon-gun is a ponderous piece of apparatus laced on a raised platform on the prow of the whaler, and consists of a short, stout cannon, mounted on a broad pedestal, on which it can rotate horizontally. The gun has also a vertical motion, and can be turned quickly in whatever direction the prow of the ship dominates. On the top of the gun are "sights" for aiming, just as in a rifle. Behind is the stock, which is grasped in the hand when firing the gun, and beneath it the trigger. The breech is a box-like arrangement, situated just where the stock is fastened to the gun proper. The gun is loaded in the ordinary way from the muzzle, and the harpoon is tightly rammed into it. To discharge the gun, a small cartridge, with a wire attached, is first put into the breech. Pressure on the trigger causes a pull on the wire, which ignites the cartridge and discharges the gun simultaneously. The harpoon is about six feet in length and very massive. It consists essentially of three parts, the anterior conical portion, the movable barbs, and the shaft. The anterior conical piece is an explosive shell filled with gunpowder, and screws on to the rest of the harpoon. The explosive shell is fired with a time-fuse after the harpoon is imbedded in the whale. Taken all in all, the harpoon-gun is about the most exquisitely cruel instrument of destruction devised by the ingenuity of man! But it is only when one sees and knows the prodigious brute it is meant to destroy that one realizes that it is nevertheless none too effective. The gun is never discharged at a greater distance than fifty feet, and seldom indeed at more than thirty from the whale. To be able to get so near requires not only very fine seamanship but a very intimate knowledge of the habits of the animal.—Philadelphia Times.

Hugest Sea Creature.

Of all the uncanny creatures in the animal kingdom the one whose acquaintance is hardest to make is the blue whale, the largest of all the whales, and, indeed, one of the most colossal animals, living or extinct, known to science. You will look in vain for him in zoological collections, in menageries, or even in museums. A brute 90 feet in length and weighing just as many tons does not lend itself to preservation or stuffing, and the few skeletons of him which do exist give one no idea of what he is like. The blue whale is hunted by the Norwegians chiefly for the sake of his oil, and is of considerable value, a full-grown specimen being worth from $1,250 to $1,500.

A Christmas Carol.

Christian people, come and sing,
Hope and joy receiving!
Tell of Him who is our King,—
Still His Words are living!
Proud or humble, rich or poor,
Christmas opens wide your door.
From each heart its blessings pour,—
The joy of joys is giving!

Christian people, sing ye now!
Earnest voices raising,
Sing good will to earth below,
Which, like heav'n, is praising!
Proud or humble, rich or poor,
Christmas opens wide your door.
From each heart its blessings pour,—
The joy of joys is giving!

CHRISTMAS MEMORIES

Time was, with most of us, when Christmas day encircling all our limited world like a magic ring, left nothing out for us to miss or seek; bound together all our home enjoyments, affections, and hopes; grouped everything and every one around the Christmas fire; and made the little picture shining in our bright young eyes, complete.

Time came, perhaps, all so soon! when our thoughts overleaped that narrow boundary; when there was some one (very dear, we thought then, very beautiful, and absolutely perfect) wanting to the fullness of our happiness; when we were wanting too (or we thought so, which did just as well), at the Christmas hearth by which that some one sat; and when we intertwined with every wreath and garland of our life that some one's name.

That was the time for the bright visionary Christmases which have long arisen from us to show faintly, after summer rain, in the palest edges of the rainbow! That was the time for the beatified enjoyment of the things that were to be, and never were, and yet the things that were so real in our resolute hope that it would be hard to say, now, what realities achieved since, have been stronger!

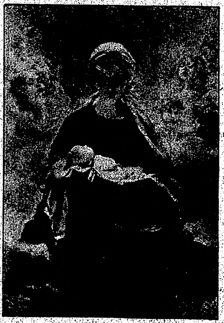
What! Did that Christmas never really come when we and the priceless pearl who was our young choice were received, after the happiest of totally impossible marriages, by the two united families previously at daggers-drawn on our account? When brothers and sisters-in-law who had always been rather cool to us before our relationship was effected, perfectly doted on us, and when fathers and mothers overwhelmed us with unlimited incomes. Was that Christmas dinner never really eaten, after which we arose, and generously and eloquently rendered honor to our late rival, present in the company, then and there exchanging friendship and forgiveness, and founding an attachment, not to be surpassed in Greek or Roman story, which subsisted until death? Has that same rival long ceased to care for that same priceless pearl, and married for money, and become usurious? Above all, do we really know, now, that we should probably have been miserable if we had won and worn the pearl, and that we are better without her?

That Christmas when we had recently achieved so much fame; when we had been carried in triumph somewhere, for doing something great and good; when we had won an honored and ennobled name, and arrived and were received at home in a shower of tears of joy; is it possible that that Christmas has not come yet?

And is our life here, at the best, so constituted that, pausing, as we advance at such a noticeable mile-stone in the track as this great birthday, we look back on the things that never were, as naturally and full as gravely as on the things that have been and are gone, or have been and still are? If it be so, and so it seems to be, must we come to the conclusion, that life is little better than a dream, and little worth the loves and strivings that we crowd into it?

No! Far be such miscalled philosophy from us, dear reader, on Christmas day! Nearer and closer to our hearts be the Christmas spirit, which is the spirit of active usefulness, perseverances, cheerful discharge of duty, kindness, and forbearance! It is in the last virtues especially, that we are, or should be, strengthened by the unaccomplished visions of our youth; for, who shall say that they are not our teachers to deal gently even with the impalpable nothings of the earth!

Therefore, as we grow older, let us be more thankful that the circle of our Christmas associations and of the lessons that they bring, expands! Let us welcome every one of them and summon them to take their places by the Christmas hearth.



Botticelli's Madonna

Welcome, old aspirations, glittering creatures of an ardent fancy, to your shelter underneath the holly! We know you, and have not outlived you yet. Welcome, old projects and old loves, however, fleeting, to your nooks among the steadier lights that burn around us. Welcome, all that was ever real to our hearts; and for the earnestness that made you real, thanks to Heaven! Do we build no Christmas castles in the clouds now? Let our thoughts, fluttering like butterflies among these flowers of children, bear witness! Before this boy, there stretches out a future, brighter than we ever looked on in our old romantic time, but bright with honor and with truth. Around this little head on which the sunny curls lie heaped, the graces sport, as prettily, as airily, as when there was no scythe within the reach of Time to shear away the curls of our first love. Upon another girl's face near it—placider but smiling bright—a quiet and contented little face, we see Home fairly written. Shining from the word, as rays shine from a star, we see how, when our graves are old, other hopes than ours are young, other hearts than ours are moved; how other ways are smoothed; how other happiness blooms, ripens, and decays—no, not decays, for other homes and other bands of children, not yet in being nor for ages yet to be, arise, and bloom and ripen to the end of all!

Welcome, everything! Welcome, alike what has been, and what never was, and what we hope may be, to your shelter underneath the holly, to your places round the Christmas fire, where what is sits open-hearted! In yonder shadow, do we see obtruding furtively upon the blaze, an enemy's face? By Christmas Day we forgive him! If the injury he has done us may admit of such companionship, let him come here and take his place. If otherwise, unhappily, let him go hence, assured that we will never injure nor accuse him.

On this day we shut out Nothing!

"Pause," says a low voice. "Nothing? Think!"

"On Christmas day, we will shut out from our fireside, Nothing."

"Not the shadow of a vast City where the withered leaves are lying deep?" the voice replies. "Not the shadow that darkens the whole globe? Not the shadow of the City of the Dead?"

Not even that. Of all days in the year, we will turn our faces towards that City upon Christmas day, and from its silent hosts bring those we loved, among us. City of the Dead, in the blessed name wherein we are gathered at this time, and in the Presence that is here among us according to the promise, we will receive, and not dismiss, thy people who are dear to us!

Yes. We can look upon these children angels that alight, so solemnly, so beautifully, among the living children by the fire, and can bear to think how they departed from us. Entertaining angels unawares, as the Patriarchs did, the playful children are unconscious of their guests; but we can see them—can see a radiant arm around one favorite neck, as if there were a tempting of that child away. Among the celestial figures is one, a poor misshapen boy on earth, of a glorious beauty now, of whom his dying mother said it grieved her much to leave him here, alone, for so many years as it was likely would elapse before he came to her—being such a little child. But he went quickly, and was laid upon her breast, and in her hands she leads him.

There was a gallant boy, who fell far away, upon a burning sand beneath a burning sun, and said, "Tell them at home, with my last love, how much I could have wished to kiss them once, but that I died contented and had done my duty!" Or there was another, over whom they read the words, "Therefore we commit his body to the deep!" and so consigned him to the lonely ocean and sailed on. Or there was another who lay down to his rest in the dark shadow of great forests, and, on earth, awoke no more. O shall they not, from sand and sea and forest, be brought home at such a time!—From the writings of Charles Dickens.

Christmas eve at midnight has always in all countries been looked upon as the "ghostliest" time of the year.

SAILING 90 MILES AN HOUR.

Wonderful Speed Made by Land Ships With Safety.

Sailing on land is a new diversion, experimented with at different times in the past, that has suddenly burst into prominence. No other summer amusement conveyance of man's invention can make anything like the speed of the land sailing vessel. It skims over the ground with the actual speed of the wind. Its only rival in amusement conveyances of winter or summer is the ice boat; but the land sailing vessel furnishes much greater enjoyment than the ice boat, for its path is not limited by the narrow confines of an ice pond, and moreover, it is a summer vehicle, made to sail in the season when rapid open-air traveling is really enjoyable. So fast will the land boat move if permitted to go at its full speed during a strong wind that its occupants would find it impossible to retain their seats. Hence its speed has to be checked and regulated by the manipulation of brakes and sails. From fifty to ninety miles an hour, however, has often been attained with safety when the precaution was taken of seeing that the passengers were well secured in their seats. —Technical World Magazine.

Words of Wisdom.

Westfield, Ill., Dec. 18th (Special)—All who are suffering with Bright's Disease should read carefully the following letter from the Rev. G. L. Good of this place. He says:—

"I feel it is my duty to tell you of the wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I am a Minister of the Gospel, and in my work I am frequently exposed to all weathers. Six years ago I was laid up sick. I doctored with a number of physicians and finally consulted a specialist, but without success. They all told me I had Bright's Disease. I was in a bad way and almost helpless when, thank God, I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They saved my life. I took sixteen boxes and now I am cured. The first day I took them I felt relief. When I began I weighed only one hundred and five pounds, now I weigh one hundred and sixty-five and I am the picture of health. I recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all my friends who have Kidney Trouble and I pray to God that other sufferers will read these words and be helped by them."

KISSED HIS WIFE TOO OFTEN.

Nearly a Thousand Salutes in a Day Made the Bride Leave Him.

A curious case of conjugal infelicity came befort the Paris assize court yesterday. At the beginning of the year a young woman was married to a man named Baudent, but a week later she returned to the home of her parents, stating that she had left her husband because he was too fond of her.

During the honeymoon, she said, he made love incessantly, and one day gave her 932 kisses. Unable to endure so much affection, she instituted divorce proceedings. At the last hearing Baudent fired a revolver at his wife, but the bullet happily missed her.

In answer to her recriminations he said: "I have loved you passionately for ten years. You have never loved me."

He was acquitted, and it is expected that his wife will withdraw the divorce proceedings.—Paris Correspondence.

AGONY OF SORE HANDS.

Cracked and Peeled—Water and Heat Caused Intense Pain—Could Do No Housework—Grateful to Cuticura.

'My hands cracked and peeled, and were so sore it was impossible for me to do my housework. If I put them in water I was in agony for hours; and if I tried to cook, the heat caused intense pain. I consulted two doctors, but their prescriptions were utterly useless. And now after using one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment my hands are entirely well, and I am very grateful. (Signed) Mrs. Minnie Drew, 13 Dana St., Roxbury, Mass."

Sport.

"Have good luck in your hunting trip?"

"No; poor. Guides awful scarce this season; only got one and winged another."

"Get any deer?"

"Oh, yes. Five or six."—Puck.

Practicing a Happy Smile.

It seems that one can train one's face as one does one's body. You can exercise daily for expression, but it would be terrible to be caught at practice. Fancy being watched while one practiced a "happy smile."—London World.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

The Shameless Man.

Lawson—So your wife has been absent all summer. I should think you would be anxious now about her return.

Dawson—I am. I'm afraid she's coming back next week.—Somerville Journal.

Willie's Idea of It.

Teacher—Willie, what is the plural of wife?

Willie—Mormon.—Dallas News.

Then She Got Kissed.

"Does kissing make your lips sore?"

"No, it makes my soul soar."—Fort Worth Record.

AGRICULTURE

Wealth in Corn Land.

Owners of good corn land are finding themselves well off on account of the great productiveness of such land and the high price at which corn sells and is likely to sell. A good farmer can grow fifty and more bushels of corn on an acre of land. A very good farmer can grow 70 or 80 bushels per acre. Some of whom make even better records than this when the season is favorable. The average crop of a state is no criterion by which to judge the performances of our most intelligent farmers. The average crop of the United States, taking one year with another, is in the neighborhood of 25 bushels, though it varies enormously, running down some years to about 16 bushels and at other times going up to about 28 bushels. The average yield of corn in the state of Illinois, which lies mostly in the corn belt, is all the way from 21 bushels up to 40 bushels, according to the year. It must be kept in mind that this average gives no hint as to what our reading, studying farmers are accomplishing. When a man raises an acre of corn and gets fifty bushels and is able to sell it for $25 he has made a big profit on his operations. That acre of corn has not cost more than $13, and the $13 has paid him his wages. The $12 is profit. If the acre is worth $100, his profit is about 12 per cent in addition to legal interest, for in the expense of $13 was included interest on his land, or rent if the farm is a rented one.

Now for the point of this article, which is that the temptation is very great, at this time of high prices for corn, to make the land produce big crops of corn and give it no food either by direct application of fertilizers or by a process of rotation. The farmer says: "What, put that land into clover for two years, while corn is bringing 50 cents a bushel!" Yet that is what must be done on many of our farms if the fertility is to be kept up. The larger the crop of corn being taken off, the greater the amount of phosphorus that is every year being drawn from the soil and exported. The loss of nitrogen and potassium is considerable, but the losses of these elements are not so great or serious as the loss of phosphorus.

The farmer that is getting a big profit off his corn land should carefully conserve that land by giving it a rest from corn growing during certain years and putting some of his profits into phosphorus and other elements if needed. The clover will get the nitrogen from the air. Potassium is cheap, even when the farmer has to buy it in a commercial form.

The heritage in good corn land should be saved for the coming generations. No man has a right to destroy this heritage. It is only his for use, not for destruction. It is the greatest patrimony that can be left to the children.

Clean Up the Farm.

This is a good time of the year to clear up any parts of the farm which may have grown up to brush or second-growth stuff. We have been working for a number of years on such a piece of land on the back end of our farm. This once had been all cut off clean and a piece of wheat grown there. But after that it had been permitted to grow up to small saplings, some of them five or six inches in diameter. Along in the fall we went at it, when other work did not press and cut a strip of this timber off. The largest saplings were trimmed up for wood, the brush piled neatly and burned later when thoroughly seasoned and the land left ready for pasture. We cut the brush off close to the earth, and have now the satisfaction of knowing that when chopped at this season of the year, little if any sprouts will come up to trouble us.

The white clover came in thickly where we cut the brush off, and today we have a number of acres of splendid pasture, where a little while before we had only a tangle of brush, briers and small trees, from which we realized little or nothing in the way of profit. Most farms have such places. They do not yield a single cent of value in their present condition, but might be made to bring in a handsome revenue if treated as I have suggested. We have learned that fall is the best time to cut such a piece of brush. If cut later in winter the sprouts will almost surely spring up to trouble you and compel you in the course of a few years to do the work all over again. I do not think the old rule of doing these things in the old of the moon in August amounts to anything. The moon has no part in that sort of business; but I do think that when the sap is up in the top and the branches are well matured, the brush is far more apt to die than when cut at any other season of the year.—E. L. Vinvent in Farmers' Review.

Millet Seeds for Fowls.

Millet is good as a food for fowls provided it is fed with other things. When made the exclusive diet of fowls of any age it is said to be very indigestible. This is especially true of young birds. Millet seed is good to scatter in the litter to make the birds work. It is not good to be thrown in so that the fowls will eat it in bulk. There is danger that this will be done by men that have incubators, as the seed is small and seems well adapted to the use of the chick only a few days old.

DAIRY NOTES

Working Butter.

By using water colder than the butter, it will prevent the particles adhering to each other while the salt is added and thoroughly mixed throughout the granular mass while in the churn. Let the butter remain in the churn, or place in boxes or tubs for three or four hours where the temperature is low. Salting this way requires less working to make an unmottled butter, and improves the texture and grain. A little extra salt should be used. Use only some especially prepared butter salt which has been kept clean and free from offensive odors. The amount of salt to be used will depend on the market. Care should be taken, while handling or working the butter, not to injure the grain by overworking or working while too warm or too cold, or allowing any spade, etc., to draw or slide over the butter. Salt should be distributed evenly and butter worked sufficiently to give it an even color.—J. W. Newman.

Cement in Dairy Barns.

There has been a great deal of discussion as to the use of cement in stables. We find a great many in favor of the use of cement, and also some men that hold very strong opinions against the use of cement. Some dairymen claim that the cement produces rheumatism in cows, on account of being cold. Some have covered their cement floors with boards to protect the cows from the cold. This of course largely nullifies the use of cement, as the boards largely tend to hold dirt and dampness. It seems to some that if boards are to be used over the cement there will be very little call for the use of cement in the standing places of the cows. The Farmers' Review desires the opinions of its readers on this matter and also their opinions relative to the use of cement for watering troughs.—Farmers' Review.

Useful Dairy Hints.

The most economical cow is the one that eats a large amount of food and changes a considerable portion of that feed into butter-fat.

Farm-made butter seldom needs coloring matter added. People that buy farm butter buy it on its merits rather than on its color.

Cows do not often show what they can do the first year of milk-giving. It takes several years to develop their full capacity.

It is impossible to keep a large number of dairy cows clean if they are kept in a stable too small for them.

The man that will study the dairy business will make money out of it if his circumstances are at all normal.

Peas make good cow feed when they are ground and the peameal mixed with coarse feed.

Have the temperature of the cream about 65 degrees when you begin churning in winter.

We can improve the dairy cow only so fast as we can improve the dairyman.

Good Qualities of Ben Davis Apples.

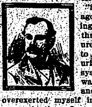
The Ben Davis apple requires a long season to reach its proper development; that kind of a season it finds in Kentucky, where it originated. It is not probable that the Ben Davis apple as grown in Wisconsin will ever be very popular, although it will be a long keeper. Another thing in favor of the Ben Davis has been the fact that the trees have been wonderfully productive of fruit. It is a wonder in the apple world because it produces a crop every year. Most varieties of apples produce a good crop every other year, but the Ben Davis produces a crop every year. That is why the great commercial growers have been planting out orchards when they had to sell the fruit very much under the price offered for some other varieties. One man said: "I can make money by selling the Ben Davis at $2 a barrel. The Ben Davis is my money maker, even at a low price these yield me a larger profit than any other variety I can grow." We have, added to this, the fact that the Ben Davis tree is not subject very largely to the attacks of fungous diseases. Another great thing in favor of the Ben Davis apple is one remarkable characteristic relative to bruises. When a Ben Davis apple is bruised it forms a hard, dry, sponge-like crust and this does not develop into rot. Most other apples when they are bruised begin immediately to rot at the bruised places. The bruised Ben Davis apple merely dries up at the point where it is bruised, and no rot sets in.

The way that the Ben Davis apple deteriorates in the latter part of the winter is by becoming hard and of a dry sponge-like texture near the core. We believe that the Ben Davis apple is destined to be more extensively grown even than at the present, and from the Ben Davis apple many new varieties are to be developed, which will come to be known as the Ben Davis group of apples. We have the beginning of this in two apples already quite prominent, the Black Ben Davis and the Gano. The Gano has been developed by selection from the Ben Davis wood of a certain quality. There is a dispute as to whether the Black Ben Davis was developed by selecting Ben Davis wood of a certain quality or by planting the seeds from the Ben Davis apple. But the two are so similar that no one can doubt that Black Ben Davis belongs at least to the Ben Davis family.—Farmers' Review.

SEVEN YEARS AGO.

A Rochester Chemist Found a Singularly Effective Medicine.

William A. Franklin, of the Franklin & Palmer Chemical Co., Rochester, N. Y., writes:



"Seven years ago I was suffering very much through the failure of the kidneys to eliminate the uric acid from my system. My back was very lame and ached if I overexerted myself in the least degree. At times I was weighed down with a feeling of languor and depression and suffered continually from annoying irregularities of the kidney secretions. I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. I found prompt relief from the aching and lameness in my back, and by the time I had taken three boxes I was cured of all irregularities."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Jawback Wins.

Mr. Jawback—I'm going to get a life insurance policy.

Mrs. Jawback—You're foolish. It's all a graft.

Mr. Jawback—But what would you do if I'd die?

Mrs. Jawback—Marry again, of course.

Mr. Jawback—You couldn't if my life hadn't been insured for a good, big sum.—Cleveland Leader.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Few Friends Left.

Senator Foraker was talking about a politician whose very erratic conduct had estranged him from his party.

"This man," said the senator, "was showing a visitor over his new house in Washington the other day.

"He exhibited the large drawing room in white and gold, the spacious dining room in mahogany, the vast ebony hall with its onyx pillars, and then he led his visitor into the littlest bit of a room off the hall—a mere cubbyhole, containing nothing but a table and two chairs.

"'Not very large, eh?' he said. 'Small and cozy, isn't it? Here I entertain my political friends.'

"'Ah,' said the visitor, 'it will be large enough for that.'"

In the Presence of a Mystery.

Kitty had never seen a gas meter before.

"How does it go, papa?" she asked. "By compressed air?"

"I think not, dear," he said. "Probably expanded air."—Chicago Tribune.

And That's Easy.

"Know anything about golf?"

"I used to play shinny."

"Then all you'll have to learn is the language."—Fort Worth Record.

Is Disease a Crime?

Not very long ago, a popular magazine published an editorial article in which the writer asserted, in substance, that all disease should be regarded as criminal. Certain it is, that much of the sickness and suffering of mankind is due to the violation of certain of Nature's laws. But to say that all sickness should be regarded as criminal, must appeal to every reasonable individual as radically wrong.

It would be harsh, unsympathetic, cruel, yes criminal, to condemn the poor, weak, over-worked housewife who sinks under the heavy load of household cares and burdens, and suffers from weaknesses, various displacements of pelvic organs and other derangements peculiar to her sex.

Frequent bearing of children, with its exacting demands upon the system, coupled with the care, worry and labor of rearing a large family, is often the cause of weaknesses, derangements and debility which are aggravated by the many household cares, and the hard, and never-ending work which the mother is called upon to perform. Dr. Pierce, the maker of that world-famed remedy for woman's peculiar weaknesses and ills—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—says that one of the greatest obstacles to the cure of this class of maladies is the fact that the poor, over-worked housewife can not get the needed rest from her many household cares and labor to enable her to secure from the use of his "Prescription" its full benefits. It is a matter of frequent experience, he says, in his extensive practice in these cases, to meet with those in which his treatment fails by reason of the patient's inability to abstain from hard work long enough to be cured. With those suffering from prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion of the uterus or other displacement of the womanly organs, it is very necessary that, in addition to taking his "Favorite Prescription" they abstain from being very much, or for long periods, on their feet. All heavy lifting or straining of any kind should also be avoided. As much out-door air as possible, with moderate, light exercise is also very important. Let the patient observe these rules and the "Favorite Prescription" will do the rest.

Dr. Pierce's Medical Adviser is sent *free* on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 21 one-cent stamps for paper-covered, or 31 stamps for cloth-bound.

If sick consult the Doctor, free of charge by letter. All such communications are held sacredly confidential.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate and regulate stomach, liver and bowels.

A Day to Remember.

Sweet Young Thing—Oh, this has been a wonderful day—my sixteenth birthday! I've had my first kiss from Arthur and my last box on the ears from mamma!—Tales.

Petty annoyances make good plumb lines to determine the depth of your religion.

TRY THIS ON YOUR WATCH.

Will Keep Better Time if Wound in the Morning.

"I have discovered that my watch keeps better time if I wind it in the morning instead of at night," remarked Assistant Manager Sweeney, as he toyed with a valuable hunting case yesterday. "The old superstitious belief that your luck will change if you change the time of winding your watch may have some basis in fact. I hereafter am going to wind my timepiece in the morning. This is because the hour of rising is for the ordinary man more regular than that of retiring, but even the most sober and orderly of men are apt to relax and be prone to carelessness at bedtime. In this condition the winding is apt to be done in a jerky, irregular sort of way, or too far or not far enough. Nine people out of ten wind their watches upon retiring, but if they would do it when they got up, at some regular point in the process of making their toilet, they would do it much better.—Milwaukee Free Press.

The Science of the Game.

The Freshman—Our star half-back, "Biff" Gouger, broke four toes and sprained an ankle in yesterday's game. Gee! But the captain roasted him to a turn!

The Bartender—What for?

The Freshman—Rotten judgment. "Biff" tried a kick for the stomach, but the guy ducked and blocked it neatly with his head.—Puck.

Know Its Size.

"Shoo!" yelled the proprietor of the fashionable apartment house. "You've got the wrong address. No babies allowed here."

The stork was not nonplussed.

"This infant," it replied with dignity, "is consigned to your janitor."—Houston Chronicle.

How They Originated.

"Adam," said Mother Eve, "I wish you would put a few cutworms on my favorite fig tree."

"What, and have all the nice leaves bored full of holes?"

"Certainly. I wish to make an openwork shirtwaist.—Houston Chronicle.

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

No, Indeed.

"Peculiar thing about the grass widow."

"What is that?"

"There's nothing green about her."

Get the Axe.

Hector de Castro, the American consul to Rome, received last month from a friend in New York the following facetious intimation of a Roman visit:

"I will roam to Rome for the winter.

"Has Rome an aroma?

"You cannot read in Rome at night, so poor's the Roman candle light.

"As the Tiber is a swift stream, I suppose that to row on it one must be a good rowman.

"If I meet any Roman beggars I will do Vatican Forum."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911-912 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn. Wilbur Day, Warren, Minn., tea kettle; Peter Foy, Minneapolis, Minn., current motor; Alfred Kinne, Minneapolis, Minn., stovepipe, George Loos, Grafton, N. D., box lid holder; Arthur Padmore, Lead, S. D., tool holder; William Schulz, Lidgerwood, N. D., lubricator attachment; George Sheppard, Fillmore, Minn., wheel.

A Chip of the Old Block.

Mrs. Wilson—Does your son George take after his father?

Mrs. Gilson—I guess so. He has begun already to take after the girls.—Somerville Journal.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

As They Whizzed By.

First Automobilist—What do you think of that landscape?

Second Automobilist—Which one?—Smart Set.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist)
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

There would be a lot more fun in the world if people wouldn't try so hard to have it.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.
Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

Money has power to crush happiness only when its roots get in the heart.

TUMORS CONQUERED

SERIOUS OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the Case of Mrs. Fannie D. Fox.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy, Tumor.

The growth of a tumor is so sly that frequently its presence is not suspected until it is far advanced.

Mrs. Fannie D. Fox

So-called "wandering pains" may come from its early stages, or the presence of danger may be made manifest by profuse menstruation, accompanied by unusual pain, from the ovaries down the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and go through the horrors of a hospital operation; secure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound right away and begin its use.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., will give you her advice free of all charge if you will write her about yourself. Your letter will be seen by women only.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine. Eighteen months ago my monthlies stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly that I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician and was told that I had a tumor on the uterus and would have to undergo an operation.

"Soon after I read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After trying five bottles as directed the tumor is entirely gone. I have been examined by a physician and he says I have no signs of a tumor now. It has also brought my monthlies around once more, and I am entirely well."—Fannie D. Fox, 7 Chestnut Street, Bradford, Pa.

Or Padded.

"I wonder why they called this comic opera 'The Prodigal Son?'"

"Because of the fatted calves, I imagine."—Fort Worth Record.

Mrs. Crabshaw—In medium-priced flats they don't let you keep a dog.

Mrs. Crawford—Where I went they let you have dogs, but no children.

Mrs. Crabshaw—Oh, then it was a swell apartment.—Town Topics.

Extravagance at Funerals.

We cannot help feeling disgusted at the frivolous and senseless extravagance prevailing at the majority of burials, and it is a pity that people do not think for a moment of the folly of display at such a sad and inappropriate time. The trade combination is not slow in pandering to an ill-timed exhibition of witless pride.—Burial Reformer.

It takes more than wind in the chest to make wings grow on the back.

As a balm philosophy seems to be suited to wounds that have healed themselves.

Pleasure without moderation is always mixed with misery.

Fargo Tannery Receives
hides and furs for tanning to harness leather and robes. Robes lined. Hides bought. Leather and robes for sale. Write for price list and tags. Andrew Monson, Fargo, N. D.

TWENTY-FIVE BUSHELS OF WHEAT TO THE ACRE
FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE
Means a productive capacity in dollars of over $16 per acre.
This on land which has cost the farmer nothing but the price of tilling it, tells its own story.
The Canadian Government gives absolutely free to every settler 160 acres of such land.
Lands adjoining can be purchased at from $6 to $10 per acre from railroad and other corporations.
Already 175,000 farmers from the United States have made their homes in Canada.
For pamphlet "Twentieth Century Canada" and all information apply to Supt. of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or to following authorized Canadian Government Agent—Charles Pilling, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota.
(Mention this paper.)

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FREE CATALOGUE of Splendid Bargains.
R.B.CHAFFIN & CO., Inc., RICHMOND, VA.

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ANTI-GRIPINE

PRICE, 25 Cts.
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I won't sell Anti-Gripine to a dealer who won't Guarantee It. Call for your MONEY BACK IF IT DON'T CURE.
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ESTABLISHED 1879.
Minneapolis WOODWARD & CO., GRAIN COMMISSION Duluth
ORDERS FOR FUTURE DELIVERY EXECUTED IN ALL MARKETS

ANOTHER SWINDLER

Farm, Stock & Home: A smooth swindler is reported as having recently worked several farming communities in Illinois. Learning of a farm for sale. he bargains for it, and asks the farmer to loan the abstract of the place that he may have his lawyer look it over. He then called on a notary public in the nearest village and asks him to make out a power of attorney to send to some friend or rolative in the East and after securing this, which must of course bear the notary's seal, he makes or has made a duplicate of the seal. He next visits the county seat, and calling upon some lawyer or real estate dealer, asks him to compare the abstract with the records. This being found correct be causes a deed to be drawn up and states that as it has taken all his ready money to pay for the farm he wants to secure the loan of quite a sum of money with which to pay for needen improvements. While the real estate man is looking up the money—figuring his commission—the stranger goes away with the deed and the abstract, forges the signature of the farmer and his wife, affixes the notary's seal in acknowledgment, and returns to the real estate dealer. The man who has money to loan is called in, takes a note for the amount asked for, secured by a mortgage upon the farm, the money is paid over and the swindler skips. Remember the method employed and give no important or valuable papers to any stranger.

THE GOOD ROADS LAW.

Moorhead Weekly News: The state highway commission will come into existence Jan. 1. and the governor will appoint one commissioner from each of the nine congressional districts.

For the purpose of state aid in the construction and improvement of public highways, a tax levy of one twentieth of a mill will be made on all taxable property in the state This with the money from the internal improvement land fund, shall constitute the state road and bridge fund. The commission shall each March apportion the road and bridge fund among the counties, no county to get more than 3 or less than one-half of 1 per cent of the fund, the apportionment to be made according to the area of the county, the amount it has spent for road construction, the difficulty and expense of building roads and the extraordinary expense connected with the development of new territory. The commission shall adopt rules for the construction and improvement of roads suitable to the different localities, the available road material to be considered.

The counties may then designate certain roads and construct or improve them in accordance with these rules and under the supervision of the state engineer or his assistants. The county auditor shall certify to the commission the amount expended on these roads and the commission shall pay them out of the sum apportioned to the county, not more than one third of the cost of the construction of the road.

XMAS PRESENTS

In order to stimulate trade for the holiday we
—are offering—

Liberal Discounts in Every Department

This is the Xmas shoppers opportunity. Articles that are not only
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THE LEADER STORE
continues to lead in everything that pertains to
up-to-date merchandising
Wishing our many customers a Merry Xmas

We are
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I am showing the most complete line of bob sleighs, cutters and home made jumpers in the country at prices that suit the times.

SLEIGHS MADE TO ORDER

My line of farm machinery for the spring trade will comprise the usual well known lines.

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THE MACHINE MAN
RED LAKE FALLS MINNESOTA

HIS WORK AS TACKLE PRAISED

Ittner, a Red Lake Falls Boy, Considered the Best Tackle of Western Teams

O'Laughlin, one of the best judges of football and players in the west has this to say of Ittner, who played on the U. of M., team this year:

"Ittner came to Minnesota last year with a good record in up-state high school play behind him. He is 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 212 pounds. He can hold his own with any man in the Minnesota team at sprinting down the field and is one of the cleanest players that ever donned the jerseys. He does not feel his strength and it is perhaps just as well that he does not, altho he is not the man to misuse it. His feat of going over for the first touchdown in the Wisconsin game and the calibre of the men he brushed aside in that supreme effort of a slow setting and starting formation stamps him at once as one of the greatest offensive tackles in the west.

"He is a deceptive player in that his great height and bulk give him the appearance of slowness, when the opposite is the truth. He is powerful and in the open work has shown that he can tackle with good effect. Ittner is just as good on defense as offense and working with Marshall and Vita shows a splendid record for Minnesota's left wing in 1905. He is a stronger man than either Curtis or Bertke and a summary of the ground gained by the trio this year would show, I believe that Ittner had carried the pigskin two yards to the others' one. He has not taken out five minutes of time this year and altho suffering a minor injury to one of his shoulders which gave him a painful jolt, he played great football. Ittner, to those who have seen him work, outclassess all other western tackles in rather easy style."

A DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.

A most peculiar accident occurred Tuesday afternoon at the home of Nels Offerdahl, who lives in the vicinity of Middle River. It appears that Mr. Offerdahl had returned home with a load of hay and after unloading, had left his shot-gun in the sleigh. A boy about 11 years of age. picked up the gun to take it into the house. In some manner one barrel of the gun was discharged, the contents going through a window into the house where the remainder of the children, five in number, were congregated. Each of the five children received a portion of the charge. One girl had three grains of shot in the back of her head; another little girl had several shots in the scalp; one of the boys received a shot in the cheek, the grain passing entirely through the cheek into his mouth. Probably the most serious injury was received by the oldest girl who received a shot in the abdomen. Dr. Gambell was called to dress the wounds and reports all of the children as doing well, and no serious results will be sustained by any of them. It is a miracle that none of the children were killed out-right, or more seriously injured.

DEED OF INSANE SON.

John Laurenson who resided upon a homestead two miles north of Pelan was murdered by his son Theodore who was but recently brought home from the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. The deed was committed about five o'clock Monday afternoon at their home.

The son was spliting wood and the old man standing by talking to him when in a fit of insanity Theodore dealt the old man a fatal blow in the breast with the ax. The screams brought another son from the house, who at once seized his brother and sent the hired man to town for a doctor. The old man was dead when the doctor arrived, The Sheriff and Coroner of Kittson County were at once wired of the facts and arrived on the scene Tuesday. The son was taken to Hallock and it is expected that he will be re-committed to the hospital. It will be remembered that he shot one of his brothers two years ago while they were hauling hay and then was taken to Fergus Falls and placed in the Insane Hospital where he remained up to a short time ago when his father and brother went after him and everything seemed to be alright till the above happened. Greenbush Journal.

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SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

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Linen Towel Sale
Towels of excellent quality displayed on table and marked in plain figures discount
10 and 15 per cent

Suede and Glace Kid Gloves
A most desirable present is a pair of good gloves—your choice in stylish colors of La Force gloves
worth $1.50 for $1.25

Children's Cloak Sale
At this time every year we close out our children's cloaks, we carry no garments to next year
Holiday discount 25 per cent.

Men's Holiday Gifts
He will expect a present but it must be useful—we have just received an excellent line of Holiday ties, rich and easy to tie, choice 25 and 50c. Suspenders in fancy boxes at
35, 50 and 75c

Handkerchief Sale
Linen embroidered of fine quality and rich designs worth 15 and 20c, special **10c**
High grade handkerchiefs at most reasonable prices from
25c to $1.00

Shopping Bags
You can be shown the latest in greens, browns and blacks, also you get a agent's sample discount of
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Furs
as warm as Christmas friendship—a most presentable gift is a nice fur and with the prices we make you they are within reach of all. Special $6.50 pure black Belgian fur boa at
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Jackets and Skirts
We are still showing an excellent line of garments but will not carry any over. "The early bird," you know; one week,
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This falling of your hair! Stop it, or you will soon be bald. Give your hair some Ayer's Hair Vigor. The falling will stop, the hair will

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WHAT DAIRYING MEANS TO IOWA

The Cow as a Money Maker Clearly Demonstrated by Iowa Statistics

That butter, the minor product of the farm, paid well in Iowa the past year, is proven by the fact that about $25,000,000 was realized from shipments out of the state. More than 92,000,000 pounds were packed and crated and carried out of the state by the railroads, and on the New York market is bought close to 25 cents a pounds.

The chief counties that shipped butter and the amount in pounds they marketed last year are as follows:

Polk, 5,827.811; Woodbury, 8,073,201; Jones, 2,827,316; Bremer, 2,795,237; Clayton, 3,149,763; Delaware, 2,474,109; Dubuque, 2,569,863; Fayette, 2,305,684.

This 92,000,000 pounds does not represent the entire manufactured product in Iowa the past year. The dairy commissioner has no means of gathering statistics of the vast quantity consumed by the people of Iowa, and which is not manufactured at creameries. Official estimates place the increase over last year at 25 per cent.

AGREED TO DISAGREE.

Unable to live together happily J. A. Swanson and wife have agreed to dissolve partnership, and on Tuesday last a separation agreement was entered into between them, by the terms of which Mrs. Swanson receives $750 and takes the two children to care for. The couple were married about three years ago and have since lived in this vicinity and at Thief River Falls. Mrs. Swanson's parents reside north of Erskine and Mrs. Swanson was formerly Miss Auna, daughter of Nicoli Olson.—Times.

Wm. Demann of Dundas arrived Friday to spend the holidays with his brother, Co. Commissioner Demann.

DANNIE REGAN BURIED

Saturday morning at ten o'clock from St. Mary's church Rev. Father Hufnagal officiating were held the last sad burial rites over the mortal remains of the late Dannie Regan. The friends of the direly stricken family were in attendance at the services in large numbers to express their sympathy and the funeral cortage to Oakdale was a long one. The services at the church was of the usual Catholic nature, deceased having been in life a devoted member of the church. High mass was said and the friends of the departed railroad man were permitted to view the remains.

Members of the Locomotive Brotherhood of Firemen were present and the floral display centered on a handsome piece sent by that body of railroad men.—Times.

BROOKS.

Moses Girard, Peter Boucher and Walt Quesnell attended the M. W. A. dance at Plummer. All report a good time.

R. Poirier went to Plummer Thursday night to assist the Plummer orchestra in rendering music for the M. W. A. dance.

Louis Champange resigned his position with Charles Wilbert and has gone west to seek for a fortune.

Leon Champange and Moses Girard came home from the woods to spend the holidays.

W. B. Cheshire, A. Morin, Oscar and Leon Morin and R. Poirier left for Red Lake Falls to spend the holidays with his friends and relatives.

Of Interest to Mothers

Thousands of little ones die every year of croup. Most of them could have been saved by a few does of Foley's Honey and Tar, and every family with children should keep it in the house. It contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Mrs. George H. Picket, San Francisco, Cal., writes: "My baby had a dangerous attack of croup and we thought she would choke to death, but one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar relieved her at once after other remedies had failed. We are never a minute without it in the house." Sold at W. A. Schreiter.

Rufus Poirier was in from Brooks to spend Christmas with his family.

P. A. EKSTROM TO SUCCEED SUTOR

P. A. Eckstrom Elected to the Office of County Commissioner From the First District.

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The Cow as a Money Maker Clearly Demonstrated by Iowa Statistics

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Wm. Demann of Dundas arrived Friday to spend the holidays with his brother, Co. Commissioner Demann.

DANNIE REGAN BURIED

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BROOKS.

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The Scourge of Damascus

A Story of the East...

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CHAPTER XI.

Horam Is Caged.

Carefully the three men emerged from the dungeon; and when Osmir had closed and bolted the door behind them, Selim went on ahead with the lantern. They were armed with good stout swords, and the blacks wore daggers in their sashes.

"In what direction must we pass out?" asked Julian, as they came to the end of the first valuted passage.

"We must pass up where a guard is always kept," answered Osmir; "and our only hope is that we may be able to fall upon the sentinels, and overcome them, without creating disturbance enough for a general alarm."

"Whatever can be accomplished by strength of arm, we will accomplish," said the robber; "and I think we can be shrewd enough not to strike until we see that the blow shall fall surely."

"You can depend upon us," added Osmir, stopping while Selim opened a door. "We have already placed our lives in jeopardy, and only a successful exit from the palace can now save us. But, as I told you before, there is danger in the way."

"You have counted the chances?"

"Yes."

"And are you ready to bide the result?"

"Yes."

"Then let us meet the worst. If you, to set me free, are ready for the risk, I should be much more so."

At this juncture Selim, who had opened a door, and gone on a few steps in advance, came hurriedly back, with a look of alarm in his face.

"I hear footsteps in the passage overhead," he said, in a whisper.

"Are you sure?"

"Yes. I heard them very plainly."

"What is the passage of which you speak?" asked Julian.

"It is one through which we must pass," replied Osmir, "and one in which we had expected to find no obstacle."

"It may be," suggested Selim, "that a new guard has been set there."

"That cannot be," asserted Osmir. "I came through there only a short time since, and the place was empty. Hark—I hear the steps from here—and I think they are coming this way. Hold, a moment. Remain where you are, and I will find what this means."

Thus speaking, Osmir glided away into the darkness, towards the point where the stairs led down from the upper passage. After an absence of a few minutes he returned, and his first exclamation told that he was excited.

"The king is coming!"

"The king!" repeated Julian, in a quick, deep whisper.

"Yes—and two of his guards are with him. Some one else came as far as the head of the stairs with them, but I think only the king and the guards are descending."

"He must be coming to see me," said Julian.

"It must be so," answered Osmir; "for there is nothing else here for him to see, save bare damp walls and toads."

"Hark! Here they come. I hear their voices, and can see where the rays of their lantern breaks in the gloom." It was Selim who said this, and as he spoke he drew back, and hid his own lantern beneath the skirt of his tunic.

Our adventurers, from where they stood, could see the foot of the steps at the far end of the passage; and presently they saw two men descend, the foremost one bearing a lantern, and wearing the robes of the king, while the other seemed to be an officer of the household.

"I see now," said Osmir, as he gained a view of the approaching men. "I was mistaken. The guards have been left behind, and this is Benoni, one of the captains of the guard, who comes with the king."

The robber chieftain was for a moment undecided as to the course he should pursue. Once his sword was half drawn from its scabbard; but Osmir, who heard the movement, seemed to have a better idea.

"My master," he whispered, touching Julian upon the arm, "let us draw back out of sight, and allow them to pass. They will certainly keep on to the dungeon we have left, and we will follow them thither."

"You are right," replied the chieftain. "They will be completely in our power when they have passed us."

Just back of where our trio stood was the door by which they had last passed, and upon one side was a deep niche in the wall, which had evidently been constructed for the reception of rubbish. Into this they quickly glided, Selim so effectually cloaking his lantern that not a ray of light escaped. In a little while the king came near to the hiding place, with his lantern held carefully before him, and his head bowed, as though he was fearful that he might make a misstep. He walked slowly, and his frame shook with a perceptible tremor. When he reached the door he stopped, and turned towards his companions.

"Benoni," he said, "I think you may remain here. This is the last passage, and I will go the rest of the way alone."

"I had better accompany you to the end, sire."

"No—I prefer to go alone."

"But," urged the captain, "the way is rough and dubious, and you may miss your step."

"Out upon thee for an ass!" cried the king, indignantly. "Do you think my step is growing feeble? I tell thee it was never stronger. I will go the rest of the way as I have said. I shall find Selim at the door of the dungeon, and he will render me such assistance as I may need there. I must see this prisoner alone. He possesses a secret which I must fathom before he loses his head."

"I beg thee, sire, be careful."

"Peace, good Benoni. Don't fret on my account. I know what I do. I'll find out the story of this robber's life, and then his head shall come off right quickly. Stay you here, and await my return."

Thus speaking, the king moved on, and when the sound of his uncertain, stumbling footfall could be no longer heard, Julian reached forth until his hand touched one of his companions.

"Who is this?" he asked, in a hushed whisper. It was Selim.

"There is no time to lose. The captain must be disposed of quickly. Uncover your lantern, and I will throttle him."

Selim did as directed, and as soon as the rays of light fell upon the captain, the latter started to gaze about him. But his free-will movements were quickly terminated by a blow from the first of the robber chieftain, which felled him to the floor, and before he could move or cry out, he was securely bound, and Osmir's sash passed over his mouth.

"Now," cried Julian, "for the king. He will be an easy subject to dispose of."

"And how will you dispose of him?" asked Osmir.

For an instant a dark thought struggled through Julian's mind. Here was an opportunity to put his worst enemy out of the way, and, at the same time, free the world from a ruler who had ceased to do justly. But the thought was not long entertained. The soul of the chieftain was above the doing of such a deed. Osmir noticed the hesitation, and tremblingly asked:

"Will you kill him?"

"No, no," was the quick reply. "That would be too cowardly. He is a poor foolish old man, whose continued life must be the greatest curse. We will put him where he put me, and let his slaves find him after we are gone. Come—I will lead to this event, and then you shall lead to the next."

Without further remark the robber moved on towards the dungeon where he had been confined, Selim going by his side with the lantern. Pretty soon they saw the king ahead of them, whereupon Selim was suffered to go on in advance. Horam had reached the door of the dungeon just as Selim came up.

"Ha, Selim, is this you?"

"Yes, sire."

"I did not see you when I came. Where have you been hiding?"

"I have not been hiding, sire; but have been doing my duty."

"And the prisoner?"

"He is safe."

"Open the door. I would speak with him. He is securely chained?"

"No mortal man can break the chains wherewith he was bound, sire."

"Then open—quick. His arms are bound?"

"Like iron, sire."

"And he cannot move from his place?"

"The chains all center upon the bolt in the floor."

"Then you may remain without. Selim. I wish to speak with the prisoner alone."

Selim had no particular understanding with his companions touching this movement; but he understood that Julian would act when he saw fit, so he proceeded to unbolt the door and throw it open.

"We can shut him in and leave him," whispered Osmir, when he saw the king about to pass into the dungeon.

"No, no," quickly returned Julian. "I have another thought. I may find use for those royal robes which he wears."

"By the gods!" cried Osmir, "the prize is worth ten thousand times more than I had thought. If you don those regal robes, Selim and I can lead you in safety from this place. By the blessed star, it is a lucky thought. Ha! He goes in. Shall I accompany you?"

"You may remain close at hand."

CHAPTER XII.

A Royal Disguise.

Until the present time Julian had thought of overcoming the king without a word—of felling him to the pavement and binding him, and leaving him in ignorance of who had done it; but a different fancy seized him as he saw the monarch enter the dungeon. The temptation to face his deadly enemy, and let him know to what he owed his disgrace, was too strong to be resisted. The thought that he could now place his foot upon the neck of the king of Damascus, and grant the poor life which he had the power to take, was not to be passed by. And then the robber chieftain had another reason for wishing to speak with the king, since the opportunity had thus unexpectedly offered itself. Horam had come on purpose to see him; to learn some secret. Our hero had a curiosity to know what this meant.

"Stay a moment where you are," he said, addressing the blacks; and thus speaking he passed into the dungeon just as the king had discovered that no prisoner was there.

"Ho! Selim!" shouted the monarch, turning his face to the door. "What is the matter here? Is not this the—"

He stopped, for the light of his lantern, falling upon the face of the man who had followed him in, revealed another face than that of Selim.

"Horam," spoke the chieftain, "you find the Scourge of Damascus not quite as powerless as you had expected."

"What ho! Selim! Selim!"

"Easy, old man. Selim will not come at your bidding. Let me inform you that I am master, for the present, of this lower region, and Selim is my slave."

"Mercy!" gasped the terrified king. "What ho! Benoni! Benoni!"

"Benoni is in my power," said Julian. "He is bound hand and foot, and cannot help you. And, thou base, false man—thou, too, art in my power. Down in this deep dungeon, where the light of day cannot come, and where the noise of the upper world cannot penetrate, here I have thee as thou did'st hope to have me. Horam, I am thy master!"

The king's knees smote together, and the lantern dropped from his hand.

"Mercy!" he cried. And then, as though remembering that he was king of Damascus, he clenched his hands, and tried to speak with the voice of authority.

"Vile miscreant," he said, "let me pass! If you dare to oppose me, you shall be torn limb from limb!"

"Easy, old man. I am your master now, and if you give me occasion, I may do you harm."

There was that in the look, tone and bearing of the stalwart chieftain which caused Horam to quail. The lantern had fallen in an upright position, and its light revealed quite plainly the features of the two men.

"You will not kill me?" whispered the king.

"No," replied Julian. "I should scorn the deed; and I should despise myself if I did it. I wish simply to do this. I must leave this palace tonight, and you must remain here in my place. Some of your slaves will find you in the morning. You must strip off that purple robe, and that golden chain; and I must have the jeweled crown from your head. Come—I have no time to waste."

"Ye gods of heaven!" ejaculated Horam. "how can this thing be! Who ever heard of such a thing! Who dares to disrobe the king?"

"I dare to do it!" replied the robber, sternly and quickly, at the same time taking a step forward. "Remove the garments instantly, or I shall tear them from you."

"No, no; you dare not rob your king."

"Peace, poor fool! Hesitate another minute, and I will smite you to the floor! Off with the robe!"

The trembling monarch cast one look into the face of the man before him, and then shrank back against the wall. He was as a mere child, and for the time, while unable to do evil, he seemed an object of pity.

"If I give you these things will you spare my life?"

"I told you once—yes. And once more I beg you to remember that my time is short. You will save yourself some trouble if you obey me."

This was spoken very slowly, each word dropping from the robber's lips with the weight of a death sentence; and the lowering of the brow, the swelling of the broad bosom, and the nervous working of the hands, told too plainly that the edict must be obeyed.

(To be continued.)

HOME MADE HONEY.

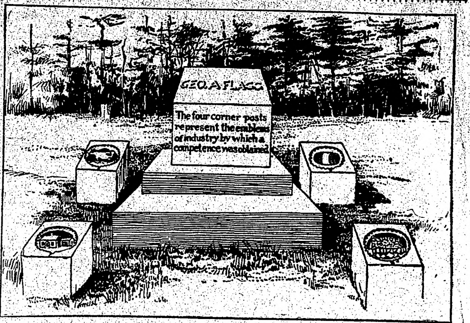
A Restaurant Man Captures a Stray Swarm of Bees.

Ralph Gushee, the lessee of the Park Department restaurant overlooking the Hudson at the upper end of Riverside drive, tells a remarkable story of how he obtained the honey which is one of the "specials" on his daily menu. "Two weeks ago," said Mr. Gushee to Corporation Counsel Whalen, who was the host of a party of politicians at Claremont, "I noticed a swarm of bees under the tree down there overhanging the drive just where the carriages stand at the dinner hour. I offered $10 to anybody who would remove them and nobody wanted to take the offer until one of the policemen detailed to guard Grant's tomb heard of it. He said he knew all about bees and I told him to go ahead. He went down in the basement and got an empty sugar barrel. Then he demanded a sheet and borrowed a pair of buckskin gloves from a gardener. He spread the sheet on the drive under the tree and set the barrel, from which he had removed a couple of staves, on its side. Then he climbed the tree and gently shooed the bees down to the sheet, whence he gathered them up into the barrel. This was covered with the same sort of mosquito netting with which he had enveloped his own head and taken back of the hotel. There must have been three or four quarts of bees, and they settled into their new home as naturally as though they had come to Riverside Park for that purpose. They began to hive at once, and for the last two weeks I've been getting four or five pounds of honey right along and the bees are still at home and at work."

Mr. Whalen remarked laughingly that as the bees were evidently taking sweetness from the blossoms in the park it would be in order for the city to increase Mr. Gushee's rent. It is supposed that the bees came across the Hudson River from New Jersey.

NEW IDEA IN TOMBSTONES

George A. Flagg, of Boylston, Mass., Plans to Show World How He Made His Money



The four corner posts represent the emblems of industry by which a competence was obtained.

"The emblems on the four corners of this lot represent the different kinds of business in which I have been engaged."

So reads the inscription on a marble tombstone in a cemetery at Boylston erected by George A. Flagg to himself. Mr. Flagg is not dead yet. Far from it; he is engaged in a prosperous business, cider-making and house-building; but he wanted to have his tombstone made to suit him, so he had it done now, in order to supervise the job. And it is certainly unique.

The heavy block of white marble bearing the above inscription stands in the middle of the lot, while at each of the four corners there is a smaller one of almost the same shape. But in the smaller ones the top is hollowed, and within this hollow on the first stone there is a marble representation of a pile of cordwood; in the second of a cow; in the third of a cider barrel, and in the fourth a house.

It would puzzle a stranger to fathom the meaning of this strange collection. Egyptian hieroglyphics seem, by comparison, like a child's primer. Yet the matter is simple enough; those articles represent in marble the four different ways in which Mr. Flagg has amassed a comfortable fortune. He is proud of having been successful, and believes that one of the most vital characteristics of a man is his method of making money. So, briefly, he will inform the world about himself when he dies.

In the meanwhile, he is alive, and is willing to tell all those who ask by word of mouth. His shrewdness is still with him, and he even looks upon the monument as a bit of good advertising. As he says, many a stranger has gazed at the monument, inquired about him out of curiosity, found he made good cider, and has ordered some.

He is still young—only about 40. He is rather short of stature, has black hair, black eyes, a black mustache and the ruddy cheeks of a boy.

"How did I happen to erect such a monument?" he repeated, in reply to a question put to him. "Well, I'll tell you. Ever since I was 'knee high to a grasshopper' I've been going through cemeteries looking at the tombstones. I used to like to read the inscriptions, and then wonder about the men. On most of them there wasn't much but, 'Here Lies Tom Grant,' or 'Here Lies Jim Smith.' Now, that doesn't tell a fellow much. What did I know of the man when I got through reading that? I could have hunted up some of their friends and found out, probably, but that isn't the point. Here was I, a stranger, just passing through, and naturally curious to know something about the fellows who had done their work and retired.

"The more I got to thinking about this, the more I made up my mind that when it came my turn I wouldn't leave anybody who happened to pass by my tombstone in the same quandary. If I put on just 'Here Lies George A. Flagg' they wouldn't know me from John Smith. So I said: 'I'll tell 'em something about George A. Flagg and how he made his money.'

"It took me a long while to think out how to do this best; to have it brief and to the point and forceful. Men don't have time to stop and read a whole biography, and it wouldn't be interesting, anyway. Finally I thought of the scheme of having little carvings made of how I'd earned my money. I reckoned that would tell 'em most about me.

"There are just four ways that I've done this—by dealing in cattle, in cider, in wood and in houses. So I had the things carved to stand for these four things, and that made just a neat block for each corner. Then I had the middle block with my name on it and the sentence which tells just what the meaning of the other is. There is another thing about that middle block that people don't know; it is just my height from top to bottom and from corner to corner.

"I had a good deal of trouble in getting that monument put up. Three or four contractors figured on it but they had to give it up because they couldn't get the right kind of marble. One of the things I insisted on was that the stone should be white without a single flaw. It was hard to find a block weighing ten tons, which is what that middle one weighs, without a flaw of some sort.

"Then they kicked at the motto. Mine was this: 'This shows how I made my money. Here I rest.' They didn't think that sounded right. I don't know—guess it wasn't fancy enough. I like to say what I mean straight, and say it quick. But I let 'em change it. The two things mean the same I guess.

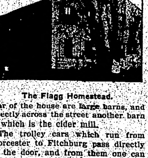
"Then a lot of people objected to having the monument there anyway. But I ain't ashamed of it, and I ain't ashamed of how I made my money. The more they talk the more advertising I get, anyway.

"Why, there have been people here from out West who have come and taken pictures of it, and then they have come down to see me, and then generally they have bought some cider.

"I make about 5,000 barrels of cider a year, and sell it all over the country. Somebody buys a barrel, and they tell their friends about it, and that is the way it goes.

"And I have sold thousands of cords of wood, too. That's why I have a wood pile on one of the small stones. Sometimes in the winter I have as many as fifty men chopping for me. Of course the wood isn't all cordwood; some of it goes in for lumber. With this lumber I have built houses, when I didn't want to sell it, and that's kept the cost of building down for me. For I tell you lumber is a great item when it comes to building a house, and I've got twenty-one houses to-day that I own and every one of them is full of good paying tenants."

Mr. Flagg's home, where he lives with a wife and seven children, is on the road between Worcester and the town of Boylston, about two and one half miles from the latter. Mr. Flagg built it himself. It stands on the site which has been used for houses for four generations of Flaggs. In the rear of the house are large barns, and directly across the street another barn in which is the cider mill.



The Flagg Homestead.

The trolley cars which run from Worcester to Fitchburg pass directly by the door, and from them one can look into the crib of the cider mill into which apples are dumped.

Just back of the house runs a ledge of rock, and in this ledge there is coal. One day, while playing about the woodshed, a boy, Levi Lincoln, found a big chunk of something that he thought was a stone. But it glistened and sparkled so that he recognized it wasn't any ordinary stone, and carried it to his father. Mr. Flagg, in turn, became interested, and showed it to some of the engineers and other men whom he always has working for him. One of the engineers, after picking at it for a few moments, said: "Why, that's coal."

Mr. Flagg went to Clark university and submitted the chunk to some of the mineralogy experts there, and they, after a thorough analysis, confirmed the statement of the engineer that it was coal.

The ledge in which this find was made runs directly behind the house, not twenty feet from the back door. In fact, a part of it is under the woodshed. From the house it extends some 300 feet, cropping out above the ground here and there, until it apparently ends in the barnyard.

No sooner had the experts of Clark university declared that the specimen Mr. Flagg had shown them was coal than some of them went out to see the ledge, and, after making observations and drilling here and there, they told him that he certainly had a coal mine on his land. But what kind of coal it is Mr. Flagg doesn't know, or rather has forgotten.

"I don't remember what they called it," said he, "but it is very soft, and it burns just like tinder. Many a time the children go out there and dig pieces out and burn it. So far I have only done a little toward developing it, because, although the experts have said it was coal, I really don't take much stock in the idea that I have a coal mine.

"However, when I heard what those men said I decided to spend $300 investigating. Of course, $300 don't go far in mining, but that $300 I put in came so near knocking to pieces my house, that cost about $8,000 for me to put up, that I have never spent any more on it. But I reckon I shall try it again."

And so it is possible Mr. Flagg may have to add a fifth stone. This will contain a lump of coal.—Boston Herald.

He Couldn't Say a Word.

David Higgins is responsible for this one. In a Chicago hotel he pushed the button long and hard—the water ring. Ten minutes ticked by and no water. Another long, hard push; another ten minutes gone and no water. Another push and another wait. Mr. Higgins was just about to run down to the office when there was a knock at the door.

"Come in!" shouted the irate David.

A tall bellboy answered the door.

"I beg your pardon, sir," he said. "I thought I heard the bell. I was so interested in reading a paper that I forgot everything else."

"Reading a paper?"

"Yes, sir. Here it is. I was reading about 'His Last Dollar,' by David Higgins."

"Stung!" exclaimed Higgins, and taking a card from his pocket he wrote an order for two seats on the back, and handed it to the boy with the remark: "You win, sonny. The original bellboy in Noah's Ark worked that on the Son of Ham, and all of your tribe have repeated it on the fraternity of Hams ever since."

Billiards Ruin Maoris.

"The Maori children are often kept up all night billiard marking, and are therefore utterly unfit to come to school or to work when they do come."

This remarkable statement is made by Mr. W. Bird, inspector of native schools in New Zealand, in his annual report, which throws light on the extraordinary gambling propensities of the natives.

Billard tables, Mr. Bird declares, are to be seen in the gum fields, in the native settlements, and even on the roadside.

In one place, Mr. Bird declares several natives, after losing all their possessions, gambled away their crops, and when winter came were unable to supply either food or clothing to their children.—London Daily Express.

Miserable Luck.

"I was awfully exasperated yesterday," said Mrs. Flippendyke.

"What happened?"

"Why, you see, I had been owing Mrs. Dullson a call for months and months. Well, along in the afternoon I saw her starting away, all dressed up, and I thought to myself, 'Here's my chance.' So I hurried across the street to leave my card, and—and—"

"Did you find when you got there that you didn't have any?"

"No, it wasn't that. Just after I had pushed the bell button she came home, and, of course, there was nothing for me to do but go in."

American High in Sultan's Service.

Capt. Buckman, formerly connected with the Cramp Shipbuilding Company in Philadelphia, took the cruiser Medjidia to Constantinople after she had been built by the company named. Then he entered the service of the sultan and is now naval [illegible] with the rank of admiral [illegible] actual command of Turkey's [illegible]

A Heavy Load to Carry.

Along with dyspepsia comes nervousness and general ill-health. Why? Because a disordered stomach does not permit the food to be properly digested, and its products assimilated by the system. The blood is charged with poisons which come from this disordered digestion, and in turn the nerves are not fed on good, red blood, and we see symptoms of nervousness, sleeplessness and general breakdown. It is not head work, nor over physical exertion that does it, but poor stomach work. With poor, thin blood the body is not protected against the attack of germs of grip, bronchitis and consumption. Fortify the body at once with Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—a rare combination of native medicinal roots without a particle of alcohol or dangerous habit-forming drugs.

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Like a Gentleman.

"This novel says the heroine's face fell."

"What did the hero do then?"

"Picked it up, I s'pose."—Houston Chronicle.

A Linguist.

Beulah—Is George learning any foreign language?

Myrtle—Why, dear, he knows all the college yells.—Town Topics.

UNSIGHTLY BALD SPOT.

Caused by Sores on Neck—Merciless Itching for Two Years Made Him Wild—Another Cure by Cuticura.

"For two years my neck was covered with sores, the humor spreading to my hair, which fell out, leaving an unsightly bald spot, and the soreness, inflammation and merciless itching made me wild. Friends advised Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and after a few applications the torment subsided, to my great joy. The sores soon disappeared, and my hair grew again, as thick and healthy as ever. I shall always recommend Cuticura. (Signed) H. J. Spalding, 104 W. 104th St., New York City."

Superlative.

"Your papa isn't as nice as my papa is."

"Hes 'nicer'n that; he's as nice as you think your papa is."—Fort Worth Record.

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A girl seldom marries her ideal, which is one reason why there is so much happiness in the world.

DAIRY NOTES

Hands Off the Butter.

In many of our farm homes people work the butter with their hands. This method is, however, objected to by all scientific dairymen. In our best creameries the butter is never touched by the human hand. The cream is churned, the buttermilk rinsed off in the churn. It is then ladled out and put on the mechanical butter worker, where the wooden rollers go over it and where the salt is worked into it by the wooden rollers. It is rolled into balls by the machine and by wooden ladles is packed into tubs or pushed into molds that cut it into pound packages. The hand never touches it. The objection to the hand touching the butter is that moisture is always working out of the human body, and there is always effete matter with it. People that eat such butter, if they ever think of it at all, must object to the results. Also such handling is more than likely to add to the butter some form of vegetable life that may develop in the body of the butter. It is perfectly easy on the farm to wash the butter and work it without touching it with the hands. The milk can be drawn out of the churn, water poured in, the churn be given two or three turns to rinse out the buttermilk, and that drawn off. The butter may either be salted in the churn or placed on a butter worker and there salted. The wooden butter worker will cost but a few dollars and will last indefinitely. With it the butter can be worked in two or three minutes. In fact, it is only necessary to run the corrugated roller over the butter two or three times. It can then be packed into jars or can be packed into wooden molds holding exactly a pound. Even for use in the farm house, the consumers will feel much better if they know that the human hands have never touched the butter they are eating.

Alfalfa as a Source of Protein.

The cheapest source of protein east of the Rocky Mountains is alfalfa hay. Nothing has been found quite so economical as this feed. Wheat bran is an excellent source of protein, but since the demand is becoming so great in the East the price has advanced to such an extent that it makes it less profitable.

In southern Kansas and northern Oklahoma cottonseed meal is a very cheap source of protein for dairy cows. However, we do not like to feed too much cottonseed meal, as it does not have as good an effect upon the system of the cow as linseed meal or bran. Where alfalfa is not grown and clover is grown, clover is a very cheap source of protein.

One of the rations that we find gives the best results for winter feeding is good bright alfalfa hay of the second or third cutting 18 pounds, corn 8 pounds and bran 2 pounds. This is a ration for a thousand-pound cow giving 20 pounds of milk per day. The cost of such a ration with alfalfa hay at $4 per ton would be 3.6c, corn at 35c per bushel would be 4.5c, and two pounds of bran would be 1.4c, making a total of 9.5c per day. This is a very economical ration and will give good results if the cow has good milking capacity.

Oscar Erf,
Professor of Dairy Husbandry, Kansas Agricultural College.

The Dairy Bull.

The selection of the dairy bull is a matter that may well engage the best thought of our dairymen. The practice of using a bull of any kind of a pedigree, so long as he is of pure breed must be discontinued. There are scrubs among the pure-bred animals as well as among those of no breeding. We must know something about the parents of the dairy bull and if possible something about his brothers and sisters, as to their performances relative to milk and butter-fat production. We can hardly expect to make much progress in the raising of dairy calves of high ability to produce rich milk till we use all the information we can obtain as to the characteristics of the animals with which we are dealing.

In the past the dairy bull has been allowed to stand in a neighborhood as long as he could get calves, without much regard as to the quality of those calves. When a bull has served for five or six years it is not difficult to tell whether he is producing calves of value for the dairy or not. In spite of all we can say, the milk-producing power of the breed is as much tied up in the bull as in the cow. We must have good milk producers, and to get these good milk producers we must have calves from parents that are exponents of the milk-producing ability.—Lemuel James, Bond Co., Ill., in Farmers' Review.

Milk of the Camel.

The butter-fat that is in the milk of the camel has not the characteristic yellow color seen in the butter of the dairy cow. The camel's milk is distinguished by its remarkable whiteness, and the butter made from it is absolutely uncolored. A French scientist analyzed a number of samples of camel's milk and found them to analyze on the average: Total solids, 12.40; fat, 5.38; lactose, 3.26; casein, 2.98; ash, 0.7.

Do not forget that pruning is best done while the trees are dormant. Look after the matter now and take advantage of the warm days in winter.

LIVE STOCK

Winter Drinking Vessels.

Warm water will keep from freezing for a long time, if it is afforded some degree of protection. One plan, as illustrated in the Farm Journal, is shown in Fig. I. The cover of a grocery box is hinged at one side, and a circular piece cut from the other side. Freezing will be greatly prevented if a "nest" of chaff and hay is formed inside the box (into which set the water dish), and the cover be shut down when the warm water is put into the dish.

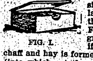

FIG. I.

Fig. II shows a drinking vessel, the kind generally used. In Fig. III "A" is the box; "B" the empty powder can; "C," small lamp or lantern.

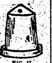

FIG. II

This plan is simply a wooden box, large enough to permit an empty powder can to set inside of same—under a hole cut in the top of the box. Over the hole the drinking vessel containing the water for the fowls is set.

In the bottom of the powder can punch several small holes for ventilation, and on cold days place a small lamp or lantern in the can. The heat from the lamp keeps the water only slightly warm. A small brass lantern, which can be purchased for about twenty cents at almost any hardware store, would be best for this use.

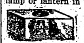

FIG. III.

Handling Vicious Bulls.

Although all bulls may not be vicious, they all should be watched continually and not allowed to get the least advantage of a man. I have always found it best to keep a bull tied up some of the time. Then while one is caring for him, leading him to water, etc., he is kept under control. He should not be abused but always be severe enough with him to make him understand that things must go your way. Although he may appear gentle he should by all means have a ring in his nose and a short, tough pole with a snap on the end should be used to lead him, as there is always a first time for all bulls to begin their angry attacks and his first time may be your last. If he is brought thoroughly under submission when he is being handled, he is not liable to become unruly when turned out. After a bull has become vicious and is dangerous, it is a good plan to suspend a light board or piece of sole leather from his horns over his face. It should be about fourteen inches wide and should come down nearly to his nostrils. This will not interfere with his feeding but as he cannot see in front of him, he will not attack any animal or person. I think a bull is much safer this way than when dehorned, as a dehorned animal can do considerable damage if he is vicious and without the horns you cannot partially blindfold as I recommend.—J. U. Fackler, Johnson Co., Iowa, in Farmers' Review.

The Coach Horse on the Farm.

The farmer has no use for the coach horse other than to produce him and to bring him to an age when he can be advantageously sold to the man in the city that will pay a large price for him. The horse suitable for a coacher is not the horse that is undersized and well suited to work on the public road. He must have size and strength and must inherit style. A horse that is born with an inheritance of clumsiness cannot be made into an animal that will suit the people in the city, all of whom want animals that will show style. The coach horse is not the same as the farm horse, which is mainly for expending muscular force on the tasks on the farm. Therefore the coach horse cannot be produced by using the common farm horse for foundation. A good mare must be bred to some stallion that is essentially a coacher. For some years before passing out of the hands of the farmer the coach horse will do good work on the farm, being especially valuable on the highway.

Improving Sheep.

Within twenty-five years, there has been a great change in the United States in the character of the sheep produced on our farms. There has been a general advance along the line of better quality. This has been done in the past, and will be done in the future by culling out the poor sheep. The man that will continually select for sale the poorest of his flock, will be continually improving it. He may at first have difficulty in selling these culls, but as time goes on the quality of the culls themselves will be so improved that they will sell readily on the market, no matter for what purpose they are purchased. The man that sells off the best of his sheep and keeps the poorest, thereby renders improvement impossible.

Greasing the Griddle.

Housekeepers may be glad to know that, instead of lard or bacon-rind, a turnip cut in half and the griddle thoroughly rubbed with the raw side, will answer the purpose of greasing, fry the cakes a nice rich brown, and there will be no sticking, and no odor or taste of the turnip, says the Woman's Home Companion. There is no smoke and mess, as when lard is used, nor is the nice flavor of the buckwheat destroyed, as by the use of grease.

Scald the churn so thoroughly that it will be always sweet and clean.

AUTOMOBILING BAD FOR FIGURE

Makes Women Sluggish and Apt to Take on Fat.

There used to be no greater automobile enthusiast than Baroness von Hengelmuller, wife of the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, but nobody ever sees her in a "chug-chug cart" these days. It is hinted the baroness believes there is nothing so injurious to the complexion, and even to the figure, as overindulgence in auto driving. She found that speeding in the open air gave a person an inordinate appetite, and then made one feel drowsy. In fact, it meant no exercise and far too much eating and sleeping. As a result the waist got out of the accepted lines and the eyes grew lusterless. On the whole, the baroness has decided that if one wishes to remain beautiful, walking or riding is a better form of locomotion. Her ideas are beginning to be accepted by women, who formerly spent a dozen hours a day in their machines.—New York Press.

For the Rural Reader.

A few years ago, while I was living in Lebanon, N. H., there was a certain Mr. Bagley there who was noted for trying to use big words, and also for getting his remarks somewhat twisted. On a certain occasion he had been at a farmers' meeting at Hanover and, while returning, one of his neighbors drove up behind him and the conversation turned on crops.

"His neighbor asked: "How is your hay crop this season?"

Bagley replied: "Well, my hay crop is rather short, but I shall get my cows through the winter all right, for I shall have two solos full of mucilage."—Boston Herald.

Facts About Marriage Rite.

The historical facts concerning marriage as an institution are probably only vaguely known to the majority of people, most of whom would doubtless be surprised to learn that the institution, as we know it to-day, is less than 500 years old. Histories of the marriage ceremony show that it was not solemnized in church as a religious rite until the time of Pope Innocent III., A. D. 1192, and was not considered a sacrament until 1442.—Harper's Weekly.

One on the Conductor.

An Irishman boarded a street car and handed the conductor a rather dilapidated looking coin in payment of his fare. The conductor looked at the coin critically and handed it back. "That's tin," he said.

"Sure, I thought it was a folve," answered the Irishman, complacently, as he put the piece back in his pocket and produced a nickel.—Lippincott's.

He Doesn't Curse Now.

Washington, Kans., Dec. 25 (Special)—Jesse E. Mitchell is a telephone lineman, and also a well known resident here. Everybody acquainted with Mr. Mitchell knows that he was a man who held very positive views about Patent Medicine. Hear what he says now:

"I used to curse all kinds of Patent Medicines, for they never did me any good, but Dodd's Kidney Pills have caused me to change my mind. For twelve years I suffered from Kidney Trouble. There was a hurting across my back that made it positive agony to stoop, and as I am in a stooping position nearly all day, you can imagine how I suffered. After a day's work that any man would think nothing of, I would be tired and worn out. In fact, I was always tired. I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills and after taking four boxes I feel like a new man, I am as fresh at night as when I begin work in the morning. I have no pain in my back now and I am stronger than ever."

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Sister—No; what is it?

"I think if I were not in the room Mr. Jones would kiss you."

"You impudent boy. Leave the room instantly!"—Tales from the German.

Shy.

"I hear Bumps has given $1,000 to the conscience fund."

"Can't be true."

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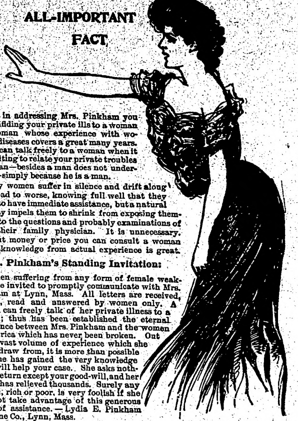

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First letter.

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For eight years I have suffered something terrible every month with my periods. The pains are excruciating and I can hardly stand them. My doctor says I have ovarian and womb trouble, and I must go through an operation if I want to get well. I do not want to submit to it if I can possibly help it. Please tell me what to do. I hope you can relieve me."—Mrs. Mary Dimmick, 59th and E. Capitol Sts., Benning P.O., Washington, D.C.

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His Natural Error.

"Why are you reading that old patent office report?"

"Patent office report?"

"That's what."

"Dang it all. I hadn't looked at the title. Picked it up and got interested. I thought it was something by Henry James.—Houston Chronicle.

Of Course.

"There's a scandalous story about her in this morning's Daily Howler."

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"What name would you suggest?"

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Impressed Him.

"Blank has just been showing me his new auto. Fine machine, isn't it?"

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Talk is not always cheap.—American Magazine.

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The Lindeke boom for governor did not shake the rafters, anyway.

With John Sharp Williams we can hope your Christmas was not so merry as to deprive you of a happy New Year.

The president's postmaster order seems to be as warmly commended by the "ins" as it is condemned by the "outs." Funny isn't it?

The Northfield News is offering a chromo to the first gentleman to define the position of the Minnesota senators on she railroad rate question.

John R. Walsh is another of those Democrats who believed in saving the country by contributing other people's money to the Republican campaign fund.

Northern Minnesota needs legislators pledged to support of liberal drainageappropriations. But, more than that, it needs legislators who are not pledged to the corporations.

President Roosevelt is willing to concede that the Panama canal is a big contract. He is also willing to divide with congress responsibility for its construction. The Panama incident is where the president's strenuosity and impetuosity failed to make good.

An exchange in speaking of a deceased citizen said: "We knew him as old ten per cent—the more he made the less he spent—the more he got the more he lent—he's dead—we don't know where he went—but if his soul to heaven was sent—he'll own the harps and charge 'em rent."

The Jefferson club of Minneapolis will give a banquet on the evening of January 8. Louis F. Post, editor of the Public, Chicago, will be the speaker of the evening. Governor Johnson, Insurance Commissioner O'Brien, Frank D. Larrabee and other notable Minnesota democrats are also on the program.

The drainage cause needs assistance and constant support. Proper ditching will reclain a vast empire in Northern Minnesota, but the work is too big and too expensive for the farmers alone to bear all of the cost. If the state and the national government will assist to the extent of bearing the expense of draining their own lands then we can hope for the "consumnation devoutly to be wished."

Congressman Steenerson is said to be "up in arms" against the order of President Roosevelt placing third-class postmasters under civil service. Whatever may be the desire of congressmen to reward their faithful followers with postoffice appointments, after all the interest of the general public is of larger importance, and the new order will be hailed with pleasure by the average citizen. If a postmaster is efficient, popular and upright there could be no reason for his removal other than political. And the public is more interested in good service than in the political notives which prompt appointments or govern the self-interest of congressman. As a matter of fact congressmen ought to be glad to be relieved of the burden of making petty appointments, and doubtless deep down in their hearts most of them are.

It seems that the Minnesota state prison twine plant is in danger of being strangled by the harvester octopus. The following from St. Paul will interest those of our farmers who have profited by the use of prison twine: "Plans of the International Harvester company to fight the state prison twine plant are approaching completion. It is given out that the trust interests have bought the plant of the Minnie Harvester company in St. Paul, which has been idle the past year, and will convert it into a factory for making flax twine. The plan is to make it a Minnesota property, buying the flax only from Minnesota farmers and selling the product only in this state, where the prison twine plant has been a serious thorn in the flesh. Prices will be made lower than the sisal and manilla twine sold by the prison and the trust will make a big effort to kill the business of the state plant and remove it from the field." Well, twine will be cheap for a few years while the killing is going on anyway, and the stronger the state plant is supported the longer the time will be. Farmers should act accordingly.

Wiley Tindolph, the Thief River land man, attended the National conference of immigration, which was held under the auspices of the National Civic federation in New York city, December 6, 7 and 8, in Madison Square Garden concert hall. Mr. Tindolph was appointed a delegate by Governor Johnson, and gives the COURIER an account of the meeting.

Seven Minnesota men attended as delegates, one of these, Archbishop Ireland, being an officer. The others are W. H. Williams, R. E. Burbridge and W. D. Washburn, Jr., Minneapolis; John E. Burchard and Thomas Cochrane, St. Paul; Wiley Tindolph, Thief River Falls.

Mr. Washburn was elected chairman of the Minnesota delegation and took a prominent part in the proceedings. He was also a member of the resolution committee. Mr. Cochrane of St. Paul was elected chairman of the Minnesota delegation. Wiley Tindolph was made a member of the committee on organization.

Immigration in its various phases was the only question considered. Among the capitalists present and taking part were Andrew Carnegie, Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president of Harvard university; August Belmont, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit company of New York, and many others.

Messrs. Carnegie and Eliot were among those who stood for unrestricted immigration. Strange as it may seem, Mr. Belmont was on the other side, and his address before the conference was regarded as one of the best heard. Unrestricted imnigiation was decidedly unpopular with the great majority of the delegates, and action taken indicates that the conference is the begining of a movement of great possibilities. Statistics were presented by the New York Tailor's union showing that out of 1,200,000 persons landed at Ellis island last year, 18,000 were tailors, for the reason that these 18,000 had not money enough to take them away from New York. The great number of workmen in this branch, many of whom are practically stranded when they arrive in this country, is responsible for the sweatshop conditions prevaling in New York, which is known to be about the worst place in the world for tailors.

Distribution of immigrants occupied some of the attention of the delegates. At present there is no systematic plan in effect to induce newcomers to go to places where there might be a demand for their services. The result is that certain sections, easily accessible from the seacoast, are glutted with all kinds of labor. Much disappointment was felt that John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, was unable to be present. His organization, composed largely of foreigners, has had more experience in solving questions in connection with the handling of foreigners than any other labor organization. The miners seem to be able to grapple with the immigration problem so far as it relates to them.

A feature of the conference was a visit to Ellis Island, where the delegates were entertained at luncheon. Several steamships reached the port at that time and afforded them an opportunity of witnessing the arrival, inspection and disposition of several thousand immigrants.

Among the recommendations the conference will take to congress will be that inspection be made in the country from which the immigrant comes, under the supervision of the United States consul and a commission appointed for that purpose. It is held that proof of the persons character and financial standing can be more easily obtained before starting upon a journey to a foreign country. This system, its advocates think, will go far toward aiding the government in keeping out criminals, papers and all objectionable subjects. The conference ask that the laws regulating Chinese and Japanese labor be rigidly enforced, particularly that point of the law which allows merchants and students admission into the United States so easily. It is claimed that under cover of this law many enter each year and remain.

Dr. Albert Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews, was chairman of the committee on resolutions.

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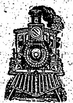

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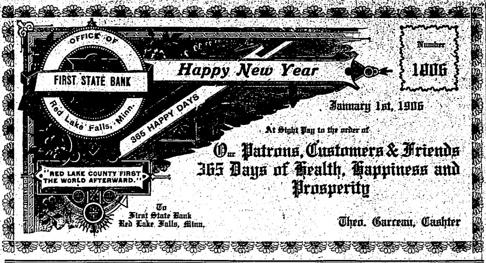

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Barley from		22-31
Oats		25
Hay		$4.50
Bran		$15.00
Shorts		$16.00
Mascot Flour		$2.55
Wood, poplar		$3.00 to $3.50
Butter 20c.	Eggs 25c.	

NOTES IN MINOR CHORD.

Band Concert Friday Evening.

J. C. Matthews was in from Dorothy Wednesday.

John Deutchman transacted business at Grand Forks Wednesday.

Mrs. Zaiser left for Minneapolis Saturday to visit relatives for a short period.

Dr. Tupper one of the good fellows and staunch democrats spent last night in the city.

Duluth man Stevenson of Thief River Falls spent last night in the city calling on his customers.

Asst Cashier, J. L. Hanson, of the First State Bank, visited over Sunday with friends at Crookston.

Chas. Martell of Gentilly is in the city to day looking after the affairs of his brother, the late Peter Martell.

Little Ed Bray threw the doors of his new and popular saloon on south main street open to the public early this week.

Miss Maggie Rose resigned her position in the Dugdale school and accepted a position in the office of Register of Deeds Jeffers.

Leland Healy our popular North Side Principal, is not enjoying his two weeks vacation owing to the fact that he is confined to the home with a mild attack of scarlet fever. He is getting along as nicely as can be expected.

The Big Store is paying 25c per dozen for eggs.

A. M. Robillard went to Grand Forks Wednesday.

Go to Spillane's for your Christmas candies. A select line is carried.

Omar Hall, departed Monday for Greenbush to relieve the station agent there for a short period.

Miss Rose Dubuque, of Crookston, arrived here Monday to spend Christmas with friends and relatives.

Miss Maude Findeisen, a pupil in the Winona Normal school arrived last week to spend the holidays with relatives.

Miss Marie Langois who is attending the Queen City Business College at Crookston arrived last week to visit with friends and relatives.

Ed. Jeffers came down from Northhome Saturday and proceeded on the evening train for Fergus Falls where he will spend the week visiting relatives.

Dr. V. Pleth was a professional visitor here Monday. He reports himself as being well pleased with the present condition of our popular townsman, Mr. A. G. Groshong.

John Kehoe came down from Middle River where he has charge of the G. N. section, Friday being called here by the serious illness of his wife who was visiting with Con Kehoe.

The merchants all report a splendid holiday trade. Not strange when one considers the large and varied assortment of goods they carry which insures buyers a careful and judicicus selection.

Frank Brouillet is up and attending to duties again at the Big Store. Frank says there was just one thing in the line of infant ailments, he forgot to have in his early youth and it finally found him, mumps.

Misses Eliza Trudo, Bertha Norby and Edna Foot teachers of the grammar, intermediate and primary departments, respectively; in the Lafayette school departed for their homes last week. The two former at Detroit and the latter at Crookston.

Band Concert Friday evening of this week.

Billie Scherner transacted busi at Greenbush Wednesday.

Chas. Moller the Terrebonne ped agogue is spending Christmas vacation in the city,

Shorty Brunelle, who is employed as harness maker at Crookston spent the holidays with friends here.

Try an "I Lead" cigar, only 5c, guaranteed to give satisfaction; if you want something better smoke a "B. B."

Norman Schreiter, attending the State University, came up Saturday and is spending the holidays with the folks at home.

Math Barzen of the Hanson & Barzen Milling Co of Thief River Falls was in town transacting business with Leo Steinert.

If you want to buy a farm, sell a farm, get a farm loan or abstract go to Sortedahl Land, Loan and Abstract Co., Red Lake Falls Minn. tf

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting at the Woodmen hall tomorrow (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock sharp instead of the usual hour owing to the band concert.

Miss Alvina Lizotte who has been employed as Deputy Register of Deeds for the past three years has resigned her position and will spend the remainder of the winter with her parents in Louisville.

Albert Power of Crookston a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Power came up Monday on the Great Northern and made the drive across in order to eat christmas turkey with the old folks at home at their farm near Wylie.

Genial Harry Ives of St. Hilaire went back on the old town and ate Christmas turkey at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Pirath. He was an out bound passenger that same evening for the Twin Cities on a business mission.

Big Bill Ittner, of the State "U," is home for the holiday vacation. He certainly made good on the gridiron the past season and the name of Ittner will be the slogan for the "U" football boys for years to come. He reports himself as well pleased with the studies at the university.

Carl M. Borgen, editor of the COURIER, spent Christmas with his family at Brandon. He will likely remain there long enough to pack his household goods and bring his family back with him. They will occupy the Hatton home. We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Borgen to our city and trust they will be with us for years to come.

The basket social in Dist. No. 88, five miles northeast of the city, Tuesday evening was a gratifying success. The net proceeds were $38.82 which will go towards the purchase of a library for the school. Miss Bridgetta Connaughty, teacher. Over seventy couple were present from this city and every one reports a most excellent time.

Trackless Trolleys Economical

The reports of the Berlin General Electric company on the operation of a trackless trolley system prove that this method is much cheaper than the usual one. Throughout the rural districts the trackless trolley can be operated to advantage and with the advantage that it can be built in almost no time. With tracks, or without, we can still be contented and happy if we have golden grain belt beer, the great health tonic and table beverage. If you have no case at home, there's no time like the present to order. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

The M. B. A. socialed at their hall last evening.

The Band Concert Friday evening will be fully up to the standard.

P. O. Floan, wife and two daughters spent Wednesday with friends at Wylie.

Arthur Holberg arrived Monday from Grand Forks to spend the holidays with his brothers.

C. W. Cress is confined to his home by an attack of pneumonia. His condition is serious.

Andrew Wello one of Rockbury's most prominent farmers drove down early this morning on business.

Mrs. Adam Schmidt returned to Grand Forks after attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Fred Schmidt.

Roll and Rainy Besse, of the University of North Dakota, spent from Tuesday until Friday with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaufer spent christmas at the home of their daughter Mrs. Wm Murphy at Thief River Falls.

Mine Host Kreuger and wife were entertained at Christmas dinner at the home of the latters parents in Polk Center township.

C. Shaeffer of Duluth, travelling passenger agent for the Duluth South Shore was in the city Wednesday attending to business for his company.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church had a sleigh ride party Wednesday night to C. M. Nauman's where they were furnished with a bounteous supper.

Miss Etta Zaiser, of Red Lake Falls, passed through the city yesterday morning enroute home for the holidays. While here Miss Zaiser was the guest of Miss Hillman. —Crookston Times.

'T will be well for all notary publics to bear in mind that the new law compelling them to show on each acknowledgment taken the date of the expiration of their commission goes into effect Janury 1st.

Aug. Lindberg chairman of the town of Numedahl missed the train at Theif River Falls last night but by means of horse flesh he was enabled to get here in time for the organization of the election board.

Atty. E. M. Stanton of the upper Falls is in the city today on business before the probate court in connection with the estate of Peter Martinson the victim of the tragedy on the reservation a few weeks ago.

Miss Lulu Fletcher, of Red Lake Falls, one of the prominent young ladies of that place, who has taught school at Ely during the past year, passed through the city yesterday morning enroute home for the holidays.—Crookston Times.

You Must Hurry

if you wish to get some of the goods from our holiday stock. The best things are being picked every day. We will put aside anything you will select and hold it until you call for it or deliver it to your order. This week we have received

Beautiful Hand Work

in Doilies, Handkerchiefs. Center pieces, Turn over Collars, etc. See the most beautiful line of goods ever exhibited in the city.

Why not give your husband or son a
SUIT OR OVERCOAT
for a Christmas Preset?
You can pick something nobby out of our line and save enough to buy many other things. TRY US.

Our 5-10-15 and 25c Counters
still have lots of good things to sell. This makes buying easy for you. Every article a money saver.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas
Yours to please

The Big Store
Theo. LaBissoneire, Prop.

Mrs. Eli Hanson spent the holidays with her parents at Fertile.

Carl E. Peterson the COURIER foreman, spent Christmas with a brother at Middle River.

Prop. Barholz of the hotel at Fertile passed through here Monday enroute to St. Hilaire.

When you want a smoke call for a La Columbia. It has the quality and satisfies. Sold by dealers.

Miss Grace Greene, who has been visiting with friends in the city for a few days departed for her nome at Equality.

C. A. Lindquist of Polk Center was down from that town today having a look at the Commissioner Election board.

"Samuel Smiles," that's the cigar that makes you smile. Call for it, your dealear keeps it, and you are sure of a good smoke.

Mrs. A. L. Reichert and children are spending the holidays with a sister, Mrs. John McIntyre at Fargo. They expect to return Saturday of this week.

Jos. Morin, son of Aug Morin, who has been employed at Culberson, Mont., for the past five years is in the city spending the holidays with his parents.

Chan Fuller bookkeeper for the Thief River Falls Lumber Co and well known here shook hands with friends here this morning while enroute home from Winnepeg.

Miss Marie Barret of Crookston spent Christmas here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Finsand were Christmas visitors with friedds at Thief River Falls.

Banard Kokey arrived Saturday from Ulen and remained as a guest of Joe Salley until Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Fletcher, teacher in the Ely, Minn., schools is spending her holiday vacation with relatives.

Fred Richards, teacher of the Dorothy school, visited with relatives and friends a few days during the holiday vacation.

We are in receipt of a very choice line of fresh cookies. They are the best on the market.

—J, R. & R. Fortier.

Miss Sadie Power arrived here Saturday from Langdon, N. Dak., and departed the same day for Wylie to be at home during the holidays.

Manager Doran of the Thief River Falls lumber company's yard here is taking a well earned vacation and is visiting old friends and relatives in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pheilen of Drayton, North Dakota, arrived on Mondays Great Northern to spend the holidays with the latters sister, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere.

Knute Bjorge of Thief River Falls came down Tuesday and will have charge of the Thief River Falls lumber company's yard here during the absence of manager Doran.

A Good Stove Cheap

is what you can truthfully say about a WILSON AIR-TIGHT HEATER..

All WILSON HEATERS are made of POLISHED STEEL and are lined all the way to the top with *heavy sheet steel.* They have *cast iron lids, cast iron pipe collars* and that *outside pipe draft* that you have heard so much about. A Wilson, if taken good care of, will last *seven or eight years*, and you can buy one large enough for any ordinary-sized room for $6.50.

"Salamander" Air Tights

from $2.25 up. We are exclusive agents for the

Beckwith Round Oak Stoves and the Radiant Home Base Burners

Would be pleased to show you our line.

FRANK E. HUNT
Established 1878 Gen'l Hardware

We wish our customers and friends

A Happy and Prosperous New Year

GARCEAU & ZAISER, Red Lake Falls

THE COURIER

CARL M. BORGEN, Editor.

Red Lake Falls, Minn

Among the "best books of the month" the pocket book always holds a leading place.

The average Russian begins to class manifestoes and ukases with gold-brick circulars.

Chicago clubwomen have 8 3-10 children apiece. On the average, of course; on the average.

To Mark Twain, whose own life is his greatest work: The longer it lasts the better it becomes.

Jan Kubelik, the violinist, wears a costly muff. The ladies will be kissing him if he doesn't watch out.

"Honest Poverty," says Uncle Andrew Carnegie, "should never be abolished." It seldom is, except by death.

Four workmen in the car shops at Pullman make from $40 to $60 a day, but the chances are they live only a few days.

Three Korean statesmen committed suicide, having discovered that they were statesmen out of jobs since Japan moved in.

A new novel is entitled "The Heart of Lady Anne." It will be followed in due time, presumably, by "The Lungs of Lady Lucile."

"Everything is possible if you have one person to believe in you," says Ian Maclaren. Especially if the one person is a publisher.

A stranger in Chicago had his pocket picked while at prayer in church. In Chicago, evidently, it is necessary to watch as well as pray.

Troubles strengthen our hearts as exercise strengthens our muscles. The easy life is a drifting one that takes us no place in particular.

China thinks the reasonableness of its views on certain questions will be clearer to the powers when it has an army of 800,000 men fully established

England is running a serious risk in defying the tobacco trust. The trust may take a notion to buy an island and set up an opposition to England.

The whisky trust has been sued by the sugar trust, and the only thing needed to make the legal cocktail complete is to have the lemon trust intervene.

A python in Cincinnati squeezed its keeper nearly to death. If the keeper concludes to resign, there are plenty of young ladies who will be glad of the job.

That assay officer out in Seattle who swindled the government by mixing black sand with the gold dust took mighty long chances. But he had plenty of sand.

A dancer in one of the musical comedies has had her feet heavily insured. What's the matter with her— But she probably has reasons for believing they are all right.

A denizen of a dry town went to a wet town for a little diversion, and taking on too much of it, he was arrested, and the magistrate as a punishment, sent him back home.

From France comes the dreadful warning that next season motor cars that travel two miles a minute will be seen in America. Let us begin right now to get out of the way.

The London Times says the liberal premier has no reserve of enthusiasm to draw upon. It forgets the office-seekers. Till the places are filled their enthusiasm will be unbounded.

A professor at the University of California has just declared to his class in ethics that animals are immortal, and certainly experience with some cats goes to show that he is right.

Another reason why everybody should be thankful is that the meat trust has no control over the air we breathe or the beams that radiate from the sun. They are just as cheap as ever.

Reports sent out from New York say the birth rate in the Fifth avenue district is steadily declining. Isn't it rather surprising that there is any birth rate at all in the district referred to?

Somebody signing himself "Constant Reader" wants us to say that a man with hay fever should be an "influenzial member of a community," but we decline to be dragged into any discussions.

The minister in Cleveland who has aroused a storm by his public declaration that beer is better for the man than dyspepsia-breeding apple dumplings says he doesn't drink beer himself. Neither does he eat apple dumplings.

A war department item says that the army signal officers will conduct some experiments with a device invented by a Massachusetts militiaman which converts the ploughshare into an implement of warfare. Alas, what a perversion of the scriptureal

ODELL ATTACKS THE PRESIDENT

HE AND GOV. HIGGINS ACCUSED OF TRYING TO WRECK PARTY IN STATE.

BIG FIGHT ON SPEAKERSHIP

PRESIDENT READY TO BECOME STATE LEADER TO OUST ODELL.

New York, Dec. 23.—Interest in the contest for the speakership of the New York State assembly was largely centered upon the interview given yesterday by ex-Gov. Odell, Republican state chairman, in which he accused President Roosevelt and Gov. Higgins of a deliberate attempt to wreck the Republican party of this state in order to further their personal ambitions.

Former Gov. Odell charged President Roosevelt and Gov. Higgins with a deliberate attempt to wreck the party. He declared that if disaster ensued they, not he, will be responsible.

Mr. Odell's accusations were a part of his comment on the situation growing out of the contest in the Republican party for the speakership of the assembly. Mr. Odell declared himself in favor of E. A. Merritt, Jr., several days ago. On Monday last Gov. Higgins came out in favor of J. W. Wadsworth, Jr.

Not Dictated by President.

Assemblyman Wadsworth said:

"I believe Gov. Higgins' statement that President Roosevelt did not dictate my candidacy, and I think Gov. Higgins is abundantly able to take care of himself."

Assemblyman Merritt gave out a statement criticising the manner in which J. W. Wadsworth, Jr., was put forth for the speakership.

Mr. Merritt says:

"Gov. Higgins is quoted as still of the opinion that the president will not interfere in the selection of a speaker of the assembly. At the same time he seeks to convey the impression that the election of his nominee, Mr. Wadsworth, will be especially pleasing to the president, seeking, I suppose, to get the benefit of the president's great personality for his candidate by indirect means.

Roosevelt Would Be Leader.

Washington, Dec. 23. — President Roosevelt read ex-Gov. Odell's defi yesterday afternoon and refused to comment on it. He sent out word that he had nothing to say. There is no doubt that the president is heartily with the movement to make James W. Wadsworth, Jr., speaker. He has had several conferences with New York Republican leaders and has told them all that the proper thing to do was to select some man like Wadsworth for the speakership.

The president is anxious to rid the party of Odell and of all the Odell influences. He is also ready to become the leader of the party in New York and is working to that end. He has secured pledges from many leading Republicans and will be behing Gov. Higgins in every movement he makes.

FOLK ORDERS NEW RAIDS.

"Lid Clubs" of St. Louis to Be Visited by the Police.

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—President Stewart of the board of police commissioners yesterday received a letter from Gov. Foolk instructing the police to raid "clubs" organized for the purpose of evading the Sunday liquor law and the avoidance of dram shop license payment. Gov. Folk instructs that the clubs be raided not only on Sunday but on week days in every case where it is apparent that liquor is being sold to the general public in violation of the charters issued to these organizations as social clubs. Chief of Police Kiley announced yesterday afternoon that all the so-called "clubs" will be raided next Sunday. There are 147 "lid clubs" in St. Louis.

BANK ROBBERS GIVE NOTICE.

Texas Cashier Asked to Stock Up for Christmas Raid.

Galveston, Tex., Dec. 23.—The Plano National bank, which was robbed of $19,000 last Christmas day, has received warning that the bandits are planning to descend on the institution again next Monday. Cashier Jasper has found the following letter in his mail:

"We are coming to your bank for our annual Christmas gift. Please have plenty on hand. The supply we got last Christmas has about been spent. —Eighteen Strong."

Mr. Jasper has concluded that the letter was written in earnest and all precautions will be taken.

INDIAN ORPHAN ASKS AID.

Seven-Year-Old Alaskan Calls at the White House.

Washington, Dec. 23. — President Roosevelt yesterday met Fay Koborivaka, a seven-year-old Indian girl from Alaska, whose entire family was wiped out by an epidemic of whooping cough in Alaska several months ago. The little Indian girl's ambition is to be a school teacher, and it is proposed to have her educated at the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa.

BURNS TO THE WATER'S EDGE

BARGE DESTROYED AT SEA—CREW SUPPOSED TO BE SAFE ON BOARD TUG.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 23.—The barge Baker, bound from New York for Philadelphia in tow, was burned to the water's edge here yesterday. It is presumed the crew was taken off by the tug Sea King, which was towing the Baker. The Abscon lifesaving crew went out to the burning barge, but could do nothing to save the vessel. Nothing was seen of the Sea King nor the barge Reading, which the Sea King also had in tow. There was no one on board the Baker and there was no cargo. There were appearances, however, that the vessel had recently carried a cargo of coal. The Baker had probably been burning since Wednesday night and was not seen from here until yesterday morning, when she had floated to within five miles of this shore. The burned barge was owned by the Baker transportation company of New York. It has been learned that the revenue cutter Mohawk was yesterday sent from Tompkinsville, Staten Island, and the wrecking tug North America from the Delaware breakwater to the aid of the barge.

NEW ASPECT TO LAND FRAUD.

Lumber Company Asks Board to Refund Payments.

Salem, Or., Dec. 23.—A new phase in the school land swindles presented itself yesterday in the application for return of partial payments on counterfeit certificates, made in good faith to the state school land board by the Fenwood Lumber Company of Wausau, Wis., which holds fifteen bogus certificates for an aggregate of 4,219 acres. The Fenwood company loaned money on the certificates to one "D. R. Murphy," which is believed to be an alias of one of the persons convicted several months ago in the federal courts of defrauding the government of public lands and who is now a fugitive from justice. Payments were made in Murphy's name on these certificates as fast as they became due by the Fenwood company, and they now ask that these payments be refunded. The land board has deferred action in the matter until it is determined whether they have the legal authority to refund payments.

NELSON ACTS ON FORESTRY.

Minnesota Senator Has Two Bills on Ceding of Land.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Senator Nelson yesterday reported from the senate committee on public lands his bill ceding to the State of Minnesota certain vacant lands in Cass county for experimental forestry purposes. A bill was introduced by Senator Nelson yesterday proposing an amendment to the Nelson act of 1889 so as to permit the transfer to the state of Cooper island in Cass lake, to be used by the state as a forest reserve or public park.

SLAYER GETS TEN-YEAR TERM.

Third Jury Finds Montana Man Guilty.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 23.—Ten years in the state penitentiary is the punishment for James Slattery, tried here in the district court for killing Dan Mahoney, a bartender in a Butte saloon, July 31, 1904. The case came here on a change of venue, two Butte juries having been unable to agree, probably owing to certain conflicting features of the testimony. The jury spent nineteen hours in considering the case.

Boy Accidentally Killed.

Montrose, Minn., Dec. 23.—The ten-year-old son of Emanuel Erickson, who lives about three miles north of this village, was accidentally shot in the abdomen with a 22-caliber rifle in the hands of his twelve-year-old brother, inflicting a wound from the effects of which he died a few hours later. Another case of didn't know it was loaded.

Guilty of Soliciting a Bribe.

Milwaukee, Dec. 23.—Ex-Ald. Robert L. Rudolph was yesterday afternoon sentenced to one year in the Milwaukee house of correction, being found guilty of soliciting a bribe of $100 from ex-City Attorney Charles H. Hamilton in 1901 to secure the passage of an expense bill through the common council.

Double Cattle Trail Toll Rate.

Miller, S. D., Dec. 23.—The Indians at Cheyenne agency, in council, discussed the matter of renewing the Milwaukee cattle trail. They voted against leasing at the old price of 25 cents a head, but decided to lease at 50 cents a head.

Is Said to Have Raised Bills.

Helena, Mont., Dec. 23.—D. H. Teal has been held to the federal grand jury at Billings on a charge of raising one dollar bills to tens. His work is said to have been so clever that it deceived Billings bankers.

Flashlight Explodes.

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 23. — While taking pictures at the Eagles' installation a flashlight exploded, badly burning R. F. Thomas, a photographer. He may lose both his eyes. Two others were hurt.

MAKE ATTEMPT TO KILL REYES

PROMINENT MEN IN PLOT TO MURDER PRESIDENT OF COLOMBIA.

WOULD OVERTURN GOVERNMENT

FORMER CABINET MINISTER AND FIVE OPPOSITION LEADERS ARE IN IT.

Washington, Dec. 23. — The state department has received information by cable that an attempt was made in Bogota Wednesday to dispose of President Reyes, as an incident to a plot for overthrowing the government. In consequence there were many arrests of prominent men, who were to be tried by court-martial yesterday. Among them was a foreign minister of the cabinet and five leaders of the opposition. No details were given of the reason for the attempt upon Gen. Reyes' life.

Express Surprise.

The officials at the Colombian legation last night expressed surprise at the news from Bogota. It is the first intimation they have had that there is any feeling against President Reyes. Mr. Triana, the secretary of the legation, who is in charge of affairs in the absence of Minister Mendoza, who is in New York, haid last night:

"I am at a loss to understand the reasons for any plot against President Reyes. He is extremely popular and during his administration as president has made every effort to appease the members of all the political elements in the country.

No Success in Revolt.

"There is practically only one party in Colombia now, though of course there will always develop elements of opposition in all governments. The conostitutional convention held some time ago made provision whereby Gen. Reyes was to hold the office of president for a period of ten years, after which it was to be filled by the incumbent for a period of four years, as in the United States.

"Any revolutionary movement against Gen. Reyes has no prospect of success. Of this I am confident. The president is popular with the army, and although the soldiers are engaged in work on the public roads they are always within available distance so that they can be called on in an emergency.

"I had letters to-day from both President Reyes and the minister of foreign affairs, and there was nothing in them to indicate evidences of dissatisfaction with the government or the formation of any plot to overthrow it."

Envoy Is Reticent.

New York, Dec. 23.—Mr. Mendoza, Colombian minister to this country, who is in New York, said last night he had received a communication from his government which did not confirm the dispatch to Washington. The minister refused to make public his communication.

FIVE HURT IN TUNNEL

Scaffolding Collapses in Railway Tunnel Being Built Under East River.

New York, Dec. 23.—Deep under the East river yesterday a scaffolding fell in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel, and five workmen were injured, three of them seriously. The men thought the river was coming in on top of them, when the scaffolding, near the roof of the tunnel, at a point about 100 feet out from the shore, suddenly collapsed without any apparent reason. A gang of men working near the scaffolding started on a run toward the tunnel's mouth, shouting warnings to the diggers, who were still further out under the river, at the end of the boring. When the men were assured that the tunnel had not caved in, they returned to find five of their comrades buried under the scaffolding, two of them injured internally and another with a fractured skull. The injured men were taken to the hospital.

ITO NOT MERE DIPLOMAT.

Resident General in Korea Has Extra Judicial Powers.

Tokio, Dec. 23.—The post of Japanese resident general in Korea will not be exclusively diplomatic, as is shown by the regulations governing the newly organized office, which after passing the privy council were published here yesterday. The resident general is empowered to mete out punishment, but his sentence must not exceed one year's imprisonment and $100 fine. Field Marshal Yamagata has been appointed president of the privy council.

DURING FIT OF INSANITY

Mrs. Reble Fatally Shoots Herself With a Revolver.

St. Paul, Dec. 23.—During a fit of temporary insanity Mrs. Edith L. Reble, thirty-three years old, shot herself with a revolver at 4 o'clock this morning at her home. For several years Mrs. Reble suffered from a mental trouble, which at times caused temporary fits of insanity. Between these spells she was sane and able to perform her household duties.

ALL BIDS ARE REJECTED

BIDDERS FOR PHILIPPINE CONCESSIONS WILL GET ANOTHER CHANCE.

Washington, Dec. 23.—All bids for concessionary contracts or grants for the construction of railways in the Philippine islands recently submitted to the bureau of insular affairs were yesterday rejected because of the departures from the terms of the circular calling for proposals. Secretary Taft, after a number of conferences with Gov. Wright and Mr. Forbes of the Philippine commission, and Col. Edwards, chief of the insular bureau, decided to readvertise for proposals and Jan. 20, at 10 a. m., has been fixed as the date for the opening of the new bids for three concessions. The terms will be modified in some particulars.

ARE DESERTING LAWSON.

Mutual Life Policyholders Withdraw Their Proxies.

New York, Dec. 23.—Some Mutual Life policyholders who have given proxies to Thomas W. Lawson of Boston have written to President-elect Peabody of that company saying that they do not wish to hamper him in his undertaking and asking the names of persons to whom they can send new proxies in favor of the new regime. Mr. Peabody has not yet taken hold of Mutual matters, but officials of the company have replied for him that an an opportunity will be given to every policyholder, prior to the annual meeting in June, to give proxies to persons who will cast them for "new deal" trustees.

DIAMONDS IMPORTED.

Precious Stones in Record-Breaking Amount Coming Into Country.

Washington, Dec. 23.—A statement issued yesterday by the department of commerce and labor says:

Over $36,000,000 worth of diamonds and other precious stones have been imported into the United States during the present calendar year, which is by far the largest importation in in the history of the country. The high water mark in earlier years was $28,500,000 in 1903, while 1904 showed but $27,750,000. In the ten months ending with October, the total is over $31,000,000, or more than in any full year prior to 1905.

FIND VERDICT OF GUILTY.

Jury Convicts Hugh Watt of Hiring Men to Murder His Wife.

London, Dec. 23.—The trial of Hugh Watt, the former member of parliament, charged with inciting hired agents to murder his divorced wife, Julia Watt, and Sir Reginald Beauchamp, ended yesterday with a verdict of guilty. Watt was sentenced to five years' penal servitude.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Dec. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 1-2@85 1-2c; No. 2 Northern, 81@83c; No. 3, 79 1-2@81c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 44 1-2@45c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 1-4@30 3-4c.

Duluth, Dec. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 84 3-4c; No. 2 Northern, 82 3-4c; flax, $1.04 7-8; rye, 62c.

Minneapolis, Dec. 23. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, 85 3-8c; No. 1 Northern 84 7-8c; No. 2 Northern, 82 7-8c; durum, 71@74c. Oats—No. 3 white, 29 1-2c.

Milwaukee, Dec. 23. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 88@89c; No. 2 Northern, 85@85 1-2c. Rye—No. 1, 70c. Barley—No. 2, 53 1-2@54c. Oats—Standard, 39c.

Chicago, Dec. 23. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 89@91c; No. 2 hard, 86@87 1-2c; No. 1 Northern, 88@90c; No. 2 Northern, 86@89c. Corn—No. 2, 46c. Oats—No. 2, 31 1-4c.

Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Beeves, $3.40@5.60; cows, bulls and mixed, $2@3.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@3.60; calves and yearlings, $2.50@3.40. Hogs—Bulk, $4.70@4.75.

Chicago, Dec. 23. — Beeves, $3.60@6.80; stockers and feeders, $2.30 @ 4.15; cows and heifers, $3.25 @ 4.75. Hogs — Mixed and butchers, $4.75@5; bulk, $4.85 @ 4.95. Sheep, $4 @ 5.65; lambs, $4.75@7.85.

South St. Paul, Dec. 23. — Cattle — Good to choice steers, $4.50 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.25 @ 4.25; good to choice milch cows, $30@40. Hogs — Range price, $4.55 @ 4.75; bulk, $4.65. Sheep — Good to choice lambs, $6.25 @ 6.75; fair to good, $4.50@6.25; yearling wethers, $5@5.50; good to choice ewes, $4.50@4.75.

Osler Convert Kills Himself.

Sherman, Tex., Dec. 23.—Dennis B. Taft, aged seventy years, a stranger, ended his life by casting himself under the wheels of an express train last evening. In a letter found addressed to the coroner he stated he was a convert of Prof. Osler.

Henry Harland Dead.

New York, Dec. 23.—The death of Henry Harland, the American author who wrote "The Cardinal's Snuffbox," was announced in a cablegram received from Italy, yesterday. Harland died at San Remo, Italy.

Fire in the Nice Casino.

Nice, France, Dec. 23.—A fire early yesterday partially destroyed the Casino shortly after the departure of a day night party. There were no casualties. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

Congress.

Resume of the Week's Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 16. — The house devoted four and three-quarters hours yesterday to lively debate on the possibilities of controlling insurance companies. Two set speeches were the features. One by Mr. Sherley (Ky.) bore on the doctrine of state's rights, and the other by Mr. Cockran (N. Y.) related to the actions of the officers who managed the big life insurance companies of his state, Mr. Cockran promising that congress, through its taxing power, should confine all insurance companies to the state in which they are organized.

Mr. Williams, the minority leader concluded the debate, holding that control was possible, but not through the taxing power.

The Panama canal was again under consideration by the senate, and Mr. Tillman occupied the entire time given to that subject, except that he gave way to questions or interruptions by other senators. He did not indicate any intention of opposing the passage of the appropriation bill, but he criticised the methods of the canal commission in many of its transactions.

When the senate adjourned the bill was still pending, but there was an agreement to vote to-day.

Washington, Dec. 18. — The senate Saturday passed the Panama canal emergency appropriation bill, but the result was not attained until after the debate on the bill had been continued the greater part of the day to the exclusion of practically all other business.

The house indulged itself again to the extent of four hours of what was many times termed an academic discussion of federal control of insurance. It was the fourth day of the debate and the interest of members had apparently diminished. Democratic contention for states' rights predominated in the oratory. The Republicans who spoke confined themselves more to the committee reference which should be made of the subject of insurance in the president's message. On this many views were expressed.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Whether the senate is warranted in censuring a senator convicted in a court of misconduct and not assigning him to a place on standing committees, yet leaving his name on the senate rolls, was discussed for two hours yesterday by the senate and then dropped without a ruling on the question. Several senate leaders took up the subject. On account of the delicacy of the question the debate naturally was not as open as would be necessary for final determination of the matter.

Mr. Bailey raised the point by inquiring of Mr. Hale when the latter presented the new list of standing committees whether every senator had been provided with a place. Mr. Hale replied that every senator except Mr. Burton of Kansas had been given assignments, and he had been left off the committees at his own request until the charges against him had been disposed of by the courts. Mr. Mailey protested against any senator's name being kept on the roll unless he was given work to do, and argued that it is the duty of the senate to itself, to Kansas and to the country, to investigate the charges against Mr. Burton and determine whether he is entitled to a seat in the senate.

Insurance, hazing, the suffering Russian Jews and immigration were all topics of discussion in the house yesterday under the general leave of talk. The only business done was to send the canal appropriation bill to conference.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The senate yesterday accepted the report of the conference committee on the Panama canal emergency appropriation bill and thus, so far as it is concerned, finally disposed of that measure. The acceptance of the report was preceded by a brief discussion of the restoration of the bond provision to the appropriation bill and of the action of the house in resenting the senate's action in separating these two questions. Several minor bills were passed during the day.

The house continued general debate under the guise of referring the president's message to committees on questions of interest, national or otherwise. The subject of federal control of insurance was the main feature and nearly all speakers began their remarks with referance to it.

Hit by Engine; Gets $2,000.

Red Wing, Minn., Dec. 17.—In the case of Christian J. Floan against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road for damages, the jury yesterday returned a verdict for $2,000, the full amount asked. Floan was run over by a switch engine.

To Lay Off Over Holiday.

Washington, Dec. 17. — Chairman Payne of the ways and means committee yesterday presented to the house a joint resolution providing for the holiday recess. It proposes adjournment of both houses from Dec. 21 to Jan. 4.

Death in His Wealth.

Louisiana, Mo., Dec. 17.—Clay Neville, a farmer living seven miles from Curryville, committed suicide yesterday from worry over having [illegible] money than he could invest.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

In district court at Albert Lea the grand jury returned an indictment against Harry Squier on a charge of grand larceny in the second degree.

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The appointment of Gen. Mark D. Flower to be postmaster at St. Paul was sent to the senate by President Roosevelt and the nomination was confirmed later in the day.

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One of the largest land deals made for some years was closed recently at Staples when the Dower farm of 640 acres was sold to S. Way of Mason City, Iowa. The sale price was $12.50 an acre.

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On the recommendation of Representative Steenerson orders will soon be issued opening to settlement the township in the northwest corner of Kittson county abutting on the Canadian line.

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Andrew Crampton, an old resident of St. Paul, died at the city hospital of injuries received by falling on the icy street. In falling he struck his head against the curb and sustained a fractured skull.

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Charles Kuehl, for some unaccountable reason, drove on the railroad track at Red Wing with a load of lumber for Wacouta, and was run over by a Milwaukee freight. He died shortly after. One horse was killed.

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W. W. McPherson, a well-known resident of Stillwater, died at the age of 59 years. He was a native of Maryland and a direct descendant of George Washington and President Madison. He leaves a widow and one son.

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A verdict of not guilty was returned by the jury by order of Judge Morris in the United States district court at St. Paul in the trial of John C. Hanley, indicted on a charge of using the mails in furtherance of a scheme to defraud.

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John H. Hawley, while walking on the tracks in the yards at Sandstone, was run down by a switch engine and fatally hurt. A leg and an arm were cut off, but he retained consciousness. Mr. Hawley was a man 63 years old and quite deaf.

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Another new townsite is to be platted on the Mesaba range, near Prairie river. It will adjoin the property of Lind & Buckman, on which 200 feet of iron ore has been found. The development of this immense deposit of ore will make room for a thriving village.

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Bishop James McGolrick of Duluth has been invited and will assist at the dedication of Pittsburg's $1,000,000 Catholic cathedral early in February. The edifice is to be known as St. Paul's. Apostolic Delegate Falconio and Cardinal Gibbons will also assist at the dedication.

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The death of Christina Momb of Atlanta, Becker county, at the age of nearly eleven and weighing only twenty pounds, occurred recently. When six months old the child suffered from a peculiar sickness which stunted its growth and seemed to hinder all future development.

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Winona promises to get through the present year with very light fire loss. The figures up to the present time show that the loss is but $8,947, as compared with $41,805 last year. There have been but three fires this year in which the loss has been more than $1,000, and in each case it was largely covered by insurance.

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The state railroad and warehouse commission is negotiating with John F. Wallace, former chief engineer of the Panama canal, to make an estimate of the value of Minnesota railroad investments. This work is a duty placed upon the commission by the last legislature preliminary to a revision of railroad rates.

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The alleged faulty construction of a scaffolding at the new gas plant in Winona was the cause of the death of Louis Schultz, who had his neck dislocated by a fall of twenty feet there through the breaking of a plank upon which he was standing. Harry Renshaw, building superintendent for the Stacy Manufacturing company, is especially blamed by the verdict. The verdict states that poor material was allowed to enter into the construction of the saffolding, and because of this a plank broke without negligence or carelessness on the part of the deceased.

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Frank Webster, a farmer living in Mary township, near Ada, was found dead, lying near a strawstack on his farm. No marks were found on the body, which was lying in a natural position, and no cause of death has been ascertained.

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In an opinion by Justice Holmes the supreme court of the United States upheld the validity of the Minnesota state law holding railroad companies responsible for injuries done to employes through the carelessness of other employes.

FITZSIMMONS LOSES FIGHT

VENERABLE OLD MAN COLLAPSES AT END OF THIRTEENTH ROUND.

BADLY MAULED BY O'BRIEN

PHILADELPHIAN GIVES REMARKABLE EXHIBITION — FITZ'S LAST BATTLE.

San Francisco, Dec. 22. — Robert Fitzsimmons collapsed at the close of the thirteenth round of his fight with Jack O'Brien. He had fought hard, but nature could not longer stand the strain, and after the gong had sounded for the close of the thirteenth round he walked to his corner and sat in his chair. Then his head fell over on his breast, his whole body collapsed and the fighting wonder of the age was "all in." Referee Graney saw his conodition and awarded the fight to O'Brien. While punched in the face and badly cut up and several times in jeopardy, Fitzsimmons always

Managed to Come To

and resume the fight. Just at the close of the thirteenth round he landed a left on O'Brien's stomach, but the Philadelphian came back with a similar blow and followed it with a left to the jaw. The gong rang for the close of the round and Fitzsimmons walked to his corner. As he sat down he said to Graney:

"Eddie, he hit me in the stomach and it is all over."

Then his head sank and Bob Fitzsimmons was defeated. Referee Graney said:

"Fitzsimmons showed his class. O'Brien is a wonderful boxer, and the old man stood up and

Took His Punishment.

Occasionally he showed a flash of his old time form, but his strength could not last."

After the fight had been awarded to O'Brien Fitzsimmons slipped to the floor and lay prostrate in the ring. There was a call for a doctor, as it was seen he was in a state of collapse.

He revived, however, in a few minutes, and with the assistance of his seconds, was able to leave the ring.

O'Brien gave a remarkable exhibition of sparring and foot work. He ducked, dodged and side-stepped in a manner that was bewildering. Fitzsimmons could swing and

Find Only Empty Air,

and several times nearly went through the ropes from the force of his misspent blows.

O'Brien would straighten up and dash in a wicked cutting left, which, while not possessing knock-down force, was sufficient to jar the old gladiator. Fitzsimmons had the sympathy of the enormous crowd, which jeered and hissed O'Brien when he ducked and ran away. But the Philadelphia man had laid out his plan of battle and could not be coerced into mixing things with the old fighter who was known to possess a dangerouos punch. Before Fitzsimmons left the ring he made a little speech in which he said he had done his best. He said he had fought his last fight.

MIDDIES MAY MAKE A FUSS.

Decision Against Power of Dismissal Points to Complications.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 22.—In view of the decision by Attorney General Moody that midshipmen cannot be dismissed from the academy by the secretary of the navy on the recommendation of the superintendent, there is discussion here as to whether several midshipmen dismissed during the past few years cannot by legal action compel their restoration to the service. The court-martial in the case of Midshipman Trenmor Soffin, Jr., and Warren A. Vanderver, for alleged connection with the hazing of Jerdone P. Kimbrough, will begin shortly after Christmas.

BLUFFS AT RESIGNING.

The Hungarian Premier Returns Portfolio to the Emperor.

Vienna, Dec. 22. — Premier Fejervary had an audience of Emperor Francis Joseph yesterday and tendered the resignation of the entire Hungarian cabinet. It is understood that Baron Fejervary desires to obtain an expression of confidence from the emperor, in which case his resignation probably will be withdrawn.

Hanged for Assault.

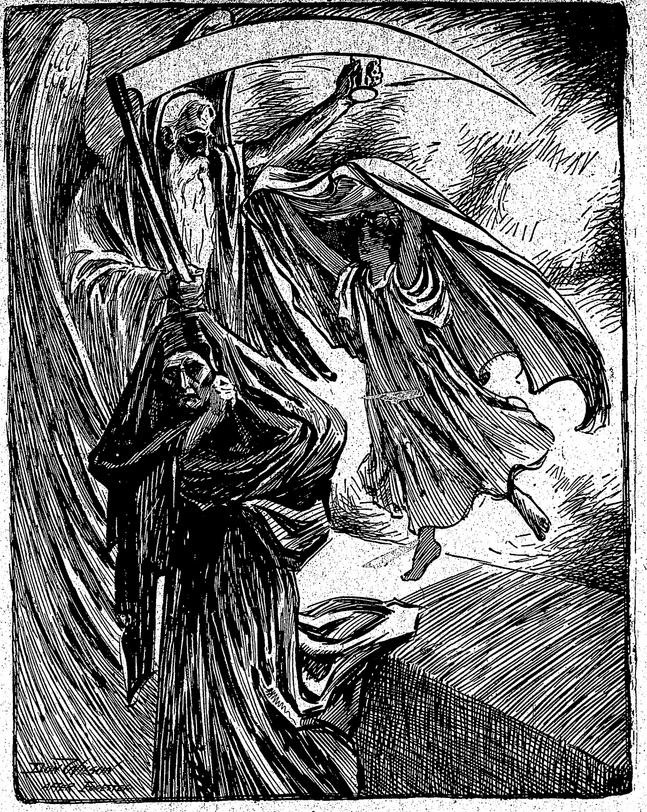
Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 22.—Will Carter, a negro, was hanged here yesterday for a criminal assault upon a six-year-old white girl at Wallace in November last.

Girl Killed in Runaway.

Ottumwa, Iowa, Dec. 22.—Miss Olive Ross, aged fifteen years, was instantly killed and Bert Brooks, Misses Tracy Ross and Agnes Millard were more or less seriously injured in a runaway last night.

Dies for Stepson.

Paynesville, Minn., Dec. 22. — Mrs. Michael Schultz, a bride of a month, died yesterday from burns suffered when she saved her three-year-old stepson from death by fire at the cost of her own life.



WELCOME THE COMING, SPEED THE PARTING GUEST; THE OLD YEAR AND THE NEW

ONE WORKING DAY FOR US ALL.

To-day the Only Period for Which We Are Accountable.

The coming year will have 365 days in its calendar, but really will have only one working day, and that is called "To-day." That is all you will be accountable for; none but a fool lives in to-morrow. Serve your Master by the day. Each four and twenty hours brings its own duties to be done, its own loads to be carried, and its own progress to be made heavenward. There never was a Christian yet strong enough to carry to-day's duties with to-morrow's worries piled on the top of them. Take short views, and never try to climb walls until you get to them, or to cross a bridge until you reach it. Begin every day with Jesus Christ, and then, keeping step with him, march on to duty over the roughest road that lies before you, and in the teeth of the hardest head wind you may encounter. "My times are in thy hands," and they could not be in better hands. Our times are in our all-wise and all-loving Father's hands, both for control and for concealment. He takes care of us, and yet we can not tell just what to-morrow or the next year will bring forth.

Facing the New Year.

A new year is upon us, with new duties, new conflicts, new trials, and new opportunities. Start on the journey with Jesus—to walk with him, to work for him, and to win souls to him. A happy year will it be to those who through every path of trial, or up every hill of difficulty, or over every sunny height, march on in closest fellowship with Jesus, and who will determine that, come what may, they have Christ every day.—Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D.

Children's Day in Russia.

In Russia New Year's is especially the children's day. Among the peasants the old-time frolics and games are renewed. It is a practice among the boys to arm themselves with a supply of shelled wheat and dried peas and to go from house to house in the small hours of the morning. They present themselves unbidden in a neighbor's house, where the doors are always unlocked, and pelt him with wheat or peas till he offers cakes or fruit as a truce.

The Closing Year

'Tis midnight's holy hour—and silence now
Is brooding, like a gentle spirit, o'er
The still and pulseless world. Hark! on the winds
The bell's deep tones are swelling; 'tis the knell
Of the departed year. No funeral train
Is sweeping past; yet, on the stream and wood,
With melancholy light, the moonbeams rest,
Like a pale spotless shroud; the air is stirred,
As by a mourner's sigh; and on yon cloud,
That floats so still and placidly through heaven,
The spirits of the seasons seem to stand,
Young Spring, bright Summer, Autumn's solemn form,
And Winter, with his aged locks, and breathe
In mournful cadences, that come abroad
Like the far windharp's wild and touching wail,
A melancholy dirge o'er the dead year,
Gone from the earth forever. 'Tis a time
For memory and for tears. Within the deep,
Still chambers of the heart, a specter dim,
Whose tones are like the wizard voice of Time
Heard from the tomb of ages, points its cold
And solemn finger to the beautiful
And holy visions that have pass'd away,
And left no shadow of their loveliness
On the dead waste of life. That specter lifts
The coffin lid of hope, and joy, and love,
And, bending mournfully above the pale
Sweet forms that slumber there, scatters dead flowers
O'er what has passed to nothingness. The year
Has gone, and, with it, many a glorious throng
Of happy dreams. Its mark is on each brow,
Its shadows in each heart. In its swift course
It waved its scepter o'er the beautiful,
And they are not. It laid its pallid hand
Upon the strong man, and the haughty form
Is fallen, and the flashing eye is dim.
It trod the hall of revelry, where throng'd
The bright and joyous, and the tearful wail
Of stricken ones is heard, where erst the song
And reckless shout resounded. It passed o'er
The battle plain, where sword and spear and shield
Flash'd in the light of midday—and the strength
Of serried hosts is shiver'd, and the grass,
Green from the soil of carnage, waves above
The crush'd and mouldering skeleton. It came
And faded like a wreath of mist at eve;
Yet, ere, it melted in the viewless air,
It heralded its millions to their home
In the dim land of dreams. Remorseless Time—
Fierce spirit of the glass and scythe—what power
Can stay him in his silent course, or melt
His iron heart to pity? On, still on
He presses, and forever. The proud bird,
The condor of the Andes, that can soar
Through heaven's unfathomable depths, or brave
The fury of the northern hurricane,
And bathe his plumage in the thunder's home,
Furls his broad wings at nightfall, and sinks down
To rest upon the mountain crag—But Time
Knows not the weight of sleep or weariness,
And night's deep darkness has no chain to bind
His rushing pinion. Revolutions sweep
O'er earth, like troubled visions o'er the breast
Of dreaming sorrow; cities rise and sink
Like bubbles on the water; fiery isles
Spring, blazing, from the ocean, and go back
To their mysterious caverns; mountains rear
To heaven their bald and blackened cliff, and bow
Their tall heads to the plain; new empires rise
Gathering the strength of hoary centuries
And rush down like the Alpine avalanche,
Startling the nations; and the very stars,
Yon bright and burning blazonry of God,
Glitter awhile in their eternal depths,
And, like the Pleiades, loveliest of their train,
Shoot from their glorious spheres, and pass away
To darkle in the trackless void—yet Time—
Time, the tomb builder, holds his fierce career,
Dark, stern, all pitiless, and pauses not
Amid the mighty wrecks that strew his path,
To sit and muse, like other conquerors,
Upon the fearful ruin he has wrought!

—George D. Prentice.

GREAT DAY FOR THE ROMANS.

Right Beginning of New Year Meant for Them Success.

No nation has ascribed so much importance to the beginning of things as the Roman. To that people there was a magical connection between a right beginning and success. To them New Year's day was the day of days. It was the anniversary of the founding of the city of Rome, which they considered the greatest event in the world's history. They called the first month of the year January in honor of Janus, the god of doors and beginnings. (The world still uses a heathen calendar.) At dawn of the new year the people, robed in white, sacrificed elaborate offerings to their gods, especially to Janus. Fraternal greetings, benevolent gifts and exchanges of costly presents marked the day. All evil-speaking, quarrels or excesses were for one day laid aside and the ideals for a nobler future were brought to mind by parables enacted in public places. The soldiers renewed their vows of loyalty to Caesar and put on new uniforms.

The Animals' Season Greetings.

The action and voices of domestic animals on New Year's day are said to be more significant than any other omens.

A dog's cheerful bark in the morning is a most auspicious sign, while his howl is very unfavorable.

To meet the cat on the morn of the New Year is considered by people in the Latin countries as a sign that they will change their residence, and it also betokens ill for the future.

Throughout southern Europe it is regarded as a most fortunate sign to see a pig, signifying plenty for the coming twelve months.

The sight of a snake is considered to be the worst conceivable omen, for it means death by violence.

To see a jackdaw, magpie, or crow is a sign that the beholder will be cheated on all sides during the following year.

Land of Many Tongues.

An American tourist who traveled through Hungary last summer in his automobile says that he found the signboards in German, Magyar, Italian, Slavonian and Turkish. Preference was given to none.

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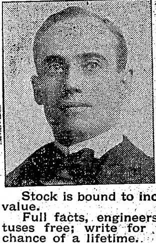

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9:15 A. M.	Crookston		6:45 P. M.
10:00 A. M.	Dugdale		6:00 P. M.
10:35 A. M.	Red Lake Falls		5:25 P. M.
11:05 A. M.	St. Hilaire		4:55 P. M.
11:35 A. M.	Thief River		4:30 P. M.
12:01 P. M.	Steiner		4:05 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Sandridge		3:52 P. M.
12:40 P. M.	Middle River		3:21 P. M.
1:05 P. M.	Strathcona		2:57 P. M.
1:35 P. M. Ar.	Greenbush	Lv.	2:25 P. M.

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A. M. Cleland, Gen. Pass. Agent, St. Paul, Minn.
E. A. Mizen, Agent.

Order for Hearing Application for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In Probate Court, Special Term, December 28th, 1905.

In the Matter of the Estate of Jane Martell Deceased:

On Receiving and Filing The petition of Francis LaBissoniere of the county of Red Lake representing, among other things, that Jane Martell late of the County of Red Lake in the State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of December A. D. 1905, at the County of Red Lake died intestate, and being an inhabitant of this County at the time of her death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is an uncle of said deceased, and praying that administration of said estate be to Francis LaBissoniere, granted;

It is Ordered, That said petition be heard before said Court, on Saturday the 20th day of January, A. D. 1906 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate Office, in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

Ordered Further, That notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls, in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., the 28th day of December, A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
(Seal) N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.

Notice of Application for Liquor License

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
County of Red Lake } ss.
City of Red Lake Falls }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That application has been made in writing to the city council of said city of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on Dec. 19th 1905, and terminating on Dec, 18th, 1906, by the following named person, and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit;

ED. BRAY

In that certain frame building, on lot 22 of block 7, in Champagne & Drew's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said city council of the city of Red Lake Falls in the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Monday, the 8th day of January A. D., 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of city of Red Lake Falls, this 22nd day of December, A. D., 1905.

—A. P. TOUPIN,
Seal City Clerk.,

Order to Examine Accounts.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake. }

In Probate Court, Regular term December 4th, 1905.

In the matter of the estate of Peter John Anderson, Deceased.

On Reading and Filing the Petition of S. J. Swanson, Administrator of the estate of Peter John Anderson deceased, representing, among other things, that he has fully administered said estate, and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining and allowing the final account of his administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law;

It is Ordered, That said account be examined, and petition heard by this Court, on Saturday the 30th day of December A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Probate office in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County.

And it is Further Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Red Lake Courier a weekly newspaper printed and published at Red Lake Falls in said County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, the 4th day of December A. D. 1905.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
[seal] Judge of Probate.

Ordinance No. 28

An ordinance granting to the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Ry. Co., its successors and assigns the right to lay down, construct' maintain and operate a pipe line and the appurtenances connected therewith in First Street in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota:

The city council of the city of Red Lake Falls do ordain as follows:

SEC. 1.—There is hereby granted unto the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company, its successors and assigns, the right to lay down, construct, maintain and operate a pipe line underneath the surface of the ground, from its right of way in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, in an easterly direction along the southerly side of First street in said city to the Clearwater River. Also to construct and maintain a pump house and intake well in said street alonn the lino of said pipe line.

Provided, that the work of constructing and maintaining said pipe line, sholl be done in such manner as not necessairly impede the travel or public use of said street, and that after said work shall be done, and said pipelines installed, said Railway company shall without delay, restore said street to as good condition as it was in before said work was commenced.

Provided also, that should said city of Red Lake Falls, or the coudty of Red Lake, or the state ever build or contemplate the building of a bridge across the Clearwater River on First street at the point occupied by said pipe line, well and pump house, then said Railway company, its successors or assigns, shall upon thirty days notice in writing remove said pipeline, well and pumphose, at their own expense, if the same shall interfere with the building of said briege or its approaches, or the use of the street leading to it, of which the city council of Red Lake Falls, shall be the sole and final judge.

SEC. 2—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Adopted Nov. 23, 1905.
Approved, Nov. 29, 1905.

Attest: Fred Borchers,
A. F. Toupin, President.
City Clerk. J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

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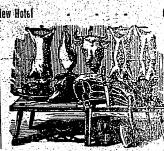

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